

PAMUG

Pennsylvania Millennium
Users' Group

Issues we've had to resolve

Authentication methods for My Millennium
WebPAC icons for material type codes

9 Libraries, One Catalog

- Public library
- Academic libraries
- Two year colleges
- Law library

PAMUG LIBRARIES

[Berks County Law Library](#)

Reading, PA

[Butler County Community College](#)

Butler, PA

[Central Pennsylvania College](#)

Summerdale, PA

[Degenstein Community Library](#)

Sunbury, PA

[Pennsylvania Academy of Fine Arts](#)

Philadelphia, PA

[Pennsylvania College of Art & Design](#)

Lancaster, PA

[Pittsburgh Technical Institute](#)

Oakdale, Pa.

[Thaddeus Stevens College of Technology](#)

Lancaster

[Waynesburg University](#)

Waynesburg, Pennsylvania

PAMUG Essential Facts

Origins: Access PA

- Statewide, State funded Millennium system
- Centrally operated out of Philadelphia
- Multitype system: ca. 40 public, school, academic, and special libraries
- ca. 2005/2006 to June 2010

- Millennium participants were informed in Nov. 2009 that the Millennium system would be discontinued in June 2010.

Transition from Access PA to PAMUG

- Ruth Walter from Pittsburgh Technical Institute began consulting with the Millennium participants to see who would want to be part of a shared system.
- 8 libraries signed a contract for Millennium in April 2010.
 - System went live in June 2010.
 - One library added in 2010/2011.

System Configuration

- Five year contract, through June 2015, paid by each library directly to III
- Hosted by III: equipment, backups, etc.
- Application Service Management Coordinator
 - Maintaining circ tables, WebPAC, troubleshooting
 - No central organization, no meetings
- Single database, records are not shared between libraries
- Scoping allows separate WebPACs
- No shared services between libraries (ILL, etc.)
- Joint authority records cleanup through LTI

Single shared database

Shared list of location codes

Shared file of patrons, circ parameters, patron ITYPES, etc.

Bib records are duplicated if owned by more than one library

Very rare editing of each others' records or use of each others' patron records

Each library loads its own patron records, etc. using Data Exchange

PAMUG LIBRARIES

	Bib Records	Item Records
Berks County Law Library	4542	7901
Butler Co CC	60,403	58,649
Central Pennsylvania College	106,670	25,076
Degenstein Comm Lib	73,513	79,504
PCAD Library	20,702	12,928
PA Acad of Fine Arts	28,877	30,027
Pittsburgh Tech Inst	8290	13,251
Thaddeus Stevens Coll of Tech	41,817	60,643
Waynesburg University	182,382	110,279
	527,218	398,265