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Relevant Professional Experience:

University of Nebraska-Lincoln (UNL); Reference Librarian (Social Sciences), April 1999 – present.

Staff the reference desk 8-16 hours per week and assist students, staff, faculty, and community patrons with reference questions; develop resources and perform bibliographic instruction for classes in assigned disciplines and provide general tours of the services and collections; maintain and add to the collection in pertinent areas, including assisting the Reference Desk Services Librarian in maintaining the reference collection; provide discipline-specific training for reference desk staff; meet with faculty from assigned liaison departments and programs to discuss collection development; review exam shelves, expend assigned funds for new materials, and perform other collection development activities as required; serve on committees, taskforces, and working groups as assigned; attend relevant professional conferences and workshops; from June 1999 to July 2002, oversaw the "Ask a Reference Question" e-mail reference service.

UNL University Libraries' Departmental and Program Liaison/Subject Specialist for:

Anthropology 1999 – present;
Educational Psychology (Interim), 2002 – 2003;
Geography, 2001 – present;
Psychology (Interim), 2002 – 2003;
Social Work, 1999 – present;
Sociology, 1999 – present;
Statistics, 2008 – present;
Women's Studies, 1999 – 2004;

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign; Library Graduate Assistant, Education and Social Sciences Library, August 1997 – December 1998.

Staffed the reference desk approximately 15 hours per week and assisted students and faculty with reference questions in education and in the social sciences (anthropology, political science, psychology, social work, sociology, and occult sciences/parapsychology); completed special projects, including updating user guides, weeding the reference collection, performing record maintenance for the test-file database; and participated in the migration of the on-line catalog to a new system.

Freelance editing for local author; East Peoria, Illinois, May 1996 – August 1996.

Assisted local author in preparing a biographical work for publication.

Illinois Central College; East Peoria, Illinois; Adjunct Professor, Department of English, August 1995 – December 1995.

Lectured for Freshman Composition; edited and graded student essays; and provided individual tutorials.

Bradley University; Peoria, Illinois; Graduate Assistant, Department of English, August 1992 – May 1994.

Performed individual composition tutorials with students in the University Writing Center; assisted department faculty with manuscript editing and research; presented one-hour seminars on composition.

Education:

Sixty-nine credit hours toward an Associate's Degree in Creative Writing, August 1988–
May 1990, Black Hawk College (Moline, Illinois).
Bachelor of Arts in English, May 1992, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign.
Master of Arts in English, May 1994, Bradley University (Peoria, Illinois).
Nine credit-hours toward a Master of Fine Arts in Creative Writing, August – December 1994,
University of New Orleans.
Master of Science in Library and Information Science, January 1999, University of Illinois at
Urbana-Champaign.

Professional Development:

Academic Rank and Tenure:

Assistant Professor (University of Nebraska–Lincoln), 1999 – 2005.
Granted Tenure (University of Nebraska–Lincoln), 2005.
Associate Professor (University of Nebraska–Lincoln), 2005 – present.

Publications:

Journal Articles (Peer Reviewed):

- David C. Tyler and Brian L. Pytlik Zillig. (2003). Caveat Relocator: A Practical Relocation Proposal to Save Space and Promote Electronic Resources. *Technical Services Quarterly* 21 (1): 17-29.
Available at: <http://digitalcommons.unl.edu/libraryscience/123/>
- David C. Tyler and Beth McNeil. (2003). Librarians and Link Rot: A Comparative Analysis with Some Methodological Considerations. *portal: Libraries and the Academy* 3 (4): 615-632.
Available at: <http://digitalcommons.unl.edu/libraryscience/62/>
- David C. Tyler, Signe O. Boudreau, and Susan M. Leach. (2005). The Communication Studies Researcher and the Communications Studies Indexes. *Behavioral & Social Sciences Librarian* 23 (2): 19-46.
Available at: <http://digitalcommons.unl.edu/libraryscience/122/>
- David C. Tyler, Katharine C. Potter, Susan M. Leach, and Jennifer M. Kreifels. (2006). Digging a Little Deeper: Coverage of Archaeology from the U.S. from 1950 to 2000+ in Discipline-Specific and Subject-Oriented Online Indexes. *Behavioral and Social Sciences Librarian* 24 (2): 21-67.
Available at: <http://digitalcommons.unl.edu/libraryscience/121/>
- David C. Tyler, Katharine C. Potter, Susan M. Leach, Jennifer M. Kreifels, and Barbara Turner. (2006). Digging Deeper Still: Coverage of Archaeology from the United Kingdom and Ireland from 1950 to 2000+ in Discipline-Specific and Subject-Oriented Online Indexes. *Behavioral and Social Sciences Librarian* 25 (1): 33-91.
Available at: <http://digitalcommons.unl.edu/libraryscience/120/>
- David C. Tyler, Scott Childers, Beth McNeil, and Alicia Dostal. (2006). Want To See The Sites? Better Find a Better Guide: Do Popular Search Engines Return Librarian-Recommended Sites? *Internet Reference Services Quarterly* 11 (3): 85-96.
Available at: <http://digitalcommons.unl.edu/libraryscience/118/>

Journal Articles (Peer Reviewed): (Continued)

David C. Tyler, Signe O. Boudreau, Katharine C. Potter, and Misty Redinbaugh. (2008). EBSCO's *Communication & Mass Media Complete*: An Appreciable Improvement over Previous Communication Studies Indexing? *Behavioral & Social Sciences Librarian* 26 (4): 57-87.

Available at: <http://digitalcommons.unl.edu/libraryscience/173/>

David C. Tyler, Yang Xu, and Emily Dust Nimsakont. (2009). Unearthing Archaeology: A Study of the Recent Coverage of Selected English-Language Archaeology Journals by Multi-Subject Indexes and by *Anthropological Literature*. *Behavioral & Social Sciences Librarian* 28 (3): 100-144.

Available at: <http://digitalcommons.unl.edu/libraryscience/197/>

Research in Progress:

David C. Tyler, Yang Xu, and Joyce Melvin. "Just How Long Are the Customers Always Right?: An Analysis of Interlibrary Loan as a Supplemental Academic Library Collection Development Tool."

David C. Tyler, Richard L. Graham, Anchalee Panigabutra-Roberts, and Barb Turner. "The Mysterious Origins of Dr. Comix: A Citation Analysis of Selected Doctoral Dissertations On or Employing Comic Strips, Comic Books, Graphic Novels, and Other Forms of Sequential Art."

Presentations:

State and Regional (Abstract Reviewed):

David C. Tyler and Beth McNeil. "Librarians and Link Rot: Is It Worthwhile to Index or Catalog the Web?" Nebraska Library Association, College and University Section, Spring Meeting, May 23, 2003, Creighton University, Omaha, Nebraska.

UNL, University Libraries (Non-Peer-Reviewed):

David C. Tyler and Brian Pytlik Zillig, "JSTOR Journals and the Remote Storage Option", Brownbag Session, Academic Activities Committee, September 2000.

David C. Tyler, "Using Blackwell's *Collection Manager*", Brownbag Session, Academic Activities Committee, January 2002.

Grants:

Internal:

University Libraries' Research Program Grant (for "Dr. Comix" project above), 2006 – 2007.

Requested: \$500.00

Funded: \$500.00

Service to the Profession:

Memberships:

American Library Association (ALA), 1999 – present.
 Association of College and Research Libraries (ACRL), 2000 – present.
 Anthropology and Sociology Section (ANSS), 2000 – present.
 Women's Studies Section (WSS), 2000 – 2006.
 College Libraries Section (CLS), 2006 – 2007.
 University Libraries Section (ULS), 2007 – present.
Library Research Round Table (LRRT), 2007 – present.
Reference and User Services Association (RUSA), 2009 – present.
 Collection Development and Evaluation Section (CODES) 2009 – present.
 Reference Services Section (RSS) 2009 – present.
American Society for Information Science and Technology (ASIS&T), 2006 – present.
 Metrics (MET) Virtual Special Interest Group, 2006 – present.
 Information Needs, Seeking and Use (USE) Special Interest Group, 2007 – present.
Nebraska Library Association (NLA), 1999 – 2007.
 College and University Section, 1999 – 2007.
 New Members Round Table, 1999 – 2007.

Service:

ALA, ACRL:

 ANSS Membership Committee, July 2000 – June 2002; July 2002 – June 2004.
 ANSS Conference Program Planning Committee for 2006, ALA Annual Conference
 in New Orleans, January 2005 – June 2006.
 ANSS Publications Committee, July 2006 – June 2008; July 2008 – June 2009 (resigned).

NLA:

 Hospitality Committee, NLA/NEMA Annual Convention, Summer 1999.
 College and University Section, Representative to ACRL Chapters Council (appointed),
 October 2000 – January 2004.
 New Members Round Table, Secretary (elected), October 2002 - October 2003;
 Secretary (elected), October 2003 – October 2004.

Service to the University of Nebraska-Lincoln (UNL):

University Foundations/University Honors Summer Reading Program, Student Discussion Group
Leader, August 1999.
University Foundations/University Honors Summer Reading Program, Student Discussion Group
Leader, August 2000.
University of Nebraska Council of Libraries (UNCL), Common Interface Taskforce,
October 2001 – March 2002.
UNL Faculty/Staff Parking Appeals Committee, 2002 – 2005; 2005 – 2008.
Center for Digital Research in the Humanities, 2005/06 Research Faculty Fellowships, Proposal
Review Panel, April 2005.
Center for Digital Research in the Humanities, 2006/07 Research Faculty Fellowships, Proposal
Review Panel, April 2006.

Service to the UNL University Libraries:

Service to the UNL University Libraries Faculty:

Faculty Secretary (interim), February 2001 – May 2001.

Faculty Secretary (elected), June 2002 – May 2003.

Nominations Committee, June 2003 – May 2004.

Faculty Vice Chair (elected), June 2004 – May 2005.

Liaison Committee, Secretary, June 2004 – May 2005.

Policy, Program, and Budget Committee (elected), June 2005 – May 2007; Chair,
June 2006 – May 2007.

Continuous Appointment and Promotion Committee (CAPC), Faculty Alternate (elected),
December 2008 – January 2009.

Service on UNL University Libraries Committees, Taskforces, etc.:

Collection Development Committee (CDC), Spring 1999 – present (permanent member: 2006).

E-Resource Review Policies and Procedures Ad Hoc Subcommittee,
August – October 2005.

Electronic Resource Management (ERM), Local Subject Categories Ad Hoc
Subcommittee, Chair, March – May 2006.

Vendor Review Ad Hoc Subcommittee, September 2006 – April 2007.

MyiLibrary Title Selection Group, February – April 2009

CDC Internal Documents and Reports:

David C. Tyler, Brian Pytlik Zillig, and the ILL Staff. *JSTOR Journals at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln Libraries*, February 2000. 20 pages.

Rebecca Bernthal and David C. Tyler, *CDC White Paper on Electronic-Only Journals*, January 2002. 6 pages.

David C. Tyler (comp.), *2003 Serials Prioritization Project: Publishers & Prices*, August 2006. 105 pages.

David C. Tyler (comp.), *03/04 - 05/06 BNA Approval Fund Spending: An Initial Assessment*, December 2006. 14 pages.

David C. Tyler (comp.), *2003 Serials Prioritization Data Summary: by Call Number and by Department*, October 2007. 49 pages.

David C. Tyler and Joyce Melvin (comps.), *2005-2006 Filled ILL Requests (non-periodical), by Call Number*, December 2007. 1 page.

David C. Tyler (comp.), Joyce Melvin, and Brian Pytlik-Zillig, *Recent ILL Borrowing (2005-2007): A Report to the CDC*, March 2008. 16 pages.

David C. Tyler (comp.), Mary Lou Epp, Anita Kreps, Joyce Melvin, and Sue Leach, *UNL Libraries 2003/04 – 2007/08 Non-Serial Receipts: Receipts, Spending, and Circulation*, May 2009. (in progress; currently 164 pages.)

David C. Tyler (comp.), *Coutts 2008-2009 Manual Downgrades: Summary Tables*, June 2009. 10 pages.

E-Text Advisory Committee, August 1999 – November 2004 (committee dissolved).

Acquisitions Advisory Group #2 (Innovative Interfaces' Millennium Implementation),
April – July 2001.

GIS Taskforce, May – September 2001.

GPO Maps Committee, January 2003 – August 2003; Chair, April – August 2003.

Service on UNL University Libraries Committees, Taskforces, etc.: (Continued)

Love Library Layout Work Group (Library Depository/Retrieval Facility Project),
December 2003 – June 2004.

Reference Management Software/Proxy Server Ad Hoc Committee, October 2004 – January 2005.

Library Instruction 110 Grading and Assignment Re-Design Committee, January – September
2006.

Ergonomics Committee, July 2006 – June 2008; July 2008 – June 2010.

Assessment Committee, September 2006 – April 2007.

Staff Excellence Award Committee, Faculty Alternate Member (not called to serve), July 2007.

QuestionPoint Chat Transcripts Taskforce, September 2008 – November 2008.

Service on UNL University Libraries Search Advisory Committees:

Social Sciences Librarian (Business), March – August 2003.

Digital Learning Librarian (Social Sciences), August 2003 – November 2003.

Coordinator for Scholarly Communication, January – March 2005.

Accountant (staff), Acquisitions Department, January – September 2006.

Science Librarian (position to be determined), Chair, January 2010 –

Other Professional Activities:

Friends of the Libraries, University of Nebraska–Lincoln, Collection Development Committee,
Spring 2000.

Friends of the Libraries, University of Nebraska–Lincoln, Wyuka “Heaven Can Wait” Run/Walk,
Volunteer, Summer 2000.

Nebraska Service Center Ombudsman's Office (consulted on U.S. citizen/Indian
citizen marriage application), Spring – Summer 2002.

External Reviewer (Promotion and Tenure), University of Tennessee, University Libraries,
Fall 2005.

Lincoln City Libraries, Volunteer (Gere Branch), 2007.