WLG Notes 11-7-12

Recap of last meeting

The responsive design presentation is available on the WLG blog.

Announcements

• IS mobile website

If you visit the [IS website](#) on a mobile device, you will be redirected to the new mobile website. The site is built using Jquery mobile and ColdFusion, and there is a Desktop Site link at the bottom of the page to view the full version of the site.

The site shows office hours, outages and links to their database of services. The office hours update automatically to tell you if their office is open or closed currently.

• Application link updates

Peoplesoft will be down starting November 16th. Jakob Waterborg has created a script that will check to see if the Peoplesoft servers are online before redirecting the user to the application or inquiry form. He has provided a reference sheet for the links that need to be updated. Another benefit of this new process is that you will never need to worry about updating links to the application or inquiry form in the future because we will need to update them in this one location.

• Wordpress updates

The Wordpress server’s OS needs to be updated soon. They are also trying to standardize update times and will also check all enabled plugins on MU server to check that they work on new server.

The plan is to update infodev.umkc.edu on the 3rd Sunday of every month and info.umkc.edu and stuorgs on the 4th Sunday of every month. They will post the outages on the IS website.

The Wordpress User Group is also going to be folded into the Web Liaisons Group and all Wordpress updates will be shared at WLG meetings.

• Information Access has a new staff member

IS DBA – Nathan Horn
Nathan will be overseeing all of the University Oracle servers, the two primary SQL Servers and the MySQL server.