

SNAC November 2018 Newsletter

News from the Operations Committee

General Updates

Communications:

The Communications Working Group met virtually with Laura Campbell on October 8 to discuss ways in which Communications might be able to assist the Business Leadership Team. During that meeting it was decided that the most pressing need is to focus on the SNAC public website.

To streamline work on the site, Joseph Glass provided the Communications Working Group with the ability to update it via the SNAC portal. Each Communications Working Group member will spend the next month testing this new functionality in the portal before the connection between the two platforms goes live

Developer's Update:

SNACSchool:

The SNACSchool Working Group reports success with the October Micro Module training events. A good number of SNAC editors have attended these sessions, which cover new SNAC functionality for Source Citation and Cite, Resource Cache Management, and Merge. These sessions are also scheduled for **November 6, 7, and 8**, and the working group encourages all editors to register and attend if they haven't done so already. Sharing in the success of these training events are working group members Dina Herbert, Glen Wiley, Jodi Berkowitz, Kit Messick, Melanie Yolles, and Alan Mark.

The SNACSchool Working Group is planning a full SNACSchool training event December 4th (modules 1-5) and December 5th (modules 6-8), from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. both days. This provides an excellent opportunity for anyone who hasn't yet taken the micro module training in October and November.

To register for SNACSchool Micro Modules, please use this form: <http://bit.ly/MicroMod>

To register for the December 4-5, SNACSchool full event, please use this form: <http://bit.ly/SNACSchoolDec>

Standards and Editorial Policy:

We formed a Demographics Sub-group that has started meeting and is developing a document of guiding principles to ground our work and decisions.

Technology Infrastructure:

Requests for Feedback

Other Announcements