

Library Lab

Progress Report

June 1, 2013

Zone 1 > Zeega

Participants –

- May 24, 2013 – meeting of Ann Whiteside (Loeb Library), Alix Reiskind (Loeb Library), Jen Jubinville (Berkman Center) and Ryan Westphal (Berkman Center) to discuss project – updates and future plans.

Technical –

- Berkman managing API development using a third party, Endpoint. May be able to use some coding and functionality previously developed for DPLA. Jen/Ryan will contact Endpoint to assess the progress.
- Zeega developers will need to determine how the API will fit into Zeega. Alix will contact all parties about these needs and ready Zeega for this.
- Hoping to complete project by end of August, but this will depend on timing and schedules of developers.

Content –

- Ann and Alix are exploring a change in content as the previously explored material, Kumbh Mela documentation, may have some restriction issues.
- Ann and Alix are now looking at content that shows a variety of formats and with a variety of metadata – digital images, video, and audio. More for demonstration and test purposes at this point. Once the ability for the two systems to communicate is in place, all sorts of content can be uploaded by faculty and students.

Outcome (hopes) –

- Demonstrated commitment to support of Zone 1 by Harvard.
- The API could be used for and in a variety of other systems thereby making Zone 1 an even more useful and versatile resource.
- Explore and support Zone 1 and the DRS functioning together.