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Education

Coursework in Texts and Technology, University of Central Florida
Master's of Library and Information Science, University of Pittsburgh
Bachelor's of Arts - Sociology, University of Pittsburgh

Skills/Experience

- Energetic, dynamic librarian with expertise in information literacy and digital repository management.
- Web savvy with a proven record of implementing technology in libraries.
- Serials subscription management and serials cataloging.
 - Excellent written, interpersonal, and multimedia communication skills.
- Design and delivery of standards-based information literacy instruction.
- Design and testing of student learning assessment tools.
- Information literacy curriculum design.
 - Up-to-date with latest educational pedagogies relating to libraries.
 - Information literacy computer game design.
 - Design and management of systems for collecting and utilizing library user feedback.
 - Solid interpersonal reference/interview skills including chat, instant message, texting and email reference.
 - Producing HTML/Flash-based online tutorials.
 - Web design (Dreamweaver, FrontPage, CSS, JavaScript and XHTML).
 - Graphic design for print and web using Adobe CS3.
 - Familiar with Endeavor, Ex Libris, and Sirsi automation systems products.
 - Developing planning models for library partnerships.

Employment

Reference/Outreach Librarian

[Indian River State College](#), Fort Pierce, FL

- Provide innovative information literacy instruction and reference services to 33,000+ undergraduate students
 - Design and deliver distance learning using content and learning management software systems
- Implement formative assessment techniques to continuously improve instruction
- Teach various "for credit" information literacy classes
- Collection development for two libraries totaling 40,000+ items
- State-wide leadership on resource selection and professional development committees
- Leadership on Virtual College workgroup
- Assist students across Florida on state-wide AskALibrarian service
- Provide outreach reference and instruction services to campuses in St. Lucie, Martin and Okeechobee counties
- Create online and print marketing and promotional material

Research Showcase Outreach Coordinator

2008 –2009

[Carnegie Mellon University](#), Pittsburgh, Pa

- Built institutional repository from scratch on BePress' [Digital Commons](#) [Digital Commons publishing product](#).
 - Responsible for managing all aspects of repository and associated services.
- Developed and implement marketing plan for institutional repository.
- Supervised harvesting of content and train community.
- Researched copyright ownership and negotiate permissions with publishers.

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Information Literacy Fellow

– 2008

[Carnegie Mellon University, Pittsburgh, Pa](#)

- Coordinated day-to-day activities of the University Libraries' information literacy plan.
- Served as library liaison to the [Eberly Center for Teaching Excellence](#).
- Developed educational programming for librarians, graduate students, and faculty in information literacy instruction, learning outcomes, and formative assessment plans.
- Designed, managed, and administered student learning assessments including [SAILS](#).
- Completely redesigned Computing @ Carnegie Mellon course content for freshmen.

Co-authored Middle States Reaccreditation Self Study Report.

- Served as outreach coordinator for information literacy initiatives.

Created and administered [Sister Libraries Pilot Project](#).

Began [information literacy outreach program](#) to local library community.

Provided content for information literacy [computer game](#) developed at the [Entertainment Technologies Center](#).

- Coordinated meetings of the Libraries' Student Advisory Board.
- Served as design consultant to Pittsburgh Public Schools information literacy curriculum committee.

Planned and managed implementation of instant messaging reference services.

Provided reference services to a community of more than 10,000 students and 5,000 faculty and staff.

- Service on Library Instruction, Public Services, Gaming, and Chat Reference committees. Chair of Employee Development Committee.

Librarian

– 2006

[Hillsborough Community College](#), Plant City, FL

- Provided reference services to a culturally diverse community of 16,000 students and 1,300 faculty; many were involved in healthcare professions.

Managed a 16,000 item collection with responsibilities to review, weed, and acquire in all academic disciplines.

Integrated technology and active learning by providing customized library instruction sessions.

Revised, designed, and customized pathfinders, handouts, and web-based tutorials.

Supervised four student workers.

Provided guidance to library technology infrastructure planners.

Served on Faculty Instructional Technology, Database Selection, New Hire Orientation, Campus Remodeling, and Librarian Cluster committees.

Learning Resource Center Technician

– 2005

[Hillsborough Community College](#), Plant City, FL

- Evening library manager.

Supervised two student workers.

Provided reference services to students, faculty, and staff.

Updated periodicals holdings records after migration to new automation system.

Managed all periodical subscriptions.

- Set up instructional technology equipment and provided all evening campus technology support.

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Leadership

- Chair, [Learning Resources Commission](#), Association of Florida Colleges, 2011-2012.
- Chair, Distance Learning Enhancement, Virtual College Subcommittee, 2011.
- Three year appointment to Information Resources Standing Committee, 2011-2014.
- Awarded Exemplary Practices Award by [The Association of Florida Colleges Technology Commission](#), 2010.
 - [Western Pennsylvania & West Virginia Chapter of the Association of College and Research Libraries](#) - Program Planning Committee Member, 2007-2008.
 - Carnegie Mellon University Libraries - Employee Development Committee Chair, 2007-2008.
 - [Suncoast Information Specialists -Vice President](#), 2006.
- Hillsborough Community College - [Librarians Cluster Librarians Cluster](#) Secretary, 2005-2006.

Presentations

- “[A Collaborative Partnership Achieving Evidence-Based Practice through Information Literacy](#)” at the American Physical Therapists Association Educational Leadership Conference, Clearwater Beach, FL AND National Career Pathways Annual Conference, Orlando, FL 2011.
- “Library Services and Resources 2.0” at [The Association of Florida Colleges Spring Conference](#), 2011.
- “Authors' Rights and Wrongs” at Indian River State College Coffee Hour Lecture Series, 2010.
- “Copyright Do's and Don't's: How to Avoid Infringement in the Classroom & Online.” at [Florida Association of Community Colleges](#) Region Five Webinar, 2010.
- “[The Library Arcade](#)” at [LOEX of the West 2008](#), UNLV, Las Vegas, Nevada.
- “[Development of a K-12 Information Literacy Scope and Sequence.](#)” at the [Pennsylvania School Librarians' Association Pennsylvania School Librarians' Association annual conference.](#)
- “[Games in Special Libraries](#)” at the [SLA Pittsburgh Chapter spring meeting, 2008.](#)
- Organized [PCHEPCHE Swaptalk discussion on information literacy assessment, fall 2007.](#)
- “The Library Arcade” at the WPWVC/ACRL fall meeting, 2007.
- “Start Blogging for a Reason” at the WPWVC/ACRL summer conference, 2007.
- “Second Life and Libraries” for the University of Pittsburgh School of Information Sciences, 2007.
- Findings of the Sister Libraries Pilot Project at the Pennsylvania School Librarians' Association annual conference, 2007.
- “The Long-Haired Librarian Teaches You how to Blog” at Hillsborough Community College Faculty In-Service, 2006.

Publications

- “Your Library Instruction is in Another Castle: Developing Information Literacy Based Video Games at Carnegie Mellon University.” [Gaming in Academic Libraries](#) *Gaming in Academic Libraries*. Ed. Amy Harris, Scott Rice. Chicago: Association of College and Research Libraries (2008).
- “[Information Literacy for Life-Long Learning: A K-12 Scope and Sequence for Libraries.](#)” for the [Pittsburgh Public School District. \(2007\).](#)
- “The Sister Libraries Partnership Program: a Carnegie Mellon University Libraries Pilot Project.” *Learning & Media*. Pennsylvania School Librarians Association. 36.2 (2008) (forthcoming).