At the 107th AALL Annual Meeting on Sunday July 13, 2014, during the OBS-SIS Local Systems Roundtable session, OBS will present VIP Nicole Engard, presenting “Open Source Software: a Community and a Philosophy of Freedom.”

A summary of this program and a link to OBS@AALL were added to the Local Systems Committee web page, along with summaries and reviews of recent Roundtable presentations. This was part of a general review and update of the LSC page. Many dead links were fixed or removed, and based on feedback from committee members, new links to open-source library systems were added to the site. It was suggested that we update the Law Library Systems Directory, and Carol Avery Nicholson was consulted as to the value of updating her classic directory, but this may ultimately be duplicative, and as an alternative OBS could encourage members to confirm their institutions’ information in lib-web-cats or a similar existing directory.

The Committee was chaired by Kevin Carey, The Ohio State University, with the following members:

- Georgia Briscoe, University of Colorado
- Virginia Bryant, George Washington University
- Karen Douglas, Duke University
- Ismael Gullon, Mercer University
- Katie Jones, Wyoming State Law Library
- Susan Karpuk, Yale University
- Ellen McGrath, University at Buffalo - SUNY
- Keiko Okuhara, University of Hawaii