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EDUCATION

MASTER OF INFORMATION SCIENCE, August 2018. University of North Texas, Denton, TX, USA

Korean Language Level 3 Certificate, May 2011. Seoul National University, Seoul, South Korea

Bachelor of Arts, Anthropology, May 2009. University of Colorado at Boulder, CO, USA

SELECTED PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

DIVERSITY RESIDENT LIBRARIAN, University of North Carolina at Greensboro Libraries, October 2018 - Present

- ♦ Planned and facilitated the 2019 Library Diversity Institute for Diversity Residents and the 2019 Library Diversity and Residency Studies (LDRS) Conference. Served on the editorial board for the new open access publication LDRS Journal.
- ♦ Facilitated focus groups and information sharing activities as part of an equity, diversity, and inclusion-centric assessment of the University Libraries' Strategic Plan, and for use in the new Strategic Plan development process.
- ♦ Attended the ICPSR Summer Program in Quantitative Methods of Social Research
- ♦ Completed rotation in **Administration** with a focus on project management, scholarly communication, and strategic planning; completed rotation in **Reference, Outreach, and Instruction** with a focus on application of the ACRL Framework in classroom instruction and assessment, and taught or co-taught over twenty library instruction classes; partial rotation in **Digital Media Commons** focused on campus-wide interdepartmental collaboration-building initiatives and planning a multi-city maker fair centered on collaborative pedagogy. Maker fair canceled due to COVID-19.

STEERING COMMITTEE MEMBER, [Preservation of Electronic Government Information \(PEGI\) Project](#), August 2018 - Present. Previously: **Graduate Student Assistant**, March 2017-August 2018

- ♦ **Research and Reporting:** Co-wrote and edited project reports, statements, publications, and blog posts. Assisted in multimodal scan of electronic government information preservation practices by researching and documenting workflows and practices of federal agencies in producing born-digital information. Conducted interviews and focus groups with representatives from federal agencies, librarians, technologists, and researchers.
- ♦ **Project Management:** Managed biweekly steering committee meeting agendas and oversaw communication tools, coordinating between 6 to 18 steering committee and board members.
- ♦ **Outreach:** Created and maintained PEGI website, email, and social media accounts. Promoted PEGI through social media, listservs, webinars, and attendance at conferences and meetings. Planned, marketed, and coordinated production and technical support for webinars and virtual forums.

GRADUATE LIBRARY ASSISTANT - REFERENCE & RESEARCH, University of North Texas Libraries, January 2017-August 2018

- ◆ Provided reference and research assistance and circulation services at a combined services desk.
- ◆ Responded both in-person and via phone and email to the high-demand research needs of undergraduate and graduate students, faculty, and community members at a high-traffic, public R1 Carnegie Institution University Library.
- ◆ Instructed patrons using print and electronic resources including introductions to data management plans and data visualization tools, and developed expertise in information-seeking methods and instruction.

LEADERSHIP AND FACILITATION

We Make Culture Hum: Digital Explorations of African American Musicians in the Piedmont. Project Coordinator, with Dr. Rhonda Jones, Dr. Armondo Collins, and Sarah Dorsey. March 2021 - Present. A digital humanities project that will highlight the music traditions and enduring legacy of African American artists from the Piedmont area. Utilizing photographs, maps, oral history, audio, video, and ephemera, the project brings together the University Archives, Music Library, and Library Digital Media Commons to offer interactive visualizations and an accessible digital archive of local musical history.

- ◆ Develop curriculum and supervision guidelines for three graduate or undergraduate student assistants.
- ◆ Provide instruction and support for student training on open-source research practices and digital media communications such as Wikimedia, OMEKA, Knightlab's StoryMap, and virtual reality technologies.

Library Diversity Institute 2019 and Library Diversity and Residency Studies Conference 2019 (IMLS Grant #RE-95-18-0042-18). Project Coordinator, with Dr. Martin Halbert and Gerald Holmes. October 2018 - Present. The Library Diversity Institutes project was a pilot program addressing the needs of library diversity residents and more broadly to advance diversity in academic librarianship.

- ◆ Managed project planning for the Institute, a three-day intensive orientation and training for 40 diversity resident librarians, as well as the Library Diversity and Residency Studies conference, a two-day convening of residency coordinators, academic library administrators, EDI scholars, residents, and students.
- ◆ Served on the formation board for the open access Library Diversity and Residency Studies Journal. Through consultation with the Library Publishing Coalition, designed and implemented customized editorial processes. Created and maintained the LDRS website.

The PEGI Project National Forums (IMLS Grant #LG-88-17-0129-17). Project Management Co-Lead & Meeting Facilitator. October 2017 - December 2018. The PEGI Project National Forums involved a series of in-person focus-group style mini-forums seeking input from various stakeholders on the issue of preservation and access to born-digital government information and data. They culminated in a National Forum held at the CNI Annual Meeting in Washington, DC, December 2018. This forum brought together 80 key stakeholders from federal agencies such as GPO and NARA, open government advocates, archivists, librarians, policy analysts, data specialists, scientists, journalists, digital preservationists, historians, and other disciplines.

- ◆ Coordinated information gathering, networking, and outreach to participants and stakeholder groups.
- ◆ Lead in-person focus group facilitation at all mini-forum stakeholder outreach events targeting non-librarian users and producers of government information and data, such as the American Historical Association and the American Association for the Advancement of Science.

Denton Data Day by Open Denton. Planning Committee & Event Facilitator. January–March, 2018. Civic hacking event bringing together community members, nonprofit organizers, and municipal leadership to explore, analyze, and encourage wider adoption of open data policies.

- ◆ Coordinated community outreach to local students, researchers, faculty, librarians, and technologists.

Twitter Scrapping Workshop Using TWARC. Organizer, with Mark Phillips and Anusha Mantripragada. February 21, 2018. Planning, marketing, and day-of management of the event aimed at graduate students and researchers.

Code4Lib South Central Regional Meeting. Co-Organizer, with Mark Phillips and Anusha Mantripragada. August 11, 2017. Unconference-style event bringing together regional Code4Lib members for lightning talks, scoped workshops, breakout sessions, and hackathons.

- ◆ Assisted with planning, marketing, and day-of management of the event.
- ◆ Attended a [Data Carpentry](#) workshop.

#DataRescueDenton. Program Director. January - May, 2017. A hackathon-style event aimed at bringing together archivists, librarians, data users, and citizen scientists to scrape and preserve at-risk environmental data. One of many Data Rescue events organized with the University of Pennsylvania's Program in Environmental Humanities [DataRefuge](#) project and with support from the [Environmental Data & Governance Initiative](#) (EDGI). Event concluded the [2017 UNT Open Access Symposium](#).

- ◆ Sought and received funding support from the UNT University Libraries and the UNT Library and Information Science Students Association, as well as obtained a donated meeting site from a community co-working space.
- ◆ Planned, solicited, and coordinated event speakers & support volunteers such as Data Refuge Project's Margaret Janz, coding specialists, and web archiving experts.
- ◆ Coordinated attendees, volunteers, experts, and educators for the hackathon.

PUBLICATIONS AND REPORTS

"Prioritizing Student Agency By Resisting Academic Surveillance in the Wake of COVID-19." Callan Bignoli, Sam Buechler, Deborah Yun Caldwell, Kelly McElroy. Accepted by CJAL, expected publication date December 2021.

"[Letter to Asian Diasporic Library Workers](#)." with Desmond Wong, Anastasia Chiu, Jessica Dai, and Charlotte Roh. up//root. Published February 22, 2021.

"[Toward a Shared Agenda: Report on Preservation of Electronic Government Information \(PEGI Project\) Activities for 2017-2019](#)." With Martin Halbert, Katherine Skinner, Roberta Sittel, Marie Concannon, James R. Jacobs, Shari Laster, and Scott Matheson. Educopia Institute. Published November 14, 2019.

"[PEGI Project National Forum Summary and Report](#)." With Martin Halbert, Katherine Skinner, Roberta Sittel, Marie Concannon, James R. Jacobs, Shari Laster, and Scott Matheson. Educopia Institute. Published May 3, 2019.

CONTRIBUTOR

Contributor for "[Planning a Community-Created Data Rescue Toolkit](#)," by Mara Blake, Laurel Poolman, and Reid Boehm. Johns Hopkins University. Published March 31, 2021.

INVITED PRESENTATIONS & WORKSHOPS

"(Not) Another Anti-Racist Reading Group: Walking the Talk." With Melody Lee Rood, Juanita Thacker, and Suzanne Sawyer. Panelist. Massachusetts Library Association Annual Conference. Virtual Conference. Expected May 17-19, 2021.

"'Coded Bias' with Data 4 Black Lives." With Tawana Petty. Moderator. St. Catherine University MLIS Annual Summit 2021. Virtual Summit. Expected May 14, 2021.

"Exploring ACRL Library Diversity Alliance Residencies: How to Support Current & Future Resident Librarians." With Gerald Holmes, LaQuanda Onyemeh, Irene Owens, Lauren Tadena, and Natalie Hill. Panelist. Texas Library Association Annual Conference. Houston, TX. March 2020, canceled due to COVID-19.

"Preserving the Future: PEGI Project Update." With Scott Matheson, Robbie Sittel, Shari Laster, and James R. Jacobs. Panelist. Federal Depository Library Conference. Arlington, VA. October 22, 2019.

"Diversity Residencies." With Gerald Holmes and Martin Halbert. Panelist. North Carolina Independent Colleges and Universities Meeting of Library Directors. Wake Forest University, Winston-Salem, NC. December 18, 2018.

"[Planning a Community-Created Data Rescue Toolkit](#) (IMLS Grant LG-72-18-0102-18)." With Reid Boehm, Mara Blake, and Sayeed Choudhury. Invited contributor. Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, MD. September 25-28, 2018.

SELECTED PRESENTATIONS AND POSTERS

"[\(Not\) Another Anti-Racist Reading Group: From Discussion to Action](#)." With Melody Lee Rood, Juanita Thacker, and Suzanne Sawyer. Panelist. Association of South Eastern Research Libraries (ASERL). Webinar. February 1, 2021.

"[Civic Duty?: Libraries and the Disenfranchised](#)." With Lynda Kellam, Nicole D. Porter, Katherine Ellena, and Leslie Purdie. Program chair. American Libraries Association Virtual Annual Conference 2020. Virtual Conference. June 24-26, 2020.

"Strategic Planning to Build Cultural Competence in Libraries." With Gerald Holmes, Juanita Thacker, Nakia Hoskins, and Melody Rood. Presentation. Library Association at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill (LAUNC-CH) Annual Conference. Chapel Hill, NC. March 9, 2020.

"PEGI Project Update 2019." Poster. Federal Depository Library Conference. Arlington, VA. October 21-23, 2019.

"From Efforts to Impact: Future Directions for the PEGI Project." With James R. Jacobs and Shari Laster. Panel. National Digital Stewardship Alliance Digital Preservation Conference 2019. Tampa, FL. October 16-17, 2019.

"Perspectives on the Diversity Institute." With Symphony Bruce, Natalie Hill, and Laura Tadena. Panel (Moderator). Library Diversity Institute 2019. Greensboro, NC. August 23-25, 2019.

"Mind the Gap: How Leveraging Research Agendas Will Promote and Retain Academic Librarians of Color." With Denisse Solis and Jessica Dai. Roundtable. IDEAL'19. Columbus, OH. August 6-7, 2019.

- "Library Diversity Institutes Pilot Project at UNC Greensboro." With Gerald Holmes. Poster. IDEAL'19. Columbus, OH. August 6-7, 2019.
- "Collective Impact and Preservation of Electronic Government Information." With Robbie Sittel. Poster. Society of American Archivists 2019. Austin, TX. July 31-August 6, 2019.
- "PEGI Project One Year Later." With Scott Matheson. Poster. American Association of Law Librarians 2019. Washington, DC. July 13-16, 2019.
- "Collectively Curating Government Information and Data: The PEGI Project and the Collective Impact Model." With Martin Halbert, Roberta Sittel, Shari Laster, Lynda Kellam, and James R. Jacobs. Panel. American Library Association Annual Conference 2019. Washington, DC. June 22, 2019.
- "Open, Inclusive Practice and Diversity Residencies." With Martin Halbert and Gerald Holmes. Panel. NC LIVE Annual Conference 2019. Greensboro, NC. May 13, 2019.
- "Academic Library Casting Calls: Representation, Recruitment, and Retention of Librarians of Color." With Jenny Carlos and Tiffany Henry. Poster. Association of College and Research Libraries 2019. Cleveland, OH. April 10-13, 2019.
- "Diversity Day: Resident Reflections." Presentation. Diversity Day 2019. University of North Carolina Charlotte, NC. February 28, 2019.
- "National Agenda for Collaborative Preservation of Electronic Government Information." With Martin Halbert, Sarah Lippencott, and Robbie Sittel. Panel. Coalition for Networked Information Fall Membership Meeting 2018. Washington, DC. December 10-11, 2018.
- "Collecting and Preserving Born-Digital Government Information and Data: A Holistic View From Librarians Leading Grassroots Efforts." With James R. Jacobs, Shari Laster, and Margaret Janz. Panel. Association of Professional Data Users (APDU) 2018. Arlington, VA. July 17-18, 2018.
- "Big Data, Ethics, and Public Engagement." With Ana Roeschley. Panel. International Conference on Knowledge Management 2017. Dallas, TX. October 25-26, 2017.
- "Embodiment in the Archive and on the Screen." With Liz Grumbach, Joshua Jackson, Cody Jackson, and Jacqueline Wernimont. Panel (Moderator). Digital Frontiers 2017. Denton, TX. September 21-32, 2017.
- "At-Risk Digital Information and Data Rescue Denton." Presentation. Multidisciplinary Information Research Symposium 2017. Denton, TX. April 13, 2017.

SELECTED PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Digital Archives Specialist Certificate Courses, Society of American Archivists (Full DAS Certificate April 2021)

- ◆ Arrangement & Description of Digital Records: Parts 1 & 2 (Certificate awarded 3/30/2021)
- ◆ Building Advocacy and Support for Digital Archives (Certificate awarded 1/13/2021)
- ◆ Metadata Overview for Digital Archivists (Certificate awarded 6/30/2020)
- ◆ Fundamentals of Research Data Curation (Certificate awarded 6/30/2020)
- ◆ Introduction to Email Preservation (Certificate awarded 6/30/2020)
- ◆ Web Archiving Fundamentals (Certificate awarded 6/30/2020)
- ◆ Assessment & Certification of Digital Repositories (Certificate awarded 6/29/2020)
- ◆ Digital Records: The Next Step (Certificate awarded 6/28/2020)
- ◆ Basics of Managing Digital Records (Certificate awarded 6/28/2020)

Library Freedom Institute (July-November 2020 Cohort)

Library Freedom Project. (All courses held virtually.) Library Freedom Institute (LFI) is a privacy-focused, four month collaborative program between New York University and Library Freedom to teach librarians skills necessary to thrive as privacy advocates; from educating community members to influencing public policy.

ICPSR Summer Program in Quantitative Methods of Social Research (Audited Summer 2020)

Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research (ICPSR), University of Michigan. Ann Arbor, MI (All courses held virtually due to COVID-19): Session I & II Summer 2020.

- ◆ Introduction to the LaTeX Text Processing System
- ◆ Introduction to the R Statistical Computing Environment
- ◆ Introduction to Python
- ◆ Data Visualization
- ◆ Data Science and Text Analysis
- ◆ Mathematics for Social Scientists I

Racial Equity Institute Phase I Workshop (February 23-24, 2019)

Library Diversity Institute (August 31 – September 3, 2018)

SELECTED INSTRUCTION/INVITED LECTURES

INVITED SPECIAL TOPICS

- "Digital Privacy and Security." LIS 200 Information Use in a Digital World, Dr. LaTasha Velez and Elizabeth Ellis. University of North Carolina at Greensboro Library and Information Science Program. Recurring lecture.
- "Digital Privacy and Security." LIS 200 Information Use in a Digital World, Lisa Barron. University of North Carolina at Greensboro Library and Information Science Program. Recurring lecture.
- "Diversifying Classroom Materials." LIS 653 School Libraries, Dr. Heather Moorefield-Lang. University of North Carolina at Greensboro Library and Information Science Program. Recurring lecture.
- "Critical Digital Pedagogy." LIS 672 Instructional Design, Dr. April Dawkins. University of North Carolina at Greensboro Library and Information Science Program. April 1, 2019.

LIBRARY & RESEARCH INSTRUCTION

- "Library Research & Writing Workshop." With Rachel Sanders. CST 105 Introduction to Communication Studies, Seminar. University of North Carolina at Greensboro Communication Studies. Recurring workshop.
- "Introduction to the Research Process." With Mark Schumacher. INTERLINK. Interlink International Institute at the University of North Carolina at Greensboro. November 5, 2018.
- "Researching Global Issues in Academic Libraries: An Introduction to Databases." With Gerald Holmes. FMS 171 Global Migrations, Dr. Hewan Girma. University of North Carolina at Greensboro African American and African Diaspora Studies. February 4, 2019.
- "Understanding Scope: Workshop on Selecting Viable Research Topics." With Melody Rood. IGS 200 Capstone Seminar in International and Global Studies, Dr. Kathleen Macfie. University of North Carolina at Greensboro International and Global Studies. October 1, 2019.

ACADEMIC SERVICE

SERVICE TO THE PROFESSION

July 2020 - Present	ACRL Diversity Alliance , Task Force Member
July 2019 - Present	ALA GODORT , Legislation Committee Member
Oct 2018 - Present	Library Diversity & Residency Studies Journal Editorial Board Member
July 2017 - Present	Asian Pacific American Librarians Association <ul style="list-style-type: none">◆ Media & Publicity Committee
July 2019 - Jan 2021	Institute of Museum and Library Services Grant Reviewer
Nov 2020 - Dec 2020	With the Intellectual Freedom Committee: Resolution Draft Working Group: Resolution on the Misuse of Behavioral Data Surveillance in Libraries , Passed by ALA Council on January 26, 2021
July 2019 - June 2020	ALA GODORT , ALA Virtual 2020 Chair's Program Programming Committee Member
Jan 2019 - Oct 2019	Digital Frontiers 2019, Austin, TX. Organizing Committee Member
Oct 2018 - Sep 2019	Library Diversity Institute 2019, Greensboro, NC. Organizing Committee
Oct 2018 - Sep 2019	Library Diversity & Residency Studies Conference 2019, Greensboro, NC. Organizing Committee Member & Project Manager
Mar 2017 - Dec 2018	Preserving Electronic Government Information (PEGI) Project National Forum 2018 Project Manager and Event Coordinator
Mar 2018 - Oct 2018	Digital Library Federation Forum 2018, Las Vegas, NV. <ul style="list-style-type: none">◆ Planning Committee Member◆ Inclusivity Subcommittee Member
Jan 2018 - Oct 2018	Digital Frontiers 2018, Lawrence, KS. Organizing Committee Member

SERVICE TO THE LIBRARY

Feb 2021 - Present	Inclusive Design Working Group
Jan 2021 - Present	Residency Assessment and Refresh Task Force, Co-Chair
June 2020 - Present	Administrative Advisory Group Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion Strategic Plan Task Force, Standards and Policies Subgroup Lead
June 2020 - Present	University Libraries Virtual Learning Community Anti-Racist Reading Group, Co-Lead
Apr 2020 - Present	Family Room Working Group
Mar 2020 - Present	UNC Greensboro Libraries Mutual Care Network, Coordinator
Oct 2018 - Present	Innovation and Program Enrichment Grant Committee
Oct 2018 - Present	Diversity Committee Member
Oct 2018 - Present	Administrative Advisory Group
Jan 2019 - Mar 2019	Search Committee, Student Success Librarian

LANGUAGES, GRANTS, AWARDS, AND FELLOWSHIPS

Conversational speaker: Korean

Innovation and Program Enrichment Grant, UNC Greensboro Libraries. Award (\$3000) granted for the “Anti-Racist Resources Library.” Awarded August 7, 2020, with Melody Rood and Olivia Patterson. This grant funds non-circulating anti-racist reading materials set aside for library personnel use, as well as honorariums for expert guest speakers to facilitate discussion.

[Margaret T. Lane/Virginia F. Saunders Memorial Research Award](#), ALA Government Documents Roundtable. Award (\$1000) presented for “Toward a Shared Agenda: Report on Preservation of Electronic Government Information (PEGI Project) Activities for 2017–2019.” Awarded June 28, 2020, with Dr. Martin Halbert, Roberta Sittel, Dr. Katherine Skinner, Marie Concannon, James R. Jacobs, Shari Laster, and Scott Matheson. This award honors an outstanding published research in which government information forms a substantial part of the documented research.

[DLF Student & New Professionals Fellowship](#), Digital Library Federation. Awarded August 2017.

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

2020 - Present	Research Data Access and Preservation Association
2020 - Present	ACRL Diversity Alliance
2019 - Present	Association of College and Research Libraries
2019 - Present	ACRL Residency Interest Group
2018 - Present	ALA Government Documents Roundtable
2018 - Present	Asian Pacific American Librarians Association
2017 - Present	American Library Association
2017 - 2018	North Texas Association of Information Science & Technology

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY SKILLS

Proven ability to quickly acquire and apply information technology skills, including but not limited to:

- ♦ Operating Systems: MS Windows 10, Apple macOS Sierra - Big Sur
- ♦ Office software: Microsoft Office 2019/Office 365, LibreOffice, Google Suite, Adobe Acrobat
- ♦ eLearning: Blackboard Learn, Canvas, Springshare CampusGuides v. 2
- ♦ Citation management: EndNote, Zotero, RefWorks, Mendeley
- ♦ Survey software: Qualtrics, SurveyMonkey, Typeform, Google Forms
- ♦ Project Management: Asana, BaseCamp, Trello, Airtable
- ♦ Data Management: OpenRefine, Jupyter notebook, Open Science Framework, DMPTool
- ♦ Data Visualization: Tableau, TimelineJS, StorymapJS, Voyant Tools
- ♦ Digital Scholarly Publishing: Wordpress, Omeka
- ♦ Design: Adobe Photoshop, Adobe InDesign, Canva
- ♦ Web Development: HTML5, CSS
- ♦ Web Archiving: Twarq, Twitter API
- ♦ Programing & Command Line: Working knowledge of Python, SQL, Ruby, Git
- ♦ Vendor interfaces and discovery layers: EBSCO, Gale: Cengage Learning, LexisNexis, ProQuest, Summon 2.0, Thomson Reuters Web of Science, Wolters Kluwer Ovid, Scopus, and more.