Thank you for joining us!
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On the call today
MEET METADATA QUALITY
| Metadata Policy | WorldCat bibliographic database | WorldCat knowledge base and registry |
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Metadata Policy

- Data investigation
- Process requirements
  - Matching, merging, deduplication, validation
- OCLC MARC updates
- Updating BFAS
- Liaison to member organizations
WorldCat Quality

- Mass data clean-up
- Record merging
- User requests
  - Bib and authority change/correction requests
- NACO support
- Member Merge
WorldCat Knowledge Base and Registry Quality

Knowledge base
• Strengthen correlation with bib database and Central Index
• Data clean-up

Registry
• Load data to support/sync with other OCLC products
• Data clean-up
Questions about Metadata Quality?

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Parallel records and language of cataloging
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