

To: Joint Steering Committee for Development of RDA

From: Deirdre Kiorgaard, ACOC representative

Subject: Revision of RDA 6.27.1.2 and RDA 6.27.1.3

ACOC appreciates LC's intention to clarify when a person would be considered responsible for creating a serial. We prefer that any guidance be provided in RDA rather than in an LCPS.

6.27.1.2 Works created by one person, family, or corporate body

ACOC agrees with the addition of the reference to 19.2.1.1.

ACOC agrees with the addition of c).

ACOC is concerned with LC's proposed treatment of serials as an exception. The proposed exception is not actually exceptional but is congruent with RDA as written which requires that the person be considered responsible for creating the work. What is missing from RDA is guidance on when to consider a person to be the creator of a serial work. Such guidance could be added at 19.2.1 or in the instructions for specific types of works in 6.28+. The proposed exception says to consider a person as the creator of a serial "only if that serial would not be continued by another person as creator". ACOC does not find this guidance helpful.

6.27.1.3 Collaborative works

ACOC agrees with the addition of the reference to 19.2.1.1.

ACOC agrees with the addition of c).

ACOC agrees with the change of caption to "Moving image works".

As explained under 6.27.1.2 above, ACOC does not support the treatment of serials as an exception. ACOC also notes that the Exception for "Corporate bodies as creators" listed under this instruction is likewise not an exception.

7.18.1.3

ACOC agrees with the change of caption to "Moving image resources".