

OHIO ELECTRONIC RECORDS COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES

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FINAL

DATE: 12 APRIL 2023

LOCATION: ONLINE WITH MICROSOFT TEAMS

ATTENDEES:

Chair:	Alyshia Benedict	✓	Vice Chair:	Sara Clark	✓
Secretary:	Marlys Bradshaw	✓	Past Chair:	John Runion	✓
State Archivist:	Fred Previts	✓			
Members:	Shelby Beatty	✓		Nathan Owens	✓
	Jacqueline Johnson	✓		Tina Ratcliff	✓
	Elise Kelly	N		Darren Shulman	N
	Kevin Latta	✓		Pari Swift	✓
	Andrea Lavens	✓		Chris Wydman	✓
GUESTS:		<u>.</u>			

1. Approval of Minutes 11 January 2023

Chair Alyshia Benedict called the meeting to order at 12:33 pm.

Nate motioned to accept the minutes - Pari seconded - All ayes. The minutes were approved.

2. Membership Committee Update

OhioERC voted to approve and then welcomed new member Shelby Beatty, Archivist & Records Manager for Sinclair Community College.

3. Online Training Module

• Online Training Funding

Fred said we are good on funding. Kevin said there is a software key that comes with the program that others should be able to use.

o Update on Email Training Series

Kevin said that people still aren't viewing the last two parts as much as the first two. Part 1 = 650 hits (+29 since January), part 2 = 413 hits (+23), part 3 = 345 hits (+16), and part 4 = 348 hits (+19).

Alyshia's supervisor is interested in email retention training and may use our module.



• Social Media Training Stats

636 have registered – 5 in 2023, 52 in 2022, 76 in 2021, and 519 in 2020.

• Next Module Topic/Training Ideas: Digital Preservation and Shared Drives

Pari has 2 powerpoints we can base it on. One is more in depth - 10-15 minutes and 25 minutes. Nate said it would be a good idea to mention ADA compliance in slide.

• Poll Question Reminder

Nate said that the next big topics should be shared drives and retention of texts/instant messages.

4. Website Committee Update

o Website Issues/Technical Considerations

Chris said that the website states are skewed due to security issues, turning on and off plugins, including jetpack for 3 weeks in February. However, there are spikes after conferences. There were 154 hits on Blockchain after Pari presented. He said we need separate pages to record hits for what are now links. Chris said the broken link checker went away and that the plugins to replace it don't work and break other tools.

- Website statistics for 1st quarter 2023
 - January: 242 visitors, 587 page views
 - February: 102 visitors, 215 page views (NOTE: *site analytics tool was down from 2/8 2/27, so Feb stats/1st Q stats are incomplete*)
 - March: 383 visitors, 999 page views
 - 1st Q/total: 727 visitors/ 1801 page views
 - (-100/-50 compared to 4th Quarter)
 - (-204/-322 compared to 1st Quarter 2022)

Top Pages/ hits (1Q):

- Homepage (530)
- Blockchain (174)
- Social Media (101)
- Trainings/Workshops (88)
- Databases as Public Records (69)
- Digital Imaging (68)
- IG (65)
- ERM (63)
- Email Mgmt (62)
- WordPress Site Review 2023

Nate made a spreadsheet of recommendations, most of outside resources no longer needed.

5. OhioERC Guidelines/Tip Sheets/Resources Review

• Database Records Retention and Disposition Tip Sheet Review



Pari said it is geared towards records managers. Pari suggested Darren and Sara review matching guideline. Marlys suggested changing personal information graphic. Sara moved to approve with changes – Alyshia seconded – All ayes.

o County/Local Government Records Centers and Digital Preservation Tip Sheet Review

John has a first draft has headlines/topics/bullet points. Nate said we should add links to RFP process, who's at the table, etc., examples of items needed to be preserved. Nate said we should look at general schedules. Tina asked if we need to eliminate company names. John said we don't endorse products but could use as an example.

6. Additional Subcommittee Updates

No updates.

7. State Archives Update

Kevin is leaving to take a position at the Ohio State University.

Managing Email webinar will be on April 18. <u>https://www.ohiohistory.org/wp-content/uploads/2022/02/Email-Description.pdf</u>

OHRAB is accepting applications for professional development scholarships through August 18. <u>https://ohrab.org/professional-development-scholarships-6/</u>

8. NAGARA Conference (July 17th-21st) Update

Pari said table space is still tentative. We will probably put information in conference bag. Nate said we need to produce handout for bag. Parri suggested list of resources and summary. Flash drives were discussed and dismissed due to lack of funding. Pari said 100 attendees have registered so far and hopes for 300-350. 10 have registered so far for our pre-conference workshop.

Nate suggested what various counties are doing, build story, hand on activities, 4 hours long. John needs examples of county guidelines.

John has been elected as local government representative to NAGARA board.

9. Brainstorming Sessions

The Ohio Government Finance Officers Association would like a speaker October 12 for their conference <u>https://econnectdirect.com/upcoming-conference/ohio-gfoa-annual-conference-ogfoa/</u>. They expect 500 attendees. Sara said she could co-present. Pari is doing something similar in June. Pari will investigate and bring back to group.

10. Review New Action Items

Alyshia made a motion to adjourn the meeting. John so moved. Chris seconded. All ayes. The meeting was adjourned at 3:02 pm.



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ACTION ITEMS				
TASK	Member(s)			
• Keep tabs on electronic records legislation (focus on Ohio)	John, Sara, Pari, Marlys			
Hide Social Media module link on web page if over 2000 hits	Nate			
Track how many have used EMS module by next meeting	Kevin, Chris			
Website subcommittee	Nate, Chris, Sara, Alyshia, Jacky, Marlys, John			
• Nate made a site review spreadsheet – review with website subcommittee before next meeting – set priorities	Nate, Chris, Sara, Alyshia, Jacky, Marlys, John			
• Update website and clean up broken links (after review)	Nate, Chris			
Guidelines subcommittee	Sara, Alyshia, Marlys			
Subcommittee - meet to review Sara's spreadsheet	Sara, Alyshia, Marlys			
Public Outreach subcommittee	Darren, Nate, Sara			
Remove Facebook logo/link from website	Chris			
Blockchain subcommittee	Pari, Eira Tansey, Adam Hansen, David Landsbergen, Doug McCollough, Dan Noonan, John			
Update blockchain members	Pari			
New Blockchain case studies document	Subcommittee			
• Quarterly posters (2023)	Sara, Elise, Alyshia, Fred			
• Quarterly reviewers (2023)	Jacky, John, Tina, Alyshia			
Add blog posts to LinkedIn	Darren			
Promote training modules on blog	Quarterly posters			
Remote work online conferencing subcommittee	Darren, Nate, Chris, John			
• Office 365 and how it affects retention – start initial info gathering	John, Pari			
Recruit new members	All members			
Database Records subcommittee – review/revise guidelines	Pari, Sara (legal), Andrea (database), John, Alyshia			
• Security Risks subcommittee – tip sheet	Pari, Nate, Andrea, Jacky			
• County Records and Preservica - tip sheet (put into template and share	John, Nate, Tina, Elise			



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with whole committee)	
• Share school best practices documents re: risks	Sara
• Update website active and inactive subcommittees	Chris
Promote social media and email modules	All members
Shared Drives/Naming Conventions module – provide content	Pari, Chris, Nate, Alyshia
• Develop new poll – email details to group	Nate, Chris
• NAGARA workshop - put together document about OhioERC	Nate, Alyshia
NAGARA workshop – pre-con workshop	Nate, John, Tina, Pari
• Put applications in GoogleDrive	Sara or Alyshia?