

CURRICULUM VITAE
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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

- Fall 2008- Associate Professor. Master of Library and Information Science (MLIS)
program. Valdosta State University. University System of Georgia.
- 2004-2008 Assistant Professor. MLIS program. Valdosta State University.
University System of Georgia.

Primary responsibilities: Teaching graduate students in a Web-delivered, distance learning environment; Advising graduate students and developing advising tools; Assisting with curriculum development within the program; Participating in service to the university.

Courses taught:

Information Sources and Services (MLIS 7100), Spring & Fall 2008, Spring & Fall 2009.
Online Searching (MLIS 7110), Fall, 2004, Spring 2006, Spring 2008.
Humanities Information Services (MLIS 7130), Summer 2006.
Social Sciences Information Services (MLIS 7150), Spring 2007.
Science and Technology Information Services (MLIS 7160), Fall 2006, Fall 2008.
Health Sciences Librarianship (MLIS 7170), Fall 2007, Fall 2008, Fall 2009.
Programming for Children and Young Teens (MLIS 7422), Fall 2005, Fall 2007.
Information Literacy (MLIS 7430), Spring 2007, Spring 2009.

Electronic Resources (MLIS 7440), Summer 2007, Summer 2009.
Applied Technologies in Library Practice (MLIS 7505), Spring 2006.
Research Methods (MLIS 7700), Spring 2005, Fall 2005, Fall 2006, Fall 2009.
Capstone (MLIS 7800), Fall 2006, Fall 2007.
Supervised Fieldwork (MLIS 7960), Spring 2006, Spring 2008, Summer 2009.
Independent Study (MLIS 7950), Fall 2006, Spring 2007, Summer 2009.

Tracks developed:

Reference Track, adopted Fall 2007.

Health Sciences Librarianship Track, adopted Fall 2008.

Dual MLIS & School Library Media Certification Program, co-developer, co-advisor,
in effect since Spring 2008.

Youth Services Track, co-developer, in progress.

Course Coordinator: **Information Sources and Services** (MLIS 7100).

Tenure granted: Spring semester 2009.

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.

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. **Tenure granted September 1, 2003.**

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.

EXPERIENCE-ADMINISTRATIVE

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.
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. **Tenured granted March 10, 1993.**

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 (6th-8th 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 (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 (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

Refereed Journal Articles

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.

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.

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 21st Century*, published by Neal-Schuman, expected release is July 2009.

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.

Manuscript Reviews

Invited by Neal-Schuman publications to review manuscripts for library and information science textbooks in my fields of expertise (online searching and library technologies, among others).

Invited Book Chapters

Ondrusek, A. L. Information Literacy. 2008. 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*. 2nd 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 Articles

Ondrusek, A. L. 1994. Preserving the Visual Clinical Record. *Media Profiles*, 21(1,2,3): 29-33.

_____. 1983. The Paperback Crusade. *Learning and Media*, 11(2): 8-9.

_____. 1982. Island Trees Intellectual Freedom Battle Resolved. *Learning and Media*, 10(4): 7.

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

_____. 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.

Invited Conferences/Symposium Presentations

“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.

http://www.valdosta.edu/mlis/faculty/ondrusek/documents/healthoninternet_sept2008_rev.pdf

“Assessment 101.” Panel participant, 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 21st 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.

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.

Invited Reviews

Media Profiles (publication ceased) was once 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. Reviews from the 50 columns I authored from 1983 through 1992 are available upon request.

ONLINE PRODUCTIONS

VSU E-Hiker’s Survival Guide

http://www.valdosta.edu/mlis/student_resources/documents/VSUE-hikersSurvivalGuide.pdf

MLIS Technology Training

http://www.valdosta.edu/mlis/student_resources/documents/MLIS_Technology_Training.ppt

Call Number Tutorial

Part of the VOILA! Project, Hunter College.

http://library.hunter.cuny.edu/vdent/orsem/voiladevelopment/call_number.html

Scripting and visuals are my design. A student of mine from Pratt Institute re-designed the motif and a colleague from Hunter shortened the original tutorial and converted it to Flash format.

RESEARCH PROJECTS & SPONSORSHIPS

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.

GRANTS

Received a 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, 2002-2003, \$6000.

Participated as assessment and design developer in the project entitled “Assessing Student Learning Outcomes Training Academic Librarians,” a competitive grant jointly administered by the Institute for Museums and Library Services (IMLS) and the Association for College and Research Libraries (ACRL), 2001-2002 (\$1200). Bibliographic Instruction Librarian, Clay Williams, Principle Investigator.

Awarded the 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).

Awarded a 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–

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

Reference Users Services Association (RUSA, a division of ALA), 2007-

Reference Services Section, Fall 2008-

External reviewer of the research proposals submitted to RUSA for presentation at the annual conference of the American Library Association, 2009.

Association for College and Research Libraries, 2000-

Instruction Section, 2000-

Appointed Reviewer, Publication Review Task Force, August 2005 - January 2005.

Association for Library and Information Science Education, 2004-

Georgia Health Sciences Library Association, 2005-

Continuing Education Committee, 2006-2007.

Georgia Library Association (GLA), 2004 –
Public Relations Interest Group, Convener, GLA Midwinter Conference, 2008.
Public Relations Interest Group, Recorder, GLA Midwinter Conference, 2009.
Professional and Continuing Education (PACE) member, 2009 -

Library & Information Technology Association, 2000-2007.

Metro-Atlanta Library Association, 2005-

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.
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, annual Association conferences, 1974, 1978, 1982, 1983, 1985. Author, "A Process for Defense" (brochure), guidelines for preventing/handling censorship challenges, and "Pennsylvania School Libraries' Bill of Rights" (document), 1983.

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

CONTINUING EDUCATION

“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.

CAMPUS SERVICE: Valdosta State University.

Department Service

Beta Phi Mu (National Honor Society for Library Science students) Co-advisor, 2008-

MLIS Assessment Committee, Member, 2008-

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

MLIS Student Communications and Advising Committee, Chair, 2005-

MLIS Student Standards Committee (accreditation committee), Chair, 2004-

MLIS Awards & Scholarship Committee, Chair, 2005 – 2009; Member 2009 -

MLIS Curriculum Committee, Member, 2005 –

MLIS Student BlazeNet Group, Moderator, 2005-

MLIS Program’s student population database, Statistician and Manager, 2005-

University Service

Campus Wellness Committee, Member, 2008-
Assessment Committee, Member 2008-

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 -

HUB Learning Collective,
Member, 2004 -
Facilities Volunteer, 2004-2005
Offline Lifeline Reception Coordinator, February 2008

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

Sub-Regional High School Science Bowl.
Volunteer Moderator. Saturday, January 29, 2005.
Volunteer Moderator. Saturday, February 7, 2009.

Community Service

American Association of University Women, Valdosta Chapter
Member, 2005-
Corresponding Secretary, 2006-2007.
Vice President for Membership, 2007-2008; 2009-2010.
Educational Fund Chair, 2007-2008.
Editor of the Valdosta Branch Handbook, 2007-
Sister-to-Sister Summit, Gift bag coordinator, 2008-

Georgia Health – Go Local Advisory Board
Appointed November, 2008.

Read Fest (annual outdoor fair for preschoolers sponsored by Valdosta State University)
Puppeteer, April 2007 & April 2009.

CAMPUS SERVICE: Hunter College. City University of New York.

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

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 (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), 1994-1999.

ACADEMIC HONOR SOCIETIES

Phi Kappa Phi, inducted in 2009.

Beta Phi Mu, Theta Chapter, inducted in 1990.

ACADEMIC AND PROFESSIONAL HONORS

An article I co-authored, "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.