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Committee Information Update

Please note: ALA and Council committees are required to submit an update of their activities within one-month after each Midwinter Meeting and Annual Conference. This form will be sent to the ALA Council and the ALA Committee on Organization.

Report for Midwinter: 2011 ALA Midwinter Meeting

Report for Annual Conference ________

Name of Committee: Committee on Research and Statistics

Committee Chair: Sandra Hughes-Hassell

Committee Members Present: Sandra Hughes-Hassell (chair), Cathleen Bourdon (staff liaison), Wanda Dole (IFLA representative), Jeanne Boyle, Michelle Hudson, Anne Houston, John Bertot, Keith Curry Lance, Glenn Holt, Rebecca Teasdale, Sunny Kim

Committee Members Absent: Robert Ivey, Mary Stansbury, Larry White

Others Present: Cindy Sheckells, Jamie Hug, and Laura Hardesty from the U.S. Census

Accomplishments [at this meeting], a concise account:
The Committee on Research and Statistics finalized plans for their 2011 conference program - “Maybe it has already been done: locating existing data for planning, assessment and advocacy”; began the discussion on plans for the 2012 program; discussed the ORS IMLS grant proposal to establish an online resource of impact assessment statements; heard updates from ORS, IMLS and NCES; and heard an in-depth report on the Public Library Funding and Technology Access Study.

Other comments/information you believe will help the Association in its work:

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