

EDUCATION

Master of Library and Information Science, 2013

University of South Florida, Tampa, FL

Bachelor of Arts, History, 2010

Stetson University, DeLand, FL

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Stetson University, duPont-Ball Library, DeLand, FL

Assistant Professor, Research and Learning Librarian

July 2023 – Present

- Serves as coordinator of the library's Research Services Team while providing leadership in research services programs, projects, and initiatives, including the Ask-A-Librarian research service.
- Provides research assistance to members of the Stetson community in person, via telephone, text, and email and by appointment.
- Tracks, analyzes, and reports reference, instruction, and web data and statistics.
- Serves as administrator for Research Guides using Springshare's LibGuides platform, providing leadership and guidance regarding content, design, and organization.
- Creates, organizes, and maintains information literacy and research learning content including tutorials, handouts, and online subject, topic, and course research guides.
- Provides information literacy instruction using the ACRL Framework for Information Literacy.
- Supports and continues the development of the University's Quality Enhancement Plan (QEP).
- Contributes to library collection development through recommendations to Interim Director, Associate Dean of the Library and acquisitions department.
- Provides library material and technical assistance when needed.

Research Librarian

February 2022 – July 2023

- Provided reference and research services to students, faculty, and staff by appointment, walk-in, telephone, text, and email.
- Assisted library users in the use of print and online resources and in locating material.
- Using Springshare's LibGuides, maintained online subject, topic, and course research guides.
- Created learning content including library tutorials and graphics.
- Participated in information literacy instruction, including First Year Seminar library instruction.
- In collaboration with fellow librarians and the Director of Public Services, supported QEP (Quality Enhancement Plan) initiatives and development.
- Tracked and analyzed research and instruction data and statistics using SpringShare's LibInsight.

- Incorporated new technologies, tools, and resources that would promote research services and facilitate learning.
- Designed library newsletters to advertise library services, resources, and events.
- Provided library technical assistance when needed.

Seminole State College of Florida, Sanford, FL

June 2019 – June 2023

Research and Instruction Librarian

- Delivered information literacy instruction in an array of courses, including English, Student Success, History, Speech, Honors, and First Year Experience, using educational technologies when appropriate.
- Provided academic support to students in person and remotely through individual research consultations, embedded librarian course assistance, and reference services.
- Participated in library and college initiatives, including committee work in program development and various projects.
- Collaborated with library and departmental faculty to design and implement effective instruction, improve library services, support retention, and find ways to best serve the student population.
- Created digital learning content and resources, including instructional modules, tutorials, and course guides that would facilitate individual course and information literacy objectives.
- Leadership of the Information Literacy Program, responsible for developing and launching learning outcomes college wide.
- Designed promotional material and graphics to expand exposure to library services, resources, and events. Also contributed to the online presence of the library through various virtual and social media outlets.
- Assisted with collection development, including the acquisition and evaluation of print/electronic materials.
- Assessed and developed the College Archives.
- Provided library technical assistance when needed.

Volusia County Schools

January 2012 – June 2019

Media Specialist/School Librarian

Southwestern Middle School, DeLand, FL

- Collaborated with faculty to develop information and digital literacies among student body, including digital citizenship instruction.
- Provided research assistance through group and individual instruction.
- Coordinated and participated in schoolwide/Media Center events to foster student and family engagement/enrichment.
- Managed library collection of over 14,000 items, digital and print. Responsible for making additions to collection that would ignite interest in reading, promote literacy, and support curriculum.
- Created school productions and multi-media projects with students to deliver information to school community, using mobile and computer technologies.
- Leadership roles included: School Leadership Team Member, Technology Committee Member, Media Advisory Committee Lead, Assistant Testing Coordinator, Apple Program Facilitator, and Maker Space Club Sponsor.

Digital Learning Teacher Leader
Southwestern Middle School, DeLand, FL

- Lead ongoing school-based assistance and support for all digital learning curriculum content.
- Facilitated digital learning professional development opportunities for all faculty and staff members through small and large group instruction.
- Stayed current with new and changing educational technologies (*FETC, Future of Education Technology Conference* attendee).
- Provided support for digital curriculum information, including mentoring, modeling, and troubleshooting issues.

AVID Tutor
River Springs Middle School, Orange City, FL

- Conducted tutoring sessions with small groups of students in specific subject areas including Mathematics, Science, and Social Studies.
- Collaborated with AVID Coordinator and teachers to develop tutorial plans and discuss student progress.
- Assisted in developing critical thinking skills, teamwork, and good study habits among students, to create a solid foundation for college readiness/success.

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

American Library Association (ALA) Member	2019 – Present
Association of College and Research Libraries (ACRL) Member	2019 – Present
Florida Association of College and Research Libraries (ACRL) Member	2019 – Present
Reference and User Services Association (RUSA) Member	2023 – Present

CERTIFICATIONS

Professional Education Certificate, Educational Media PK-12 Florida Department of Education	Issued 2014, Expires 2024
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CAMPUS PRESENTATIONS

Seminole State College of Florida

- *Information Literacy Program Development*, Implementing Student Learning Outcomes College-Wide Using Canvas, Presentation to Academic Leadership Team (September 2022)
- *Information Literacy Program Development*, Implementing Student Learning Outcomes (May/June 2022)
- *Information Literacy Program Development*, Establishing Student Learning Outcomes (December 2021)
- Using Nearpod for Library Instruction (2021)
- *Information Literacy Program at Seminole State College* (December 2020)

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT AND CONTINUING EDUCATION

Stetson University (2022 – Present)

- *Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Research*, duPont-Ball Library DEI Commitment, Fall 2022 *Inclusive Hiring: Avoiding Pitfalls in the Hiring Process*, Presented by Chela Dufour (AVP for Human Resources and Organizational Development) and Carmen Johnson (Executive Officer for Diversity, Inclusion, and Collaboration), Sept. 2022
- *Autism Goes to College (2019)*, duPont-Ball Library screening, July 2022

Seminole State College of Florida (June 2019 – July 2023)

- *Lesson Study*, Feb. 2020
- *Canvas Basics Online Course*, Summer 2019
- Unconscious Bias Certification
- H & H Teach In: *The History of Race, Law, and Citizenship in the American Colonies*

Convocation Annual Learning Sessions

- Research Habits of Mind: Resources and Strategies to Cultivate Students' Digital Literacy Skills Across Any Program of Study
- Generating a Toolkit for LGBT+ Student Success
- Using "Privilege" to Advance Equity
- Finding, Evaluating, and Incorporating OER Into Your Course
- Women Moving Forward: Breaking the Barriers of Workplace Bias

Academic Affairs Kick-off Annual Learning Sessions

- Orchestrating Productive Discussions
- Getting Started with Nearpod
- Academic Support in a Virtual World
- Increasing Student Engagement in the Zoom Classroom
- Playing favorites: How do unconscious beliefs impact student achievement?

Library Specific Workshops, Webinars, and Trainings

2023

- *Build Interactive Tutorials with LibWizard*, Webinar July 2023
- *NicheCon*, May 2023
- *Statista Overview for Academia*, Webinar Feb. 2023
- *What's New on Statista*, March 2023

2022

- Niche Academy Training
- *Build-a-LibGuide for Library Instruction*, SpringShare Webinar
- *The Community College Library: Integrating the Framework into Library Instruction*, ACRL Webinar

2021

- *2021 Florida Libraries Online: Libraries Reimagined*, Webinar

2020

- *Research is Not a Basic Skill: Using the Contextual Nature of Research to Transform Information Literacy Instruction*, Webinar
- *Photographic Preservation: Strategies for Working with Physical Collections*, Webinar
- *RB Digital Audiobooks for Higher Education*, Webinar
- *Evaluating your Digital Preservation*, NEFLIN Webinar
- *Learning Through Play: Games and Gamification in Information Literacy Instruction*, Webcast
- *Creating Digital Exhibits Online Course*, PreserveThis.org, May 2020
- *Islandora*, Webinar Series
- *ALA Preservation/Conservation*, eLearning Course, April 2020
- *Interactive Tools for Online Teaching*, NEFLIN Webinar
- *LibAnswers 24/7 Cooperative*, Springshare Webinar
- *Digital Preservation for Individuals and Small Groups*, Webinar

2019

- *JSTOR 101*, Webinar
- *Testing & Education Reference Center*, GALE Webinar
- *What's New in APA Style-Inside the Seventh Edition of the Publication Manual of the American Psychological Association*, ACRL Choice Webinar

Springy Camp 2019 (Virtual)

- *Assessing Research Consultations: Surveying a 'Captive' Audience* (Ellen Filgo, Baylor University)
- *Oh, the Things You'll Curate: Using LibGuides and LibWizard to Promote Collections and Track Success* (Evan Barber, Brookens Library, University of Illinois Springfield)
- *Using LibCal to Create Consistent Instruction* (Catie Carlson & Luann Edwards, Tiffin University)