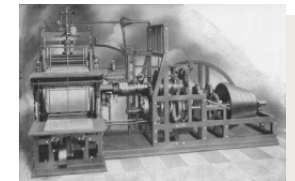
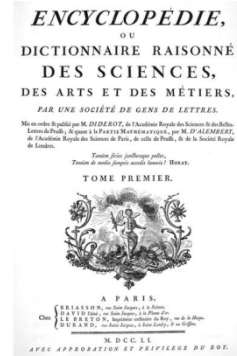


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# The Early Modern Internet



● Gutenberg  
1447

● Frankfurt Book Fair  
1480

● Martin Luther  
1517

● Rosee's coffee-house  
1652

● Royal Society  
1660

● Encyclopédie  
1751

● End of Early Modern Period  
1789

● French Revolution  
1789

● Steam Press Introduced  
1812

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● Vannevar Bush describes "Memex"  
1945

● Ted Nelson coins word "Hypertext"  
1965

● "HES" & "NLS" created  
1968

● ARPANET  
1969

● NSFNet  
1983

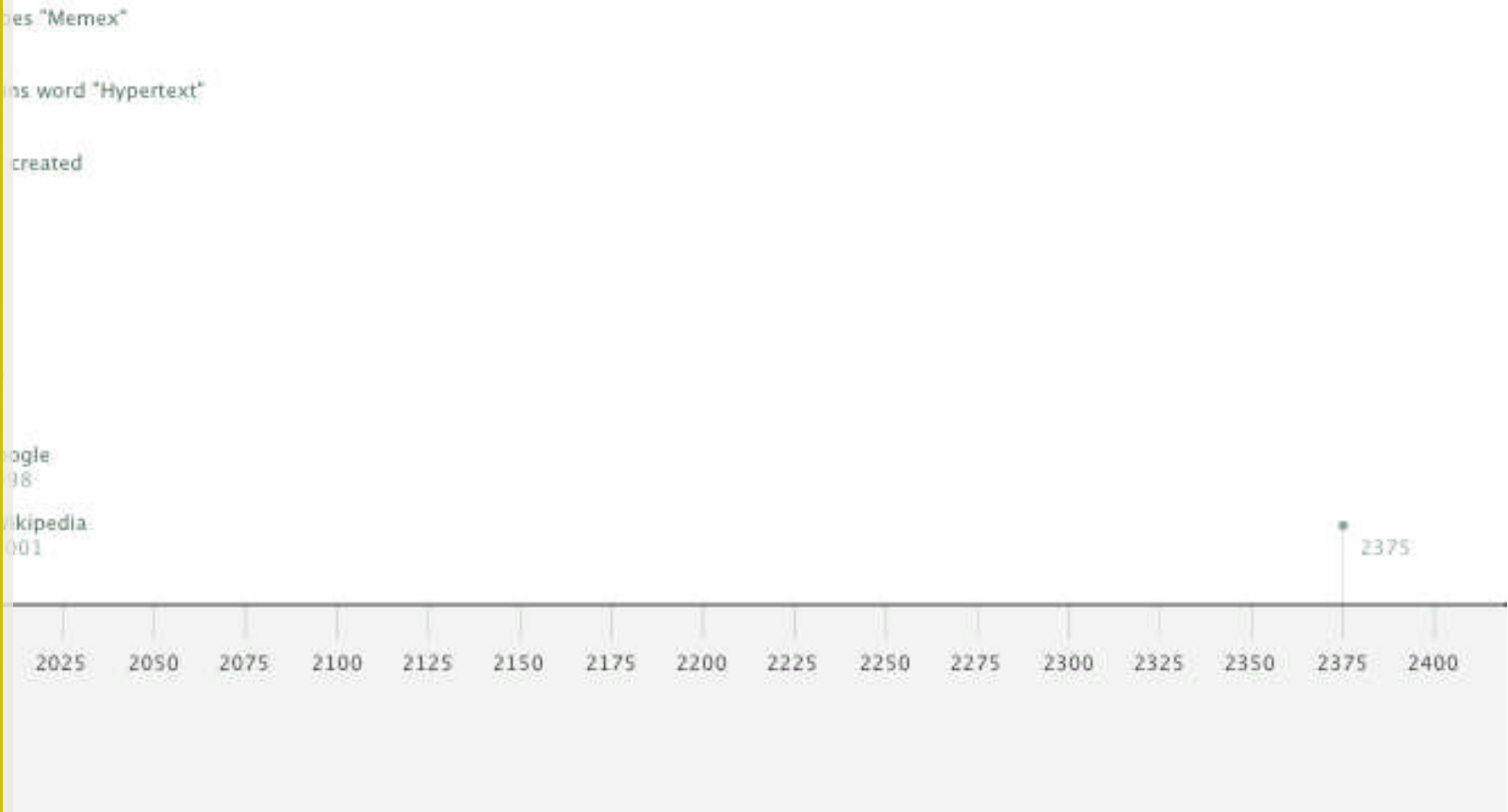
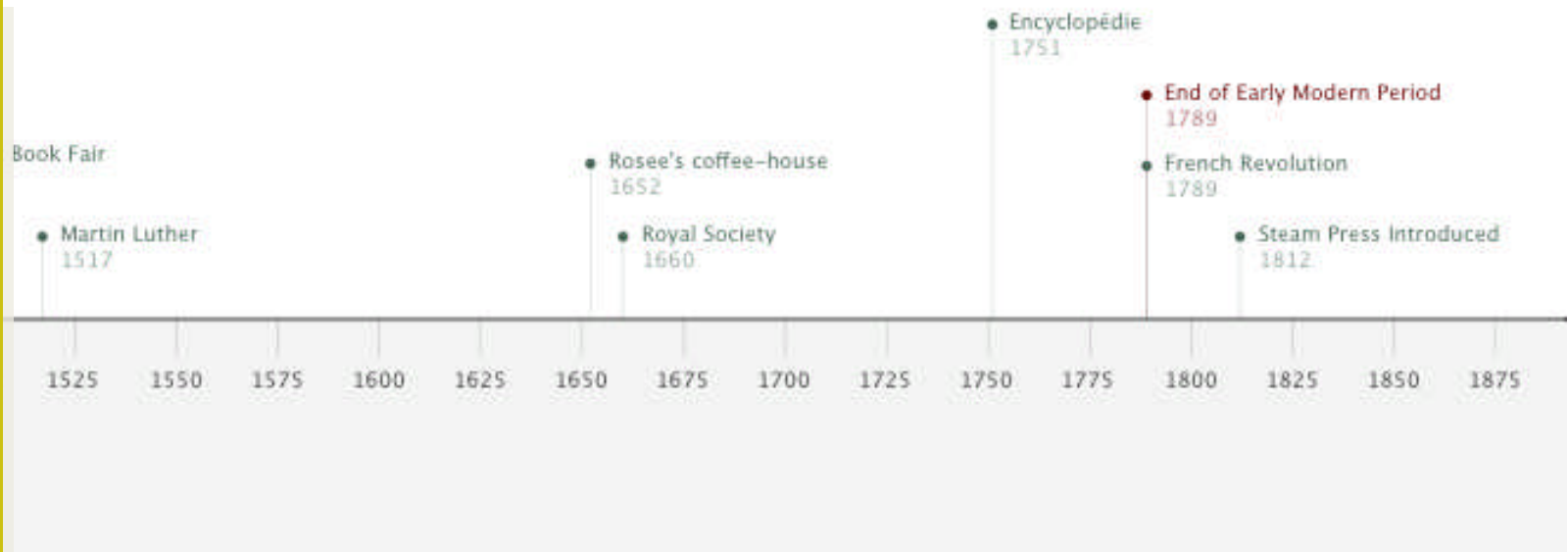
● WWW  
1990

● Google  
1998

● Wikipedia  
2001

● 2375

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# Genesis

November 2006

Proposal to AAHSL Scholarly Communications  
Committee

November 2007

Joint AAHSL / Publisher Liaison Taskforce



“Establish an AAHSL Board strategy to promote direct ongoing dialog and examination of issues of joint concern and importance to AAHSL and STM publishers”



# Association Representation

## Inclusive from the Beginning





## **Founding Members**

Association of Academic Health Sciences Libraries

Association of American Medical Colleges  
Council of Academic Societies

Association of American Publishers  
Professional and Scholarly Publishing Division

Association of Learned and Professional Society Publishers

Federation of American Societies for Experimental Biology  
DC Principles

International Association of Sciences, Technical & Medical Publishers

International Committee of Medical Journal Editors

Society for Scholarly Publishing





Building relationships

Education

Inventing the future



## Meetings:

May 22, 2008  
September 17, 2008  
April 8, 2009  
November 11, 2009



# Grand Challenges

Preservation / Archiving

Effective STM Authorship

Peer review / quality assurance

Dynamic content containers

Branding STM content

Future of the journal

# Strategies

Broad, high level opportunities & challenges

Shared ideas representing association interests

Equal partners in dialogue

Consensus driven statements w/ assoc. approval

# Educational Initiatives

Informational sessions

Educating authors

Libraries 101

Bio-medical publishing 101



# Governance Issues

Organizational structure

Not just biomedical

Expanding involvement

# Expected Outcomes

Position papers, statements on issues

Dialogues w/ experts, broad constituency

Sustainable mechanism for conversation & action

Trusted venue for scholarly communication  
discussions





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