COMMITTEE ON TECHNICAL PROCESSING

CTP Annual Program

March 21, 2019
Theme: Emerging Technical Services: 
Enhancing the Discovery of Unique and Digital Collections

Part I: Presentations

◦ Looking at Digital Collection through Patrons' Eyes: How to Strength the Relationship between Public and Technical Service by Runxiao Zhu (East Asian Studies Librarian, Oberlin College)

◦ Providing Access to Rare and Unique Resources: A Collaborative Approach by Naomi Shiraishi (Japanese Cataloging Librarian, UC Berkeley)

◦ A Story of a Korean Vade-mecum at Princeton: From Acquisition to Digitization by Hyoungbae Lee (Korean Studies Librarian, Princeton University)

Part II: Lightning Talk and Discussion

◦ Academia Sinica Digital Humanities Research Platform: visual presentation

◦ Wrap-up Discussion:
  ◦ What Roles Will the Cataloging/Metadata Librarians Play for DH/DS Projects moderated by Charlene Chou (Univ. of Washington)
What Roles Will the Cataloging/Metadata Librarians Play for DH/DS Projects?

- Collaboration Makes Global Digital Libraries Sustainable
  - Open access systems vs. silos
  - Collaboration with diverse stakeholders, esp. for domain-specific knowledge
  - Connect with international frameworks, information hubs, regional centers such as IIIF and DARIAH, etc.

- Quality metadata to enhance the discovery of diverse resources
  - International authority files vs. local authority files
  - Provide quality metadata to expose hidden treasures
  - Follow international standards to make metadata consistent and shareable globally!

- Embracing emerging technology such as linked data
  - Don’t Reinvent the Wheel: costly, unstainable and less impactful
  - Use authoritative and linkable thesauri or international authority files such as VIAF, LCSH, LCGFT, LCDGT, AAT, etc.