
CURRICULUM VITAE

Education:

M.S. Information Design and Technology, State University of New York Institute of Technology, anticipated December 2012

M.L.S., University at Buffalo, State University of New York, June 2007

Beta Phi Mu

New York State Teacher Certification, School Library Media Specialist granted September 2007

New York State Public Librarian certification #23588 granted October 2007

B.A. cum Laude, State University of New York College at Geneseo, May 2005

Major: Spanish – Adolescent Education Certification. New York State teacher certification granted September, 2006

Minor: French

Professional Library Experience:

Sept. 2011 through present

Resource Sharing Librarian, Senior Assistant Librarian

Drake Memorial Library; The College at Brockport, State University of New York; Brockport, New York

- Oversee the daily operation of borrowing, lending and document delivery in the Interlibrary Loan office
- Maintain a current knowledge of best practices in Resource Sharing to support the College's programs
- Supervise of one full-time Library Clerk 2 and several student employees
- Maintain the *ILLiad* software including workflow enhancements, customization of print templates and Web forms
- Manage student employees at the Information Desk providing research, writing, and computer assistance
- Teach in the library's instruction program with primary emphasis on teacher education candidates
- Participate in the library's liaison program as well as weekly rotation at the Information Desk including night and weekend responsibilities

April 2008 through present

Digital Services, Senior Assistant Librarian

Drake Memorial Library; The College at Brockport, State University of New York; Brockport, New York

- Maintain a practical knowledge of emerging technologies related to library services
- Communicate developments in emerging technologies to library personnel and other stakeholders
- Develop asynchronous instructional materials for use in the ANGEL learning management system
- Collaborate with other Library personnel to develop and maintain the Library's electronic services including the *Serials Solutions* suite of products and *ILLiad* interlibrary loan software
- Maintain the Library's Web site and work with stakeholders to determine content and layout
- Serve as back-up to interlibrary loan and electronic resources
- Reappointed in April, 2010 until April, 2013 with successful promotion Senior Assistant

May, 2007 through April 2008

Emerging Technologies, Reference/Instruction, Sr. Assistant Librarian
Reference Office; James M. Milne Library; State University of New York College at Oneonta; Oneonta, New York.

- Investigate and employ emerging technologies to enhance the current level of public services such as virtual reference
- Liaison as well as Reference and Instruction Librarian duties
- Maintain and develop a P-12 collection for students pursuing education degrees
- Aid the web coordinator in a complete redesign of the library website

Teaching Experience:

- LIS523: User Education, SUNY at Buffalo, Spring 2012
- INTD150: Library & Internet Research, SUNY Oneonta, Summer 2007

Publications:

Rath, L. (2011). The effects of Twitter in an online learning environment. *eLearn Magazine*. Retrieved from <http://www.elearnmag.org/subpage.cfm?section=articles&article=154-1>

Rath, Logan (2007, February). Tips and Other Bright Ideas for Secondary School Libraries: Volume Three (review). *Library Student Journal*. <http://www.librarystudentjournal.com>

Presentations (selected):

LibStats Panel: Staying Sane Despite Statistics. *SUNY Librarians Association*, 2011; Plattsburgh, NY, 6/16/11

Learning About a Culture Isn't Enough: An Inquiry Approach to Deeper Understanding. *10th Annual CCTL Conference on Teaching and Learning*, 2011; Niagara Falls, NY, 1/12/11

Effect of Twitter in an Online Learning Environment. *SUNY Conference on Instructional Technologies*, 2010; Plattsburgh, NY, 5/27/10

Improving ILLiad Patron Experiences Through Cross-Departmental Collaboration. *ILLiad International Conference*, 2010; Virginia Beach, VA, 3/25/10 & *SUNY Librarians Association*, 2010; Brockport, NY 6/17/10

RU There: Mobile Technologies in Libraries. *New York Library Association Annual Conference*, 2009; Niagara Falls, NY, 10/17/09

Text Message Reference: First Findings. *SUNY Librarians Association*, 2009; Onondaga CC, Syracuse, NY 6/19/09 & *SUNY Conference on Instructional Technologies*, 2009; Oswego, NY, 5/20/09

Personalize Your Research: Using RSS Feeds and Journal Alerts. *Center for Excellence in Learning and Teaching*, Brockport, NY, 4/8/09

Online Library Ordering: a New Service for You." Scholar's Day, Brockport, NY, 4/15/09

Brown Bag Lunch: iTunes U. *Education and Human Development*, Brockport, NY, 3/6/09

Guest Lecturing:

- EDI 671: Teaching Childhood Social Studies, Fall 2010, Fall 2011
- LIS 518: Reference Sources and Services, Fall 2006
- Technology workshops, Baldy Hall Lab Complex, 2005 – 2007
- Spanish 416: Grammar and Syntax, SUNY Geneseo, Spring 2005

Digital Library Experience

- *Firebrary: The Buffalo Fire Historical Society Digital Library*, available online at <http://bfhsmuseum.bfn.org>
 - Aided in the HTML programming of the interface
- Karpeles Digital Manuscript Library
 - Established a server environment and aided in the infrastructure and interface teams

Awards, Honors, Grants and Fellowships:

- Faculty and Staff Technology Grant, 2010
Award to fund the library's purchase of iPads and applications for circulation to students, faculty and staff.
- Harold Hacker Grant for the Advancement of Libraries, 2009
Awarded to fund the Library Instruction Leadership Academy (LILAC), a semester-long intensive learning experience including a variety of workshops, field observations, assigned readings, reflection, discussions, and a final instruction project. LILAC is intended for newer instruction librarians who would like to become more effective in the classroom. See <http://academy.libraryinstruction.org> for more information.
- Computing Officers' Association scholarship to attend SUNY Technology Conference, 2008
- Faculty Access to Computing Technology scholarship to attend the Conference on Instructional Technologies 2008
- Milne Library Professional Development Grant, SUNY Oneonta, 2007
- Travel Grant, SUNY Geneseo, 2004.
This grant was awarded to sponsor a class trip to New York City for the purpose of observing "La Casa de Bernarda Alba," a play that the Spanish 372: Twentieth Century Literature class would later stage. This enactment was the first Spanish-language play in the Western New York area staged by college students.

Student Teaching Experience:

Library Media Specialist:

- Casey Middle School, Williamsville School District; Spring 2007; grades five through eight
- Mullen Elementary School, City of Tonawanda School District; Spring 2007; grades pre-kindergarten through five

Spanish 7-12

- Joseph C. Wilson Magnet High School. Rochester City School District; Fall 2004; grades 9, 10, 12
- Charles H. Roth Middle School. Rush-Henrietta Central School District; Fall 2004; grades 6, 8

Languages, Qualifications and Skills:

- Excellent oral and written communication, interpersonal skills, and ability to plan
- Teaching experience with all levels of students Pre-K-16
- Languages: English (native), Spanish (near fluent including graduate), French (formal written communication)
- Proficient in library applications including ILS, Connexion, EZProxy, productivity, design and Web software
- Able to quickly learn new software packages as needed
- Cataloging Experience: monographs, audiovisual materials, continuing resources, series, realia
- Programming Languages: HTML, CSS, PHP, SQL, XML/XSL, MARC

Organizational Membership:

Professional Level:

- Information Delivery Services Project
 - Mentor, 2011 - present
- State University of New York Librarians' Association
 - President, 2009-2010
 - 1st Vice President/President-Elect, 2008-2009
 - Delegate, 2007-2009, 2011-2013
 - Instruction, Membership and Web Development Committee
 - Library Software Users' Group Aleph v18 Task Force Chair, 2007
- University at Buffalo Library and Information Studies Alumni Association President, 2007-2009
- Western New York / Ontario Academic and College Research Libraries member

Graduate Level:

- American Library Association
- New York Library Association
- School Librarian's Association of Western New York
- Western New York/Ontario Association of College and Research Libraries
- UB Graduate Student Association: Elections Committee Chair 2007
- UB Library and Information Studies Graduate Student Association: President, 2006-2007

Undergraduate level:

- Alpha Phi Omega (Co-ed Community Service Fraternity): Brother, Public Relations, Webmaster
- Circle K International: Member, Club Secretary, Club Editor, District Committee Chair, Lieutenant Governor
- Golden Key Int'l Honor Society, Pi Delta Phi (French Honor Society), Sigma Delta Pi (Spanish Honor Society)
- SUNY Geneseo Residence Life: Resident Advisor (RA) in an all-freshman building, Spring 2004

Non-Library Employment Experiences:

August 2005 through present:

Graduate Assistant/Computer Lab Aide, Department of Library and Information Studies
University at Buffalo State University of New York; Buffalo, New York

- Responsible to the Director of the School of Informatics Lab Complex and Network Administrator
- Monitor and support the computing needs of a graduate and undergraduate student population of 400+ users
- Deliver technology instruction on various software programs in person and via video distance
- Aid professors with *Blackboard* questions and course modules
- Help lab users with software questions and general computer problems
- Support and supervise 50+ PC and Mac computers with a variety of specialty applications
- Maintain and build lab images using group policies and software package deployment

August 2002 through May 2005:

ResNet Student Manager; Technology Support Assistant; HelpDesk Consultant; Library Lab Aid

Department of Computing & Info. Technology; State University of New York College at Geneseo; Geneseo, New York

- Responsible to the Assistant Director of User Services, CIT as well as the Head of Circulation at Milne Library
- Managed student-computing needs on a campus of 5,000+ computers including six employees
- Responded to student and faculty/staff concerns in person as well as via email or telephone
- Provided end-user support in a highly progressive and utilized library of 200+ computers, both PC and Mac
- Checked-out/-in through Aleph ILS and supported 50 laptop computers for use in Milne Library
- Created disc images, software documentation, training materials, quick guides and policy documents
- Communicated daily with superiors to ensure effective customer service and support
- Departmental nominee for Student Employee of the Year, 2003-2004

April 2000 through May 2006:

Customer Service Representative; Shift Leader. Blockbuster Video, Inc.; Rochester and Buffalo, New York

- Coached Customer Service Representatives and solved any problems which may arise
- Performed operations of circulation, inventory, patron authority control and sales
- Employee of the month, February 2001