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### EDUCATION

**College of William and Mary**, Williamsburg, VA  
Degree: MA - History - 2000

**Ohio State University**, Columbus, OH  
Degree: BA – History - 1999  
Summa Cum Laude with Honors in the Liberal Arts and  
with Distinction in History

### EMPLOYMENT

**University of Pennsylvania – Van Pelt Library** – Philadelphia, PA  
*Scholarly Communication Librarian – April 2008 – Present*  
Responsible for directing all scholarly communication initiatives  
at the University of Pennsylvania Libraries including advising on  
intellectual property, managing the institutional repository, and  
helping facilitate both internal and collaborative projects for  
scholarly publishing and digital scholarship.

**University of Michigan – University Library** – Ann Arbor, Michigan  
*Project Librarian – January 2003 – April 2008*  
Responsible for all outreach, development, and administration of  
the Text Creation Partnership project (a cooperative effort with  
three scholarly publishers and over one hundred libraries around  
the world to create public domain SGML/XML encoded texts for  
e-published image collections).

**Ohio Historical Society - Archives/Library** - Columbus, Ohio  
*Digitization Specialist - September 2000 – December 2002*  
Responsible for coordinating content production for the Ohio  
Memory Project (a collaborative project similar to the American  
Memory Project at the Library of Congress).

**Indiana University - School of Library and Information Science**  
*Adjunct Faculty - 2002*  
Co-taught classes on digital libraries and digital library  
technology

**OTHER  
EXPERIENCE**

**Council on Library and Information Resources** – Washington, D.C.

*Intern – March 2005*

Assisted the President with researching and outlining speech topics, writing summary reports of policy issues, and developing scholarly communication and strategic planning initiatives.

**The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation, Department of Historical Research** –  
Williamsburg, Virginia

*Intern Fellow – September 1999- July 2000*

Responsible for assisting with production and coordination of the Digital Library Project at the John D. Rockefeller Jr. Library at the Colonial Williamsburg Foundation.

**PROFESSIONAL  
MEMBERSHIPS**

American Library Association, American Association for History and Computing, Association of College and Research Libraries, Association for Computing in the Humanities,

**SELECTED  
PUBLICATIONS**

“A Universal Humanities Digital Library: Pipe Dream or Prospective Future?”  
Book Chapter in *Digital Scholarship*, ed. Marta Deyrup (Routledge, 2009)

“To Google or not to Google, that is the question: Supplementing Google Books to make it more useful for scholarship.” *Journal of Library Administration* (Haworth Press, Volume: 47 Issue: 1/2 September, 2008).

“Digital Scholarship and Cyberinfrastructure in the Humanities: Lessons from the Text Creation Partnership” *Journal of Electronic Publishing*. Volume 10, No. 1 (January, 2007), <http://hdl.handle.net/2027/spo.3336451.0010.105>

“Collaboration in Electronic Scholarly Communication: New Possibilities for Old Books” *Journal of the Association for History and Computing*. Volume IX, No. 2 (October, 2006), <http://mcel.pacificu.edu/jahc/jahcix2/articles/martin.htm>

“Reaching Out: What Do Scholars Want from Electronic Resources.”  
*Proceedings of the Association for Computing in the Humanities/Association for Literary and Linguistic Computing*, 2005,  
[http://web.uvic.ca/hrd/achallc2005/ach\\_allc\\_2005\\_abstracts\\_2nd\\_edition.pdf](http://web.uvic.ca/hrd/achallc2005/ach_allc_2005_abstracts_2nd_edition.pdf)

“EEBO, Microfilm, and Umberto Eco: Historical Lessons and Future Directions for Building Electronic Collections” *Microform & Imaging Review* (Volume 36, No. 4, Autumn 2007).

**SELECTED  
PAPERS  
PRESENTED**

*Institutional Repository Personality Disorder: How do we cure it?* At the SPARC Digital Repositories Meeting, Baltimore, MD, November, 2008

*Launching and Growing the ScholarlyCommons@Penn: Putting Knowledge to Work: Building an Institutional Repository for Your Campus*, San Luis-Obispo, CA, October, 2008

*Making History Public in an Age of Closed Access* At the American Association for History and Computing, Providence, RI, 2007

*Darth Vader, Open Access, and Digital Libraries: What is the Future of Electronic Collections?:* David Binkley Paper on Emerging Technology, Access 2007 Conference, Victoria, Canada, 2007.

*Electronic Scholarship in Early American Studies* At the Society for Early Americanists, Williamsburg, VA, 2007

*A Universal Text Editing Project: Pipe Dream or Prospective Future?* At the Society for Textual Scholarship, New York, NY, 2007

*Closed Access/Open Access: Hybrid Models* at the Renaissance Society of America, Miami, FL, 2007

*A New Collaborative Model: Scholars, Librarians, Publishers working to create digital libraries* At the Association for College and Research Libraries, Baltimore, MD, 2007

*Collaboration in Digital Projects: The Text Creation Partnership – Models of Partnership in Digital Research*, University of Sheffield, Humanities Research Institute, December, 2006

*Teaching Early American Literature with Texts and Images* at the American Literature Association, San Francisco, CA, 2006

*A Usage Paradox: Electronic Resources, Merging Roles, and Collaborative Projects* at the American Association for History and Computing Online Conference, 2006

*Using Electronic Resources in Scholarship and Teaching* at the American Society for Eighteenth Century Studies, Montreal, Canada, 2006.

*Electronic Publishing in Renaissance Studies* at the Renaissance Society of America, San Francisco, CA, 2006

*Use of Electronic Resources for Scholarship and Pedagogy* At the American Historical Association, Philadelphia, PA, 2006

*Collaboration and Communication in Building Electronic Resources At (De)materializing the Early Modern Text Symposium* Bath Spa University College, Bath, UK, 2005

*Collaboration in the Development of Romance Language Digital Resources:* Western European Studies Section, American Library Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL, 2005

*Reaching Out: What do scholars want from electronic resources?* At the Association for Computing in the Humanities/Association for Literary and Linguistic Computing, Victoria, Canada, 2005

*Navigating Electronic Contexts* At the Society for the History of Authorship, Reading, and Publishing, Dalhousie, Canada, 2005

*Corpus Inter Corpora* At the American Association of Applied Corpus Linguistics / International Computer Archive of Modern and Medieval English Joint Conference, Ann Arbor, MI 2005

*New Textual Scholarship: From Consumer to Producer* At the Society for Textual Scholarship, New York, NY, 2005

*"Waking Up in the British Library."* At the American Historical Association, Seattle, WA, 2005

*Textual Patterns in Medieval and Early Modern English Literature.* At the International Congress on Medieval Studies, Kalamazoo, MI 2005

*Digital Preservation and Electronic Scholarly Editions.* At the Modern Language Association, Philadelphia, PA 2004.

*A New Cooperative Model: Scholars, Librarians, Publishers, and the Production of Electronic Resources.* At the Association for Computing in the Humanities/Association for Literary and Linguistic Computing, Gothenburg, Sweden, 2004

*Electronic Resources and Scholarly Publishing:* E-Text Centers Discussion Group, American Library Association Annual Meeting, Orlando, FL 2004

## **PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES**

### **Van Pelt Library, University of Pennsylvania**

*ScholarlyCommons* Steering Committee – Chair – 2008 - present  
Scholarly Communication Website Task Force – Chair – 2008  
Data Set Task Force – Member – 2008 – present  
Electronic Dissertation Task Force – Member – 2008 – 2009  
PennPages Directory Structure Task Force – Member – 2008

### **University Library, University of Michigan**

Electronic Resources Committee – Member – 2005 – 2008  
Staff Travel Committee – Member – 2005 – 2006  
Exchange and Gifts Department - Gift Book Coordinator – 2005- 2006  
Committee Service Task Force - Member – 2005 - 2006  
Web Management Committee - Member – 2004 – 2008  
Humanities Electronic Resources Team – Member – 2003 – 2008  
Nicely Collection Processing Team – Coordinator – 2003 - 2008

### **American Library Association – Association of College and Research Libraries**

#### *Literatures in English Section*

Secretary – 2008 – 2009  
Webmaster – 2006 – 2008  
Executive Committee – Member - 2006 – 2009  
Publications Committee – Member - 2006 – 2008  
Nominating Committee – Chair – 2007 - 2008

#### *Western European Studies Section*

Member-at-Large – 2009 – 2010  
Executive Committee – 2007 – 2008, 2009-2010  
Publications Committee – Chair – 2007 – 2008  
– Member – 2006 – 2007

### **American Association for History and Computing**

Executive Director – 2008 – 2010  
Executive Council – 2005 – 2008  
Multimedia/Web Committee - Member 2004 – 2005

### **Human Computer Interaction – Book Working Group – Humanities Computing and Media Centre, University of Victoria**

Member – 2006 – present

### ***Journal of the Association for History and Computing***

Interim Executive Editor – 2009 - 2010  
Editorial Board – 2007 – present

### **Electronic Ballad Archive - Early Modern Center, University of California – Santa Barbara**

Advisory Board - Member 2003 – 2008

### **Digital Renaissance Editions Project – University of Western Australia**

Advisory Board – Member 2006 – 2008