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Working Group on the Future of Bibliographic Control Presented Draft Report

The Working Group on the Future of Bibliographic Control has presented its draft report for public comment. It is available at <http://www.loc.gov/bibliographic-future/news/lcwg-report-draft-11-30-07-final.pdf>

The Latest on RDA

- **Reorganization and delay**

The Joint Steering Committee for Development of RDA, which met in Chicago from October 15th-20th, has released a report detailing reorganization and revision to *Resource Description and Access* (RDA), the successor-to-be of *Anglo-American Cataloging Rules 2nd ed.* (AACR2), which will not be implemented until 2009.

For details, see <http://www.collectionscanada.ca/jsc/0710out.html>

- **Implementation task force**

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RDA task force to develop implementation plan

The RDA (Resource Description and Access) Implementation Task Force was created by the Cataloging and Classification Section of the Association for Library Collections & Technical Services (ALCTS), a division of the American Library Association, in the spring of 2007. The task force began its work in earnest this fall under the leadership of its chair, Dr. Shawne Miksa of the University of North Texas Graduate School of Library and Information Sciences. Dr. Miksa leads a task force broadly representative of groups interested in what RDA will mean for the library community. The task force includes representatives from all types of libraries, library educators, OCLC and its affiliated networks, the Library of Congress and the Program for Cooperative Cataloging.

The task force is charged to develop a plan for the implementation of *RDA*: Resource Description and Access in the United States. The major elements comprising this plan will include:

1. Training/continuing education activities.
2. Communication with OCLC and the Library of Congress, regarding their implementation plans with regard to both content and encoding and communication of these plans to the broader community.
3. Consultation with colleagues involved in the implementation of the current AACR2, to identify other planning/implementation needs.
4. Clarify with CC:DA (The Committee on Cataloging: Description & Access) the process of coordination with MARBI, with regard to potential changes to MARC associated with RDA.

The task force meets at the Midwinter and the Annual Conference and is slated to complete its work by the ALA Annual Conference in 2009. More information about the work of the task force will be available after the 2008 Midwinter Meeting. ALCTS is a division of the American Library Association.

- **Gorman blasts RDA**

The December 2007 issue of *American Libraries* contains an article by Michael Gorman, the long-time champion of cataloging, on RDA. In a word, he considers it an “imminent debacle.” All who are interested in the integrity of cataloging will want to read this.

OCLC + RLIN

The bibliographic utilities OCLC and RLIN have formally merged as of April 2007, but the full array of services to result from this action has not yet been implemented. The last phase includes the loading of local cataloging records from RLG member institutions, which will vastly augment the value of the utility. That is because many libraries complete their cataloging only at the local level, and those records then have subjects and call numbers. When the final phase is complete, these records will become accessible, providing a boon to catalogers struggling with backlogs.

In the meantime, everyone has access to these full local records anyhow! Just go the [WorldCat beta site](#) and enter a search. You will get a listing of institutions holding the title, from which you can go directly into their catalog or in some cases directly to the record. Pick the cataloging you like best, there will be plenty to choose from! Try it, you'll like it.

The following link takes you to OCLC's status report on the merger of OCLC and RLIN: http://www.oclc.org/services/cataloging/rlg/integration_status.htm

§ SUBJECT CATALOGING NEWS §

Selected LC subject heading additions and changes taken from the [Library of Congress Subject Headings Weekly Lists](#) 29-48 (July 18-Nov. 28, 2007)

KEY UF = Used for
 BT = Broader term
 RT = Related term
 SA = See also
 * = lines or paragraphs that are CHANGES

“Changes to existing headings are indicated by an asterisk. (A) indicates proposals that were approved before the editorial meeting. (C) indicates proposals submitted by cooperating libraries.

Diacritics and most special characters are not displayed.”

- 150 Advertising—Religious aspects—Buddhism, [Christianity, etc.] [sp2007005131]
- 150 Altars, Medieval [May Subd Geog] [sp2007005671]
 - 450 UF Medieval altars
- * 150 Chorale [May Subd Geog] ADD GEOG [sp 85024707]
 - * 053 ML3084 (Catholic) CANCEL
 - * 053 ML3084 (Christian)
 - * 550 BT Church music CANCEL
 - * 550 BT Hymn tunes CANCEL
 - * 550 BT Hymns—History and criticism
- * 150 Choruses, Sacred (Mixed voices, 4 parts) with piano [May Subd Geog] ADD GEOG [sp 85024802]
 - * 053 M2062 CANCEL
 - * 053 M2062 (Collections)
 - * 053 M2072 CANCEL
 - * 053 M2072 (Separate works)
 - * 450 UF Choruses, Sacred (Mixed voices, 4 pts.) with piano [EARLIER FORM OF HEADING]
- (C) 150 Church architecture—Portuguese influences [sp2007005484]
 - 551 BT Portugal—Civilization
- 150 Church work with ex-concentration camp inmates—Baptists, [Catholic Church, etc.] [sp2007001545]
- 150 Cold War—Religious aspects—Baptists, [Catholic Church, etc.] [sp2006009102]
- 150 Commitment (Psychology)—Religious aspects—Baptists, [Catholic Church, etc.] [sp2007006711]
- (C) 150 Communication in the Bible [sp2007004096]
- (C) 150 Crosses in literature [Not Subd Geog] [sp2007003966]
- 150 Disestablishment of churches [May Subd Geog] [sp2007004962]

- 550 BT Church and state
- 150 Fall of man in music [May Subd Geog] [sp2007005857]
 - 550 BT Music
- (C) 150 Family violence—Religious aspects—Baptists, [Catholic Church, etc.] [sp2007008057]
- 150 Franciscan painting [May Subd Geog] [sp2007008398]
 - 550 BT Franciscan art
 - 550 BT Painting
- (C) 150 God (Christianity)—Faithfulness [sp2007004426]
 - 450 UF Faithfulness of God
 - 550 BT God (Christianity)—Attributes
- (C) 150 Homecoming—Religious aspects—Buddhism, [Christianity, etc.] [sp2007001709]
- 150 Hospitality in the Bible [sp2007006286]
- 150 Intergenerational communication—Religious aspects—Buddhism, [Christianity, etc.] [sp2007008848]
- * 150 Lenten hymns [May Subd Geog] ADD GEOG [sp 85076005]
 - * 550 BT Lenten music
 - * 550 RT Lenten music CANCEL
- 150 Lord's Supper [sp 85078354]
 - * 053 BX2215 (Catholic Church) CANCEL
 - * 053 BX5149.C5 (Church of England) CANCEL
 - * 450 UF Cena, Ultima CANCEL
 - * 450 UF Cenacolo CANCEL
- 150 Paradise--Buddhism, Christianity, etc. [sp2007006927]
- * 150 Posture in worship [May Subd Geog] ADD GEOG [sp 85105576]
 - * 450 UF Devotional posture
 - * 450 UF Posture, Liturgical CANCEL
- (C) 150 Parties—Religious aspects—Baptists, [Catholic Church, etc.] [sp2007008052]
- * 150 Pastoral theology—Field work CANCEL
 - 150 Pastoral theology—Fieldwork [May Subd Geog] [sp 94002071]
 - 053 BV4164.5
 - 450 UF In-service guidance (Pastoral theological education)
 - 450 UF Pastoral theology—Field work [EARLIER FORM OF HEADING]

- 450 UF Placements (Pastoral theological education)
- 450 UF Theological field education

- 150 Posture in worship in art [Not Subd Geog] [sp2007008536]
- (C) 150 Posture in worship in literature [Not Subd Geog] [sp2007007142]
- 150 Prison chaplains—Buddhism, [Christianity, etc.] [sp2007004952]
- (C) 150 Rainbow—Religious aspects—Buddhism, [Christianity, etc.] [sp2007003296]
- 150 Victims in the Bible [sp2007004819]
- 150 Tetramorph (Christian art) [Not Subd Geog] [sp2007007373]
- 550 Christian art and symbolism
- 150 Transepts [May Subd Geog] [sp2007006528]
- 550 Church architecture

Selected LCC to Dewey classification correlations for subject headings with 053 entries

N.B. DDC numbers may prescribe extensions from tables. Please consult the Dewey schedule as needed.

TOPIC	LCC	DDC
The Bible—General—Works about the Bible—Topics (not otherwise provided for), A-Z—People with disabilities	BS680.P435	220.8305908
Doctrinal theology—Christology—Life of Christ—Special topics—Public life—Parables—Special, A-Z—Talents	BT378.T3	261.85
Choruses, Sacred (Mixed voices, 4 parts) with piano (Collections)	M2062	782.25

Additions and changes from [LC Classification Weekly Lists 29-49 \(July 18-Dec. 5, 2007\)](#)

- BR65.M383-.M3836 Christianity—Collected works—Early Christian literature. Fathers of the Church, etc.—Individual authors—Marius Mercator, fl. 418-449 TABLE BR1
- BR195.M43 Christianity—History—By period—Early and medieval—Apostolic Age to fall of Roman Empire—Special topics—Other special, A-Z—Medicine
- BR1329 Christianity—History—By region or country—Asia. The Orient—Eastern

- Asia—Korea—By period—21st century
- BR1720.G66 Christianity—Biography—Individual biography—Early Christian biography to ca. 600, A-Z—Gregentios, Saint, Archbishop of Taphar, d. 552
- BS315.M66 The Bible—General—Texts and versions—Modern texts and versions—Non-European languages—Asian languages, A-Z—Mongolian TABLE BS5
- BS335.Y28 The Bible—General—Texts and versions—Modern texts and versions—Non-European languages—Languages of Oceania and Australasia (Austronesian, Papuan, and Australian), A-Z—Yale TABLE BS5
- BS580.M53 The Bible—General--Works about the Bible--Men, women, and children of the Bible—Biography--Individual Old Testament characters, A-Z--Michal
- [BS680.D572] The Bible—General—Works about the Bible—Topics (not otherwise provided for), A-Z—Disabilities, People with **see BS680.P435**
- BS680.P435 The Bible—General—Works about the Bible—Topics (not otherwise provided for), A-Z—People with disabilities
- BS1199.C58 The Bible—Old Testament—Works about the Old Testament—Topics (not otherwise provided for), A-Z—Communication
- BS1199.P32 The Bible—Old Testament—Works about the Old Testament—Topics (not otherwise provided for), A-Z—Paradox
- BS1199.R53 The Bible—Old Testament—Works about the Old Testament—Topics (not otherwise provided for), A-Z—Riddles
- BS2545.O25 The Bible—New Testament—Works about the New Testament—Topics (not otherwise provided for), A-Z—Oaths
- [BS2549.J3-.J5] The Bible—New Testament—Special parts of the New Testament—Gospels—Polyglot texts—**“Jefferson Bible” CANCEL**
- [BS2549.J3-.J4] Polyglot texts—**“Jefferson Bible”—Texts CANCEL LINE**
- (BS2549.J3-.J5) Polyglot texts—Jefferson Bible **see BT304.95.J44**
- BS2549.J3 The Bible—New Testament—Special parts of the New Testament—Gospels—Polyglot texts—**“Jefferson Bible”—Texts CANCEL LINE—Polyglot CANCEL LINE**
- BS2549.J4A-.J4Z The Bible—New Testament—Special parts of the New Testament—Gospels—Polyglot texts—**“Jefferson Bible”—Texts CANCEL LINE—By language, A-Z CANCEL LINE**
- [BS2549.J4E5-.J4E6] The Bible—New Testament—Special parts of the New Testament—Gospels—Polyglot texts—**“Jefferson Bible”—Texts CANCEL LINE—By language, A-Z—CANCEL LINE—English CANCEL LINE**
- BS2549.J4E5 The Bible—New Testament—Special parts of the New Testament—Gospels—Polyglot texts—**“Jefferson Bible”—Texts CANCEL LINE—By language, A-Z—English CANCEL LINE—King James Version CANCEL LINE**
- BS2549.J4E6 The Bible—New Testament—Special parts of the New Testament—Gospels—Polyglot texts—**“Jefferson Bible”—Texts CANCEL LINE—By language, A-Z—English CANCEL LINE—Weymouth version CANCEL LINE**

- BS2549.J5 The Bible—New Testament—Special parts of the New Testament—Gospels—Polyglot texts—“Jefferson Bible”—**History and criticism CANCEL LINE**
- BS2655.M56 New Testament—Special parts of the New Testament—Epistles—Epistles of Paul—Topics (not otherwise provided for), A-Z—Miracles
- BT304.95.J44 Doctrinal theology—Christology—Life of Christ—Character and personality—Special interpretations of Jesus—Rationalist—Jefferson Bible (Life and morals of Jesus of Nazareth)—Subarrange by date
- BT378.T3 Doctrinal theology—Christology—Life of Christ—Special topics—Public life—Parables—Special, A-Z—Talents
- BT660.F46 Doctrinal theology—Mary, Mother of Jesus Christ. Mariology—Miracles. Apparitions. Shrines, sanctuaries, images, processions, etc.—Special—Other, A-Z—Florânia (Brazil). Santuário de Nossa Senhora das Graças
- BT660.M47 Doctrinal theology—Mary, Mother of Jesus Christ. Mariology—Miracles. Apparitions. Shrines, sanctuaries, images, processions, etc.—Special—Other, A-Z—Mercy, Our Lady of
- BV168.P58 Practical theology—Worship (Public and private)—Christian symbols and symbolism—Other special, A-Z—Plants
- BV3630.M25 Practical theology—Missions—Missions in individual countries—Africa—By ethnic group, A-Z—Makua
- BX2347.8.E84 Christian denominations—Catholic Church—Practical religion—Church work. Social service—Work with, and attitude towards, special groups, classes, etc., A-Z—Ex-concentration camp inmates
- BX3585 Christian denominations--Catholic Church--Monasticism. Religious orders--Individual orders of men--Florians TABLE BX18
- BX4405.25 Christian denominations--Catholic Church--Monasticism. Religious orders—Individual orders of women—Marianist Sisters TABLE BX18
- KBR2150.A42 History of canon law—Sources—Particular forms of contemporary legal literature—Consilia. Responsa—Individual canonists and jurists (commentators), A-Z—Andrea Alciati, 1492-1550 TABLE K4
- KBR2150.A43 History of canon law—Sources—Particular forms of contemporary legal literature—Consilia. Responsa—Individual canonists and jurists (commentators), A-Z—Silvestro Aldobrandini, 1499-1558 TABLE K4
- KBR2150.B68 History of canon law—Sources—Particular forms of contemporary legal literature—Consilia. Responsa—Individual canonists and jurists (commentators), A-Z—Giovanni Botta TABLE K4
- KBR2150.G56 History of canon law—Sources—Particular forms of contemporary legal literature—Consilia. Responsa—Individual canonists and jurists (commentators), A-Z—Orazio Giovagnoni, d. 1624 TABLE K4
- KBR2150.L33 History of canon law—Sources—Particular forms of contemporary legal literature—Consilia. Responsa—Individual canonists and jurists (commentators), A-Z—Guy de la Pape, ca. 1402-ca. 1487 TABLE K4
- KBR2150.M46 History of canon law—Sources—Particular forms of contemporary legal literature—Consilia. Responsa—Individual canonists and jurists

- (commentators), A-Z—Giacomo Menochio, 1532-1607 TABLE K4
- KBR2150.M96 History of canon law—Sources—Particular forms of contemporary legal literature—Consilia. Responsa—Individual canonists and jurists (commentators), A-Z—Joachim Mynsinger von Frundeck, 1514-1588 TABLE K4
- KBR2150.T46 History of canon law—Sources—Particular forms of contemporary legal literature—Consilia. Responsa—Individual canonists and jurists (commentators), A-Z—Jakob Thoming, 1524-1576 TABLE K4
- [KBR3085-3087] History of canon law—Sacraments. Administration of sacraments. De sacramentis et administratione—**The Most Holy Eucharist. De Sanctissima Eucharistia CANCEL**
- [KBR3085-3087] History of canon law—Sacraments. Administration of sacraments. De sacramentis et administratione—The Most Holy Eucharist. Holy Communion. Lord's Supper. De Sanctissima Eucharistia
- [KBR3087-3088] History of canon law—Sacraments. Administration of sacraments. De sacramentis et administratione—The Most Holy Eucharist. Holy Communion. Lord's Supper. De Sanctissima Eucharistia —Celebration of the mass. Including observation of rites, e.g. liturgical and communion rites
- KBR3087 History of canon law—Sacraments. Administration of sacraments. De sacramentis et administratione—The Most Holy Eucharist. De Sanctissima Eucharistia—**Observation of rites. De ritibus CANCEL**
- KBR3087 History of canon law—Sacraments. Administration of sacraments. De sacramentis et administratione—The Most Holy Eucharist. Holy Communion. Lord's Supper. De Sanctissima Eucharistia—Celebration of the mass—General TABLE KB2—**Including admission to the Holy Communion CANCEL**
- KBR3088 History of canon law—Sacraments. Administration of sacraments. De sacramentis et administratione—The Most Holy Eucharist. Holy Communion. Lord's Supper. De Sanctissima Eucharistia—Celebration of the mass—Particular masses—e.g. Nuptial mass
- [KBU3085-3087] Law of the Roman Catholic Church. The Holy See—Sacraments. Administration of sacraments. De sacramentis et administratione—**The Most Holy Eucharist. De Sanctissima Eucharistia CANCEL**
- [KBU3085-3087] Law of the Roman Catholic Church. The Holy See—Sacraments. Administration of sacraments. De sacramentis et administratione—The Most Holy Eucharist. Holy Communion. Lord's Supper. De Sanctissima Eucharistia
- [KBU3087-3088] Law of the Roman Catholic Church. The Holy See—Sacraments. Administration of sacraments. De sacramentis et administratione—The Most Holy Eucharist. Holy Communion. Lord's Supper. De Sanctissima Eucharistia—Celebration of the mass—Including observation of rites, e.g. liturgical and communion rites
- KBU3087 Law of the Roman Catholic Church. The Holy See—Sacraments. Administration of sacraments. De sacramentis et administratione—The Most Holy Eucharist. De Sanctissima Eucharistia—**Observation of rites. De ritibus CANCEL**

- KBU3087 Law of the Roman Catholic Church. The Holy See—Sacraments. Administration of sacraments. De sacramentis et administratione—The Most Holy Eucharist. Holy Communion. Lord's Supper. De Sanctissima Eucharistia—Celebration of the mass—General TABLE KB2—**Including admission to the Holy Communion CANCEL**
- KBU3088 Law of the Roman Catholic Church. The Holy See—Sacraments. Administration of sacraments. De sacramentis et administratione—The Most Holy Eucharist. Holy Communion. Lord's Supper. De Sanctissima Eucharistia—Celebration of the mass—Particular masses—e.g. Nuptial mass
- [KBU3134-3134.5] Law of the Roman Catholic Church. The Holy See--Sacraments. Administration of sacraments. De sacramentis et administratione--Marriage. Marriage law. De matrimonio--Matrimonial consent. De consensus matrimoniale--Validity of consent. Consensus validus--Incapable persons. Incapaces matrimonii contrahendi
- KBU3134 **Incapable persons. Incapaces matrimonii contrahendi CANCEL**
- KBU3134 General works
- KBU3134.5 Incapacity due to mental illness
- M2149.5.A26 Vocal music--Sacred vocal music--Liturgy and ritual--Roman Catholic Church--Printed music—Antiphonaries--Single offices, A-Z--Achacius, of Mount Ararat, Saint
- M2149.5.S56 Vocal music—Sacred vocal music—Liturgy and ritual—Roman Catholic Church—Printed music—Antiphonaries—Single offices, A-Z—Simpert, Saint, Bishop of Augsburg
- ML2881.R6-.R69 Literature on music—History and criticism—Vocal music—Secular vocal music—Forms and types—Christmas carols—By region or country, A-Z—Romania TABLE M8
- N8012.T43 Special subjects of art—Religious art—Christian art Christian symbolism—Special, A-Z—Tetramorph
- ND3359.C63 Painting--Illuminating of manuscripts and books--Histories and reproductions of special illuminated works--Special works—Bibles--New Testaments--Evangelaries, A-Z--Codex Vyšehradensis
- ND3359.M35 Painting--Illuminating of manuscripts and books--Histories and reproductions of special illuminated works--Special works—Bibles--New Testaments--Evangelaries, A-Z--Mainzer Evangeliar
- ND3359.T74 Painting--Illuminating of manuscripts and books--Histories and reproductions of special illuminated works--Special works—Bibles--New Testaments--Evangelaries, A-Z--Tsghrut'i Avetaran
- ND3380.4.R64 Illuminating of manuscripts and books--Histories and reproductions of special illuminated works--Special works--Other service books. Prayer books (other than above)--Special, A-Z--Rosario de Juana la Loca
- N8012.M97 Special subjects of art--Religious art--Christian art Christian symbolism--

- Special, A-Z--Mystical union
- PN57.F73 Literature (General)--Theory. Philosophy. Esthetics--Relation to and treatment of special elements, problems, and subjects--Other special—Characters--Individual characters, A-Z--Francis, of Assisi, Saint, 1182-1226
- PN57.J78 Literature (General)--Theory. Philosophy. Esthetics--Relation to and treatment of special elements, problems, and subjects--Other special—Characters--Individual characters, A-Z--Judas Iscariot
- PN3352.C47 Prose--Prose. Prose fiction--Philosophy, theory, etc.--Relation to and treatment of special subjects--Other special, A-Z--Christianity
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Passions of the saints TABLE PR9 CANCEL

- PR1527 Lives of the saints. Passions of the saints TABLE PR9
- PT5217.C49 Dutch literature--Literary history and criticism--Special forms—Poetry--Special periods--16th-17th centuries--Special topics, A-Z--Christian poetry

§ THE CATALOGER'S TOOLCHEST §

A new edition of the **Red Book** (a.k.a. *Library of Congress Subject Headings*) has been published: the 30th edition, 2007. This represents the continuously cumulated and modified list of subject headings begun at the Library of Congress in 1898. The 1st edition, *Subject Headings Used in the Dictionary Catalogues of the Library of Congress*, was issued in parts between 1909 and 1914, and supplementary lists were issued as required. This first edition comprised two volumes. The publication assumed its current title, *Library of Congress Subject Headings*, with the 8th edition in 1975 and is now an annual publication of five volumes. From 6,000 to 8,000 new headings, including headings with subdivisions, are added every year.

What's available for free?

[Library of Congress Authorities](#)

[Library of Congress Subject Headings Weekly Lists](#)

§ EDITOR'S IN-BOX §

I was pleased to find the cataloguing newsletter on the Catholic Library Association website. I recently became the parish librarian for St. John Vianney Catholic Church in Houston, TX. I have ten years experience as a library assistant, but no library degree.

The library here has not had anyone focusing on it for several years, since the last librarian died. So I am trying to revive its usage. The library uses the Dewey system, and I was using Dewey in the American International school of Muscat where I worked for the last 5 years.

There are several church and Catholic school libraries here in the Houston area which use the Dewey system.

Thanks for the information in the newsletter!

Regards,

Bette O'Dell

Thanks for writing, Bette! I'll give you a couple of the LCSH headings mapped to the DDC22 200 schedule:

Ash Wednesday music	781.725
Church work with learning disabled children	259.4
Church work with learning disabled youth	259.4
Hope in the Bible	234.25
Jesuit drama, Portuguese	869.205160892125553 and 869.205160992125553

[a good candidate for truncation!]

A caveat: as with all DDC numbers, the schedules should be consulted in case a table is applicable for the item being cataloged. Hope this might be of some interest to you—Rob

CALL FOR CONTRIBUTIONS

Please consider submitting a contribution to *Oliver Leonard Kapsner, O.S.B. Cataloging Bulletin*. This could be a theoretical essay relating to cataloging, a practical piece discussing specific cataloging challenges and how they are being met within your library, or even questions posed to which our readers would be invited to respond. Send letters, questions, or possible contributions to the editor, Rob Kusmer. Contact information is found below.

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