SACO Music Funnel Report

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- Since last MLA, 10 LCGFT terms, 4 LCMPT terms, 3 subject headings (LCSH) and 2 classification numbers submitted through the Funnel were approved or are on the tentative lists. Further, 9 terms in LCGFT were submitted for changes to the broader term, as part of the Vocabularies Subcommittee project to correct the Electronic dance music hierarchy. The approval rate for proposals was 100%. There is, however, a continuing controversy over the relationship of Rap to Hip-hop which remains to be resolved; the current relationship, in which both are NTs of Popular music, was not the choice of Vocabularies Committee or what was submitted.
- The Library of Congress has begun to review LCGFT terms for films and sound recordings, which were some of the earliest terms in the thesaurus. This has resulted in the removal of the limiting scope note for Sound recordings, and the removal of several terms beginning "Filmed..." Most notably for music catalogers, the terms "Filmed operas", "Televised operas", and "Filmed operettas" have be canceled. Instead, catalogers are instructed to use 2 terms—the genre term (in this case, "Operas", since "operettas" is a UF for "Operas") and the term "Filmed performances". For similar remaining terms, such as "Concert films", "Rock concert films", "Concert television programs", and "Rock concert television programs", LC is hoping that the music community will take the initiative to propose these terms be dropped.

LCGFT Terms (new or changed) submitted through SACO Music Funnel

List 1803

Hip-hop lyrics gf2017026157 Hip-hop (Music) gf2017026156 Rap lyrics gf2017026007 Hip-hop lyrics gf2014027037 Trip-hop (Music) gf2014027146 Underground dance music gf2014027153

List 1806

Dubstep (Music) gf2014026779 Ghettotech (Music) gf2014026834 House music gf2014026865 Intelligent dance music gf2014026875 Techno (Music) gf2014027130 Jungle (Music) gf2014026887

List 1809

Electro (Music) gf2018026044

List 1811

Improvisations (Music) gf2018026133

List 1901 (tentative)

Crust (Music) gp2018026136 Jump blues (Music) gp2018026135 Stoner rock (Music) gp2018026153

List 1902 (tentative)

Obereks gp2018026162

LCMPT Terms (new or changed) submitted through SACO Music Funnel

List 1803 sybyzghy mp2018015002

List 1806 kudyapi mp2018015008

List 1809 bass oboe mp2018015021 quadrachord mp2018015011

List 1811 kā'eke'eke mp 2018015012

LCSH Terms (new or changed) submitted through SACO Music Funnel

List 1803 Sybyzghy sh2018000016 Sybyzghy music sh2018000017

List 1807 Kudyapi sh2018000774

List 1812 Quadrachord sp2018001822 Quadrachord music sp2018001920

Classification numbers M142.K83 (Kudyapi music) M1019.Q33 (Quadrachord music)