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## EDUCATION

- Ph.D. The Pennsylvania State University.  
Instructional Systems. Secondary Area of Focus: Educational Psychology.  
Dissertation: *The Effects of Varied Problem-solving Models in Facilitating Knowledge Acquisition in Online Searching.* 1999
- M.L.S. Pratt Institute.  
Graduated with Distinction. 1990
- M.S. Elmira College.  
School of Education. 1977
- B.S. Millersville State College (now Millersville University).  
Library Education/Educational Media. 1972

## EXPERIENCE-ACADEMIC

- 2017 - Part-time Instructor. Department of Library and Information Studies, MLIS Program. Valdosta State University. University System of Georgia.
- 2014 – 2017 Professor. Department of Library and Information Studies, MLIS Program. Valdosta State University. University System of Georgia.
- 2008-2014 Associate Professor. MLIS Program. Valdosta State University.
- 2004-2008 Assistant Professor. MLIS program. Valdosta State University.

**Tenure granted: Spring semester 2009.**

Primary responsibilities: Taught and advised graduate students in a Web-delivered, distance learning environment; Conducted research and writing for publication; Participated, at times taking the lead, in curriculum development, program assessment, and accreditation planning within the program; Provided service to the university.

## EXPERIENCE-TEACHING

### MLIS Courses taught

Links to syllabi to those courses taught from 2013-2023 included.  
Arranged in reverse chronological order.

Special Libraries and Information Centers (MLIS 7230) Spring 2023 Syllabus

Research Methods (MLIS 7700) Fall 2019 Syllabus  
Electronic Resources (MLIS 7440) Summer 2019 Syllabus  
Collection Development (MLIS 7400) [Spring 2017 Syllabus](#)  
Humanities Information Services (MLIS 7130) [Spring 2016 Syllabus](#)  
Social Sciences Information Services (MLIS 7150) [Fall 2016 Syllabus](#)  
Online Searching (MLIS 7110) [Spring 2015 Syllabus](#)  
Government Information Sources (MLIS 7120) [Fall 2015 Syllabus](#)  
Special Topics: Community Building (MLIS 7997) [Summer 2015 Syllabus](#)  
Information Literacy (MLIS 7430) [Spring 2013 Syllabus](#)  
Capstone (MLIS 7800) [Spring 2013 Syllabus](#)  
Information Sources and Services (MLIS 7100)  
Science and Technology Information Services (MLIS 7160)  
Health Sciences Librarianship (MLIS 7170)  
Programming for Children and Young Teens (MLIS 7422)  
Applied Technologies in Library Practice (MLIS 7505)  
Supervised Fieldwork (MLIS 7960)  
Independent Study (MLIS 7950)

Track Development:

Management Track, co-reviewer and curriculum content analyst, 2017.  
Reference Track, adopted Fall 2007.  
Health Sciences Librarianship Track, adopted Fall 2008 (since delisted).  
Dual MLIS & School Library Media Certification Program, co-developer, in effect since Spring 2008.

2002-2004 Part-time Instructor.

School of Information and Library Science. Pratt Institute.

Taught graduate students in a face-to-face learning environment. Courses included Information Services and Resources (LIS 652), Fall 2002, and Spring 2003; Library Use Instruction (LIS 673), Spring 2004.

1999-2004 Associate Professor (2004-2005); Assistant Professor (1999-2004), tenure-track positions. Hunter College Libraries. Hunter College, City University of New York.

**Tenure granted September 1, 2003.**

Responsibilities spanned teaching, general reference, and science collection development. Advised faculties in mathematics and the sciences on database searching techniques, new services, trial products, monograph selection/de-selection, print-to-electronic journal transfers, "hot topics," and faculty concerns. Maintained a suite of science Web pages and contributed to Web site evaluation. Performed mediated DIALOG searches. Through regularly-scheduled library skills teaching assignments and through special instructional projects, co-planned instruction tied to curricular goals/objectives with faculty.

EXPERIENCE-ADMINISTRATIVE

1996-1999 Associate Library Director for Educational Services, tenure-track position. Medical Research Library of Brooklyn. Downstate Medical Center. State University of New York.

Developed a library informatics curriculum (i.e., classes focusing upon computer-based information sources and online researching skills) for the medical center's academic programs. Began implementation and evaluation of this curriculum with selected research-intensive courses in the colleges of nursing and allied health. Designed Web-based tutorials on MEDLINE searching tailored to meet accreditation requirements for first-year residents and first-year medical students. Concurrently, re-vamped the library's Web site in consultation with the library's Web committee and an external consultant.

1990-1996      Head of the Learning Resource Center (LRC), tenure-track position.  
Medical Research Library of Brooklyn. Downstate Medical Center. State University of New York.

**Tenured granted March 10, 1993.**

Administered a 200+ seat facility (audiovisual equipment, computer carrels, viewing and training rooms); public-access microcomputers (PCs and Macintosh), a media collection of 1800+ programs, an annual budget in excess of \$50K, 3 FTE's and a complement of part-time work/study students. Served on the automation management team and assisted in the training of staff on the DRA integrated library system; created software and equipment inventories. Produced end-user aids for campus network and e-mail login, curriculum-related computer-based learning programs, and general applications supported by the center. Edited the LRC's newsletter and published thematic media finding aids.

1986-1990      Assistant Audiovisual Librarian, tenure-track position.  
Medical Research Library of Brooklyn. Downstate Medical Center. State University of New York.

Assisted the Head of the Learning Resource Center in administrative areas including collection and facility development, audiovisual acquisitions, and staffing. Prepared the space and user policies/procedures for the first public microcomputer lab to open on campus and established access guidelines based on optimizing its use.

1985            Site Supervisor of an Adult Literacy Center.  
Williamsburgh Branch Library. Brooklyn Public Library.

Prepared meeting space and an adult readers' circulating collection to support the volunteer tutoring program; recruited tutors and students; established contact with other community support service groups. Taught "advanced" adult learner groups (6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grade reading levels) in language arts and mathematics.

**EXPERIENCE-PROFESSIONAL**

1983-1986      Children's Librarian (full-time, 1983-1984; part-time 1986).  
Brooklyn Public Library.

Provided reference, reading guidance, and enrichment activities to pre-school and school-age children; monitored the collection and ordered replacement books; presented library orientations and book talks to school groups; supervised "Reading Is Fundamental" book distributions and celebrations; created and directed puppet shows.

1978-1983      School Library Media Specialist.  
School District of Lancaster, Lancaster, PA.

Team-taught with faculty, integrating library skills into K-6 classroom units of study; managed print/media collections and local/state/federal funding reports; supervised library science interns from Millersville University and part-time library aids; invited to represent the district's librarians in summer curriculum-writing sessions.

1972-1978 School Librarian.

Wyalusing Area School District, Wyalusing, PA.

Conducted weekly library instructional periods in K-6 setting; managed print/media collections and local/state/federal funding reports; supervised two full-time library aids; invited to serve on district-wide projects (textbook evaluation, revision of reading skills continuum, Parent-Teachers' Association fundraising); instituted a read-a-thon under the auspices of the Multiple Sclerosis Society as an annual event for volunteer elementary school readers.

## PUBLICATIONS AND PRESENTATIONS

### In Progress

Ondrusek, A. L. Working title: *A Guide to Specialized Information Professions*.

### Refereed Journal Articles

Ondrusek, A. L., Ren, X., & Yang, C. (2017). A content analysis of strategies and tactics observed among MLIS students in an online searching course. *Journal of Education for Library and Information Science*, 58 (3): 141-159.

Ondrusek, A. L., Thiele, H. E., & Yang, C. (2014). Writing abstracts for MLIS research proposals using worked examples: An innovative approach to teaching the elements of research design. *College & Research Libraries* 75(6). 822-841. Open Access at: <http://crl.acrl.org/content/75/6/822.full.pdf+html>

Ondrusek, A. L. (2013). A directory to data on libraries and librarianship. *Collection Building*, 32 (1), 43-47.

Ondrusek, A. L. (2012). What the research reveals about graduate students' writing skills: A literature review. *Journal of Education for Library and Information Science*, 53 (3): 176-188.

Ondrusek, A. L., Dent, V. F., Bonadie-Josephs, I., & Williams, C. (2005). A longitudinal study of the development and evaluation of an information literacy test. *Reference Services Review*, 33(4): 388-417.

Cobus, L., Dent, V., & Ondrusek, A. (2005). How twenty-eight users helped redesign an academic library web site: A usability study. *Reference & User Services Quarterly*, 44(3): 48-62.

Ondrusek, A. L. 2004. The attributes of research on end-user online searching behavior: A retrospective review and analysis. *Library & Information Science Research*, 26: 221-265.

Crowe, S. J., & Ondrusek, A. L. (2002). Video as a format in health information. *Medical Reference Services Quarterly*, 21(3): 21-34.

Ondrusek, A. L. (2001). Evaluating an HIV/AIDS book collection using a timeline approach. *Collection Management*, 26(1): 47-75.

Jonassen, D. H. et al. (1997). Certainty, determinism, and predictability in theories of instructional design: Lessons from science. *Educational Technology*, 37(1): 27-34.

### Non-refereed Scholarship

#### Invited Book Chapters

Ren, X., and Ondrusek, A. L. (2016). Designing course assignments for teaching online reference. In *Teaching Reference Today: New Directions and Approaches*. L. A. Ellis & P. Sosulski (Eds.). Chicago: Rowan and Littlefield.

Ondrusek, A. L. (2008). Information Literacy. In M.L. Radford & P. Snelson (Eds.). *Academic Library Research: Perspectives and Current Trends*. Chicago: Association of College and Research Libraries.

McCauley, B., Ondrusek, A., Williams, C. (2003). Past lives: An exercise in historical research with an annotated bibliography requirement. In E. F. Avery (Ed). *Assessing Student Learning Outcomes for Information Literacy Instruction in Academic Institutions*. Chicago: Association of College and Research Libraries.

Ondrusek, A. L., & Crowe, S. J. (2002). The expanding domain of health-content video collections. In G.L. Handman (Ed.). *Video Collection Management and Development in Multi-type Libraries*. 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition. Westport, CT: Greenwood Press.

Ondrusek, A. L. (1994). Video collection development in a health sciences setting. In G.L. Handman (Ed.). *Video Collection Management and Development in Multi-type Libraries*. Westport, CT: Greenwood Press.

#### Invited Reviews

*Information Resources in the Humanities and the Arts*, 6<sup>th</sup> ed. By Anna H. Perrault and Elizabeth Aversa. Santa Barbara, CA: Libraries Unlimited, 2013. In *The Library Quarterly*, 83(4) October 2013, 399-401.

Reference Research Review: 2012. [Online document]. American Library Association, Reference User Services Association, Research & Statistics Committee. Retrieved from <http://connect.ala.org/node/207609>

Reference Research Review: 2011. [Online document]. American Library Association, Reference User Services Association, Research & Statistics Committee. Retrieved from <http://connect.ala.org/node/180163>.

Reference Research Review: 2010. [Online document]. American Library Association, Reference User Services Association, Research & Statistics Committee. Retrieved from <http://connect.ala.org/node/143686>.

Reference Research Review: 2009. [Online document]. American Library Association, Reference User Services Association, Research & Statistics Committee. Retrieved from <http://www.ala.org/rusa/sections/rss/rsssection/rsscomm/rssresstat/refresearchreview2009>.

*Media Profiles* (publication ceased), staff reviewer, 1983-1992. *MP* was a premier review journal for audiovisual health sciences programs. A review for this publication entailed an in-depth description of the program's coverage, identification of appropriate audience, a critical appraisal of the relevance and validity of the content, and an evaluation of the production values. There were 50 reviews under my byline.

#### Conference Presentations with Published Proceedings

McCauley, B., Ondrusek, A., collaborators with Williams, C. "Past Lives: An Exercise in Historical Research with an Annotated Bibliography Requirement." In *From Expectations to Results: Library/Faculty Partnerships for Assessing Student Learning Outcomes*. Association of College and Research Libraries Preconference. American Library Association Annual Conference. Atlanta, GA. June 14, 2002. 5 pages.

#### Open Source Publications

Ondrusek, A. L. (Ed.). 2014. Selector's Guide for Resources in the Humanities: An Open Access Publication. [Web publication]. Retrieve from Valdosta State University Vtext repository: <https://vtext.valdosta.edu/xmlui/handle/10428/1744>. Adjunct materials include a Teaching Guide and two tutorials.

Ondrusek, A. L. (Ed.). 2011. Selector's Guide for Resources in the Social Sciences: An Open Access Publication. [Web publication]. Retrieve from Valdosta State University Vtext repository: <http://vtext.valdosta.edu:8080/xmlui/handle/10428/1073>.

#### Departmental Publications

Valdosta State University Master of Library & Information Science Program *Guidelines for Tenure and Promotion, Revised 2012-2013* (Lead Author).

Guide to Ethical Conduct, 2009.  
<https://www.valdosta.edu/colleges/education/master-of-library-and-information-science/documents/GuidetoEthicalConductWebversion.pdf>

VSU E-Hiker's Survival Guide, 2005-2013.  
Ceased publication in Spring 2013.

MLIS Technology Training, 2005-2013.  
Ceased publication in Spring 2013.

#### Invited Trade Journal Articles

Ondrusek, A. L. (1994). Preserving the visual clinical record. *Media Profiles*, 21(1,2,3): 29-33.

Ondrusek, A. L. (1983). The paperback crusade. *Learning and Media*, 11(2): 8-9.

Ondrusek, A. L. (1982). Island Trees intellectual freedom battle resolved. *Learning and Media*, 10(4): 7.

Ondrusek, A. L. (1982). The Fight for Fair Selection Practices. *Learning and Media*, 10(4): 6-7.

Ondrusek, A. L. (1982). Testing what is taught, Teaching what is tested. *Learning and Media*, 10(4): 10-12.

Ondrusek, A. L., & Nardelli, S. (1983). From Process into practice: Writing a materials selection policy. *Learning and Media*, 11(1): 11-12.

#### Conferences/Symposium Presentations

“Transitions to Success.” **Co-presenter** with Gardner Rogers. 2016 TIES Conference. Valdosta State University Student Center, Valdosta, Georgia: February 17, 2016.

“Using Online Discussions to Facilitate Collaborative Learning.” **Co-presenter** with Xiaoi Ren. 2015 TIES Conference. Valdosta State University Student Center, Valdosta, Georgia: February 19, 2015.

“Lessons Learned from a WAC Project at Valdosta State University.” **Presentation Co-Developer**, 14th Annual Student Success in Writing Conference. Coastal Georgia Center, Savannah, GA: April 4, 2014  
Online Lifeline Technology Conference. [Illness prevented attendance at the conference.]

“The Basics of Good Online Design, Part 4: Creating Efficient and Effective Rubrics.” **Presenter**. 2013 Online Lifeline Technology Conference. Valdosta State University Student Center, Valdosta, Georgia: February 22, 2013.

“Library Education in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century.” **Panelist**. Southeastern Library Association conference. Macon Convention Center, Macon, Georgia: October 4, 2012.

“Learning through Comparative Viewing.” **Co-presenter** with Lai Orenduff. 2012 Online Lifeline Technology Conference. Valdosta State University Student Center, Valdosta, Georgia: February 17, 2012.

“Using Worked Examples to Facilitate Learning about Research Methods.” **Presenter**, 2011 Distance Learning Conference. Cunningham Distance Learning Center, Columbus State University, Columbus, Georgia: September 29, 2011. Available on VSU’s Vtext Institutional Repository at: <http://hdl.handle.net/10428/1054>.

“Creating Online Tests for Higher Order Learning.” **Presenter**, 2011 Online Lifeline Technology Conference. Regional Center for Continuing Education, Valdosta, Georgia: February 18, 2011.

“Tips and Tools for Promoting Your Library.” **Planner and Moderator** of this panel. Georgia Council of Media Organizations conference. The Classic Center, Athens, Georgia: October 14, 2010.

“Teaching Can Be Taught . . . Wisdom Will Follow.” **Co-presenter and Moderator** of this conference workshop. Georgia Conference on Information Literacy. Sponsored by Georgia Southern University. Conference site: Savannah, Georgia: October 1-2, 2010. Available on VSU’s Vtext Institutional Repository at: <http://vtext.valdosta.edu/xmlui/handle/10428/458>

“Spreading the Word: Creating Media Releases for Your Library.” **Planner and Moderator** of this pre-conference workshop. Georgia Council of Media Organizations conference. Columbus, Georgia Convention and Trade Center, Columbus, Georgia: October 7, 2009.

“Evaluating Creative Arts Performances Using Live Classroom.” **Presenter**, 2009 Online Lifeline Technology Conference. Regional Center for Continuing Education, Valdosta, Georgia: February 13, 2009.

“Georgia Health – Go Local.” **Presenter** at the Valdosta Branch, American Association of University Women. South Georgia Regional Library, Valdosta, GA: November 8, 2008.

“Finding Reliable Health Information on the Internet.” **Presenter** at the Lunch and Learn seminar sponsored by the Campus Wellness Committee. Valdosta State University, Valdosta, GA: September 5, 2008.

“Assessment 101.” **Presenter**, Georgia Council of Media Organizations conference. The Classic Center, Athens, Georgia: October 16, 2008.

“Meet Your Professor: Bringing the Classroom to You.” **Panel participant**, Georgia Council of Media Organizations conference. The Classic Center, Athens, Georgia: October 16, 2008.

“Conducting a Literature Search and Review in Health Care.” **Presenter** at the 26th Anniversary & Scholarship Day, “Celebrating Nursing Creativity & Scholarship: Past, Present & Future,” sponsored by the Sigma Theta Tau International Honor Society of Nursing in collaboration with Valdosta State University’s College of Nursing. Valdosta State University, Valdosta, GA: April 18, 2008.

“Reference Workshop.” **Guest Lecturer**, presentation prepared for the South Georgia Associated Libraries. Cordele, GA: October 26, 2007.

“MLIS Degree in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century: Still Relevant and Pertinent.” **Panel participant**, Georgia Council of Media Organizations conference. The Classic Center, Athens, Georgia: September 20 - 22, 2006.

“Librarians Writing for Publication.” **Guest Lecturer**, presentation prepared for Valdosta State University librarians. Valdosta State University. Valdosta, GA: February 24, 2006.

“MEDLINE by Any Other Name.” **Presenter**, Georgia Council of Media Organizations conference. Columbus, Georgia Convention and Trade Center, Columbus, Georgia: October 13 - 14, 2005.

“A Virtual Test for Virtual Learning: Developing an Online Information Literacy Assessment for First Year College Students.” **Presenter**, Georgia Conference on Information Literacy. Georgia Southern University, Statesboro, Georgia: September 30 – October 1, 2005.

“Librarians Writing for Tenure.” **Guest Lecturer**, presentation prepared for Long Island University (Brooklyn Campus) librarians in tenure-track positions. Long Island University (Brooklyn Campus). New York, NY: April 27, 2004.

“Basics of Surveys and Questionnaires.” **Presenter**, grants workshop sponsored by the Library Association of the City University of New York (LACUNY). New York, NY: September 20, 2002.

“From Expectations to Results: Library/Faculty Partnerships for Assessing Student Learning Outcomes.” **Co-presenter**, American Library Association Preconference Workshop, Association of College and Research Libraries. Atlanta, GA: June 13, 2002.

“MEDLINE Retrieval Systems: A Comparison of PubMed to the EBSCO Interface.” **Demonstrator and discussion leader**, City University of New York, Electronic Resources Advisory Committee (ERAC) Discussion Series. New York, NY: January 17, 2002.



“Evaluating HIV/AIDS Book Collections Using a Timeline Approach.” **Presenter**, METRO Science Librarians Special Interest Group. New York, NY: June 6, 2001.

“Assessment and Information Literacy.” **Panel moderator**, Library Association of the City University of New York, LACUNY Institute 2000. New York, NY: May 19, 2000.

“How’s Your Assessment Literacy?” **Poster session presenter**, Library Association of the City University of New York, LACUNY Institute 2000. New York, NY: May 19, 2000.

“Alternative Research Paradigms for Instructional Designers.” **Co-presenter**, Association for Educational Communications & Technology Annual Conference. Albuquerque, NM: February 13, 1996.

“If I Don’t Like It, You Don’t Need It: Personal Values in the Selection Process.” **Co-panelist**, American Library Association Annual Conference, Intellectual Freedom Committee Panel. Philadelphia, PA: July 10, 1982.

### Paid Consultancies

Advisory Board Member (one of four educators in the library and information science field invited by the publisher) for revising the textbook *Reference and Information Services in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century*, published by Neal-Schuman. Revision of third to fourth edition, 2017. Revision of second to third edition, 2012.

Co-trainer with Xiaoi Ren on the “Sensitive Reference Interview.” Staff Development Day. West Georgia Regional Library. Carrollton, GA: February 16, 2015. Available on VSU’s Vtext Institutional Repository at: <https://vtext.valdosta.edu/xmlui/handle/10428/1948>

Guest Lecturer for the “Assignments That Work” lecture series hosted by Brooklyn College. Topic: “Creating Models for Problem Solving Using Analogical Reasoning.” Brooklyn, NY: April 25, 2007.

### Invited Editorships

State University of New York Faculty Senate. *Governance Handbook*. 1993.

Health Sciences Communications Association. *Biomedical Libraries Interest Group Newsletter*. 1991-1992.

Medical Library Association. (Co-editor) “Media News,” a feature column in the *MLA News*. 1988-1989.

Pennsylvania School Librarians’ Association. (Editorial consultant) *Learning and Media*. 1981-1983.

"Pennsylvania School Librarian's Bill of Rights," 1983.

"A Process for Defense," censorship guidelines brochure, 1982.

### RESEARCH PROJECTS & SPONSORSHIPS

Research and Scholarship Symposium, **Mentor** for the MLIS student poster, "Reaction to Conceptual Changes in the Library Profession: An Analysis of the LIS Literature" submitted by Samantha Paul. Sponsored by the Graduate School, Valdosta State University, Valdosta, GA: April 25, 2014.

Research and Scholarship Symposium, **Mentor** for the MLIS student poster, “Overconfident and Overwhelmed: Examining Research Anxiety in Millennial First-Year Undergraduates” submitted by MLIS graduate, Amy L. Ellison. Sponsored by the Graduate School, Valdosta State University, Valdosta, GA: April 15, 2013.

Research and Scholarship Symposium, **Mentor** for the MLIS student poster, “Recommendations of Library and Information Science Students for Youth Services in Georgia Public Libraries Based on Community Analysis” submitted by MLIS graduate, Christine Tift. Sponsored by the Graduate School, Valdosta State University, Valdosta, GA: April 25, 2011.

Research and Scholarship Symposium, **Mentor** for two MLIS student posters, “Self-Censorship in Public Libraries: Does It Occur in Georgia” submitted by MLIS graduate, Matthew Stembridge; and “Our Future in Their Hands: A Pilot Study on Georgia Public Libraries and the Dominance of For-Profit Publishing in Collection Development Activity” submitted by Kathryn Leache. Sponsored by the Graduate School, Valdosta State University, Valdosta, GA: April 30, 2010.

Inaugural Research and Scholarship Symposium, **Mentor** for the MLIS student poster, “The Crossover Novel: Its Marketing and the Implications for Collection Development in Young Adult Literature” submitted by MLIS graduate, Candace Walton. Sponsored by the Graduate School, Valdosta State University, Valdosta, GA: May 1, 2009.

MLIS Student Survey. **Project co-ordinator and co-investigator.**  
Valdosta State University, Valdosta, Georgia, April - September, 2006.

MLIS Student Focus Group. **Project co-ordinator and co-investigator.**  
Valdosta State University, Valdosta, Georgia, October – November, 2005.

#### ACADEMIC HONOR SOCIETIES

Phi Kappa Phi, inducted in 2009.  
Beta Phi Mu, Theta Chapter, inducted in 1990.

#### ACADEMIC AND PROFESSIONAL HONORS

Recipient of the Valdosta State University inaugural Teaching Excellence Award for Online Teaching. August 11, 2014. Profile available at:  
<http://www.valdosta.edu/about/news/releases/2014/11/anita-ondrusek-teaching-excellence-award-for-online-teaching.php>

Co-authored article, “How Twenty-Eight Users Helped Redesign an Academic Library Web Site: A Usability Study,” published in *Reference Users Services Quarterly (RUSQ)*, was selected as the second runner-up for the 2006 RUSA Reference Press Award. This award is a juried review of *RUSQ* articles published over a two-year period.

My article “The Attributes of Research on End-user Online Searching Behavior: A Retrospective Review and Analysis,” published in 2004 in *Library & Information Science Research (LISR)* cited on *LISR*’s “Top 10 Most Downloaded Articles” of 2005.

Graduated "With Distinction" from Pratt Institute's Graduate School of Information and Library Science. Received the Pratt Graduate School of Library Science Bogardus Scholarship, granted by the faculty to a student showing a high level of scholarly performance and maintaining a 4.0 GPA, 1989.

Honored as the fourth person to achieve more than 500 hours in volunteer tutoring for the Brooklyn Public Library's Adult Literacy Program. Name entered on plaque on display in Grand Army Plaza Literacy Office, 1987.

Recognized at Pennsylvania School Librarians Association Conference for excellence in the authorship of journal articles for the Association's quarterly publication, *Learning and Media*, 1983.

#### ACADEMIC GRANTS

VSU Graduate Faculty Scholarship. June, 2014. \$ 750.00.

VSU Library Reference and Special Collection Funding Pool. November, 2013. \$ 640.00.

VSU Writing across the Curriculum project - \$500 stipend (Spring 2013), \$500 stipend (Fall 2013).

VSU Library Reference and Special Collection Funding Pool. April, 2011. \$ 550.00.

Faculty Scholarship: Professional Presentation. Valdosta State University. Fall, 2010. \$ 715.00.

eTuition Grant. Valdosta State University. Spring, 2010. \$ 3907.00.

Faculty Scholarship: Professional Presentation. Valdosta State University. Fall, 2004. \$ 500.00.

Hunter College Presidential Initiative in Teaching and Learning grant to conduct a Web usability study centered upon the Hunter College Libraries' electronic resources Web pages. Hunter College, City University of New York, 2002-2003, \$ 6000.

"Assessing Student Learning Outcomes Training Academic Librarians," a competitive grant to identify assessment methods in information literacy practices. Principle Investigator: Clay Williams, Bibliographic Instruction Librarian. I participated as assessment and design developer in the project. The grant was jointly administered by the Institute for Museums and Library Services (IMLS) and the Association for College and Research Libraries (ACRL), 2001-2002 (\$ 1200).

Hospital Library Support Project (HLSP) Technology Grant, a competitive grant sponsored by the New York Metropolitan Reference and Research Agency (METRO), 1996 and 1997 (\$3000 each year) and 1998 (\$ 4000).

Collection Development Grant for Audiovisual programs, sponsored by METRO, 1991, 1992, 1993 (\$ 3500 each year) and 1994 (\$ 4000).

#### PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

American Association for University Women, 2005–  
(see Service to the Community section for offices held)

American Library Association (ALA), 1980-88, 2000–

American Library Association | Association for College and Research Libraries (ACRL),  
a division of ALA, 2000-2017.

American Library Association | Reference and User Services Association (RUSA), 2007-2013.  
Appointed to membership in the Reference Services Section (RSS), a section of RUSA, Fall 2008-Spring 2013. (see Service to the Profession section for committee responsibilities)

Association for Library and Information Science Education (ALISE), 2004-2017.  
(see Service to the Profession section for committee responsibilities)

Georgia Health Sciences Library Association, 2005-2017.  
(see Service to the Profession section for committee responsibilities)

Georgia Library Association (GLA), 2004 –2017.  
(see Service to the Profession section for committee responsibilities)

Library & Information Technology Association, 2000-2007.

Medical Library Association, 1986-1999.  
Metro-Atlanta Library Association, 2005-2009.

New York Library Club  
Membership Chair, 2002-2004.  
President, 2001-2002.  
Vice-President, 2000-2001.

Health Sciences Communications Association.  
Secretary, Biomedical Libraries Interest Group, 1991-1992.

Health Sciences Consortium, 1986-1999.

Audiovisual Coordinator for the Health Science Center at Brooklyn campus, 1990-1997.

American Film/Video Association, 1986-1992.  
Chair, Annual Film/Video Festival Jury: Parenting and Child Development category, 1991.  
Chair, Annual Film/Video Festival Jury: Literary Adaptations for Children category, 1990.  
Juror, Annual Film/Video Festival Jury: Family Relations category, 1989.  
Juror, Annual Film/Video Festival Jury: Medical Treatment category, 1987.

Pennsylvania School Librarians Association, 1973-1983.  
Chair, Intellectual Freedom Committee, 1980-83.  
Workshop Presenter at these annual Association conferences: 1974, 1978, 1982, 1983, 1985.

Phi Kappa Phi, Valdosta State University, 2011 – 2016.  
Chapter Treasurer, 2016 – 2018. Chapter President, 2014-2016.

Northern Tier Librarians' Association (PA), 1973-1978.  
Secretary-Treasurer, 1977-1978.  
Coordinator, Bicentennial School Research Competition, 1976.

Southeastern Library Association (SELA), 2007-  
(see Service to the Profession section for committee responsibilities)

## CONTINUING EDUCATION

“Business Data for Librarians.” One-day seminar. Sponsored by the Business Reference and Services division at the American Library Association conference, Orlando, FL: June 22, 2016.

“eBook Backfiles: Value, Use, and Relevance for Academic Libraries.” Thirty-minute webinar. Sponsored by the Association of College & Research Libraries and *Choice*. November 18, 2014.

“Results of Business Faculty Research.” Thirty-minute webinar. Sponsored by the Association of College & Research Libraries and *Choice*. November 12, 2014.

“MOOCs and Libraries: Massive Opportunity or Overwhelming Challenge.” Two-part, five-hour webinar. Sponsored by OCLC. March 18-19, 2013.

“Discovery Tool E-Forum.” Two-day electronic forum. Sponsored by the American Library Association. May 15-16, 2012.

“Introduction to the New ProQuest Dialog Service.” One-hour webinar. Sponsored ProQuest LLC. February 28, 2012.

“ALA Midwinter Tech Wrap-up.” One-hour webinar. Sponsored by the American Library Association. February 20, 2012.

“Collection Management in a Global Information World.” One-hour webinar. Sponsored by the University System of Georgia Regents Academic Committee on Libraries. December 14, 2011.

“Google+.” One-hour webinar. Presented through the Carterette Series Webinars sponsored by the Georgia Library Association and the Georgia Public Library Service. December 13, 2011.

“Patron-Driven Acquisition: Radically Rethinking the Collection.” Two-session, 3-hour webinar. Sponsored by the American Library Association. Session 1: October 5. Session 2: October 26, 2011.

“Georgia Libraries 21<sup>st</sup> Century Library Speaker Series: ‘Start with Why?’” Sponsored by the Georgia Public Library Service. Waycross-Ware County Public Library, Waycross, GA: August 25, 2010.

“Keeping Up with PubMed.” Course approved by the Medical Library Association for 8 contact hours of continuing education. Presented by the National Network of Libraries of Medicine. Georgia campus of the Philadelphia College of Osteopathic Medicine, Suwanee, GA: July 25, 2008.

“Creating Dynamic Online Learning Tools with Adobe Captivate.” Course approved by the Medical Library Association for 6 contact hours of continuing education. Presented by Lindsay Blake, Medical College of Georgia. Georgia Health Sciences Library Association conference, Blackshear Resort, Cordele, GA: March 8, 2008.

“Quality Matters Peer Review Training.” Presented by Cassie Carter, QM Trainer. Sponsored by the Distance Education department at Valdosta State University, Valdosta, GA: February 14, 2008.

“Measuring Your Impact: Using Evaluation to Demonstrate Impact.” Course approved by the Medical Library Association for 8 contact hours of continuing education. Presented by the National Network of Libraries of Medicine. Georgia Health Sciences Library Association conference, Brasstown Valley Resort, Young Harris, GA: March 10, 2007.

## SERVICE TO THE PROFESSION

External Review Panel Member, American Library Association, Committee on Accreditation.  
Participated in one review so far. Details are confidential.

External Reviewer for these positions/activities outside Valdosta State University:

Promotion to full professor rank for university librarian, September 2016.  
Permanent appointment review for health sciences librarian, September 2013.  
Concurrent tenure and promotion review for tenure-track librarian, August 2013.  
Quality Matters review for an online course, May 2010.  
Concurrent tenure and promotion review for MLIS Faculty member, August 2009.

Research proposals submitted to the Reference Services Section (RSS), a sub-division of the Reference & User Services Association, for presentation at the annual research symposium convened at the American Library Association conference, 2009-2010; Reappointed to a three-year term, 2010-2013.

Advisory Board Member

Georgia Health – Go Local, a database access project initiated by the National Library of Medicine, November, 2008, to May, 2010.

Membership liaison

Association for Library and Information Science Education (ALISE), 2004-2016.

Committee leadership in the Southeastern Library Association (SELA)

President, Library Education Section, 2014 – 2016.

Committee leadership in the Georgia Health Sciences Library Association (GHSLA)

Legacy Scholarship Committee, 2013 – 2017.

Continuing Education Committee, 2006-2007.

Committee leadership in the Georgia Library Association (GLA)

Public Relations Committee, Chair, 2009-2010.

Public Relations Committee, Recorder, GLA Midwinter Conference, 2009.

Public Relations Committee, Convener, GLA Midwinter Conference, 2008.

Appointed Reviewer, Publication Review Task Force, Fall 2000.

A project overseen by the Instruction Section, a sub-division of the Association for College and Research Libraries, (ACRL) in the American Library Association.

### *Service to the Community*

American Association of University Women, Valdosta Chapter, Member, 2005-

[Sister-to-Sister Summit](#), Chair, 2012, 2013, 2016.

Sister-to-Sister Summit, Fundraising and Steering Committees, 2014, 2015, 2017, 2018.

Sister-to-Sister Summit, Gift bag coordinator, 2008-2011.

Vice President for Membership, 2007-2008; 2009-2010; Interim fall 2011, 2014-2016.

Corresponding Secretary, 2006-2007; 2010-2012.

Educational Fund Chair, 2007-2008.

Editor of the Valdosta Branch Handbook, 2007-2016.

Read Fest (annual outdoor fair for preschoolers sponsored by Valdosta State University)  
Puppeteer, 2007 - 2016. See [MLIS student newsletter, page 3](#), for publicity on Read Fest.

*Service to the Department of Library and Information Studies, Valdosta State University.*

MLIS Student Organization of Library and Information Science (SOLIS), Faculty Advisor, 2009-2016.  
Acted as liaison between students and faculty, oversaw annual nominations and elections of officers, coordinated/edited/published the [quarterly newsletter](#), managed the SOLIS account.

MLIS Admissions and Recruiting Committee, Member, 2010-2017.

Staffed recruiting booths at:

Black Caucus/ American Library Association Conference, Atlanta, GA. August 10-12, 2017.

Georgia Literary Festival, Augusta, GA. November, 2015.

Georgia Literary Festival, Bainbridge, GA. November, 2008.

American Library Association Convention, Las Vegas, NV. June 27-30, 2015.

GAComo conferences, Athens, Jekyll Island, Columbus, Macon, Augusta, 2004-2016.

Conducted recruiting consultations with administrators and employees at:

Atlanta Fulton Public Library Staff Development Day, Atlanta, Ga. October 2010. October 12, 2013.

Macon State College Library. Macon, GA. September 26, 2011.

Darton State College Library, Albany, GA. September 27, 2011.

James Pendergrast Memorial Library, Albany State University, Albany, GA. September 27, 2011.

Columbus Public Library, Columbus, GA. September 28, 2011.

Sturgis Library at Kennesaw State University, Kennesaw, GA. October 13, 2010.

Morehouse School of Medicine, Atlanta, GA. October 12, 2010.

Robert W. Woodruff Library, Atlanta University Center, Atlanta, GA. October 12, 2010.

Atlanta Fulton County Public Library Staff Development Day, Atlanta, Ga. October 11, 2010.

MLIS Tenure and Promotion Committee, Chair, Fall 2009-2017.

Chaired promotion application review. (1) Fall 2016.

Chaired promotion application review. (1) Fall 2015.

Chaired tenure application reviews. (2) Fall 2015.

Chaired pre-tenure review. (1) Fall 2015.

Chaired pre-tenure review. (1) Fall 2014.

Chaired revision of the MLIS Tenure and Promotion Guidelines, 2012-2013.

Chaired pre-tenure reviews. (2) Fall 2012.

Chaired pre-tenure review. (1) Fall 2011.

Chaired pre-tenure review. (1) Fall 2010.

Chaired promotion review. (1) Fall 2009.

MLIS *Program Presentation for Accreditation Review by the American Library Association*, Author and Data Analyst, Chapter on Standard IV: Student, November 2013.

MLIS *Program Presentation for Accreditation Review by the American Library Association*, Author and Data Analyst, Chapter on Standard IV: Student, February 2007.

MLIS Committee on Student Learning Outcomes and Assessment Processes, 2011-2017.

Developed program assessments for core competencies in MLIS 7100 Information Sources and Services (core course) and MLIS 7400 Collection Development.

MLIS Strategic Planning Committee, Author of the *Special Report*, June 2011.

MLIS Strategic Planning Committee, Co-author of the *Special Report*, Fall 2010.

MLIS Faculty Advisor for the Student Organization of Library and Information Science, 2011 – 2016.

MLIS New Student Orientation Committee, 2010 – 2016.

MLIS New Faculty Orientation Coordinator, Fall 2010.

MLIS Curriculum Committee, Member, 2005-2009; Chair, 2009-2011.

MLIS Assessment Committee, Member, 2008-2017.

MLIS Advising Village (BlazeVIEW website), Design and maintenance oversight, 2009-2016.

MLIS Student BlazeNet Group, Moderator, 2005-2009. Replaced by the MLIS Advising Village site.

MLIS Program's student population database, Statistician and Manager, 2005-2016.

MLIS collection selection liaison for a departmental materials budget varying from \$6000- \$18,000.

MLIS Student Communications and Advising Committee, Chair, 2005-2009.

MLIS Health Sciences Librarianship Track Advisory Group, Moderator, Fall 2007-Spring 2008.

MLIS Awards & Scholarship Committee, Chair, 2005 – 2009.

Beta Phi Mu (National Honor Society for Library Science students) Co-advisor, 2008-2009.  
*Service to the Dewar College of Education and Human Services (COEHS), Valdosta State University.*

COEHS Graduate and Advanced Preparation Appeals Committee, Committee Member, 2014 – 2017.

COEHS Tenure and Promotion Committee, Committee Member, 2014 – 2017.

Department Head Search, Committee Member, February 1, 2015 – April 30, 2015.  
*Service to Valdosta State University*

University Tenure and Promotion Committee, Member, 2011-2014.

Faculty Excellence Initiative, Member, 2011 – 2014.

Campus Wellness Committee, Member, 2008-2017.

Online Lifeline Conference (replaced by the TIES Conference, see below).  
Steering Committee, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014.  
Reception Arrangements, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013.

E-Learning Advisory Board (eLAB), Member, 2009 – 2010.

Faculty Development and Research Grant Committee, Member.  
Served out vacated appointment, January 2005 – July 2005.  
Re-appointment term: August 2005 - July 2008.

Faculty Senate, Senator  
Served out vacated seat, March – May 2008.  
Elected to three-year term: August 2008 - July 2011.  
Chair Elect, Student Services Committee, 2008-2009.  
Chair, Student Services Committee, 2009-2010.



Vista Advisory Committee, Member, 2004 – 2009. Replaced by the E-Learning Advisory Board.

HUB Learning Collective (Ceased existence in 2013).

Member, 2004 -2013. Facilities Volunteer, 2004-2005.

Georgia Educational Technology Conference Problem Based Learning Media Competition, April 2011,  
Volunteer Judge.

Georgia Helen Ruffin Reading Bowl, Saturday, March 11, 2006, Volunteer Moderator.

Sub-Regional High School Science Bowl.

Volunteer Moderator. 2005 - 2018.

TIES Conference.

Steering Committee, 2015.

*Service to the Hunter College Libraries, Hunter College. City University of New York.*

Invited member, Select Committee on Performance Measures and Outcomes Assessment, 2004.

Appointed member, Information Literacy Tutorial Review Committee, 2003-2004.

Elected representative, Hunter College Faculty Delegate Assembly, 2003-2004.

Chair, Instructional Computing & Information Technology search committee for an instructional designer. September, 2003-June 2004.

Member of the College-wide Academic Programs Sub-committee, Task Force on Outcomes Assessment for the Middle States Association of Colleges and Schools accreditation process, October, 2002-February, 2003.

Advisor and tutorial developer, Virtual Online Information Literacy Assessment work group, 2002–2004.

Elected alternate, Promotion & Budget Committee, Hunter College Libraries, 2001-2002.

Member, CUNY Libraries' Council of Chief Librarians Information Literacy Advisory Group, 2000 - 2004.

Member, LACUNY Institute, Planning Committee, 1999-2000.

Senator, Hunter College Senate, 2000-2002.

Co-ordinator, Library Computing Learning Center, 1999-2000.

Member, Hunter Libraries' Technology Committee, 1999-2000.

Member, Performance Evaluation Form Committee (ad hoc group assembled to revise the annual review form used to evaluate Hunter College librarians), May-December, 2000.

Volunteer, Stacks Management Recommendation Group (ad hoc work group of three volunteer library staff members who made recommendations to the Chief/Deputy Chief Librarians on expediting re-shelving procedures in the main Hunter College library after reviewing shelving processes and staffing), April-June, 2000.

*Service to the Medical Library, Downstate Medical Center, State University of New York.*

State University of New York Faculty Senate.

Senator, 1990-1993.

Executive Council, 1990-1991.

Member, Campus-wide Technology Steering Committee, 1994-1999.

Researched and recommended hardware, software, self-learning tutorials, and administrative policies relating to the student computer labs; arranged guest speakers and special events to introduce faculty and students to new educational technologies; sponsored an annual student software competition).