

Technical Services Committee Annual Report

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- The Technical Services Ad Hoc Committee met virtually beginning in February 2021 and then on a bimonthly basis thereafter. Currently, there are about 4-5 members who regularly attend the meetings.
- Meetings in 2021 included the development of a mission statement, goals, and programming ideas. Members also discussed various topics in cataloging, acquisitions, and related technical services areas. In 2022, the committee will continue to meet virtually, since members are from various parts of the State. It is possible an in-person meeting could be arranged sometime later in 2022 possibly at the NELA/NHLA Fall conference
- On November 16, 2021 the committee hosted an Ask-a-Cataloger virtual Q&A. Three committee members served as panelists and there were around 6 attendees. We also received several questions via email from people who could not attend the session live. Overall, the session was successful and we hope to host another Q&A in early 2022. One change we might make to the format is to have a short presentation or discussion topic prepared ahead of time just in case we run out of questions from the attendees.
- We are looking forward to continuing our bimonthly meetings and Q&As. We hope to offer other virtual programming opportunities in 2022, perhaps in collaboration with other sections.

Respectfully submitted,

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