

MORE Administrator's Report

September 2022 – MORE Directors Council

Welcome to another hybrid meeting!

I welcome any feedback about your in-person or online experience.

November's MORE Directors Council meeting will be online only.

Niche Academy

IFLS staff have been training on and developing ideas for the shared Niche Academy subscription approved with the MORE budget (and approved to start in 2022 to lock in a lower ongoing cost). No content is currently available, but we'll start by posting some of MORE's current demo videos as tutorials in the Staff Academy. MORE will also have the opportunity to develop a public-facing Academy.

New MORE Libraries

While we're still awaiting the grant announcements, IFLS staff is hopeful about receiving funding to add Cornell Public Library to MORE in 2023.

Since August, MORE staff have been loading CVTC student and employee data into MORE as patron records. We're still working out some details! This video explains what to do when a CVTC student or employee visits a MORE public library: <https://vimeo.com/725119494/6f38bb1ccc>. More detailed documentation is forthcoming.

Printables

A new print run of the standard MORE registration form will be available for purchase soon. This version will include an option to provide another name associated with a prior library account, and will remove the "text" notification option as our method for delivering notices from Sierra as text messages has become unreliable.

The tri-fold MORE brochure will also be reprinted soon. The updated version will remove mention of Freading as a shared electronic resource, and will include Cornell Public Library as a new MORE member library.

The current versions of both forms can be found on the IFLS website for local printing.