

Work Experience

Serials Technician and Interlibrary Loan Specialist *Apr 2018–present*

Minnesota Department of Transportation Library (MN)

- Manage periodicals acquisition and subscriptions and implement department-wide routing service. Improved routing efficiency by digitizing routing logs as a dynamically populated Excel database and by designing successful pilot program for electronic routing delivery.
- Process interlibrary loans through OCLC Worldshare, including placement of requests, receipt, routing, and return of material, as well as filling of requests.
- Provide basic research and reference services for state employees and the general public.
- Assist with cataloguing, events, and other special projects.

Library Assistant *Jan 2018–present*

Carver County Library (MN)

- Staff service desk at two locations, with responsibilities including materials circulation, periodicals processing, barcoding and RFID tag assignment, patron card/record creation and maintenance, fine resolution and cash accounting, light technical support and reference duties, programming support, and facility opening/closing.

Freelance Editor *Jun 2010–Dec 2017*

Various

- Revised and developed nonfiction manuscripts, with over 75% success helping clients secure contracts with houses such as Wipf & Stock, Sledge Press.
- Supervised magazine copyediting teams up to four staff, including mentorship and training; restructured departmental workflows and rewrote job descriptions to improve efficiency.

Secondary and Adult Educator *Various*

Various

- **Live Instructor** (Sep 2011–May 2014): Taught adult ESL for all skill levels via Blackboard Elluminate synchronous online platform for OpenEnglish LLC (FL); customized immersion adult learning courses with over 95% four- and five-star feedback from students and instructional coaches; provided technical support in English and Spanish.
- **Substitute Teacher** (Aug 2008–Dec 2009; Jan 2015–Apr 2018): Taught multiple subjects in direct instruction roles at the secondary level as substitute staff for the Anchorage School District (AK), as well as for multiple schools and districts in the Twin Cities area through Teaching Temps, Inc. (MN); twice selected as employee of the month for Teaching Temps (Aug 2016 and Aug 2017); designed and conducted training for Teaching Temps staff on diversity and classroom management.

Temporary, Student, and Volunteer Positions *Various*

Various

- **Archival Technician** (Spring 2018): Digitized records and developed finding aids for the Minnesota Library Foundation.
- **Digital Library Developer** (Apr 2017–present): Construct archival primary source collections in Omeka to create the Digital Library for Filianic Studies (filianicstudies.org/cms); perform original cataloguing using Dublin Core metadata and LoC controlled vocabulary; source, scan, format, and transcribe original documents; coordinate contributions of source materials and labor from international team of volunteers.
- **Intern** (Jan–Jul 2017): coordinated submissions, edited and published content for academic blog *Feminism & Religion*.
- **Research Assistant** (May–Sep 2010): Reviewed German academic literature to support French translation projects for the Theological Studies Dept. at Concordia University (QC).

Race MoChridhe

Library Professional and Digital Humanist

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- **Editorial Assistant** (Apr–Jun 2008): Built in-house reference library for the *Alaska Quarterly Review*, including cataloging and design of physical space; maintained website and submission/response databases.
- **Student Aide** (Aug 2005–May 2008): Maintained confidential student information databases for the University of Alaska Anchorage using Microsoft Access; provided general clerical support and reception staffing for the University Honors College, responding to student and staff inquiries on policies and scheduling.

Education

Master of Library and Information Science (concentration in Information Tech.) exp. *May 2019*
University of Wisconsin Milwaukee

Master of Religious Studies *Dec 2013*
Nations University (New Orleans, LA)

Bachelor of Arts, Languages (with concentration in German & French) – cum laude *Aug 2009*

Bachelor of Arts, History – cum laude *May 2008*
University of Alaska Anchorage

Select Publications and Presentations

(To appear 2019). Digital humanities and critical engagement: The case of the *Scottish Corpus of Texts & Speech* and *Wee Windaes*. In M. Deyrup and M. Balkun (Eds.), *Transformative digital humanities: Challenges and opportunities*. Routledge.

(To appear 2019). Linguistic equity as an open access issue. *Journal of Academic Librarianship*.

(To appear 2018). Libraries and language preservation: A defining generational moment. *Journal of New Librarianship*.

(To appear, 2018, November 8). Applications of interlinguistics for improving interoperability and stability of metadata in linked open data environments. To be presented at *The Future of Cataloguing: RDA, Linked Data, and More*, Amigos Library Services online conference.

(2018). Implications of the deep web for academic libraries. In S. Hunt (Chair), *The web is lovely, dark, and deep: A shallow dive beneath the surface*. Panel conducted at the conference of the Minnesota Library Association, St. Cloud, MN, 11 October.

Language & Technical Skills

- **Reading Languages:** English, German, French, Spanish, Esperanto
- **Library Management Systems:** Aleph, Sierra, Destiny
- **Content Management Systems:** Wordpress, Omeka, Sharepoint
- **Digital Humanities:** HTML/CSS; XML (including TEI with *textcrit*, *transcr*, and *msdescription* modules); Dublin Core; Python

Professional Memberships

Special Libraries Association *since 2018*
American Theological Library Association *since 2018*