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EDUCATION

Master of Information Science, Expected August 2018

University of North Texas, Toulouse Graduate School, College of Information

Korean Language Level 3 Certificate, 2011

Seoul National University, Language Education Institute

B.A. in Anthropology, 2009

Jewish Studies Certificate, 2009

University of Colorado at Boulder, College of Arts and Sciences

AREAS OF INTEREST

Digital Preservation; Digital Libraries; Information Literacy; Digital Privacy; Cultural Memory; Critical Theory; Critical Librarianship; Radical Reference; Born-digital Information; Information Access

ACADEMIC POST-SECONDARY POSITIONS

Graduate Research Investigator, Preservation of Government Information (PEGI) Project, University of North Texas, Denton, TX. March 2017 – Present. (IMLS Grant #LG-88-17-0129-17.)

Conduct environmental scan of electronic government information preservation practices by researching and documenting workflows and practices of federal agencies in producing electronic information; traveling to Washington, DC, and other locations to conduct interviews with federal agencies, libraries, and researchers; and collaborating with PEGI steering committee members. Maintain PEGI website and social media presence. Create and distribute marketing material.

Graduate Library Assistant, UNT Libraries, University of North Texas, Denton, TX. January 2017 – Present. Provide reference and research assistance services at a combined services desk.

Respond both in-person and via phone and email to research needs of undergraduate and graduate students, faculty, and community members. Instruct patrons using print and electronic resources and developed expertise in information-seeking methods and instruction.

FELLOWSHIPS

Fellow, 2017 DLF Student and New Professionals Fellowship, Digital Library Federation, Awarded August 2017.

PROJECTS

Planning Committee, Open Denton. January – March, 2018. Assisted with planning, created marketing material for the event, promoted it through social media, and documented the event as it was ongoing through photos and Tweets. Managed volunteer event facilitators.

Co-Organizer, Twitter Scraping Workshop Using TWARC with Mark Phillips. February 21, 2018. Assisted with planning, marketing, and day-of management of the event.

Co-Organizer, Code4Lib South Central Regional Meeting. August 11, 2017. Assisted with planning, marketing, and day-of management of the event.

Project Director, #DataRescueDenton. January – May, 2017. Operated in coordination with University of Pennsylvania's Program in Environmental Humanities DataRefuge project. Planned and organized a hackathon style event aimed at bringing together archivists, librarians, data scientists, and citizen scientists to scrape and preserve at-risk environmental data.

Student Researcher, Usability of Online Interactive Multimedia Platforms at the University of North Texas. January 2017 – May 2017. Coded participant observations in usability study. Assisted in designing coding schema.

Writer, Producer, and Contributor, City of Denton Open Data Portal Introductory Video. March 4, 2017. Developed and produced as part of Denton Open Data Day 2017.

CONFERENCES

Planning Committee Member, DLF Forum 2018, Las Vegas, NV. October 15-17, 2018.

Inclusivity Subcommittee Member, DLF Forum 2018, Las Vegas, NV, October 15-17, 2018.

Organizing Committee Member, Digital Frontiers 2018, Lawrence, KS. October 4-5, 2018.

Panelist, APDU 2018, Arlington, VA. July 17-18, 2018. Accepted panel: "Collecting and preserving born-digital government information and data: a holistic view from librarians leading grassroots efforts."

Panel Moderator, Digital Frontiers 2017, Denton, TX. September 21-32, 2017. Panel: "Embodiment in the Archive and on the Screen."

Panelist, International Conference on Knowledge Management 2017, Dallas, TX. October 25-26, 2017. Panel: "Big Data, Ethics, and Public Engagement."

Presenter, Multidisciplinary Information Research Symposium 2017, Denton, TX. April 13, 2017. "At-Risk Digital Information and Data Rescue Denton."

SERVICE

Asian Pacific American Librarians Association (APALA), July 2017– Present: Communication and Media Committee Member. Update website, write blog posts, and maintain social media.

North Texas Association for Information Science & Technology (ASIS&T), Denton TX, May 2017– Present: Communications Officer. Plan and market events such as the International Conference on Knowledge Management 2017, the Multidisciplinary Information Research

Symposium, and more.

UNT Library & Information Science Student Association (LISSA), Denton TX, August 2016 – May 2017: Director of Social Media and College of Information Alumni Society liaison.

Library Volunteer, Denton TX, April 2016 - Present: Volunteer at the Denton South Branch library. Assist with shelving, reference needs, and other tasks as directed. Tutor adult education students weekly.

Youth Group Counselor & Tutor, various organizations, 2004 - Present: Counsel low income second-generation Korean-American adolescents and provided resources, transportation, and counseling. Tutor junior high and high school students in homework with topics ranging from science to poetry.

OTHER RELEVANT EMPLOYMENT

Student Assistant, UNT College of Information Admissions and Advising Office, Denton, TX. May 2016 – March 2017. Greeted visitors, answered incoming calls, and answered preliminary advising questions with professional and cheerful demeanor. Guided prospective and current students to resources and determine necessity of further consultation with an academic advisor. Processed advising forms by cross-referencing multiple databases and with a customer-service orientation.

Director of Education, Primrose School of West Carrollton, Carrollton, TX. September 2013 – August 2016. Managed staff of 15-20. Researched, designed, and implemented STEM to STEAM curriculum training and certification for teaching and administrative staff. Conducted continuing educational training sessions. Managed and evaluated teacher instruction. Coordinated distribution of curriculum and provided instructional assistance to teachers. Actively developed and maintained positive staff relationships and parent partnerships.

Archaeology Lab Cataloging Assistant, University of Colorado, Boulder, CO. June 2007 - July 2009. Planned and supervised cataloging during and post-excavation of archaeological sites.