

Content News

2024

Dear community members,

I am pleased to share the Content Operations March 2024 newsletter, with exciting news and updates.

AI Enriched Bibliographic Records

We are happy to announce the release of AI enriched Bibliographic records to Alma Community Zone. The AI enrichment project aims to explore the opportunities of improving records at scale, starting with ProQuest Ebook Central titles that were missing fields such as language, description and LCSH fields.

You can read more about the project in our [AI Blog](#), and review the records by searching "All titles" > "Other system number" contains keywords "Exl-AI".

Content Quarterly Webinar

For an in-depth overview on this project, I encourage you to join our upcoming content quarterly webinar:

Metadata Enrichment using AI - First Glance at Research and Findings

Date and time:

Wednesday, March 27, 2024 8:00 AM | (UTC-08:00) Pacific Time (US & Canada)

Register link:

<https://clarivatesupport.webex.com/weblink/register/r549ffbb7c94c130ff7ac36c3bccf5ddc>

In this session, David Hanegbi (Senior Content Ingestion Manager) and Elizabeth York (University of Rutgers) will present the scope of the project, the challenges and insights from the process.

Feel free to send questions in advance by March 20th to: ai.enriched@clarivate.com.

A recording of the webinar will be made publicly available after the session will take place.

NERS - Content Updates

We have completed our initial outreach to the ten new providers selected in the 2024 content NERS cycle. The updates are now published in the new [Knowledge Article](#), which details the status of these requests.

For the following providers, we were unable to receive any response:

1. Amnesty International reports
2. Bibliothèque numérique francophone
3. Human Rights Watch reports

We reached out to these providers via the contact forms on their websites, and various email addresses but to no avail. If you have any direct contact with a known responsive person with these providers, please forward it

to provider.relations@exlibrisgroup.com. We will create zero-title databases for these providers in the Knowledgebases to address the NERS requests with the currently available metadata.

Changes in CKB Release Notes

After reviewing our internal workflows, we will start to publish the CKB Release Notes for Alma and SFX on Mondays, instead of Sundays.

This change is not expected to affect the use or frequency of the Release Notes.

Get to know Content Operations - introducing Nadia:



After earning a MSLS at Columbia University, I relocated to Jerusalem and worked as a librarian and archivist in several settings, all early Ex Libris customers. As a librarian, I enjoyed serving the public as well as managing technical projects. I joined the Provider Relations team ten years ago. As a PR Analyst, I draw on my previous experience to help our publishing partners maximize their exposure in library settings. I like working with major content providers such as Springer and Brill but find it particularly rewarding to work with small and medium providers to tailor and taper their metadata to meet our standards. The note on my bulletin board reads: *Good metadata means never having to say you're sorry.*

When not manipulating metadata, I enjoy solving the New York Times crossword puzzle and spending time with my grandchildren.

If you have any comments or feedback on this newsletter, please feel free to reach out to me directly.

Best,

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