

EMIERT Midwinter Board Meeting  
January 14 & January 15, 2005  
Boston

**Objective:**

Find publisher for *EMIERT Bulletin*

**Recommendation:**

Decrease number of issues from quarterly to semiannually (Midwinter and Conference) and give permission to Goldman Group to be our new publisher (<http://www.ggpubs.com>).

**Requested Budget/Yearly Cost to EMIERT:**

\$5000 - \$7000 (tbd)

Price quoted for 8 page issue: \$2500

Other costs: ?

**Why Goldman Group?**

GG is the largest representation group in the library market. With over 20 publications, including *Multicultural Review* and *VOYA*, GG is well established and can provide EMIERT the support we need.

**For Future Development (Annual Conference 2005)**

*Increase EMIERT's exposure in the library and educational community by designating Multicultural Review as the official journal of EMIERT Round Table. EMIERT BULLETIN! would continue to be published semiannually as a 10-12 page insert.*

**Considerations/discussions:**

*EMIERT Membership dues would be raised to \$40/year and would include one year subscription to MCR.*

**Benefits:**

Naming MCR as the official journal of EMIERT would increase our visibility, give members access to wider range of reviews and information pertinent to our mission.

Goldman Group staff are friendly and efficient.

Todd Goldman clearly demonstrates knowledge of the library community and Lyn Miller-Lachmann (Editor of MCR) has been a member of EMIERT for X \_\_\_\_\_ years serving as Member-At-

Large, \_\_\_\_\_ . Lynn is an expert editor and her loyalty to this Round Table is unquestionable.

Comments from EMIERT members regarding MCR /Official Journal of Ethnic Multicultural Information Exchange Round Table:

"It seems to be a creative idea with lots of potential"

"I'm so excited about this possibility!!! I think it sounds great!"

"Todd sounds just like what we need."

"It might raise the caliber of our contributions too."

"I love it!"

Submitted by **Kathy Reiger, Sarah Smith and Olga Kuharets**