BC: OutLook OnLine

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OutLook OnLine

- Union catalogue of 93 BC public and academic libraries
- ELN Serials & ELN Media union catalogues
- Integrated interlibrary loan management
- Closed search and ILL management system
AGent Portal 2003

- Union databases + Z39.50 targets
  - 3 union databases
  - BC university catalogues
  - National Library, CISTI and AMICUS

- Union databases as Z39.50 targets
  - Godot
  - Cataloguing
AGent Portal 2003

- Moving from union to virtual; closed to open
- Advantages of:
  - Union databases – deduplication & speed
  - Z39.50 targets – live circulation status
- Flexible resource choices
AGent Academic Library Patron View

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Auto-Graphics ISO ILL

- Moving from closed to open ILL system
- ISO partners added by Auto-Graphics
- Each BC library added by ISO partners
ISO ILL Beta Testing

- Multi-phase testing – 2003
  - Vendor to vendor
  - Vendor to library
- Duplication of OutLook OnLine AGent system for beta testing
- Connectivity testing - early 2004
- Library-to-library beta testing - Spring 2004
ISO ILL Implementation

- Successful communication between OutLook OnLine AGent and ISO partners
  - Simon Fraser University (RSS)
  - University of British Columbia (RSS)
  - Vancouver Public Library (RSS)
  - National Library (in-house)
  - CISTI (in house)
Challenges / Future

- One Stop – The Ideal
- Generic script?
- If not One Stop, then what?
  - Policy issues
  - Technology
Wish List

- Standards-based ILL directory
- International ISO ILL system
- Best of union catalogues + Z39.50
- More communication / discussion
Transforming Resource Sharing Through ISO ILL & Other Standards: BC Outlook OnLine

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