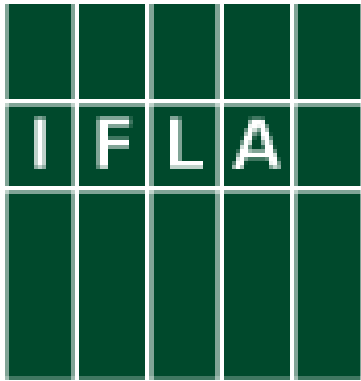


IFLA section LPD introduction to an international perspective



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- Chair if IFLA LPD
- Participant at TIGAR/ETIN



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reading for all



A young boy with brown hair, wearing a white t-shirt and large black headphones, is leaning forward on a light-colored wooden floor. He is looking intently at a silver laptop that is open in front of him. The background is a plain, light-colored wall. The overall scene is brightly lit, suggesting an indoor setting with natural light.

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What is IFLA?

- IFLA (1927), is the leading international body representing the interests of library and information services and their users. It is the global voice of the library and information profession.
- Federation with 1500 Members in approximately 150 countries around the world. HQ in the Netherlands
- IFLA is associate member of UNESCO, and has observer status at UN, WIPO and ISO
- 43 sections grouped in 5 divisions
- 4 core values of IFLA

Libraries serving Persons with Print Disabilities (LPD)

(Section 31 of IFLA)

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LPD's Mission

To advocate for library services that are equitable and accessible for persons with a print disability.





INTERNATIONAL LIBRARY NETWORK

POLICY

GUIDELINES

ACCESSIBLE LIBRARY SERVICES



LPD has 67 members from 36 countries



LPD's Current Projects

- Seeking endorsement for our Manifesto at UNESCO
- Liaison with CLM to drive for an international exception
- Develop a Tool for Comparing our Performances (with S&E)
- Develop Library Service Guidelines for Persons with dyslexia (with LSN)
- Organizing a preconference every 2nd year
- Preparing LPD's presentations program at WLIC



Imagine all libraries and
books padlocked

ac·ces·si·ble [ak-ses-uh-buh l]

adj.

**PEOPLE UNABLE TO
READ NORMAL PRINT
NEED MATERIAL TO BE
CONVERTED INTO
ALTERNATIVE
FORMATS. 1.5
BILLION PEOPLE WITH
A PRINT DISABILITY
AND GROWING
LESS THAN 5% OF THE
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ACCESSIBLE VERSION
SUITABLE FOR PEOPLE
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DISABILITIES
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Exciting Developments

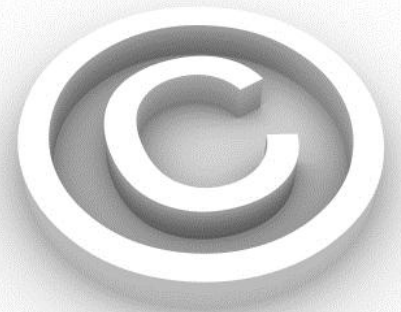
- International legal instrument for accessible works created under (Treaty)
- Practical projects to help international sharing of accessible works:
 - TIGAR
 - ETIN

TREATY

World Blind Union



WIPO





TIGAR

- 3 year project to facilitate cross-border exchange of copyright protected electronic files for books in accessible formats
- Wants to create a network of TI's globally
- Gain experience and test practical solutions
- Develop Search and Find ICT solutions at WIPO
- Works with Fast Track Solutions
- Wants to develop Collective Licensing and Businessmodel for sustainable future



The ETIN initiative

- European Trusted Intermediaries Network
- Facilitated by DG Market of the EU
- Prompted by the MoU signed by Barnier
- Shares the vision and goals of TIGAR
- Uses the special circumstances of the internal market of the EU
- Collective Licensing
- Sharing between TI's in the European
- Has no project-team, is looking for funding



Why not Join IFLA / LPD

Costs:

- Membership fee (€ 463)
- Hours you put in
- Travel



Benefits:

- Join a Network of experts
- Find Ideas & Inspiration
- Create opportunity
- Get Support
- Raise your profile

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