RDA Authorities

Exercise 1 AACR2 and RDA in Name Authority Records

For the following examples, look at each record and answer the questions:

1. Is it an RDA authority record, an AACR2 authority record, or an RDA-compliant authority record?

2. If it is either RDA or AACR2, what characteristics identify it as RDA or AACR2?

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- Is this an RDA authority record, an AACR2 authority record, or an RDA-compliant authority record??
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  - AACR2
  - RDA-compliant

- If it is either RDA or AACR2, what characteristics identify it as RDA or AACR2?
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If it is either RDA or AACR2, what characteristics identify it as RDA or AACR2?
Exercise 2 Authorized access points in RDA

For the following examples, look at the form given on the title page and any additional information about the person. Look at the access points below and indicate if the form of the authorized access point for the person is correctly presented by giving "Y" (yes) on the blank line. More than one field may be correct [RDA 9.19.1].

Follow-up question: put a star beside the form that you think would match LC policy.

a. Form on title page: Alice Munro
Additional information: Alice Munro, nee Alice Laidlaw, short-story writer, born at Wingham, Ontario, 10 July 1931

____ 100  1#$aMunro, Alice
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b. Form on resource: Jack Layton

____ 100  1#$aLayton, Jack
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Modified from: PanCanadian RDA Training Module: Cataloguing with RDA Exercises - Persons, Families, Corporate Bodies
Exercise 3 Creating Name Authorities

a. Using the Guidelines for Creating Name Authorities, determine if a new authority record is required. If yes, create an RDA-compliant authority record in SIRSI (with minimum the 100 and 670 references) using the readily available and ascertainable information below:

Title page

Endstation Kuschelparty
Roman

Thomas Lang

Tübingen Silberburg-Verlag,
2011

p.[4] of cover

(translation):
Thomas Lang was born in 1968, grew up in the Kraichgau and studied law in Tubinger. He lives and works as a lawyer in Stuttgart.

Authorized access point for Thomas Lang:

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b. Using the Guidelines for Creating Name Authorities, determine if a new authority record is required. If yes, create an RDA-compliant authority record in SIRSI (with minimum the 100 and 670 references) using the readily available and ascertainable information below:

Title page

*What about the other?*
*A Question for Cross-Cultural Education in the 21st Century*

Edited by
*Nayla Tabbara*

p.269
Nayla Tabbara (Lebanon)
Dr. Nayla Tabbara is the Director of the Cross-Cultural Studies Department at ADYAN foundation that she co-founded, and a University Professor in Islamic and Religious Studies.

Authorized access point for Nayla Tabbara:
c. Using the *Guidelines for Creating Name Authorities*, determine if a new authority record is required. Create an RDA-compliant authority record in SIRSI (with minimum the 100 and 670 references) using the readily available and ascertainable information below:

**Title page**

*Dance for the K-7 Curriculum*

by

Regan Cowan

Published by Burn a Bee Dance Creations

Burnaby, BC

2013

p. 198 About the Author
Regan Cowan is currently a member of the Continuum Dance Company at the Shadbolt Center for the Arts. She received her Bachelor of Fine Arts from Simon Fraser University in 2012 and plans to become a grade school teacher. Born in Burnaby on May 8 1990, she began dance lessons at age three and joined the Youth In Motion dance Company in 2001, where she danced for seven years.

**Assume there is a conflict** (assume there is an existing authority for Regan Cowan)

**Authorized Access Point for Regan Cowan**

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*Modified from: Linda Woodcock. Creating and Modifying RDA Authority Records*
d. Using the *Guidelines for Creating Name Authorities*, determine if a new authority record is required. Create an RDA-compliant authority record in SIRSI (with minimum the 100 and 670 references) using the readily available and ascertainable information below:

Title page

**Innovation Potential of Diversity**  
**Practical Examples for the Innovation Management**

Edited by: Anne Spitzley, Peter Ohlhausen, Dieter Spath

Fraunhofer IAO, Stuttgart; 2010

*From cover:* This book answers these questions as well as many more related to the topic of diversity management and innovation. Special emphasis is put on the role of women in the innovation system.

**Assume there is a conflict** (assume there is an existing authority for Peter Ohlhausen)

**Authorized Access Point for Peter Ohlhausen:**
a. Using the *Guidelines for Creating Name Authorities*, determine if a new authority record is required. Create an RDA-compliant authority record in SIRSI (with minimum the 100 and 670 references) using the readily available and ascertainable information below:

Title page

**Claudia Eckhardt-Kamps**

**Das Implizite im Text**

Peter Lang Frankfurt am Main; 2011

p.[4] of cover:
Claudia Eckhardt-Kamps, geboren 1978 im Monchengladbach.

p.[4] of cover (translation):
Claudia Eckhardt-Kamps, born 1978 in Monchengladbach.

**Authorized Access Point for Claudia Eckhardt-Kamps:**