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Professor of Library and Information Science

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Academic Degrees

Doctor of Philosophy in Communication and Information, University of Tennessee, Knoxville, 2002

Dissertation: "Organizational Structure of Telehealth Care: An Examination of Four Types of Telemedicine Systems"

- Primary Concentration - Information Sciences
- Secondary Concentrations –Visualization of Information/Telemedicine/Museum Studies
- Best Technical Project Award, School of Information Sciences, University of Tennessee, 2000
- Best Doctoral Paper Award, School of Information Sciences, University of Tennessee, 1999
- Hilton A. Smith Graduate Fellowship, University of Tennessee, 1998-99
- Kappa Tau Alpha Honor Society, University of Tennessee, 1998-02

Master of Library and Information Science, University of Tennessee, Knoxville, 1993

- Graduate Studies in Anthropology, Classical Studies, University of Tennessee, 1990-91

Bachelor of Arts Degree, Anthropology, University of Southern Mississippi, 1990

- *Summa cum laude*
- Certificate in Humanities, Minors in Social Studies, Classical Studies
- Honors College Scholarship
- British Studies Program Honors College Scholarship, Summer 1989
- Phi Kappa Phi, Phi Theta Kappa, Lambda Alpha, Gamma Beta Phi, Golden Key Honor Societies

Certification

Certiport Computing Core Certification (IC³) in Basic Computer Hardware, Software, Internet Knowledge & Skills, 2005

Professional Experience

2014-	Professor, Southern Miss School of Library and Information Science
2009-14	Associate Professor, Southern Miss School of Library and Information Science
2003-09	Assistant Professor, Southern Miss School of Library and Information Science
2006-09	Assistant Director, Katrina Research Center, Information Clearinghouse and Repository, University of Southern Mississippi
2002-03	Instructor, School of Information Science & Learning Technologies, University of Missouri
1997-02	Graduate Teaching Associate, School of Information Sciences, University of Tennessee
1997-02	Telemedicine Evaluation Researcher, University of Tennessee Medical Center
1998	Database Consultant, Laboratory Records, Oak Ridge National Laboratory
1994-96	Senior Research Assistant, Laboratory Records, Oak Ridge National Laboratory
1991-92	Assistant Archivist, Special Collections, University of Tennessee

Professional Awards, Honors

- Keynote speaker, "Information Literacy in the Digital Age: An Evidence-Based Approach." 3rd International Conference on Qualitative and Quantitative Methods in Libraries, National Hellenic Research Foundation, Athens, Greece, May 25, 2011
- Fellow, Royal Geographical Society (FRGS), 2010-14
- Fellow, Mississippi's Quality Enhancement Plan (QEP) "Finding a Voice: Improving Oral and Written Competencies," Fall 2008
- One of 12 faculty chosen for Learning Enhancement Center Podcasting Pilot Project, 2007-08
- College Public Relations Association of Mississippi (CPRAM), 1st place in the Web page category for Katrina Research Center Web site (Judy Isbell, Ray Scurfield, Teresa Welsh), 2007
- Excellence in Teaching Award, College of Education and Psychology, 2007
- Award for Excellence in the Scholarship of Teaching, University of Missouri College of Education, 2003

Publications

Scholarly Books, Book Chapters

Bolner, M., Poirier, G.A., Welsh, T. S., & Pace, J. E. (2013). *The research process: Books and beyond*. (5th ed.) Dubuque, IA: Kendall Hunt Publishing.

Welsh, T. S., & Wright, M. S. (2010). *Information literacy in the digital age: An evidence-based approach*. Oxford, England: Chandos Publishing Information Professional Series.

Welsh, T. S. (2010). Information repositories: Background and historic overview. In M. Norton (Ed.), *Introductory Concepts in Information Science* (pp. 87-99). Medford, NJ: ASIS Monograph Series.

Welsh, T. S. (2010). Information repositories: New technologies and trends. In M. Norton (Ed.), *Introductory Concepts in Information Science* (pp. 101-116). Medford, NJ: ASIS Monograph Series.

Welsh, T. S., & Wright, M. S. (2007). Organisational storytelling as a creative strategy. In K. Rajah (Ed.), *Business Creativity: Practitioner's Handbook* (pp. 219-232). Greenwich, England: Greenwich University Press.

Peer-Reviewed Journal Articles

Vinson, T.C. & Welsh, T.S. (2014). A comparison of three library and information science databases. *Journal of Electronic Resources Librarianship* 26(2), 114-126.

Creel, S. & Welsh, T.S. (2014). Virtual and physical connections: An assessment of an LIS online program. *The Global eLearning Journal* 3(4), 1-18.

Welsh, T.S. & Creel, S. (2013). Geographic distribution of an open access e-journal. *Information Services & Use* 33(2), 103-111.

Welsh, T. S. (2010). The creation and development of a multi-disciplinary research center in an academic library. *Library Management*, 31(1/2), 57-65.

Welsh, T. S., & Higgins, S. E. (2009). Public libraries post-Hurricane Katrina: A pilot study. *Library Review*, 58(9), 652-659.

Higgins, S. E., & Welsh, T. S. (2009). The tenure process in LIS: A survey of LIS/IS program directors. *Journal of Education for Library and Information Science (JELIS)*, 50(3), 176-189.

Michalec, M., & Welsh, T. S. (2007). Quantity and authorship of GIS articles in library and information science literature, 1190-2005. *Science & Technology Libraries*, 27(3), 65-77.

Welsh, T. S. (2004). The literature of telemedicine: A bibliometric study. *Science & Technology Libraries*, 25(3), 21-34.

Welsh, T.S. (2000). An evaluation of online syllabi in the University of Tennessee College of Communications. *Asynchronous Learning Networks*, 4(2).

Dimmick, S. L., Mustaleski, C., Burgess, S. G., & Welsh, T. S. (2000). A case study of benefits and potential savings in rural home telemedicine. *Home Healthcare Nurse*, 18(2), 125-135.

Column in Peer-Reviewed Journal

Welsh, T.S. & Creel, S. (2013). Free technology and Web 2.0 tools for your Library. E-Resource Round Up, *Journal of Electronic Resources Librarianship* 25(1), 79-80.

Juried Conference Research Papers Published in Conference Proceedings

Welsh, T.S. & Creel, S. (2013). Usage data of an open access e-journal in a digital repository. Extended abstract, *Mining the Digital Information Networks: Proceedings of the 17th International Conference on Electronic Publishing (ELPUB-2013)*, Blekinge Institute of Technology, Karlskrona, Sweden, June 13, 2013.

Welsh, T.S., & Higgins, S.E. (2008). Reflections on the Katrina experience: LIS students' stories. *Hawaii International Conference on Education Conference Proceedings*, pp. 1245-1258, HICE, Honolulu, Hawaii, January 5, 2008.

Higgins, S.E. & Welsh, T.S. (2006). Tenure: The moving target. Research paper, Association for Library and Information Science Education (ALISE) Annual Conference, San Antonio, Texas, January 19, 2006.

Manley, C. G., & Welsh, T.S. (2005). Publishing patterns and core journals of the 'nano' research front. Research paper, Special Libraries Association Conference, Toronto, Canada, June 7, 2005.

Professional Publications

Welsh, T.S. (2014). Aesop through the ages: An Examination of Aesop's Fables in the de Grummond Children's Literature Collection. *Mississippi Libraries* 77(1), 5-8.

Hussey, J., Lyon, K., Cunetto, S., Jennings, J., Keys, O.R., Nathan, C., Oglesby, V., Robinson, C., & Welsh, T.S. (2013). Jackson: Mississippi Department of Education.

Welsh, T. S. (2010). Time for summer school: Programs for current students and continuing education. *International Leads*, 24(1), 5.

Welsh, T. S. (2009). QQML 2009 international conference: Qualitative and quantitative methods in libraries. *Library Hi Tech News*, 26(8), 7-8.

Welsh, T.S. (2007). Writing a research report. *Southern Expressions* 23(2), 12-16.

Welsh, T.S. (2006). Report on articles in the *Journal of the Medical Library Association* by authors in the Southern Chapter/MLA states. *Southern Expressions* 22(3), 23-27.

Welsh, T.S. (2003). Organizational structure of telehealth care: Factors that contribute to growth and sustainability. *Telehealth Practice Report* 8(3), 9-11.

Burgiss, S.G., Smith, G.T., Dimmick, S.L. & Welsh, T. S. (1998). Improving telepresence during consultations. *Telemedicine Today* 6(4), 14-15.

Editor, Refereed e-Journals

Co-Managing Editor with Dr. Stacy Creel. *SLIS Connecting* (ISSN 2330-2917), published bi-annually, 2012- <http://aquila.usm.edu/slisconnecting/>

Associate Editor, *QQML: An International Journal of Library and Information Science*, 2012-
http://www.qqml.net/editorial_board.html

Other

Welsh, T.S., Pace, J.E., & Williams, S.C. (2010). A selected bibliography of resources related to disaster-preparedness. Brochure funded by ALA Carnegie-Whitney Grant.

Welsh, T.S. & Pace, J.E. (2010). Is your family prepared for the next disaster? Brochure funded by ALA Carnegie-Whitney Grant.

Welsh, T.S. (1999). The development of telemedicine in improving access to healthcare in rural areas of East Tennessee. Online paper at: ocean.otr.usm.edu/~w146169/telemed.htm

Welsh, T.S. (1998). IRIS (image retrieval information system) guidelines, subject guide, data field definitions. Technical Paper, Oak Ridge National Laboratory.

Scholarly Presentations

Proposal-Refereed

- Welsh, T.S. (2014). Searching for Alice: From the de Grummond Collection to Oxford, England. Fay B. Kaigler Children's Book Festival, University of Southern Mississippi, Hattiesburg, Apr. 10, 2014.
- Creel, S., Stewart, B., & Welsh, T.S. (2014). Virtual and physical connections: Innovative teaching in an online program, LEC Connects, University of Southern Mississippi, Hattiesburg, Mar. 4, 2014.
- Welsh, T.S. (2013). Aesop's Fables in the de Grummond Children's Literature Collection. Fay B. Kaigler Children's Book Festival, University of Southern Mississippi, Hattiesburg, Apr. 10, 2013.
- Creel, S. & Welsh, T.S. (2013). Access & enable: Using technology to transform learning. Creating Futures through Technology Conference, Biloxi, MS, Mar. 6-8, 2013.
- Creel, S. & Welsh, T.S. (2012). Student perceptions of virtual and physical community-building in an online program. University Research Awards Day (URAD 12) Poster Session, University of Southern Mississippi, Hattiesburg, Nov. 9, 2012.
- Welsh, T.S. & Creel, S. (2012). Free technology and Web 2.0 tools for your library. Mississippi Library Association Annual Conference, Natchez, MS, Oct. 25, 2012.
- Creel, S. & Welsh, T.S. (2012). Distance education doesn't have to be distant: Connecting to students through technology. Creating Futures through Technology Conference, Biloxi, Mar. 8, 2012.
- Welsh, T.S. & Creel, S. (2012). Connecting to Students through Technology. USM Learning Enhancement Center Connects Conference, Cochran Center, Feb. 21, 2012.
- Welsh, T.S. & Williams, S.C. (2011). Resources related to disaster preparedness: A cooperative effort of ALA and Southern Miss SLIS and KRC. Mississippi Library Association Annual Conference, Jackson, MS, Oct. 21, 2011.
- Welsh, T.S. & Rowell, K.M. (2011). Development of a Graduate Certificate in Archives and Special Collections at Southern Miss School of Library and Information Science. Society of Mississippi Archivists Conference, Starkville, MS, Apr. 21, 2011.
- Welsh, T.S. (2011). Free visualization tools for teaching and research. Creating Futures through Technology Conference, Biloxi, MS, Mar. 3, 2011.
- Welsh, T.S. (2010). Librarianship strategies for sustainability and growth. Mississippi Library Association Annual Meeting, Vicksburg, MS, Oct. 20, 2010.
- Welsh, T.S. (2010). The Manhattan Project at Oak Ridge: The images of photographer Ed Westcott. Qualitative and Quantitative Methods in Libraries: QQML 2010 International Conference, Chania, Crete, Greece, May 26, 2010.
- Welsh, T.S. (2008). Using organizational storytelling as a creative leadership strategy. 8th International Creativity Conference, University of Greenwich, UK, July 4, 2008.
- Welsh, T.S. & Wright, M.S. (2007). Using computer-mediated communication (CMC) and Web 2.0 to enhance an information literacy course. Poster presentation, Mississippi Library Association

- Annual Meeting, Vicksburg, MS, Oct. 25, 2007.
- Davis, S. & Welsh, T.S. (2006). Development and evaluation of an academic information literacy course. Poster presentation, Mississippi Library Association Annual Meeting, Tunica, MS, Oct. 26, 2006.
- Welsh, T.S. & Wright, M.S. (2006). The role of storytelling in capturing and transmitting past and present knowledge. Presentation, Third International Conference on Knowledge Management, University of Greenwich, London, UK, Aug. 2, 2006.
- Cissell, M. & Welsh, T.S. (2006). Adoption of PDA technology in the Southern Miss School of Library and Information Science. Presentation, Creating Futures through Technology Conference, Tunica, Mississippi, Mar. 23, 2006.
- Welsh, T.S. (2004). GIS and geospatial resources: An examination of the literature. Presentation and poster, Mississippi Gulf Coast Geospatial Conference, Biloxi, MS, Oct.19-22, 2004.
- Welsh, T.S. (2003). Southern Miss School of Library and Information Science: A spatial analysis. Poster, Mississippi Gulf Coast Geospatial Conference, Biloxi, MS, Oct. 21-24, 2003.
- Welsh, T.S. (2002). Visualization of information. Presentation, Tennessee Library Association Annual Conference, Nashville, TN, Mar. 28, 2002.
- Welsh, T.S. & Whitney, G. (2000). Analysis of information needs and satisfaction of clients of the KORRnet Computing Laboratory, County Walk, Knoxville. Presentation, Connections 2000 Conference, University of Tennessee, Knoxville, Oct. 28, 2000.
- Welsh, T.S. (2000). Telemedicine in East Tennessee: Evaluative research. Presentation, Kentucky Conference on Health Communication, Lexington, KY, Apr. 14, 2000.
- Dimmick, S.L., Welsh, T.S., Enderson, B.L., Burgiss, S.G., Smith, G.T. (1999). Using a geographic information system for decreasing response time in a trauma care telemedicine project. Presentation, 4th Annual American Telemedicine Association Conference, Salt Lake City, Apr. 19, 1999.
- Burgiss, S.G., Smith, G.T., Dimmick, S.L., Welsh, T.S., Kincaid, B., Jarnagin, B.T. (1999). Telemedicine exam room protocol: The virtual office visit. Poster, 4th Annual American Telemedicine Association Conference, Salt Lake City, Utah, Apr. 18-22, 1999.
- Dimmick, S.L., Welsh, T.S., Burgiss, S.G., Smith, G.T., Mustaleski, C., Foster, C., Kincaid, B.M., Jarnagin, B. (1999). Cost-benefit analysis: Valuation rationales for patient-articulated benefits of telemedicine. Poster, 4th Annual American Telemedicine Association Conference, Salt Lake City, Utah, Apr. 18-22, 1999.
- Welsh, T.S. (1999). An evaluation of academic course Web pages in the UT College of Communications. Presentation, 21st Annual University of Tennessee College of Communications Research Symposium, Knoxville, Tennessee, Apr. 16, 1999.

Dimmick, S.L., Welsh, T.S., Enderson, B.L., Burgiss, S.G., Smith, G.T. (1999). Using a geographic information system to plan and manage trauma resources: A case study. Poster, Third Annual Research Day, Graduate School of Medicine, Univ. of Tenn. Medical Center, Knoxville, Apr. 8, 1999.

Welsh, T.S. (1998). The development and construction of a relational database for a University of Tennessee telemedicine project. Presentation, Connections '98 Conference, University of Western Ontario, London, Ontario, Canada, Oct. 24, 1998.

Scholarly Presentations – Invited

Welsh, T.S. (2014). How to find and evaluate free online resources. Osher Lifelong Learning Institute (OLLI), University of Southern Mississippi, Hattiesburg, Feb. 21, Mar. 28, 2014.

Creel, S.L. & Welsh, T.S. (2014). A survey of student perception of course activities for online & physical community-building. Works in Progress Poster, ALISE Annual Conference, Jan. 21, 2014.

Welsh, T.S. and Creel, S. (2013). Continued study into community building in SLIS online courses. Works in Progress Poster, ALISE Annual Conference, Jan. 21, 2013.

Welsh, T.S. (2011). Information literacy for the Google generation. Presentation, Jackson, Preparatory School, Jackson, MS, Oct. 12, 2011.

Welsh, T.S., Yu, X., Cork, S., Williams, S.C., & Brandon, A. (2009). Special libraries and collections: Relevance, programs, and services. Moderated panel, Mississippi Library Association Annual Meeting, Hattiesburg, Oct. 22, 2009.

Mounce, M., Wright, M.S., & Welsh, T.S. (2008). EBSCOhost 2.0 Workshops. Mississippi Library Association Annual Meeting, Natchez, Oct 22, 23, 2008.

Welsh, T.S. (2007). Careers in LIS. Student Library Assistants for Mississippi (SLAM) meeting, East Central Community College, Decatur, MS, Nov. 16, 2007.

Wright, M.S. & Welsh, T.S. (2007). Free resources for teaching information literacy @your library. Training workshops, Miss. Library Association Annual Meeting, Vicksburg, MS, Oct 24, 25, 2007.

Welsh, T.S. (2007). Developing your collection. Presentation, MS LAMP Conference, Tupelo, Aug. 27; Batesville, Aug. 28th, 2007.

Welsh, T.S. & Carr, T. (2006). Law for librarians. Presentation, Mississippi Library Association Annual Conference, Tunica, MS, Oct 26, 2006.

Welsh, T.S. (2003). GIS and librarianship. Poster, Southern Miss GIS Day 2003, Hattiesburg Lake Terrace Convention Center, Nov. 19, 2003.

Welsh, T.S. (2003). Managing the dissertation process from start to finish: Strategies for success. Presentation, ALISE 2003 Annual Conference, Philadelphia, Jan. 22, 2003.

- Welsh, T.S. (1999). Digitizing an historical research project: The photography of Ed Westcott, 1942-59. Presentation, Tennessee Library Association 1999 Annual Conference, Nashville Convention Center, Apr. 28, 1999.
- Welsh, T.S. (1999). Development of a Web site for historic Mabry-Hazen House. Presentation, Museums and the Web Conference, New Orleans, Louisiana, Mar. 14, 1999.
- Welsh, T.S. (1999). J.E. Westcott: Photo-documenting the Manhattan Project at Oak Ridge. Presentation, Oak Ridge Rotary Club, Oak Ridge, Tennessee, Jan. 21, 1999.
- Welsh, T.S. (1998). Health studies research at the University of Tennessee: Telemedicine. Presentation, University of Tennessee College of Communications Board of Visitors, Hilton Hotel, Knoxville, Tennessee, Sept.26, 1998.
- Welsh, T.S. (1998). J.E. Westcott: Photographer and photographic recorder. Presentation, Oak Ridge National Laboratory, Oak Ridge, Tennessee, Aug. 24, 1998.

Educational Web Sites

"Disaster Preparedness"

<http://www.usm.edu/slis/disaster.htm>

"British Studies LIS Summer 14 Course" Blog

<http://usmbritishstudies14.blogspot.com/>

"British Studies LIS Summer 13 Course" Blog

<http://usmbritishstudies13.blogspot.co.uk/>

"British Studies LIS Summer 12 Course" Blog

<http://usmbritishstudies12.blogspot.com/>

"British Studies LIS Summer 11 Course" Blog

<http://usmbritishstudies11.blogspot.com/>

"British Studies LIS Summer 10 Course" Blog

<http://usmbritishstudies10.blogspot.com/>

"British Studies LIS Summer 09 Course" Blog

<http://usmbritishstudies09.blogspot.com/>

"British Studies LIS Summer 08 Course" Blog

<http://usmbritishstudies08.blogspot.com/>

"British Studies LIS Summer 07 Course" Blog

<http://usmbritishstudies.blogspot.com/>

"The Art of Joseph Delaney"

<http://sunsite.utk.edu/delaney/>

"Divine Humility: Jesus Icons in Contemporary Mexico"

<http://sunsite.utk.edu/lewis/>

"The Early Photography of Ed Westcott: From the Manhattan Project to the Cold War, 1942-59"

<http://sunsite.utk.edu/westcott/>

USM Web Page Tutorial

<http://ocean.otr.usm.edu/~w146169/webpage.htm>

"Art 403: History of Photography" (contributor to password-protected class site)

<http://web.utk.edu/~twh/photo.htm>

Grants and Awards (External)

Funded

Welsh, T.S., "A Selected Bibliography of Resources Related to Disaster Preparedness." American Library Association 2009-2010 Carnegie-Whitney Grant, \$5,000, February 8, 2010.

Welsh, T.S., *IMLS Connecting to Collections Bookshelf*. Set of conservation books awarded to the Katrina Research Center, \$800 value, February 21, 2008.

Welsh, T.S., Alibris Collection Development Award. \$1500 for books and videos for the Katrina Research Center, January 12, 2008.

Welsh, T.S., "Hurricane Preparedness." Solinet Workshop, Southern Miss Cook Library, \$120 registration, Andrew W. Mellon Foundation Grant, June 14, 2007.

Burgiss, S.G., P.I., Dimmick, S.L., & Welsh, T.S., Evaluation Researchers, University of Tennessee Medical Center, Knoxville. "Rural Health Care through Telemedicine: An Interdisciplinary Approach." U.S. Office of Rural Health Policy, \$250,000, 1997-2002.

Burgiss, S.G., P.I., Dimmick, S.L. & Welsh, T.S., Evaluation Researchers, University of Tennessee Medical Center, Knoxville. "Trauma Care through Telemedicine: A Rural Network of Health Services Information in East Tennessee." U.S. Department of Commerce, \$250,000, 1997-2002.

Grants and Awards (Internal)

Funded

Welsh, T.S. & Creel, S., "Continued Study into Community Building in SLIS Online Courses" Proposal Development Grant, USM Office of the Vice Provost for Research, \$2,000 funded by CoEP, Spring 2013.

Welsh, T.S., "Finding a Voice: Improving Oral and Written Competencies." Mississippi Quality Enhancement Plan (QEP) Fellowship, \$1500, Fall 2008.

Welsh, T.S. & Cissell, M.E., "Adaptation and Integration of PDA Technology into the School of Library and Information Science," LEC Faculty Mentor Grant, \$2500, February-December 2005.

Welsh, T.S. & Cissell, M.E., "Investigation of the Integration of PDA Technology into the School of Library and Information Science: A Pilot Project," SLIS Faculty Technology Grant, \$1290, December 2004-February 2005.

Welsh, T.S., Creating Futures through Technology Conference, Biloxi, MS. \$90 registration fee, Southern Miss T3 Grant, February 29-March 1, 2004.

Institutional Service Activity

The University of Southern Mississippi

- Graduate Council (GC), 2014-17
- Faculty Senator, 2009-10, 2013-16; Secretary-Elect, 2014-15
- Research Council (URC), 2013-16; Chair-Elect, 2014-15
- Faculty Board, Center for Human Rights, 2013-14
- Advisory Committee (UAC), 2010-14
- Academic Council (AC), General Education Curriculum Committee, 2009-12
- Dietetics Program Advisory Board, 2010-11
- Faculty Alternate, Priority Appeals Panel, 2010-11
- de Grummond Children's Literature Collection, Curious George Ad Hoc Committee, 2006
- Cook Library Fine Appeals Committee, 2003-present

College of Education and Psychology

- Advisory Committee (CAC), 2009-15; Chair, 2013-14
- Curriculum Committee (CCC), 2010-
- Research Committee, 2006-07, 2011-
- Priorities Committee, 2010
- Ad Hoc College Tenure and Promotion Committee, 2010
- Dean's Search Committee, 2007-09
- Faculty Awards Committee, 2005-08
- Dean's Graduate Education Advisory Committee, 2005

School of Library and Information Science

- Admissions Committee, 2007-2012, Chair, 2013-
- Advisory Committee, 2009-12, Chair, 2013-
- Faculty Search Committee Chair, 2013
- Curriculum Committee, 2008-present; Chair, 2010-
- Graduate Certificate in Archives & Special Collections Advisor, 2010-
- Southern Miss Student Archivists Association Advisor, 2010-
- ALA Committee on Accreditation Report, "Standard II, Curriculum," 2012
- SLIS Student Activities Committee, Co-Chair, 2003-08, 2010-14

- Fay B. Kaigler Children's Book Festival, Workshop Convener, 2004; Advisory Board Member, Exhibit Coordinator, 2005-07
- ALA Committee on Accreditation Report, "Standard III, Faculty," 2004
- LISSA, LIS Student Association, Advisor, 2003-08
 - USM Outstanding Student Organization of the Year, 2005

Professional Service Activity and Memberships

National/International

Academic Review Board member, *SAGE Cases in Methodology (SCiM)*, SAGE Publications, London, UK, 2013-14

Scientific Proposal Reviewer, Oak Ridge Associated Universities, Oak Ridge, Tenn., 2012-13

Research Proposal Reviewer, Research Grant Council (RGC) of Hong Kong, China, 2012-13

Reviewer for *Aslib Proceedings*, 2011, 2013; reviewer for *The Electronic Library*, 2012-13

International Conference on [Qualitative and Quantitative Methods in Libraries](#)

- Advisory Committee, 2010-14
- International Scientific Committee, 2012-14

American Library Association, 2003-present

- Volunteer, ALA Tour of de Grummond Collection of Children's Literature, June 24, 2011
- Advisor, ALA Student Chapter, 2003-08

Association for Library and Information Science Education, 2002-present

- School Representative, 2006-
- Membership Advisory Committee, 2006-08
- Garfield Dissertation Award Committee, 2006

National Genealogical Society, 2013-14

Society of American Archivists, 2007-14

Special Libraries Association, 2003-14

International Conference on Telehealth, February 15-17, Innsbruck, Austria

- International Program Committee Member, 2011-12

International Conference on Telehealth, May 30-June 1, 2007, Montreal, Canada

- International Program Committee Member, 2007

Association for Information Science and Technology, 1999-present

- Panel Moderator with Brett Harnett, "Telemedicine: To Mount Everest and Beyond," ASIS 1999 Conference, Washington, D.C., November 3, 1999

Great Lakes Information Science Doctoral Student Association, 1998-02

- Co-Chair, Connections 2000, the Sixth Great Lakes Information Science Conference, University of Tennessee, Knoxville, October 28, 2000

State/Regional

Mississippi School Library Media Guide Committee, 2012-13

- Contributing member of the writing team for the 2013 *Mississippi School Library Media Guide*

Southeastern Library Association, 2007-

Special Libraries Association, LaSoMi Chapter Membership Chair, 2010-13

MARIS (Mississippi Automated Resource Information System) GIS Database Team, 2004-05

Mississippi Library Association, 2003-present

- Scholarship Committee, 2008, 2011
- Information Literacy Committee, 2007-08

Society of Mississippi Archivists, 2005-present

- Advisor, Southern Miss Student Archivists Association (SAA), 2010-present
- Moderator for Discussion on Disaster Experience, Preparation, and Discovery, Southern Archivist's Conference, Lafayette, LA, April 20, 2006
- Moderator, Archive Education Breakout Session, Society of MS Archivists Annual Meeting, Hattiesburg, April 25, 2005

Southern Chapter, Medical Library Association, 2004-09

- Research Committee, 2004-07

University of Tennessee School of Information Sciences Advisory Board, Knoxville, 2006-09

Community Service Activity

- OLLI (Osher Lifelong Learning Institute) Seminar, "How to Find and Evaluate Free Online Resources," February 21 & March 28, 2014
- USM Friends of University Libraries Board; Chair of Public Relations Committee, 2012-13; Vice-President, 2013-14; President, 2014-15
- Friends of Mississippi Libraries, 2008-
- Judge, Hattiesburg Public School District Reading Fair Art Competition, January 2007
- Pronouncer, Forrest County School District Spelling Bee, Hattiesburg, MS, 2006
- Judge, Forrest County School District Spelling Bee, Hattiesburg, MS, February 2004, 2005
- Judge, Thames Elementary School Reading Fair Art Competition, Hattiesburg, November 2004
- Judge, Forrest County School District Reading Fair Art Competition, Hattiesburg, October 2003