

## Experience

Date	Title	Institution and Department
7/94-Present	Systems Librarian	University of West Georgia-Carrollton, GA
2/92-7/94	Systems Administrator	Lake Lanier Regional Library-Lawrenceville, GA
6/88-2/92	Library Associate	Cobb County Public Library-Acworth and Gritters Branches, GA

## Service to Institution

### Committee Membership for the University of West Georgia

- Chair Pro Tem – Faculty Senate (2008-Present)
- Chair – Faculty Senate, Faculty and Administrative Staff Personnel (2007-Present)
- Secretary – Technology Coordination Council (2006-2008)
- Faculty Senate, Institutional Studies and Planning (2004-2007)
- Chair – Faculty Search, Director of University Libraries (2004-2005)
- Ad Hoc Energy Conservation, Produced Information Technology Energy Conservation Directive (2005)
- Faculty Senate, Technology Planning (2001-2004)
- WebCT/Vista Course Management System Migration Team (2004-2007)
- Information Technology Leaders (2002-2005)
- Chair – Faculty Senate, Technology Planning Subcommittee: Information Technology Strategic Plan Steering (2002-2004)
- Campus Pipeline Project Team (2004)
- Chair – Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (SACS) Accreditation Group for Information Technology (2001-2003)
- Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (SACS) Editorial (2001-2003)
- Faculty/Staff Grievances, involving two grievances (2001)
- Electronic Thesis and Dissertation (2000)
- Chair – Faculty Senate, Faculty and Administrative Staff Personnel (1999-2001)
- Faculty Dismissal (1999)
- Faculty Senate, Faculty and Administrative Staff Personnel (1998-2001)
- Campus Web Design (1997)
- Academic Program Review (1998-1999)
- Faculty Senate, Institutional Studies and Planning (1996-1998)
- Intellectual Property, helped draft first University of West Georgia Intellectual Property policy (1994)

### Committee Membership for the University of West Georgia, Ingram Library

- Ingram Library Renovation Planning and Implementation (July 2008-Present)
- Faculty Search: Electronic Resources and Collection Assessment Librarian (2008-Present)
- Faculty Search: Coordinator of Instruction (2008-Present)
- Space Planning (2007-Present)
- Staff Search: Web Associate (2007-Present)
- Chair – Post Tenure Review (2007)
- Tenure and Promotion (2007)
- Project Manager – Technical Services, Circulation and ILL Areas Redesign Workgroup (2007-2008)
- Library Renovation Planning Workgroup (May-June, 2007)

- Chair – Faculty Search for Instructional Services Librarian (2007)
- Chair – Faculty Search for Instructional Services Government Documents Librarian (2007)
- LibQUAL+ Library Assessment Implementation (Spring 2007)
- Chair – Library Systems Functionality (2006-2008)
- Chair – Staff Search for Web Associate (2005-2006)
- Promotion and Tenure (2005)
- Faculty Search for Cataloging Librarian (2004-2005)
- Library Homepage Usability Assessment (2003-2006)
- Library Automation (1994-2006)
- Library Web (1998-2006)
- Library Performance Appraisals Review and Revisions (2002-2004; 2007-Present)
- Faculty Search, Instructional Services Librarian (2001)
- Chair – Staff Search for Administrative Services (2001)
- Chair – Departmental Promotion (2000, 2001)
- Chair – Departmental Promotion (2000)
- Departmental Tenure Committee (1995)
- Public Relations (1998-2004)
- Automation (1994-2006)

## Committee Membership for the University System of Georgia

- Georgia Library Learning Online (GALILEO): Courseware and Website Library Resource Integration Working Group (2007-Present)
- Georgia Library Learning Online (GALILEO)/GETSM Consortium (University of Georgia, Emory, Georgia Tech, Georgia State University and Mercer University): SFX Link Resolver Pilot Libraries Group (2004-Present)
- Regents Advisory Council on Libraries: WebCT Working Group (2004-2005)
- Georgia Library Learning Online (GALILEO): Local Resources Interface Administrators (2004)
- Georgia Library Learning Online (GALILEO): Electronic Resources Access Study Group, ERASG (2001-2003)
- GALILEO Interconnected Libraries (GIL): Reports (2000)
- Georgia Library Learning Online (GALILEO) / GALILEO Interconnected Libraries: Technical, Elected liaison to GALILEO/GIL Systems (1996-1998)
- Georgia Library Learning Online (GALILEO)/GALILEO Interconnected Libraries: Systems, Liaison to GALILEO/GIL Technical (1996-1998)

## Community Activity

- Little Tallapoosa Botanical Society-Carrollton, GA (2000-Present)
  - “Culinary and Medicinal Herbs.” Program presented with Sarah Huff, Lorene Flanders and Paul Campbell (May 2006)
  - Co-President with Sarah Huff (2001-2002)
- LIL: Librarians for Information Literacy, West Georgia Area Information Literacy Group (2005-Present)
  - LIL Representative at Carrollton City Mayfest, promoting GALILEO (Carrollton, GA: May 6, 2006)
- Website Assistance to Bremen City Schools Music Department (2005-2006)
- Boy Scouts, Pack 259 (Den Leader 2000-2004, Cubmaster 2003-2004)

## Academic Achievement

Degree	School	Year
BA-English	Kennesaw State University	1988
MSLS-Library Automation	Clark Atlanta University	1991
MA-English	State University of West Georgia	1998

## M.A. Thesis

- Huff, Christopher. "Me reading the books, and having a general good time" : privileging the written word in Adventures of Huckleberry Finn. Carrollton: State University of West Georgia, 1998.

## Honors

- University of West Georgia Centennial Faculty Award (2007)
  - Cash award applied to cost of attending Peabody Professional Institutes on Academic Library Leadership
- Willie Maude Thompson Award (1997-1998)
  - Cash award for English department graduate student selected by English faculty vote

## Professional Growth

### Membership and offices in professional societies

- Ex Libris Users of North America (ELUNA), Voyager and SFX Product Groups (2007-Present)
- Southeastern Library Association (2007-Present)
- Georgia Library Association (2007-Present)
- Voyager Users Group, now Ex Libris Users of North America (1999-2007)
- Chair, Georgia Unicorn Users Group (1996)
- Georgia Unicorn Users Group (1994-1998)
- International SIRSI Users Group (1994-1998)

## Publications

- Huff, Chris. "Technology: Is It Time to Try Microsoft Office Alternatives?" *MLA News*. 404 (2008) 14.
- Huff, Chris. "REVIEW OF: Noel Rappin and Robin Dunn. (2006). *wxPython in Action*. Greenwich, CT: Manning Publishing." *Technology Electronic Reviews*. 14.1 (2007)  
<[http://www.lita.org/ala/lita/litapublications/ter/terv14n1\\_rappin.cfm](http://www.lita.org/ala/lita/litapublications/ter/terv14n1_rappin.cfm)>.
- Huff, Christopher W. "REVIEW OF: John Cato. (2001). *User-Centered Web Design*. Harlow, England: Addison-Wesley." *Technology Electronic Reviews*. 9.2 (2002) <<http://www.lita.org/ter/ter-9-2.html#cato>>.
- Huff, Chris and Mark McManus. "E-Journals: Providing Access to Electronic Resources." *Georgia Library Quarterly*. 38.3 (2001): 5-9.
- Huff, Chris. [Contributed section about HTML meta refresh]. *Providing Library Services for Distance Education Students: A How-To-Do-It Manual*. Carol F. Goodson. New York, NY: Neal-Schuman, 2001. 46-47.

## Papers read

- "E-Journals: Providing Access to Electronic Resources." (GLA/SELA Conference, Jekyll Island, GA-October 12, 2000; Academic Library Divisions Paper selected for co-presentation with Mark McManus)
- "I'll write it for you on a piece of paper, and you can read it along the road': Beyond Phonocentrism in Huck Finn." (UWG Department of English and Philosophy Colloquium Series, Carrollton, GA-November 19, 1998)

## Editorships

- Journal for Library Services in Distance Education-<http://www.westga.edu/library/jlsde/> (1997-1999)
- William Gilmore Simms Society (Web Technician)-<http://www.westga.edu/~simms/> (2000 – 2003)

## Work in progress

- Presentation of information gained at the Peabody Professional Institute on Academic Library Leadership

## Presentations

- LibGuides Implementation Workshops (UWG: Jun 12, 26 and Jul 1, 2008)
- “Implementing Media Scheduling for the Library and LRC.” GUGM: GIL Users Group Meeting (Fort Valley, GA: May 15, 2008)
- Library Promotional Film, participant (UWG: Apr, 2008)
- Library Benchmarking. Co-presented with Lorene Flanders for visit from Columbus State University Library Staff (UWG: Mar 3, 2008)
- Functional Infrastructure. Co-presented with Dr. Brad Prince to the Faculty Senate Ad Hoc Rules Committee (UWG, Feb 25, 2008)
- JabRef: Bibliographic Management Tool. GALILEO Courseware and Website Library Resource Integration Working Group. (Athens, GA: Feb 13, 2008)
- Experiences at the USG Administrators Workshop. New Faculty Seminar (UWG: Nov 30, 2007)
- Library Renovation Needs. UWG Dean’s Retreat (UWG: June 27, 2007)
- UWG Student Technology Fees Presentation of Library Requests (UWG-March 30, 2007)
- Systems Security Issues: Staff Development Day (UWG: Aug 1, 2005)
- New Faculty Orientation Session for UWG College of Education Faculty (UWG: Aug 26, 2005)
- GALILEO Interconnected Libraries (GIL) Voyager Reports Training, Coordinator (UWG: May 29, 2005)
- GALILEO Interconnected Libraries (GIL) Voyager Circulation Management Training, Coordinator (UWG: June 2, 2005)
- Library Subject Guide Training (UWG: Numerous Times 2004)
- “The West Georgia Article Locator,” presenting a software tool I created to help patrons access our journals. GIL Users Group Meeting (Macon, GA: May 21, 2003)
- Library Research. UWG Graduate Education Forum (UWG: October 29, 2003)
- Copyright and Educational Fair Use (UWG Department of Curriculum and Instruction: Feb 22, 2002)
- New Enhancements to EBSCO Searching, Demonstrating a tool I created (UWG: Oct 2, 2001)
- GALILEO Electronic Resources Access Study Group, Co-Presented with Betsy Griffies (UWG: Aug 13, 2001)
- Workshops on HTML, Co-Presented with Michael Aldrich (UWG: 2000-2001)
- E-Journals: Providing Access to Electronic Resources, Selected academic paper co-presented with Mark McManus, GLA/SELA Conference (Jekyll Is. GA: Oct 12, 2000)
- GALILEO Interconnected Libraries (GIL) Conversion Workshop for Kennesaw State University (UWG: July 27, 2000)
- GALILEO Interconnected Libraries (GIL) Conversion Workshop for Georgia Institute of Technology (UWG: July 25, 2000)
- GALILEO Interconnected Libraries (GIL) Conversion Experience, to GIL Phase III libraries (Macon, GA: May 10, 2000)
- GALILEO Interconnected Libraries (GIL) Conversion Workshop for Valdosta State University (UWG: May 9, 2000)
- GALILEO Interconnected Libraries (GIL) Conversion Workshop for Gainesville College (UWG: May 9, 2000)
- William Gilmore Simms Web Site, Co-presented with Dr. David Newton, Chair of UWG English

- Department, Annual William Gilmore Simms Society Conference (Charleston, SC: Jan 13-16, 2000)
- “Using WebCT to Create Course Materials,” co-presented with Shirley Lankford at the Georgia Library Association/Georgia Council of Media Organizations Convention (Macon, GA: Oct 1998)
- Carrollton Roundtable Discussion on Technology in Education for UWG Channel 13 (UWG: May 1997)
- “Introduction to FTP-Macintosh,” Technology Training Series, UWG School of Education (UWG: Dec 1, 1995; Jan 12, 1996)
- “Introduction to the Internet,” Technology Training Series, UWG School of Education (UWG: Nov 17, 1995)
- Internet Workshop - Graduate School (UWG: Mar 1995)
- “CD-ROM Networking,” North Georgia Associated Libraries (Rome, GA: Jan 1995)
- “The Electronic Library,” West Georgia Regional Library (Carrollton, GA: Nov 18, 1994; Dec 2, 1994)
- SIRSI System Upgrade Issues, Georgia Library Association/Georgia Council of Media Organizations Convention (Augusta, GA: Oct 1994)
- “Networking CD-ROM Systems in Public Libraries,” Information Access Conference, University of South Carolina CLIS (Columbia, SC: Apr 1993)
- “Integrating the OPAC and a CD-ROM LAN Over a Wide Area Network at Lake Lanier Regional Library,” Georgia Library Association/Georgia Council of Media Organizations Convention Cooperative Ventures IV (Savannah, GA: Nov 1992)
- “Networking CD-ROM’s: Panel Discussion,” Georgia Library Association/Georgia Council of Media Organizations Convention Cooperative Ventures IV (Savannah, GA: Nov 1992)
- “Integrating a CD-ROM LAN with the HP LAN,” Southeastern Regional Users Group of Hewlett-Packard Computer Users (Panama City Beach, FL: Sep 1992)

## Major Conferences Attended

- Joint Conference of Kentucky Library Association/Kentucky School Media Association Southeastern Library Association and Association of Research Libraries – “National Diversity In Libraries” (Louisville, KY: Oct 1-4, 2008)
  - Moderator for sessions “From inventors to musicians: intellectual property programs for diverse audiences” and “Opportunities and challenges in minority recruitment”
- ExLibris Users of North America (Long Beach, CA: Jul 29-Aug 1, 2008)
- GALILEO Interconnected Libraries (GIL) Users Group Meeting (Fort Valley, GA: May 14-15, 2008)
  - Presented “Implementing Media Scheduling for the Library and LRC”
- Computers in Libraries Conference (Washington, DC: Apr 6-9, 2008)
- Ex Libris Users of North America Conference (Spearfish, ND: June 5-8, 2007)
- GALILEO Interconnected Libraries (GIL) Users Group Meeting (Fort Valley, GA: May 17, 2007)
- Southeastern Library Network (SOLINET) Annual Meeting (Atlanta, GA: May 10, 2007)
- Georgia Online Database (GOLD)/Georgia Library Learning Online (GALILEO) Annual Users Group Conference 2006 (Athens, GA: August 4, 2006)
- GALILEO Interconnected Libraries (GIL) Users Group Meeting, Macon State College (Macon, GA: May 19, 2005)
- GALILEO Interconnected Libraries (GIL) Users Group Meeting (Macon, GA: May 2003)
  - Presented “The West Georgia Article Locator,” presenting a software tool I created to help patrons access our journals
- Voyager Users Group (Des Plaines, IL: 1999)
- Georgia Library Association/Georgia Council of Media Organizations Convention (Macon, GA: Oct 1998)
  - Co-presented with Shirley Lankford “Using WebCT to Create Course Materials”
- International SIRSI Users Group Meeting (Huntsville, AL: 1994, 1995, 1996, 1997, 1998)
- University System of Georgia Annual Computing Conference (Rock Eagle, GA: 1994, 1995, 1996, 1997)
- Georgia Library Association/Georgia Council of Media Organizations Convention (Augusta, GA:

- Oct 1994)
- Information Access Conference, University of South Carolina CLIS (Columbia, SC: Apr 1993)
  - Presented “Networking CD-ROM Systems in Public Libraries”
- Georgia Library Association/Georgia Council of Media Organizations Convention (Savannah, GA: Nov 1992)
  - Presented “Integrating the OPAC and a CD-ROM LAN Over a Wide Area Network at Lake Lanier Regional Library”
  - Participated in “Networking CD-ROM’s: Panel Discussion”

## Professional Development

- “The Engaged Library: Strategies for Building Vibrant Learning Communities.” Association of College & Research Library's Webcast (UWG: Sep 12, 2008)
- Peabody Professional Institutes: Academic Library Leadership (Jul 6-10, 2008)
  - Intensive, residential experience with competitive selection of attendees
- “Enhancing Student Achievement: Applying Standards and Assessment in the Library.” Dr. William (Bill) Neal Nelson at the Charles Beard Library Lecture (UWG: Apr 16, 2008)
- Administrative Change in Libraries, Alabama Association of College and Research Libraries (AACRL) Workshop (Jacksonville, AL: Feb 27, 2008)
- Georgia Library Learning Online (GALILEO) Courseware and Website Library Resource Integration Working Group. (Athens, GA: Feb 13, 2008)
- SFX Link Resolver Training (Atlanta, GA: Nov 7, 2007)
- University System of Georgia Administrators Workshop (Athens, GA: Nov 1-2, 2007)
- Appalachian State University Library Site Visit (Boone, NC: Oct 11, 2007)
- Library Renovation Planning: An Academic Impressions Web Conference. By Charles Forest, Library Planning Officer, Emory University (UWG: Sep 25, 2007)
- Leadership and IT Strategy for Higher Education Leaders Workshop (Atlanta, GA: Mar 21, 2007)
- Georgia State University Library Renovation Open House (Georgia State University: Nov 15, 2007)
- Professional Collaboration with Georgia Perimeter and Macon State Colleges (UWG: July 12 and 27, 2007)
- North Georgia Associated Libraries: Library 2.0 (Rome, GA: July 11, 2006)
- GALILEO Interconnected Libraries (GIL): Collection Management Reports (Athens, GA: Jul 13, 2005)
- SFX Training (Agnes Scott College: Aug 3-4, 2004)
- Georgia Library Learning Online (GALILEO) Local Resources Integration Training (Atlanta: Feb 12, 2003)
- Microsoft Windows2000 Policies (Kennesaw State University: May 29, 2002)
- Microsoft Windows2000 Server Management (Kennesaw State University: May 6-9, 2002)
- Linux Server and Workstation, (Kennesaw State University: February 28-March 1, 2000)
- Voyager Orientation and Functional Training (Des Plaines, IL: 1999)
- SIRSI Systems Management, OPAC Manager and Upgrade (Huntsville, AL: 1996)
- Unicorn/Stilas Version 8.0 Upgrade Seminar (Atlanta, GA - October 1996)

## Training and Workshops

- Library Staff Development Day, Coweta County Public Library (Newnan, GA: Aug 4, 2008)
- ArtSTOR Art Images Database Training (Online: May 29, 2008)
- “LexisNexis Congressional Digital Collections.” Dawn M. Zehner (UWG: Apr 22, 2008)
- University System of Georgia Workshop: Best Practices in Hiring (UWG: Dec 4, 2007)
- Library Staff Development Workshops (UWG: Aug 1-2, 2007)
- GALILEO Interconnected Libraries (GIL): Voyager Reporting System Training (UWG: Jun 11-12, 2007)
- University of West Georgia Conflict Resolution Workshop (UWG: Sep 20, 2006)
- Ingram Library Staff Development (UWG: August 2, 2006)

- University of West Georgia WebCT/Vista Course Management System Training (UWG: Mar 16, 2006)
- Digital Measures Faculty Portfolio Management System Demonstration (UWG-Oct 1, 2005)
- GALILEO Interconnected Libraries (GIL): Voyager Reports Training, Coordinator (UWG: May 29, 2005)
- GALILEO Interconnected Libraries (GIL): Voyager Circulation Management Training, Coordinator (UWG: June 2, 2005)
- ILLiad Interlibrary Loan Software System Training (UWG: March 23, 2004)
- University of West Georgia Recruiting Workshop (UWG: Sept 2, 2004)

## Other Professional Events

- New UWG Faculty Greeting (UWG: Aug 8, 2008)
- “An Evening of Poetry and Jazz” at Ingram Library (UWG: Apr 18, 2008)
- Faculty Senate committee chair representative at meeting with Dr. Susan Herbst, Executive Vice Chancellor and Chief Academic Office for the University System of Georgia (UWG: Mar 6, 2008)
- Ingram Library Centennial Celebration (UWG: Jan 27, 2008)
- New Faculty Seminar, as senate committee chair (UWG: Oct 26, 2007)