

## Models & Resources Committee Update

Over the past year, the Models & Resources Committee, chaired by Lisa Jacobson with the assistance of Marcia Stein, Sara Harwell and Michael Campbell, has been hard at work gathering sources for the edification of ARCS members. Information on *Manuals & Guides*, *Training Opportunities*, *General Resources*, and *Other Religious Archives Organizations* is now on the ARCS website under **Resources** (see <http://saa-arcs.org>). The Committee is currently working on locating sources on Disaster Preparedness and Recovery.

As we prepare to gather in Chicago, the Committee is interested in learning more about your needs. What types of information do you want and need in order to do your job more effectively? While most denominations do not appear to have a general denominational policy, are there specific types of policies that you want posted on the website such as collection development, access, and electronic records? The Committee is committed to meeting the needs of members and providing contemporary and relevant information for religious archivists. Please come to the annual Section business meeting with your ideas and suggestions for making Models & Resources the go-to source for religious archivists.

The Committee is also looking for new members and a new chair. If you are interested in leading this initiative, please contact incoming ARCS Chair, Gwynedd Cannan [gcannan@trinitywallstreet.org](mailto:gcannan@trinitywallstreet.org).

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