

COPE North American Seminar 2015

UNDERSTANDING METRICS IN PUBLISHING: USE AND ABUSE

Wednesday 19 August 2015, 08.30am - 4.00pm
Sheraton Inner Harbor Hotel, Baltimore, Maryland, USA

Program

08.30 Registration and tea/coffee

09.00–09.20 Welcome and overview of COPE activities
Geri Pearson, COPE Council

Session 1 - chaired by Alison Taylor, COPE Council

09.20–10.00 Why do we need metrics, and what can new metrics offer editors and journals?
David Crotty, Senior Editor, Oxford University Press

10.00–10.45 Altmetric.com: who, what, when, where and why
Elizabeth “Betsy” Donohue, Vice President, Publisher Business Development, Digital Science

10.45–11.15 Tea Break

Session 2 - chaired by Tara Hoke, COPE Council

11.15–12.00 Let's all agree on what we're counting and how: Progress on standards for new metrics in scholarship
Todd Carpenter, Executive Director, National Information Standards Organization (NISO)

12.00–13.00 Lunch

13.00–14.30 Workshop breakout sessions with discussion of cases

14.30–15.00 Tea Break

15.00–16.00 Interactive workshop: 'Design a new COPE flowchart: What to do when an author appeals a review decision'

16.00 Summary and close
Geri Pearson, COPE Council

17.00–18.00 ISMTE welcome reception - all attendees welcome

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