Notes 10-2-2023

Scribe:   Leslie

Welcome anybody who is new:

Gregorio Pellegrino from Fondazione LIA

1. CSUN 2024 submissions please update spreadsheet in shared folder.

Submitted:

Certified Accessible eBook Ecosystem – From Vendor to Publisher to Student Charles Rachel, Rick, Will, Blake

Reading and Writing of Math with a Screen Reader George and Richard

European Accessibility Act: gamechanger for accessible books Elisa and Richard

Not submitted this year- Meet the readers where they are - tools for converting documents for low cost reading devicess Richard

Not submitted this year- Raising the Expectations of Digital Reading George Richard

Question? Was there one covering - Bookshare, NIMA, EMMa and ATN Rachel and Darrin

1. Brian, is the reading and writing of math good for Athens in February? Brian was not present. Mary did not know.
2. Anything to do in prep for AHG 2023? No comments.
3. Articles for Chronicle, Inside, and AHEAD
   1. Update from Rachel and George. Rachel got together with her publishing team and looked at the articles. The Epub changes in June were a little too stale to be published as an article. Team recommended to publish as a Letter to the Editor. Rachel and team wrote the article for George. He will submit it.
   2. Teressa, Samantha, and George on third paper. George indicates this could be an article in the Journal of Higher Ed but could also be a submission for AHEAD.
   3. Richard is submitting a short paper on Math for 2024 DEEMS conference.
   4. Neil is considering a presentation on Math Accessibility.
4. Certificates, an ongoing conversation.

Purpose of certificate is to create an online course with a target audience of disability services people and provide them with a certificate for participating. This could be more motivational and makes the course seem more valuable. Possibly could be for CEU credit. Intent is to provide background in epub as a more accessible digital solution than pdf.

George sent an email to Mellon about this but has received no response.

Many questions.

Who would need/want this CEU credit?

Do Disability Services have CEU requirements.

Currently there is no deadline for developing this.

AOB

Laura asked if MathJax should still be used.

Neil replied, because there are still some problems with browsers, you could still use MathJax.

Neil says MathCAT helps to clean up browser problems.

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Laura is requesting a Best Practices for MathML to provide to a vendor.

Neil provided an email list to ask about math improvements: [www-math@w3.org](mailto:www-math@w3.org)

Math Tutorial:

<https://www.tutorialspoint.com/mathml/index.htm>

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1. Next call-Monday, October 23, 2023

<https://workshop.sciaccess.net/deims2024/deims-cfp.html>