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Work Experience

Digital Futures Manager

2007-present San José Public Library San José, CA

Consultant Instructor

2002-present Infopeople Sacramento, CA

Information and Web Services Manager

2006-2007 San Mateo County Library San Mateo, CA

Electronic Services Librarian

2002-2006 Marin County Free Library San Rafael, CA

Education

Master of Science in Library and Information Science

2000-2002 University of Illinois Urbana, IL

Master of Arts in English Literature

1998-2000 Washington State University Pullman, WA

Bachelor of Arts in English Literature

1995-1998 University of Illinois Urbana, IL

Associations

American Library Association (1999-present)

- Roundtable membership: Learning Roundtable, Intellectual Freedom Roundtable, Social Responsibilities Roundtable

Library & Information Technology Association (2002-present)

- Top Technology Trends Committee and presenter (2005-2009)
- Program Planning Committee (2008-2009)

Public Library Association (2004-present)

California Library Association (2002-2008)

- Member of Information Technology Section & Intellectual Freedom Roundtable
- President, Information Technology Section (2005 & 2006)
- Vice-President, Information Technology Section (2004)
- Assembly member at-large (2006 & 2007)

Beta Phi Mu Honor Society (2002-present)

Awards

2009 Named a *Library Journal* Mover and Shaker (Trendsetter)

2008 Named one of NPR's Favorite Librarian Blogs

2007 Third place in *Online Education Database's* Top Librarian Blogger Awards

2006 LibrarianInBlack.net named one of the top ten librarian blogs on *Top 10 Sources* website

2005 LibrarianInBlack.net named one of the top three librarian blogs in monograph *Blogosphere: Best of Blogs*

Languages

English, Spanish, Gaelic, and German

Presentations

I have presented and trained over 100 sessions internationally on a range of library topics. For a complete list see librarianinblack.net/librarianinblack/presentations

Publications

I am the author of LibrarianInBlack.net, *Technology Training for Libraries* (Neal Schuman, 2010), *Technology Competencies and Training for Libraries* (ALA, 2007), and numerous articles in journals like *Computers in Libraries*, *Public Libraries*, *ONLINE*, and *Ariadne*. For a complete list see librarianinblack.net/librarianinblack/publications

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