

CORRINE SYSTER

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EDUCATION

University of Pittsburgh April 29, 2007
Master of Library and Information Science

The Pennsylvania State University May 17, 2003
Bachelor of Arts, Sociology
Minor in Information Systems and Statistical Analysis

EXPERIENCE

Instructional & Information Technology Librarian June 2007 - Present
Central Pennsylvania College, Charles "Tremendous" Jones Library Summerdale, PA

- Instruct and assist students in properly accessing information from print and electronic resources in individual and group settings
- Conduct quarterly assessments of student learning in information literacy and database instruction sessions and made recommendations based on my findings
- Established and oversee library's distance learning services, including virtual reference service and the development of online instruction modules
- Updated existing subject pathfinders, created new subject and database pathfinders, and introduced the use of a wiki for easier collaboration, maintenance, and access
- Improve campus communication through monthly contributions to internal publications
- Recommend items for purchase based on college curriculum and student needs
- Ensure consistent cataloging practices through database maintenance

Reference Librarian May 2007 – June 2007
Public Services Assistant / Slide Curator August 2003 – May 2007
The Pennsylvania State University, University Libraries Harrisburg, PA

- Provide reference and information services to undergraduate and graduate students, faculty, and the general public
- Assist in weeding children's literature collection based on quality of literature, age, physical condition, and circulation
- Supervise daily activities of the visual resources collection, including over 35,000 35mm slides and 20 digital image resource listings
- Manage \$5,000 budget for acquisition of new and replacement slides
- Responsible for circulation, shelving, and training duties in the circulation department
- Develop and implement borrowing policies and procedures for slide circulation

Library Intern August 2006 – December 2006
Harrisburg Area Community College, McCormick Library Harrisburg, PA

- Completed nearly 500 hours of in-person, telephone, and virtual reference services
- Updated and reviewed 30 informational handouts and resource guides for accuracy, currency, and relevance
- Observed and assisted in library instruction and workshops, including development and teaching of instruction session for 25 students

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY SKILLS

<i>Software:</i>	<i>Databases:</i>	<i>New Media:</i>	<i>Other:</i>
Camtasia	CQ Electronic Library	Blogs	Basic Troubleshooting
EndNote	EbscoHost Databases	Instant Messaging	CSS
Firefox	ERIC Databases	Podcasts	HTML
FrontPage	Gale Group Databases	RSS Feeds	RSS
GIMP (Photoshop Alternative)	Hoover's	Second Life	
KompoZer	Lexis Nexis Academic	Social Bookmarking	
Microsoft Office	netLibrary	Social Networks	
Millennium	Oxford Reference	Vidcasts	
Sirsi Workflows	OCLC WorldCat	Wikis	
SPSS	ProQuest Direct		
	Reference Universe		
	Westlaw		

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

- American Library Association
 - Association of College and Research Libraries
 - College Libraries Section
 - Instruction Section
 - Association for Library Collections and Technical Services
 - Acquisitions Section
 - Cataloging and Classification Section
 - Collection Management and Development Section
 - Preservation and Reformatting Section
 - Serials Section
 - Library Instruction Round Table
 - New Members Round Table
 - Marshall Cavendish Essay Award Committee
 - Reference and User Services Association
 - Business Reference and Services Section
 - Collection Development and Evaluation Section
 - Reference Services Section
 - Sharing and Transforming Access to Resource Section
- Pennsylvania Library Association
- Beta Phi Mu, Pi Chapter

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITY

Presentations

"Brains by Nintendo: what Nintendo knows about learning that libraries should" Presentation for ALA TechSource Gaming, Learning, & Libraries Symposium, November 2-4, 2008.

"Spring cleaning with Millennium: maintaining a useful and usable database for our patrons" Presentation at AccessPA Millennium User Group Meeting, May 7, 2008. (Co-presenter: Martha Payne)

American Reference Books Annual Reviews

Adam, Frederi and Patrick Humphreys. Encyclopedia of Decision Making and Decision Support Technologies. Hershey, PA: Information Science Reference, 2008.

Kern, M. Kathleen. Virtual Reference Best Practices: Tailoring Services to Your Library. Chicago, IL: American Libraries Association, 2008.

Parrillo, Vincent. Encyclopedia of Social Problems. Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage, 2008.

Tomei, Lawrence. Encyclopedia of Information Technology Curriculum Integration. Hershey, PA: Information Science Reference, 2008.

Conference Attendance

2008 - Computers in Libraries. Washington, DC

- ALA TechSource Gaming, Learning, and Libraries Symposium. Chicago, IL

2007 - Pennsylvania Library Association. State College, PA

VOLUNTEER ACTIVITY

Volunteer

Paw Prints Dog Sanctuary & Canine Corps

www.pawprintsdogsanctuary.org

April 2008 - Present

- Developed and maintain web site for Perry County animal sanctuary
- Assist with general administrative duties
- Create promotional materials as needed
- Raised \$1,500 through grant written to The Greg Biffle Foundation