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Education

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| University of Toronto | Doctor of Philosophy (Information Studies) |
| University of Western Ontario | Master of Library & Information Science |
| University of Toronto | Bachelor of Education |
| York University | Master of Arts (Canadian History) |
| York University | Bachelor of Arts (Canadian History; French) |

Employment History

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| 2010-present | Director. School of Information Management. Dalhousie University. |
| 2009-2010 | Academic Program Director – Master of Library and Information Studies – School of Information Management. Dalhousie University. |
| 2003-present | Associate Professor - School of Information Management, Dalhousie University. |
| 1998-2003 | Assistant Professor – School of Information Management, Dalhousie University. |
| 1996-1998 | Assistant Professor - Library and Information Science Program, Wayne State University. |
| 1996 | Part-Time Instructor - Faculty of Information Studies, University of Toronto. |
| 1995 | Part-Time Instructor - Library and Information Technician Diploma Programme, Seneca College of Applied Arts & Technology. |
| 1993-1996 | Research Assistant – Faculty of Information Studies, University of Toronto. |
| 1992-1996 | Coordinator, Information Resource Centre – Consultancy Training Information Services Department, United Way of Greater Toronto. |
| 1987-1991 | Full-Time Instructor - Hillfield-Strathallan College. |

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1986-1987 Full-Time Instructor - Bruce-Grey Roman Catholic Separate School Board.

Graduate courses taught and developed

Master of Library and Information Studies and Master of Information Management

- Organization of Information
- Cataloguing & Classification I
- Cataloguing & Classification II
- Records Management
- Indexing & Abstracting
- Electronic Access to Information

Awards

Canadian Centre for Ethics in Public Affairs. "Public-private partnerships and municipal decision making." Co-investigators, David Steuwe, James Barker, Robert Blunden, Bertrum MacDonald, Peter Duinker, & Dr. Mark Gilbert, Faculty of Management, Dalhousie University. \$6000.

Library and Information Science Research Grant Program of the Online Computer Library centre (Dublin, OH) and the Association for Library and Information Science Education for the project entitled "The public library catalogue as a social space: Usability studies of user interaction with social discovery systems." Co-investigator, Laurie Tarulli, Collections Access Librarian, Halifax Public Library. \$12,000.

Library and Information Science Research Grant Program of the Online Computer Library centre (Dublin, OH) and the Association for Library and Information Science Education for the project entitled "The use of collaborative tagging in the public library catalogue." \$9,000.

Research Development Fund. Faculty of Graduate Studies, Dalhousie University. "The use of word association tests to construct term hierarchies in thesauri." \$2,000

Research Development Fund. Faculty of Graduate Studies, Dalhousie University. The construction of standardized design protocols for web-based information retrieval thesauri." \$2500.

Social Sciences & Humanities Research Council of Canada. "User-based evaluation of Internet search engines: A pilot study." \$2300.

Wayne State University. Detroit, MI. Teaching Award

Faculty of Management, Dalhousie University. Halifax, NS. Teaching Award

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University of Western Ontario, Faculty of Information and Media Studies. London, ON.
Farley/Maxwell Award of Excellence

Beta Phi Mu Honour Society (Library and Information Science).

Publications

Refereed Journals and Book Chapters

Allam, H., Blustein, J., Bliemel, M. & Spiteri, L. (2012). Knowledge contribution in social media: Exploring factors influencing social taggers' acceptance towards contributing and sharing tags. in S. Dua, A. Gangopadhyay, P. Thulasiraman, U. Straccia, M. Shepherd, & B. Stein (Eds.), *Information Systems, Technology and Management*, 285, 112-123.

Spiteri, L. F., & Tarulli, L. (2012). Social discovery systems in public libraries: If we build them, will they come? *Library Trends* 61(1), 132-147.

Spiteri, L. F. (2012). Social discovery tools: Extending the principle of user convenience. *Journal of Documentation*, 68(2), 206-217.

Spiteri, L. F. (2012). The impact of social discovery systems on cataloguing ethics. In L. Tarulli (Ed.), *The library catalogue as social space: Promoting patron driven collections, online communities, and enhanced reference and readers' services* (pp. 104-108). Santa Barbara, CA: Libraries Unlimited.

Tarulli, L., & Spiteri, L.F. (2012). Library catalogues of the future: A social space and collaborative tool? *Library Trends* 61(1), 107-181.

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Makani, J., & Spiteri, L.F. (2010). The dynamics of collaborative tagging: An analysis of tag vocabulary. *Journal of Information and Knowledge Management*, 9(2), 93-103.

Spiteri, L. F. (2010). Incorporating facets into social tagging applications: An analysis of current trends. *Cataloging & Classification Quarterly*, 48(1), 94-109.

Spiteri, L. F. (2009). The impact of social cataloguing sites on the construction of bibliographic records in the public library catalogue. *Cataloging & Classification Quarterly*, 47(1), 52-73

Spiteri, L. F. (2008). Folksonomies, the Web and search engines. *Webology*, 5(3), Retrieved from <http://www.webology.ir/2008/v5n3/editorial17.html>

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Spiteri, L. F. (2007). The structure and form of folksonomy tags: The road to the public library catalog. *Information Technology and Libraries*, 27(3), 13-25.

Spiteri, L. F. (2007). Structure and form of folksonomy tags: The road to the public library catalogue. *Webology*, 4 (2). Retrieved from <http://www.webology.ir/2007/v4n2/a41.html>

Spiteri, L. F. (2007). The role of causality and conceptual coherence in assessments of similarity. *Libres*, 17(2). Retrieved from <http://libres.curtin.edu.au/libres17n2/index.htm>

Spiteri, L. F. (2006). The use of folksonomies in public library catalogues. *The Serials Librarian*, 51(2), 75-89.

Spiteri, L. F. (2005). The use of word association in the construction of information retrieval thesauri: A pilot study. *Cataloguing & Classification Quarterly*, 40(1), 55-78.

Spiteri, L. F. (2004). Word association testing and thesaurus construction. *Libres*, 14(2). Retrieved from <http://libres.curtin.edu.au/libres14n2/index.htm>

Spiteri, L. F. (2001). Information architecture of business-to-consumer e-commerce Web sites: The online catalogue of selected video retailers. *Journal of Information Science*, 27(4), 239-248.

Spiteri, L. F. (2000). Access to electronic commerce sites on the World Wide Web: an analysis of the effectiveness of six Internet search engines. *Journal of Information Science*, 26(3), 173-184.

Spiteri, L. F. (1999). The essential elements of faceted thesauri. *Cataloging and Classification Quarterly*, 28(4), 31-52.

Spiteri, L. F. (1998). A simplified model for facet analysis: Ranganathan 101. *Canadian Journal of Information and Library Science*, 23(1/2), 1-30.

Spiteri, L. F. (1997). Library & information science vs. business: A comparison of approaches to abstracting. *The Indexer*, 20(4), 197-208.

Spiteri, L. F. (1997). The use of facet analysis in information retrieval thesauri: An examination of selected guidelines for thesaurus construction. *Cataloging & Classification Quarterly*, 25(1), 21-38.

Meadow, C. T., Weijing, Y., & Spiteri, L. F. (1996). *Measuring the impact of information on development: Toronto pilot project*. Toronto: Faculty of Information Studies, University of Toronto.

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Spiteri, L. F. (1995). The Classification Research Group and the theory of integrative levels. *The Katherine Sharp Review*. Retrieved from <http://www.lis.uiuc.edu/review/summer1995/spiteri.pdf>

Refereed Published Proceedings

Allam, Hesham, Blustein, James, Bliemel, Michael, & Spiteri, Louise (2012). Knowledge contribution in social media: Exploring factors influencing social taggers' acceptance towards contributing & sharing. *6th International Conference on Information Systems, Technology & Management (ICISTM), Grenoble Ecole de Management, France, March 28-30, 2012*.

Allam, Hesham, Blustein, James, Bliemel, Michael, & Spiteri, Louise (2012). Exploring factors impacting the attitude and intention to use social tagging system. *45th Hawaii International Conference on System Sciences (HICSS2012), Grand Wailea, Maui, Hawaii, U.S, January 4-7, 2012*.

Spiteri, L. F. (2012). Faceted navigation of social tagging applications. In A. Gilchrist & J. Vernau, eds., *Facets of knowledge organization: Proceedings of the ISKO UK Second Biennial Conference, July 405, 2011, London* (pp. 333-334). Bingley, U.K.: Emerald.

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Spiteri, L.F. (2011). The public library catalogue as a social space. *39th Annual CAIS/ACSI Conference, Fredericton, NB, June 2-4, 2011*.

Spiteri, L.F. (2011). Social discovery tools: Cataloguing meets user convenience. *39th Annual CAIS/ACSI Conference, Fredericton, NB, June 2-4, 2011*.

Spiteri, L. F. (2011). The public library catalogue as a social space: A case study of social discovery systems in two Canadian public libraries. In *NASKO 2011: Expanding our horizons, evaluating our parameters. The Third North American Symposium on Knowledge Organization, Toronto, ON, June 16-17, 2011*.

Allam, H., Bliemel, M., Blustei, J., Spiteri, L., & Watters, C. (2010). A Conceptual model for dimensions affecting employees' effective participation in social tagging in the corporate environment. *International Workshop on Modeling Social Media 2010 (MSM'10), Toronto, ON, June 13, 2010*.

Spiteri, L. F., Tarulli, L., & Graybeal, A. (2010). The public library catalogue as a social space: Transaction log analysis of user interaction with social discovery systems. In *ASIS&T 73rd Annual Meeting: Navigating Streams in an Information Ecosystem, Pittsburgh, PA, October 22-27, 2010*.

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Spiteri, L. F. (2009). Social cataloguing sites: Features and implications for cataloguing Practice and the public library catalogue. In *Mapping the 21st century information landscape: Borders, bridges and byways. Proceedings of the 37th Annual Conference of the Canadian Association for Information Science/L'association canadienne des sciences de l'information*, Ottawa, Ontario, May 28-30, 2009. Retrieved from <http://www.caais-acsi.ca/2009proceedings.htm>

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Spiteri, L. F. (2008). Concept theory and the role of conceptual coherence in assessments of similarity. In Grove, A., & Rorissa, A. (Eds.), *People transforming information. Proceedings of the 71st ASIS&T Annual Meeting*, Columbus, Ohio, October 24-29, 2008.

Spiteri, L. F. (2008). Causality and conceptual coherence in assessments of similarity. In C. Arsenault & J. T. Tennis, (Eds.), *Culture and identity in knowledge organization: Proceedings of the Tenth International ISKO Conference*, Montréal, Canada, August 5-8, 2008 (pp. 3-7).

Spiteri, L. F. (2007). The structure and form of folksonomy tags: The road to the public library catalogue. In B. R. Bravo & M.L. Alvite Díez (Eds.), *Interdisciplinarity and transdisciplinarity in the organization of scientific knowledge. VIII Congress ISKO-Spain Leon*, April 18-20, 2007. Leon: University of Leon.

Spiteri, L. F. (2004). Word association testing and thesaurus construction: the results of a pilot study. *Access to information: technologies, skills, and socio-political context. Canadian Association for Information Science/L'association canadienne des sciences de l'information (CAIS/ACSI) 2004 Annual Conference June 3-5, 2004*. Retrieved from http://www.caais-acsi.ca/proceedings/2004/spiteri_2004.pdf

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Spiteri, L. F. (2002). Word association testing and thesaurus construction: defining inter-term relationships. In Lynne C. Howarth, Christopher Cronin, & Anna Slawek (Eds.), *Advancing knowledge: expanding horizons for information science. Proceedings of the 30th Annual Conference of the Canadian Association for Information Science, 30 May-01 June 2002*. Toronto, ON: Faculty of Information Studies, University of Toronto.

Spiteri, L. F. (2001). Catalogue structure of business-to-consumer e-commerce Web sites. In D. Grant Campbell (Ed.), *Beyond the Web: technologies, knowledge and people. Proceedings of the 29th Annual Conference of the Canadian Society for Information Science, Université Laval, Québec, May 27-29, 2001*.

Spiteri, L. F. (2001). Metadata standards for business-to-consumer e-commerce product catalogues. In *Proceedings of the 23rd McMaster World Congress, January 16-18, 2002*. Hamilton, ON: Michael G. DeGroot School of Business, McMaster University.

Spiteri, L. F. & Richard, N. (1999). Evaluation of Internet search engines: Methodological issues and assumptions. In James M. Turner (Ed.), *Information science: Where has it been, where is it going? Proceedings of the 27th Annual Conference of the Canadian Association for Information Science, Université de Sherbrooke, June 9-11. Sherbrooke, QC: Université de Sherbrooke*

Spiteri, L. F. (1995). Evaluation of faceted thesauri. In K. Kofmel & C. Sylvain (Eds.), *Connections '95. Proceedings of The First Annual Great Lakes Conference in Library and Information Science. London, Ontario, October 27-28, 1995*. London, ON: School of Library & Information Studies, University of Western Ontario.

Meadow, C. T. & Spiteri, L. F. (1995). Information factors affecting new business development: progress report. In Paul McConnell (Ed.), *Making a difference. Measuring the impact of information on development. Proceedings of a workshop held in Ottawa, Canada 10-12 July, 1995*. Ottawa: International Development Research Centre.

Book Reviews

“Doing things with information: Beyond indexing and abstracting,” Published in *Knowledge Organization*, 38(1).

“Beginning cataloging,” published in *Cataloging & Classification Quarterly*, 48(5), 486-487.

“A Business Company”, published in *Business Information Alert*, 9(10), 6.

“Essays in honour of Guy Slyvestre”, published in *Resource Sharing and Information Networks*, 13(1), 103-107.

“The organization of knowledge”, published in *Knowledge Organization*, 26(2), 106-107.

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“The library internet trainer’s toolkit”, published in *Canadian Journal of Library and Information Science*, 27(1), 85-86.

“MARC21 for everyone: a practical guide”, published in *Canadian Journal of Library and Information Science*, 27(4), 97-98.

“Editions et pouvoirs”, published in *Epilogue*. 13, 1998-2003, 148-149.

“Assessing competitive intelligence software: a guide to evaluating CI technology”, published in *Canadian Journal of Library and Information Science*, 28(3), 8-81.

“A history of online information services: 1963-1976”, to be published in *Epilogue*.

“Beginning cataloging,” to be published in *Cataloging & Classification Quarterly*

Invited Talks and Workshops

“Community engagement: The new social media mantra for academic libraries?” Co presented with Tina Usmani. Canadian Library Association Annual Conference. Ottawa, ON (June 2-4, 2012).

“RDA, FRBR, and FRAD: Connecting the dots.” Atlantic Provinces Library Association Annual Conference. Wolfville, NS (May 23-25, 2012).

“Records continuum model of records life cycle.” Council of Nova Scotia Archives Annual Conference. Halifax, NS (May 10-11, 2012).

“Social discovery tools: If you build them, will your community come?” Information & Social Networks Symposium. Halifax, NS (November 4, 2011).

“Social tagging and folksonomies: Indexing, retrieving...and beyond?” Panel presentation co-presented with Tamara Heck, Jacek Gwizdka, Margaret E.I. Kipp, Kun Lu, Isabella Peters, and Diane Neal, and Louise Spiteri. American Society for Information Science & Technology. 2011 Conference, New Orleans (October 9-12, 2011).

“Perspectives on the information professions.” Panel presentation co-presented with Ann Prentice, Anne Caputo, Allison Druin, Bill Hersh, October Ivins, Marcia Bates and Nancy Roderer. American Society for Information Science & Technology. 2011 Conference, New Orleans (October 9-12, 2011).

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“Transforming Information Management – The role of education.” Co-presented with Sandra Toze. 2nd Annual Conference on Information Management and Evaluation, Ryerson University, Toronto. (April 27^h -28, 2011).

“Governance and eDiscovery.” Co-presented with Sandra Toze. Maritime Access & Privacy Workshop 2011, Halifax, NS (June 2-3, 2011)

“The public library catalogue as a social space.” Atlantic Provinces Library Association Annual Conference. St. John’s NL (My 16-18, 2011)

‘Using social media to leverage tacit knowledge and corporate intelligence.’ Co-presented with Sandra Toze. Faculty of Management Executive Leadership Series, Ottawa, Halifax, and Toronto, April/May 2011.

“The public library catalogue as a social space: A case study of social discovery systems in two Canadian public libraries.” Co-presented with Laurel Tarulli. ALISE Annual Meeting. San Diego, CA (January 3-8, 2011).

“The public library catalogue as a social space: Transaction log analysis of user interaction with social discovery systems.” Co-presented with Laurel Tarulli & Alyssa Graybeal. The 9th European NKOS Workshop at the 14th ECDL Conference. Glasgow, Scotland (September 9-10, 2010).

“The public library catalogue as a social space: Transaction log analysis of user interaction with social discovery systems.” Co-presented with Laurel Tarulli & Alyssa Graybeal. ASIS&T Annual Meeting. Pittsburgh, PA (October 22-27, 2010).

“The public library catalogue as a social space: Transaction log analysis of user interaction with social discovery systems.” Co-presented with Laurel Tarulli & Alyssa Graybeal. DCMI Annual Meeting. Pittsburgh, PA (October 20-22, 2010).

“Exploring factors impacting employees' participation in social tagging systems.” Co-presented with Hesham Allam, Michael Bliemel & Carolyn Watters. 19th ACM Conference on Information and Knowledge Management CIKM 2010. Toronto, ON. (October 30, 2010).

“Library Catalogues as Social Spaces: A Shift in the Perception of the Public Library Catalogue and Its Function in Libraries.” With Michael Dell, Martina King, Peter Schoenberg, and Laurel Tarulli. Canadian Library Association 2010 Conference. Edmonton AB (June 2-5, 2010).

“An analysis of the impact of Dalhousie University’s blended learning model on the learning and teaching experiences of mid-career learners and instructors.” Co-presented with Fiona Black & Bertrum MacDonald. ALISE 2010 Conference. Boston, MA (January 12-15, 2010).

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“Integrated learning opportunities at the Faculty of Management, Dalhousie University: An analysis of two approaches to client-based learning.” Co-presented with Jenny Baechler and Vivian. Dalhousie Conference on University Teaching and Learning. Halifax, NS (April 28-29, 2010).

“Assessing Blended Learning: Insights from an Analysis of Dalhousie University’s Model of Blended Learning from the Perspectives of Mid-Career Learners and Instructors.” Co-presented with Faten Alshazly, Fiona Black, Michelle Hunter, and Bertrum MacDonald. The Future of Online and Blended Learning: Strategy, Policy, and Practice Conference. Vancouver BC (October 24-26, 2009).

“The dynamics of collaborative tagging: An analysis of tag vocabulary usefulness in knowledge representation, discovery and retrieval.” Co-presented with Joyline Makani, Dalhousie University Libraries. Administrative Sciences Association of Canada. Annual Conference. 2009. Niagara Falls, ON.

“The impact of social cataloguing sites on the public catalogue: Patrons, social tagging and the new face of the catalogue.” Co-presented with Laurel Tarulli, Halifax Public Libraries. Canadian Library Association. Annual Conference, 2009. Montreal, QC.

“The impact of social cataloguing sites on the public catalogue: Patrons, social tagging and the new face of the catalogue.” Co-presented with Laurel Tarulli, Halifax Public Libraries. Atlantic Provinces Library Association. Annual Conference, 2009. Halifax, NS.

“Social cataloguing sites: Features and implications for cataloguing Practice and the public library catalogue.” Canadian Association for Information Science/L'association canadienne des sciences d l'information. Annual Conference, 2009. Ottawa, ON.

“Social cataloguing sites: Features and implications for cataloguing practice and the public library catalogue.” Canadian Library Association. Annual Conference. 2008. Vancouver, BC.

“Causality and conceptual coherence in assessments of similarity.” International Society for Knowledge Organization. Annual Conference. 2008. Montreal, QB.

“Concept theory and the role of conceptual coherence in assessments of similarity.” American Society for Information Science and Technology. Annual Conference. 2008. Columbus, OH.

“Educational opportunities at the School of Information Management.” ARMA Conference Education Roundtable. Halifax Chapter. 2007. Halifax, NS

“The impact of new technologies on information management and accountability.” Association of Municipal Administrators. 2007. Halifax, NS

“The structure and form of folksonomy tags: The road to the public library catalog.” International Society for Knowledge Organization. 2007. Léon, Spain.

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"Dublin Core." Module designed for the Caribbean Development Bank: Information Services Unit. 2007. Barbados.

"MARC Cataloguing." Module designed for the Caribbean Development Bank: Information Services Unit. 2007. Barbados.

"The use of collaborative tagging in public library catalogues." Association of Library and Information Science Education. 2007. Seattle, WA.

"The use of collaborative tagging in public library catalogues." Canadian Library Association. 2006. Ottawa, ON

"The use of collaborative tagging in public library catalogues." American Library Association. 2006. New Orleans, LA.

"Filing systems." Annapolis Valley Regional Hospitals. 2006. Kentville, NS

"Metadata. " Nova Scotia Digital Collections Initiative workshop: "Bringing Resources to the Public: Steps in Planning and Implementing an Online Project." 2005. Halifax, NS

"Folksonomies and controlled vocabularies." Library and Archives Canada forum on metadata. 2005. Ottawa, ON.

"Records management." Nova Scotia Association of Professional Councillors. Mount Saint Vincent University, 2005. Halifax, NS

"Records management." South Shore Regional Hospitals. 2005. White Point, NS

"MARC 21." Atlantic Provinces Library Association. Annual Conference, 2004. Moncton, NB

"The application of word association testing to the construction of information-retrieval thesauri: the results from a pilot study." Atlantic Provinces Library Association. Annual Conference, 2004. Moncton, NB

"AACR2: too many changes?" Atlantic Provinces Library Association. Annual Conference, 2003. St. John's, NF

"Word association testing and thesaurus construction: the results of a pilot study." Canadian Association for Information Science/L'association canadienne des sciences d'information. Annual Conference, 2004. London, ON.

"Cataloguing electronic resources: AACR2 v. Dublin Core." School of Information Management, Dalhousie University Continuing Education Workshops, 2003.

"The Nova Scotia Digital Collections Initiative." Association for Library and Information Science Education. Annual Conference, 2003. Philadelphia, PA

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“The use of word association testing in the construction of information retrieval thesauri.”
Canadian Library Association/American Library Association. Annual Conference, 2003. Toronto,
ON

“Copyright and intellectual property.” Dalhousie Faculty Association, 2001.

“De-mystifying the MARC record.” Nova Scotia Library Association. Annual Conference, 2001.
North Sydney, NS

“Catalogue structure of business-to-consumer e-commerce Web sites.” Canadian Library
Association/American Library Association. Annual Conference, 2001. Laval, QB

“The state of education in records management.” Association of Records Managers
Administrators. Annual Conference, 2000. Halifax, NS

“Evaluation of Internet search engines: Methodological issues and assumptions.” Canadian
Library Association/American Library Association. Annual Conference, 2001. Laval, QC

Student Research Supervised

Completed Students

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| Hesham Allam | Interdisciplinary PhD | Committee Member |
| Sandra Baigent | Master of Library & Information Studies | Supervisor |
| Creighton Barrett | Master of Library & Information Studies | Supervisor |
| Marc Bragdon | Master of Library & Information Studies | Supervisor |
| Jaclyn Carter | Master of Library & Information Studies | Supervisor |
| Andrew Estabrooks | Master of Science | External Reader |
| Christine Fedoruk | Master of Information Management | Supervisor |
| Carolyn Finney | Master of Information Management | Supervisor |
| Kathryn Harvey | Master of Library & Information Studies | Supervisor |
| Deborah Hicks | Master of Library & Information Studies | Committee Member |
| Barbara Hill-Taylor | Master of Library & Information Studies | Supervisor |
| Joanne Hodder | Master of Library & Information Studies | Supervisor |
| Rebecca Larocque | Master of Library & Information Studies | Supervisor |
| Charles Maina | Master of Library & Information Studies | Supervisor |
| Joyline Makani | Interdisciplinary PhD | Committee Member |
| Lori Mc-Cay-Peet | Master of Library & Information Studies | Committee Member |
| Kelly McIvor | Master of Library & Information Studies | Supervisor |
| Leanne Owen | Master of Library & Information Studies | Supervisor |
| Robert Jech (2) | Master of Information Management | Supervisor |
| David Seaman | Master of Library & Information Studies | Supervisor |
| Jackie Phinney | Master of Library & Information Studies | Supervisor |
| Whitney Spencer | Master of Library & Information Studies | Supervisor |
| Lidia Zykova | Master of Library & Information Studies | Supervisor |

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Stephanie Woods Master of Library & Information Studies Supervisor

In progress

Eman Alyami Master of Electronic Commerce Supervisor
David Michels Interdisciplinary PhD Committee Member

Service

Within Dalhousie University

Senate Search Committee for the University Librarian: 2011

Senate Review Committee for the University Librarian: 2010

Senate Academic Appeals Committee: 2007–2010

Decanal Search Committee for Faculty of Management : 2005-2006; 2009-2010.

Senate Committee on Learning and Education: 2006-2009

Senate Committee on the Environment: 2004-2006

Dalhousie Faculty Association, Executive Committee: 2000-2002

President's Advisory Committee on Sexual Harassment: 1998-2010

Within the Faculty of Graduate Studies

Academic Appeals Committee : 2004-2009

Thesis Format Guidelines: 2002-2003

Prize Panel: 2003

Faculty of Graduate Studies Council: 2000-2003

Within the Faculty of Management

Search Committee, Director of School of Business Administration: 2011

Learning Technologies Committee: 2010-2011

Dean & Directors Committee: 2010-

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Faculty Tenure and Promotion Advisory Committee: 2007-2008

Search Committee, Roy A. Jodrey Chair in Commerce: 2004

Search Committee, F.C. Manning Chair in Economics and Business: 2003

Search Committee, Douglas C. Mackay Chair in Finance: 2002

Faculty Council: 1998-2003; 2009-

Within the School of Information Management

MIM Curriculum Committee: 2012-

MIM Admissions CommitteeL 2010-

MLIS Admissions & Scholarship Committee: 2009

Appointments, Promotions, and Tenure Committee: 1998-

MLIS Curriculum Committee: 1998-1999; 2005-2006; 2009-

Petitions and Grievances Committee: 1998-

School Council: 1998-

Consulting and community services

Faculty of Medicine, Dalhousie University

- Audit of records management policy and procedures

Faculty of Dentistry, Dalhousie University

- Management of image database

College of Nursing, Dalhousie University

- Developing records management policies and procedures

Bombardier Aerospace

- Developing records management policies and procedures

EDM Environmental Design and Management Limited

- Evaluated metadata structure of their database

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Caribbean Development Bank

- Developed two workshops “Dublin Core” and “MARC Cataloguing.”

School of Information Management, Dalhousie University

- Creation of a records management policy for the School.

South Shore Regional Hospitals

- Investigated the creation of a records management policy, including a records retention schedule, a digital records programme, and an e-mail records programme.

Inform Canada

- Investigated the creation of a bilingual thesaurus for the Canada 211 information portal

Faculty of Computer Science, Health Informatics; Faculty of Dentistry. Dalhousie University

- Investigated the redesign of the uniform system of coding and list of services" (USC&LS) used by the Canadian Dental Association.

Library and Archives Canada

- Investigated the use of controlled vocabulary in the construction of web-based archival metadata records.

Employment Equity Office, Dalhousie University.

- Supervised the creation of a cataloguing system for Dalhousie University's Employment Equity Office

Faculty of Medicine, Dalhousie University

- Worked with the Faculty on the creation of a records management system, including an inventory policy and a filing and classification system

Health Informatics, Dalhousie University.

- Provided advice on the development of a thesaurus for outcome measures

Lunenburg Genealogical Society. Lunenburg, NS

- Assisted the Lunenburg Genealogical Society with the creation of an index for obituaries that appeared in local Lunenburg newspaper during the mid-nineteenth century.

Nova Scotia Department of Justice; Nova Scotia Department of Education

- Assisted the Nova Scotia Departments of Justice and Education in the design of training workshops for university administrators charged with the implementation of the Nova Scotia *Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act*.

Nova Scotia Provincial Library

- Presented regular updates of the activities of the School of Library and Information Science to the online newsletter *Disseminator*
(<http://www.library.ns.ca/publications/disseminator/index.html>)

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Public Relations Office, Dalhousie University.

- Provided advice on the establishment of a filing and indexing system for the Public Relations Office

Records Solutions. Syracuse, NY

- Provided advice in the establishment of a records management programme.

School of Business Administration, Dalhousie University

- Provided advice on the filing, storing, and classification of the paper and electronic documents used in the offices of the Director and the MBA programme.

School of Information Management, Dalhousie University

- Designed and facilitated a seminar series entitled "Teaching in professional programmes."

Sexual Harassment Office, Dalhousie University.

- Created a records retention programme for Dalhousie University's Sexual Harassment Office.

Universidad de la Republica, Uruguay

- Supervised the cataloguing of donated books to be sent to the university.

Editorial and review work

Associate Editor: *Journal of Information Technology Education*

Book Review Editor: *Canadian Journal of Library and Information Science*

Guest Editor: *Webology* (Volume 5, Number 3, September, 2008), devoted to collaborative tagging and folksonomies.

I review articles or books for the following journals:

Canadian Journal of Library and Information Science

Canadian Journal for the Scholarship of Teaching and Learning

Informing Science

Interdisciplinary Journal of Knowledge and Learning Objects

International Journal of Information Management

Knowledge Organization

Library & Information Science Research

Journal of the American Society for Information Science and Technology

Journal of Education in Library and Information Science

Journal of Information Technology Education

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Research agencies – external reviewer

- French Language: Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council
- Fonds québécois de la recherche sur la société et la culture

Professional Associations

American Library Association: Committee on Diversity in Library and Information Science Education

American Society for Information Science & Technology

- Program Committee
- Member of the Information Professions Task Force

Atlantic Provinces Library Association

Association for Library and Information Science Education

- Director, External Affairs: 2010-
- Norman Horrocks Leadership Award Committee – Chair, 2009
- ALISE Award for Teaching Excellence Committee – Chair, 2007
- Representative on the American Library Association's Committee on Diversity in Education.

Canadian Association for Information Science.

- Program Committee
- Past President
- Delegate to the Canadian Federation of the Humanities and Social Sciences

International Society for Knowledge Organization: Member and Program Committee
Information Science Institute: Program Committee

Community Service

I am deeply committed to matters concerning animal welfare and environmental sustainability. I am a member of several not-for-profit organizations and engage also in volunteer work with local animal-welfare agencies:

Animal Alliance of Canada
International Fund for Animal Welfare
Nature Conservancy of Canada
Nova Scotia Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals
People for the Ethical Treatment of Animals
Toronto Humane Society
World Society for the Protection of Animals
World Wildlife Fund Canada

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I have served as President, Vice-President, and Treasurer on the Board of Directors of Halifax Condominium Corporation #82 since 2005.