

Consortia SIWG

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Agenda

- 1. Consortia SIWG Coordination and Mission
- 2. Recent and planned Development of Consortia functionality in Alma *Carmit Marcus, Ex Libris*
- 3. Needs of Small Libraries and Consortia Presentation on collaboration between Consoritum of Icelandic Libraries, Luxembourg bibnet.lu and LIBIS network in Belgium
- 4. "Business meeting" and discussions



Mission - Proposal

The purpose of the Consortia SIWG is to be a venue for library consortia using Ex Libris products/services for sharing experiences and raising issues in regard to functionality that is missing or needs to be improved in the aforesaid products in order to satisfy common consortia needs. Needs of academic and non-academic libraries, large and small will be addressed.

The Consortia SIWG is also a platform for members to exchange information on recent development or happenings on their premises such that members can <u>learn</u> from one another.

Last but not least Consortia SIWG is a space to identify important system/service needs for consortia and <u>advocate</u> for those by representing consortia to Ex Libris management in collaboration with corresponding product working groups.

