

Cataloging Resources & Best Practices

Listservs

E-mail listservs are central to the cataloging community. You can subscribe to the "digest" version (messages are grouped together rather than received individually) to minimize the number of e-mail messages you receive, or even subscribe but set a list to "nomail" and read messages on the online archives. You must be a subscriber to post messages or to access the online archives.

AUTOCAT -- An international list focused on cataloging and related issues. You can subscribe here: <https://listserv.syr.edu/scripts/wa.exe?SUBED1=AUTOCAT&A=1>

OCLC-CAT -- Hosted by OCLC, with a focus on using Connexion and other OCLC tools. You can subscribe here: <https://www.oclc.org/forms/internet-subscription.en.html?urlm=168713>

RadCat--"Radical Cataloging" listserv, named after [the book](#). Smaller audience, focused more on social and ethical responsibility in cataloging as well as innovative practices. You can subscribe here: <https://listserv.uga.edu/scripts/wa-UGA.exe?SUBED1=RADCAT&A=1>

Online Tools

[RDA Toolkit](#) (requires login--see shared drive for information)

[Classification Web](#) (authenticates automatically on campus)

[PCC home page](#)

[LC MARC documentation](#)

[Search FAST](#)

[FAST converter](#)

Best Practices

[Best Practices for Cataloging Comics and Graphic Novels Using RDA and MARC21](#) (pdf) (can also be accessed [here](#))

[Best Practices for Cataloging DVD-Video and Blu-ray Discs Using RDA and MARC21](#) (pdf) (can also be accessed [here](#))

Local Documents

[856 indicator 2 decision tree](#) (based on [Adam Schiff's documentation](#))

[Numerals in various scripts](#)