

# OUR TEAM



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## STAFF

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## MANAGEMENT BOARD

**Arnold Hirshon**, Chairperson, Kelvin Smith Library, Case Western Reserve University, USA (until September)

**Emilija Banionytė**, Chairperson, Vilnius County Adomas Mickevičius Public Library, Lithuania (from September)

**Colleen Campbell**, Max Planck Digital Library, Max Planck Society, Germany (from September)

**Adam Hyde**, Founder of Coko, Book Sprints, Paged.js, Open Publishing Awards and the Open Publishing Fest

**Jyldyz Bekbalaeva**, American University of Central Asia, Kyrgyzstan

**Joel Sam**, African Library and Information Associations and Institutions (AfLIA), Ghana

## OUR NETWORK

EIFL partner library consortia nominate coordinators who serve as the main point of contact between EIFL's Programmes and their consortium. In their countries, they lead and facilitate activities initiated by EIFL, and have been central to our success and achievements over the years.

We would like to thank all our Country Coordinators, Licensing Coordinators, Open Access Coordinators and Copyright Coordinators for their enthusiasm and hard work in 2021.

### ALBANIA

#### **Consortium of Albanian Libraries**

Country Coordinator: Albana Velianj  
Licensing Coordinators: Renata Bardhi and Mirlona Buzo  
Open Access Coordinator: Renata Bardhi (from February)

### ARMENIA

#### **Digital Library Association of Armenia (DLAA)**

Country Coordinator: Anna Chulyan  
Licensing Coordinator: Tatevik Tamazyan (from April)  
Copyright Coordinator: Hasmik Galstyan  
Open Access Coordinator: Tigran Zakaryan

### AZERBAIJAN

#### **Azerbaijan Library and Information Consortium for Availability of Electronic Information (AzLIC)**

Country Coordinator: Jamila Yusifova and Itifat Ibrahimov (from April)  
Licensing Coordinator: Itifat Ibrahimov (from April)

### BELARUS

#### **Council of Belarusian Libraries on Information Cooperation (BelCoLib)**

Country & Open Access Coordinator: Viatcheslav Britchkovski  
Copyright Coordinator: Viktor Pshibytko  
Licensing Coordinator: Mariya Domovskaja

### BOTSWANA

#### **Botswana Libraries Consortium (BLC)**

Country & Licensing Coordinator: Naniki Maphakwane  
Copyright Coordinator: Khutsafalo Kadimo  
Open Access Coordinator: Bobana Badisang (until March); Poloko Ntokwane (from March)

### CHINA

#### **Library Network of the Chinese Academy of Sciences**

Country Coordinator: Xiwen Liu  
Open Access & Copyright Coordinator: Kunhua Zhao

### CONGO

#### **Consortium des Bibliothèques Académiques du Congo (COBAC)**

Country Coordinator: Eliezer Mwongane  
Licensing Coordinator: Jean Baptiste Unen

### ESTONIA

#### **Consortium of Estonian Libraries Network (ELNET)**

Country & Licensing Coordinator: Marika Meltsas  
Copyright Coordinator: Karmen Linask  
Open Access Coordinator: Elena Sipria-Mironov

### ETHIOPIA

#### **Consortium of Ethiopian Academic and Research Libraries (CEARL)**

Country Coordinator: Derib Erget Mamuye  
Copyright Coordinator: Ato Yoseph Bizuneh  
Licensing Coordinators: Bedassa Motuma Beyene and Derib Erget Mamuye  
Open Access Coordinator: Solomon Mekonnen Tekle (until March); Getnet Lemma (from March)

### FIJI

#### **Fiji Library Consortium**

Country & Licensing Coordinator: Udyia Shukla

### GEORGIA

#### **Georgian Integrated Library Information System Consortium (GILISC) 2017**

Country, Open Access & Copyright Coordinator: Nino Pavliashvili (from April)  
Licensing Coordinator: Marika Zhorzholiani

### GHANA

#### **Consortium of Academic and Research Libraries in Ghana (CARLIGH)**

Country Coordinator: Richard Bruce Lamptey  
Copyright Coordinator: Teresa Adu  
Licensing Coordinator: Mac Anthony Cobblah  
Open Access Coordinator: Donyina Fokuo and Nana Tuhufo Quagraine

### IVORY COAST

#### **Consortium des Bibliothèques de l'Enseignement Supérieur de Cote d'Ivoire (COBES-CI)**

Country & Licensing Coordinator: Cécile Coulibaly  
Copyright Coordinator: Ahou Marie-Claire Allou  
Open Access Coordinator: Adjoh Hortense Kakpo epse Outtara

### KENYA

#### **Kenya Libraries and Information Services Consortium (KLISC)**

Country & Licensing Coordinator: Arnold Mwanzu  
Copyright Coordinator: Janegrace Kinyanjui  
Open Access Coordinator: George Njoroge

### KOSOVO

#### **Consortium of Electronic Libraries in Kosovo (CELK)**

Country, Licensing & Open Access Coordinator: Bukurije Haliti

### KYRGYZSTAN

#### **Kyrgyzstan Library Information Consortium (KLIC)**

Country Coordinator: Jyldyz Bekbalaeva  
Copyright & Open Access Coordinator: Safia Rafikova (until October); Tolgonai Kozhokanova (from October)  
Licensing Coordinator: Iryna Pak (until October); Tolgonai Kozhokanova (from October)

### LAOS

#### **Laos Library and Information Consortium (LALIC)**

Country, Copyright & Licensing Coordinator: Sypha Phongsavath  
Open Access Coordinator: Sisavanh Linsavath

## LATVIA

### Culture Information Systems Centre

Country, Licensing & Open Access  
Coordinator: Agrita Sagalajeva  
Copyright Coordinator: Inta Mikluna

## LESOTHO

### Lesotho Library Consortium (LELICO)

Country Coordinator: Buhle Mbambo-Thata  
Copyright Coordinator: Pontso Mkuebe  
Licensing Coordinator: Tahleho Tseole  
Open Access Coordinator: Matseliso Kabeli

## LITHUANIA

### Lithuanian Research Library Consortium (LMBA)

Country & Licensing Coordinator: Ausra Vaskeviciene  
Copyright Coordinator: Janina Marcinkeviciene  
Open Access Coordinator: Gintare Tautkeviciene

## MALAWI

### Malawi Library and Information Consortium (MALICO)

Country & Licensing Coordinator: Geoffrey Francis Salanje (until September)  
Licensing Coordinator: Trevor Namondwe (from December)  
Open Access Coordinator: Fiskani Ngwira

## MALDIVES

### (No name – under development)

Country & Licensing Coordinator: Aminath Shiuna

## MOLDOVA

### Electronic Resources for Moldova (REM)

Country & Licensing Coordinator: Elena Tudor Railean  
Copyright Coordinator: Mariana Harjevschi  
Open Access Coordinator: Natalia Cheradi

## NAMIBIA

### Namibia Library Consortium (NALICO)

Country & Copyright Coordinator: Victoria Isaacks  
Licensing Coordinator: Namutenya Hamwaalwa

## NEPAL

### Nepal Library and Information Consortium (NeLIC)

Country, Licensing & Open Access  
Coordinator: Jagadish Aryal

## NORTH MACEDONIA

### Macedonian e-Libraries (MEL)

Country, Licensing & Copyright Coordinator:  
Miodrag Dadasovic

## PALESTINE

### Palestinian Library and Information Consortium (PALICO)

Country Coordinators: Diana Sayej Naser;  
Rami Alhindawi for Gaza  
Licensing Coordinator: Diana Sayej Naser  
(until September); Mohammad Abu  
Hamdieh (from September)  
Open Access Coordinator: Mohammad Abu  
Hamdieh (until September); Asad Tom (from  
September)

## SENEGAL

### Consortium des Bibliothèques de l'Enseignement Supérieur du Sénégal (COBESS)

Country & Licensing Coordinator:  
Youssooupha Gueye  
Copyright Coordinator: Awa Diouf Cisse  
Open Access Coordinator: Mandiaye Ndiaye

## SERBIA

### Serbian Library Consortium for Coordinated Acquisition (KoBSON)

Country Coordinator: Tatjana Timotijevic  
Licensing Coordinators: Tatjana Timotijevic  
and Boris Denadic  
Copyright Coordinator: Dragana Milunovic  
Open Access Coordinator: Milica Sevkusic

## SLOVENIA

### Consortium of Slovene Electronic Collections (COSEC)

Country Coordinator: Karmen Stular Sotosek  
Licensing Coordinator: Herman Erculj  
Open Access Coordinator: Alenka Kavcic-Colic

## SUDAN

### Sudanese Academic Libraries Consortium (SALC)

Country Coordinator: Iman Abdelrahman  
Copyright & Licensing Coordinator:  
Abdelaziz Gabir  
Open Access Coordinator: Rania M. Hassan  
Baleela

## TANZANIA

### Consortium of Tanzania Universities and Research Libraries (COTUL)

Country & Open Access Coordinator: Paul  
Samwel Muneja  
Licensing Coordinator: Cyrill Ndekakao

## THAILAND

### Electronic Information for Libraries in Thailand (eifl-Thailand)

Country, Copyright and Licensing  
Coordinator: Soeythip Sukul  
Open Access Coordinator: Adisak Sukul

## UGANDA

### Consortium of Uganda University Libraries (CUUL)

Country Coordinator: David Bukenya  
Copyright Coordinator: Eric Haumba  
Licensing Coordinator: Thecla Atukwase  
(until June); Drake Tamale (from June)  
Open Access Coordinator: Hassan  
Ssengooba

## UKRAINE

### Association 'Informatio-Consortium'

Country, Copyright, Licensing & Open Access  
Coordinator: Oleksii Vasyliiev

## UZBEKISTAN

### EIFL Uzbekistan Consortium

Country Coordinator: Gulrukh Iskandarova  
Licensing Coordinator: Alisher Kattavekov  
Open Access Coordinator: Maksim  
Savochkin

## ZAMBIA

### Zambia Library Consortium (ZALICO)

Country & Licensing Coordinator: Eness  
Chitumbo  
Copyright Coordinator: Benson Njobvu  
Open Access Coordinator: Pilate Chewe

## ZIMBABWE

### Zimbabwe University Libraries Consortium (ZULC)

Country & Licensing Coordinator: Sarlomie  
Zinyemba  
Open Access Coordinator: Plaxedes  
Chaitezvi  
Copyright Coordinator: Rosemary Maturure  
(from February)