



NEWSLETTER

**EUCLID: the European Association for
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WORKSHOP IN COPENHAGEN

The workshop on European curriculum development in LIS took place at the Royal School of Library and Information Science on the 11th and 12th of August. The workshop was financed by the European Community, and was a common undertaking between RSLIS and EUCLID. For two days 50 LIS-professionals worked intensely to elaborate upon potentials and challenges with regard to a common European perspective within the different subfields of LIS. The result of the work will be published in a book which is due to be completed in the course of this autumn. The proposals, conclusions and reflections in this book will, in turn, form the basis for a seminar in connection with next year's BOBCATSSS in Tallinn.

COUNCIL MEETING IN COPENHAGEN

The council meeting took place in Copenhagen on the 12th of August 2005. Assumpcio Estivill from Barcelona resigned from the board at this meeting and was succeeded by Anna Maria Tammaro from Parma, Italy. The board was extended with one member. After the council meeting, the members of the board for the period 2005-2007 are:

Ragnar Audunson, Norway (re-elected).

David Bawden, UK (re-elected)

Audrone Glosiene, Lithuania (re-elected)

Anna Maria Tammaro, Italy (new)

Gerda van der Molen, the Netherlands (re-elected, but can stand only for one year – successor will be elected at next year's BOBCATSSS)

Miha Kovacs, Slovenia (new).

Tor Henriksen continues as secretary general.

It was also decided that the council meetings shall take place in connection with the BOBCATSSS-conferences. The next council meeting will take place in 2007 in Croatia.

EUCLID MEETING IN TALLINN

During next year's BOBCATSSS (Tallinn, 30th of January – 1st of February 2006) a EUCLID meeting will take place discussing:

- The Bologna-process and EUCLID with a focus upon European curriculum development based on the report from the Copenhagen workshop. Are the proposals and conclusions from the workshop relevant, realistic and adequate?
- Standards for evaluation of LIS institutions. Should EUCLID involve itself and what should, in case, be the organization's role?

We look forward to a broad participation from European LIS schools at this meeting and a thorough professional debate on the Europeanization of LIS-education.

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