Trove Strategic Advisory Committee



Key messages

25 September 2020

Virtual meetings

The Committee continued to meet and considered papers on the current business model and the current status of Trove.

Hardship policy

The Committee supported the implementation of a hardship policy to assist Partners experiencing significant budget impacts as a result of COVID-19. Institutions in this position are encouraged to contact the National Library to discuss available options.

Developing an understanding of the impact of COVID-19 on Partners will be a focus of future meetings.

The value of Trove

During a discussion led by Teagan Payne, the Director of Strategy and Transformation in the Collaboration Branch, members discussed ways in which their institutions benefitted from being a Partner and how they could facilitate ways for institutions to gain greater value from membership.

Strategic planning

Discussions highlighted a common move towards providing greater digital access for users.

Future meeting schedule and structure

The Committee will meet continue to meet bi-monthly with each alternate meeting being a longer strategic/ workshop format. The final meeting for 2020 will be a strategic workshop in November.

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