

Elizabeth D. Housewright

ehousewright@gmail.com

Education

M.L.S., San Jose State University, 1991

M.A., Biology (Immunology), California State University Fullerton, 1977

B.A., Biology (Neurobiology & Behavior), Cornell University, 1971

Experience

2001 - Associate University Librarian, Pollak Library, California State University, Fullerton (CSUF); acting position until 6/2006. Responsible for oversight of budget, personnel, and facilities

2004 - Head, Library Systems Section, Pollak Library, CSUF

2004 – 2006 Acting Head, Access Services Unit (Circulation, Periodicals, Audiovisual & Curriculum Materials, and Interlibrary Loan sections), Pollak Library, CSUF.

2000- 2001 Head, Instruction & Information Services Unit (Reference, Instruction, Government Documents, Library Web site), Senior Assistant Librarian, Pollak Library, CSUF

1997-2000 Co-Coordinator, Reference Section, Senior Assistant Librarian, Pollak Library, CSUF. Also responsible for bibliographic instruction and collection development for science and engineering disciplines and others

1995-1997 Assistant Librarian, University Library, CSUF. Twelve to twenty hours reference service per week, bibliographic instruction, collection development and guide preparation for science and engineering disciplines and others

1993-1995 Assistant Librarian, Beckman Instruments, Inc. Scientific/business reference using Dialog, STN, and Medline; original cataloging; interlibrary loans; design/implementation of patent notebook control database (MS Access)

1992 Librarian, McDonnell Douglas Space Systems Company, half time. Organized information for online serials database. Team projects included design of front-end screens for searching catalog and design of HyperCard-based library information database. Reference, including online/CD-ROM searches.

S78; F87; F88-S90 Lecturer, CSUF. Taught Immunology (Biology 424) to seniors and graduate students, supervised laboratory teaching assistant

1985-1988 Laboratory assistant, part-time, CSUF. Refining immunology laboratory techniques for laboratory manual in preparation

1971-1976 Various jobs as laboratory assistant, part-time, at CSUF, California Institute of Technology, and Cornell University

Computer skills

Windows XP; Office 2007; FrontPage; Visio; Open ULR resolver (SFX), Metasearch (MetaLib), Electronic Resource Management System (Verde,) Integrated Library System (III Millennium), ILLiad, Course Management Systems (Blackboard): user, plus some knowledge of administrative sites.

Awards

Outstanding Staff Award, CSU Council of Library Directors, 2001

Outstanding Service to the University, CSUF, 2000

Professional memberships

American Library Association: LAMA, ACRL, LITA

California Library Association

Professional activities

Campus Administration and Leadership Discussion Group, Committee member, University Libraries Section, ACRL, 2008-2010

“Change Leadership in a Global Environment” workshop for Associate University Librarians, attendee, George Washington University, Fall 2008

"Information Futures for Access, Digital Content, and Libraries" track, adjunct reader for EDUCAUSE 2007 Annual Conference

California Academic & Research Library Association (CARL) Research Awards Committee Chair 2001

Stanford-California State Library Institute on 21st Century Librarianship Summer 2000

CARL 2000 Annual State Conference Program Committee Co-Chair

Orange County Library Association Board newsletter editor, 1997/99

Grants

CSUF Mission & Goals Grant co-author, 2007: Research and Information Competencies: Health & Human Development College and Library

CSUF Retention Grant co-author, 2000: Conversations with Scholars lecture series

CSUF Faculty Enhancement & Instructional Development Grant, 1999: web-based research guides

CSUF budget enhancement proposal co-author, 1998: CARL UnCover Document Delivery program for Graduate Students

CSU Commission on Learning Resources & Instruction Technology grant co-author, 1997: “Teach the Teachers: Faculty Development in Information Competence”

CSUF University Planning Initiative grant, co-author, 1996: funding for Academic Press IDEAL

Presentations

“Three Years (and Counting) of Being Flexible in a Rigid World” co-presenter, Association of College and Research Libraries Conference, Seattle, WA, 2009

“Mobile Access Team: Bringing Cross-Training, Expertise, and People Together” co-presenter, California Library Association Annual Conference, Long Beach, CA 2007

“Change Management” co-presenter, Community of Academic Technology Staff (CATS) 2007 Conference, Fullerton, CA 2007

“Getting Organized for SFX & MetaLib in the CSU” co-presenter, CSU SFX & MetaLib User’s Group Conference, San Jose, CA, 2006

“Can’t Live Without Them: Library Student Employees” Panelist, CARL Bi-Annual Conference, Pasadena, CA, 2004

“Let’s Do It! Website Redesign: A Team Managed, Database Approach” co-presenter, California Library Association Annual Conference, Ontario, CA, 2003.

“Starting and Sustaining a Discipline-Specific Information Literacy Program” co-presenter, at “Integrating Information Literacy into the Disciplines: Is Science Different?” workshop for CARL South Interest Groups, Pomona, CA, 2003.

“Assessing Library Instruction for Distance Learners: A Case Study of Nursing Students” co-presenter, LOEX Annual Conference, Ypsilanti, MI, 2001

Pharos Resource Sharing System demonstration co-presenter, CSU Chancellor’s Office, 2000

“In the Trenches with Technology” co-presenter, CSU Symposium on University Teaching, 2000

“Introducing Freshmen to Information Technology” co-presenter, Syllabus99, Santa Clara, CA, 1999

“Using Assessment to Improve the Freshman Year Experience of Students” co-presenter, Fifth National Students in Transition-West Conference, Irvine, CA, 1999

“Hands-on to get a leg up on college” co-presenter, annual California Clearinghouse for Library Instruction-South Open House, UCLA, 1999

“Making the First time Count: the Fullerton First Year Collaborative Experience” co-presenter, annual CARL conference, 1998

Publications

Cox, S. & Housewright, E.D. (2003) Teaching from the Web: Constructing a Library Learning Environment where Connections can be made. Reprinted in: From Email to Earthquakes: on Teaching and Learning with Technology in the California State University, 180-199.

Housewright, E.D. (2002) Monitoring the Status of Our Library Resources. [CSUF] Senate Forum Newsletter XVIII (1), 16.

Ruttenberg, J. & Housewright, E.D. (2001) Assessing Library Instruction for Distance Learners: A Case Study of Nursing Students. 2001 LOEX Conference Proceedings.

Cox, S. & Housewright, E.D. (2001) Teaching from the Web: Constructing a Library Learning Environment where Connections can be made. Library Trends 50(1), 28-46.

Cox, S. & Housewright, E.D., (1999). Fullerton First Year (FFY), A Program Designed to Provide Freshmen with a More Integrated Learning Experience. Syllabus99 Conference Proceedings.

Housewright, E. D. (2000) [Review of the book Academic Library Centrality: User Success through Service, Access, and Tradition]. Serials Review, 26, 74-75.

Housewright, E. D. (2000) [Review of:

- 2000 Oncology Nursing Drug Handbook]. E-STREAMS, 3(6), 31-32.
- Springhouse Nurse’s Drug Guide]. E-STREAMS, 3(6), 30-31.
- What Every Engineer Should Know about Ethics]. E-STREAMS, 3(4), 16-17.
- CRC Desk Reference for Hematology]. E-STREAMS, 2(12), 23-24.
- Cambridge Encyclopedia of Human Growth and Development]. E-STREAMS, 2(12), 32-33.
- 1001 Chemicals in Everyday Products]. E-STREAMS, 2(11), 9-10.
- Handbook of Derivatization Reactions for HPLC]. E-STREAMS, 2(11), 10-11.
- Engineering Procedures Handbook]. E-STREAMS, 2(11), 15.
- Guide to Human Genome Computing]. E-STREAMS, 2(8), 15-16.
- Manual of Cancer Nursing: Oncology Fact Finder]. E-STREAMS, 2(7), 11.

- Math for Nurses: A Pocket Guide to Dosage Calculation and Drug Preparation]. E-STREAMS, 2(7), 18.
- Guide to Symptom Relief in Advanced Disease]. E-STREAMS, 2(3), 15-16.
- Encyclopedia of Corrosion Technology]. E-STREAMS, 2(1), 9.
- Handbook of Patient Controlled Analgesia]. E-STREAMS, 1(10), 14.
- Dictionary of Metallurgy]. E-STREAMS, 1(8), 8-9.
- Nursing98 Drug Handbook]. E-STREAMS, 1(7), 19-20.
- Atlas of Chick Development] E-STREAMS, 1(6), 20-21.

CSU System Service

CSU Library Statistics Task Force, Spring 2009

Vice Chair of CSU Unified Information Access System Task Force for Inter-Campus Services, 1997/00

CSUF Service (Selected)

University Business Institute Advisory Board, 2008

Director of Freshman Programs Search Committee (Chair), 2007/08

University Club Book Discussion Group (Leader), 2007-present

Center for Oral and Public History Advisory Board, 2006-present

Academic Senate University Advancement Committee, Member 2006/08; Chair, 2007/08

Faculty Academic Senate, Elected at-large, 1999/02

Academic Senate Planning, Resource, & Budget Committee, 2001/03

Faculty Development Center Advisory Board & Intramural Awards Sub-Committee, 1998/99

CSUF Academic Senate Faculty Development, Education and Innovation Committee, Member 96/97; Chair, 97/98

Fullerton First Year team, tasked with developing and implementing a new class for a pilot group of freshmen in 1997/98. Continuing in 1998/01.

Library Service (Current)

University Librarian's Council, August 2000-present

Electronic Collection Development team (now Collection Development Team), 1999-present

Library Systems Steering Group, 2006-present

SFX Implementation Team, 2003- present; head 2005/06

MetaLib Team, 2004-present

Verde Implementation Team, 2006-present

Licensing Team, 2006-present

Web Administrative Team, 2004-present

Community Service:

Great Books Discussion Group, Placentia Library: member 1982-88, leader 1988-present

Cornell Alumni Admissions Ambassador Network, North Orange County: member 1972-2005, Chair 2005-present