SAGE BECOMES CONTENT PARTNER WITH SERIALS SOLUTIONS

Los Angeles, London, New Delhi, Singapore, and Washington DC (August 14, 2008) – SAGE, the world’s fifth largest journals publisher, announced today that it has become a Serials Solutions KnowledgeWorks Certified content partner, thereby ensuring that bibliographic data relating to SAGE journals and SAGE journal packages are as accurate and up-to-date as possible in the Serial Solutions KnowledgeWorks knowledgebase.

Serials Solutions KnowledgeWorks enables librarians to manage their constantly changing electronic collections and present reliable access to library patrons. This knowledgebase holds bibliographic metadata on a vast range of e-resources and is a primary component of Serials Solutions’ 360 e-resource access and management services.

SAGE delivers fresh data each month to Serials Solutions to enable KnowledgeWorks to be as up-to-date as possible for the benefit of SAGE and Serials Solutions’ shared library users globally. Serials Solutions has also provided SAGE with access, enabling SAGE to verify its metadata is accurately represented in KnowledgeWorks.

“When publishers participate in the KnowledgeWorks certification program, librarians can trust that Serials Solutions and their providers are collaborating to maintain the highest quality bibliographic data,” said Sherrard Ewing, Provider Relations Specialist at Serials Solutions. “Librarians can ensure users have access to their valued resources, and will also more quickly be able to resolve issues, should they occur.”

“SAGE has enjoyed an excellent relationship with Serials Solutions, motivated by a shared desire to make librarians lives as easy as possible in setting up electronic access to SAGE subscribed content in their library,” said Clive Parry, Sales and Marketing Director, SAGE. “Our KnowledgeWorks Certification is a positive step and illustrates how SAGE is addressing the challenges of the changing online environment.”

SAGE and Serials Solutions are members of the KBART (Knowledge Bases and Related Tools) working group which is a joint initiative of UKSG and NISO set up to improve the flow of information in the knowledgebase supply chain. For more information on KBART: http://www.uksg.org/kbart/

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