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Anna Górska:

CONTROLLED TAGGING – OXYMORON OR THE FUTURE OF INFORMATION-RETRIEVAL LANGUAGES?

Cataloguing the Internet resources is being compared to cataloguing library resources. Social tagging is one of the methods of systematizing the Internet contents. The researchers have been deliberating for several years whether this method is useful for libraries, how it's usefulness can be increased, and how to eliminate it's shortcomings, to make it an equal tool in library information-retrieval systems. The author presents systematic review of current research on this topic, and proposals of folksonomy transformation into controlled tagging systems. She also offers a thesis concerning a tendency of folksonomy development into facet thesaurus, comparing tags to uniterms' system.

Jadwiga Sadowska:

LITERARY BOOK IN POLAND IN 1990-2010 IN THE LIGHT OF THE STATISTICS

The article describes development trends of literature in Poland after social and political transformation. The author presents numbers of literary titles published in Poland in 1990-2010, number of such titles for adult readers and for children and youth, and number of translations. She compiles ranking lists of Polish and foreign authors by editions in 1944-2010 and 1990-2010, as well as ranking lists of Polish and foreign literary titles most often published in Poland in these periods. These data were taken from the statistics "Polish Publishing in Figures" annually for the years 1990-2010, published by the National Library on the base of current national bibliography.

Małgorzata Kowalska:

POLISH PUBLICATIONS IN LIBRARY AND INFORMATION SCIENCE IN OPEN ACCESS REPOSITORIES: THE E-LIS CASE STUDY

The Open Access movement has been expanding for 10 years. Electronic archives aiming primarily at provision of free, fast, and open access to knowledge for all Internet users are created according to this idea. The Eprints for Library and Information Science (E-LIS) represents one of such archives, including also Polish texts since 2005. The article presents general rules of placing publications in this repository, searching options, as well as results of statistical and thematic analysis of Polish materials. The author evaluates this set regarding frequency of publication, issue date, types of documents, and the most popular topics.

Wiesław Babik:

INFORMATION ECOLOGY AS A CATALYST OF SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT OF INFORMATION AND KNOWLEDGE SOCIETY

A sustainable development of information and knowledge society is a condition either of open access to such a resources, or protection of “naturalness” of human information environment. Effects of the hitherto activities for sustainable development of the modern society are insufficient. We cannot discuss a sustainable development if many people can neither answer their fundamental information needs, nor use information effectively because of its redundancy. It seems however, that there are potential means to reach the goal, offered by information ecology, aiming in homeostatic balance in an “antropoinfosphere”.

Katarzyna Cyran, Monika Gościk:

TEACHING INFORMATION LITERACY. CASE STUDY OF INTERNSHIP IN THE DOCKLANDS LIBRARY UNIVERSITY OF EAST LONDON

The article describes the interactive Info-Skills online service, developed by the employees of the Docklands Library University East of London, and aimed in improvement of students' information literacy. The UEL Library has changed a traditional model of library training into a very attractive and educative form of developing information competencies. Authors of this service assumed, that its users need help in searching information sources, their evaluation and proper usage. The article describes this service's contents as an example of British good practice, worth promotion and implementation in Polish libraries.

Stanisława Kurek-Kokocińska:

TO BE A LIBRARIAN AND TO WORK IN A LIBRARY

The article is a review of current research concerning library education and potential employment. The most effective and popular form of looking for a job is sending applications to specific institutions and employers.

Magdalena Krynicka:

THE MARC21 FORMAT – CURRENT STATUS AND DEVELOPMENT TRENDS

The article discusses basic standard for bibliographic data being used in libraries – the MARC21 format. Presents main goals and assumptions of its development, as well as conditions influencing its application, advantages and disadvantages. Currently there is a need to record bibliographic data in a form better adapted to modern technology. Though different efforts are being made to change this format or to develop a completely new standard. The author discusses several potential scenarios and their consequences, to present the complexity of discussed problem.

Jan Dionizy Mejor:

DATA FLOW IN A CALL CENTER INFORMATION UNIT

The article consists of three parts, introducing data flow diagrams, and call center as an information unit. The author explains the idea and language of such diagrams (terms – like Stores, Processes, Flows, Customers, and grammar as a set of rules concerning diagram's construction). The effect is a complete data flow diagram of a call center.