

IPR Lessons Learned

Some Issues and Solutions

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IPR and OER

- Issues:
- Complexities of CC interrelations
- Unintended consequences
- Ownership of academic IPR
- Taking decisions for others
- How to ask for everything for nothing
- OER with tears – crying into your patchwork quilt
- OER without tears – the future



Understanding the CC Licences

- A learning curve for projects, creators and rights holders
- The “not quite CC” syndrome



- Education and changing perceptions
- Understanding CC as permissions
- Understanding CC compatibilities etc



The Patchwork Quilt

- A world of rich content and bright lights... often means many licences



- Accepting limitations
- Changing approach to development
- Encouraging open, simple licensing



Any Storm in a Port?

- Ported v unported licences
- Over focus on jurisdiction



- Recognising the audience
- Improved understanding of CC

Issue 4

Let's Get Risqué!

- Altruism, anarchy, openness, transparency, copyright = copywrong

Solution

- Recognition of IPR risk in OER
- A low risk threshold?
- Champion risk-free resources



Yours, Mine, and Minefields

- Ownership of IPR in academic work
- Denial, and sensitivities



- Senior management buy-in
- Staff and student buy-in
- A diplomatic approach to OER



Asking the World...

- Getting third party permissions
- The world isn't changing fast enough



- Getting buy-in (not just legal)
- Accept limits / alter current approach
- Wait

OER Without (Legal) Tears

- Copyright isn't going to change much
- Acceptance of the legal reality
- Be mindful of tensions and sensitivities
- Avoidance of complex licensing
- Focus on using useful building blocks
- Wait for the creative world to change

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Sam Courtney from Dorset Adult Learning has been randomly selected from a number of online evaluations received by JISC Legal to win a Nintendo DSi, following the webcast "Safeguarding: Meeting Your e-Safety Duties" delivered on 3 March 2010.

(Posted on 18/03/10)

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Legal Issues Involved in Managing Identity

JISC has launched a toolkit to allow a better understanding of the legal issues involved in managing identity issues.

(Posted on 16/03/10)

Safeguarding - Meeting your e-Safety Duties Webcast Now Available to Watch or Download

JISC Legal's Safeguarding- Meeting your e-Safety Duties Webcast from 03/03/2010 is now available to watch or download on our website.

(Posted on 12/03/10)

Five Top Copyright Tips in 30 Minutes - JISC Legal on RSCtv (9/3/10)

JISC Legal's Jason Miles-Campbell presented "Five Top Copyright Law Tips for Colleges and Universities" as part of RSC Scotland South & West's RSCtv programme on Tuesday, 9 March 2010..

(Posted on 10/03/10)

[Can on Defamation Success Fees](#)

Events



JISC Legal @ RSC Northern Safeguarding Conference (23/03/10)

JISC Legal will be providing a workshop on e-Safety and the law at the RSC Northern Safeguarding Conference on Tuesday, 23 March 2010.

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JISC Legal @ RSC Scotland South & West's Copyright Seminar (25/03/10)

JISC Legal will be at the JISC Regional Support Centre for Scotland South & West, delivering a seminar on copyright, IT and the law.

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e-Safety Background Video for England

Background Video for England
Safeguarding: Meeting your e-safety duties (England)

