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### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 2010-           Coordinator of Collection Development . University of North Texas, Denton, TX 76203.  
2007-2010     Head, Research and Instructional Services. University of North Texas, Denton, TX 76203.  
2000-2007     Director of Library Services. Western State College, Gunnison, CO 81231.  
1995-2000     Director of Library Services. Professor. Lamar University, Mary and John Gray Library,  
Beaumont, TX 77710.  
1989-1995     Head, Sciences and Technology. Associate Professor. Colorado State University Libraries, Fort  
Collins, CO. 80523.  
1986-1989     Manager, Bibliographic Research. Institute for Scientific Information, Philadelphia, PA 19104.  
1985-1986     Reference Librarian. Free Library of Philadelphia, Business Science and Industry Division,  
Philadelphia, PA

### EDUCATION

- Drexel University, Philadelphia, PA, Advanced Study in Information Resources Management.  
University of the South, Sewanee, TN. Certificate in Religious Education.  
Drexel University, Philadelphia, PA, M.S. In Library Science.  
College of William and Mary, Williamsburg, VA. A.B. In Education.

### PRESENTATIONS AND PUBLICATIONS (Selected)

- Avery, Beth Fuseler. In press, 2012. Setting goals for staff development. In C. Zsulya, A. Stewart and C. Washinton-Hoagland (eds.) *Staff development: A practical guide*. (4th ed.). Chicago, IL: ALA Editions.
- Avery, Beth Fuseler, et. al. . 2011. Virtual Reference Academically Speaking. In *Leading the Reference Renaissance: Forward to the Future* (Tentative title), edited by Marie L. Radford, to be published in the fall of 2011 by Neal-Schuman.
- Avery, Elizabeth Fuseler, Karen J. Docherty, and Shaye White. 2011. Cooperative SMS: The My InfoQuest Journey, In *Leading the Reference Renaissance: Forward to the Future* (Tentative title), edited by Marie L. Radford, to be published in the fall of 2011 by Neal-Schuman.
- Managing Your Future E-Book Collection: From the Librarians' P.O. V. Invited Panelist at the Publisher/Vendor Librarian Relations Interest Group. ALA Annual Conference, June 27, 2011.
- Learning from Our Users: Using Assessment to Drive Change, with Diane Wahl. Poster Session at ALA Annual Conference. June 26, 2011.
- Avery, Beth Fuseler. 2011. Assessment in the everyday life of the. In D. Barr (ed.), *Confluence of ideas: Evolving to meet the challenges of global change. Proceedings of the 35<sup>th</sup> IAMSLIC Annual Conference*. Newport, OR: IAMSLIC. 137-140.
- Using Assessment Techniques to Guide Library Service Improvements. With Diane Wahl and Annie Downey. Presentation at Phoenix Staff Day, held at Texas Woman's University. May 27, 2011.
- Virtual Reference: To Consort or Not? With France May, Greg Hardin, Carlton Nelson, Sylvia Owens, Joe Jackson, Emme Lopez. Panel at Texas Library Association Conference . April 1, 2011.
- The Future of The Book in Collection Development. With Pradeep Lele. Roundtable discussion. ACRL National Conference Conference. Philadelphia, PA. April 13, 2011.
- Learning from Our Users: Using Assessment to Drive Change. With Diane Wahl. Amigos Member Conference. May 5, 2010.

- We Ain't Lion! We Want Customers Happy and Chaos Free! Texas Library Association Conference. April 16, 2010.
- Avery, Beth. 2010 Green libraries. NTRLS Featured Article. July 2009.  
<http://www.ntrls2.org/default.asp?action=article&ID=368>
- Ever Green: Making Your Library the Catalyst for Sustainability. With Justine Shaffner, Marie Bloeche. Mountain Plains/Oklahoma Library Association Joint Conference. April 20, 2010.
- Crossing Borders A Cooperative Virtual Reference Project. With Louise Treff-Gangler. Mountain Plains/Oklahoma Library Association Joint Conference. April 20, 2010.
- Now Over to You: Lessons Learned in an Online Meeting. With Shaun Seibel. TechNet 2009. Fort Worth, TX. May 5, 2009.
- Avery, Elizabeth and Virginia Allen. 2009. Integrating content communities into your library. In K. Johnson, (ed.), *Changes on the horizon. Proceedings of the International Association of Aquatic and Marine Science Libraries and Information Centers 33rd Annual Conference* (pp. 15-20). Ft. Pierce: IAMSLIC.
- Do You See What Customers See? A New Perspective on Your Building. Texas Library Association. Preconference. Houston, TX. With Carolyn Brewer. March 31, 2009.
- Choosing the Right Leaders for Your Library: Roundtable Discussion. With Virginia Allen. ACRL National Conference in Seattle, WA. March 14, 2009.
- Building a Marketing Message. Colorado Library Consortium. Spring Workshop. Grand Junction, CO. February 23, 2009.
- Tagging isn't just Done on Walls: Building Content Communities. Technet 2008. Fort Worth, TX, June 12, 2008.
- Creating a Google Advanced Search Engine. Technet 2008. Fort Worth, TX, June 12, 2008.
- The No So Common Commons. Panel Presentation at MPLA/ULA Annual Conference. Salt Lake City, UT. May 1, 2008.
- Terriers and Bulldogs: Keeping Your Library Building Project On Task to Completion. IAMSLIC 2007 Sarasota, FL. Panel presented with Susan Berteaux, Steve Watkins, Deb Henry. October 10, 2007.
- Avery, Elizabeth and Virginia Allen. 2007. Libraries meet the grid: Librarians in cyberspace. In K. Johnson, (ed.). *Every continent, Every ocean. Proceedings of the International Association of Aquatic and Marine Science Libraries and Information Centers 31st Annual Conference*. Ft. Pierce: IAMSLIC, p. 23-31.
- Let the Patron be our Guide: Using Interlibrary Loan Requests in Collection Development. Panel Coordinator and one of five presenters, Mountain Plains/New Mexico Library Associations Joint Conference, Albuquerque. March 16, 2007.
- Consortial Purchasing: Working Together Small Libraries Can Get A Break. Mountain Plains/New Mexico Library Associations Conference. Albuquerque. March 15, 2007.
- Avery, Elizabeth Fuseler. 2003. *Assessing student learning outcomes for information literacy instruction in academic institutions*. Chicago: ACRL, 2003.
- Avery, Elizabeth Fuseler, Terry Dahlin and Deborah Carver, eds. 2001. *Staff development: A practical guide* (3<sup>rd</sup> ed). Chicago: ALA Editions
- Pudovkin, Alexander I. and Elizabeth A Fuseler. 1994. Indices of journal citation relatedness and citation relationships among aquatic biology Journals. *Scientometrics* 32 (3):227-236.
- Fuseler, Elizabeth. 1994. Providing access to journals -- Just in time or just in case. *C&RL News* 55:130-32, 148.
- Rutstein, Joel, Anna DeMiller, and Elizabeth Fuseler. 1993. Ownership versus access: Shifting perspectives for Libraries. *Advances in Librarianship* 17:33-60.
- Fuseler McDowell, Elizabeth. 1990. Collection evaluation and development using citation analysis techniques. In R, W, Burkhart and J. C. Burkhart (eds), *IAMSLIC at a Crossroads*. (pp. 99-108). Ft. Pierce, FL: IAMSLIC.

Rutstein, Joel & Elizabeth Fuseler McDowell. 1990. Cultural literacy and college students: new challenges for academic libraries and collection development. *Colorado Libraries* 16(1):6-9.

## **PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES (Selected)**

Informing Science Institute and the InSITE Joint Conference. Board of Reviewers. 2010 and 2011.

International Association of Aquatic and Marine Science Libraries and Information Centers. President-Elect/President, 1987-88, 1991-94. Site Selection Committee, Chair, 2004-5, 2007-10; Subject Analysis Committee, member 1995-2006; Training Committee, Chair, 1998-2002; Mentoring Committee, Member, 2001-3; Editorial/Publications Committee, Chair, 1989-1993 Proceedings Editor, 1990-93; By-Laws Committee, Chair, 1995; Newsletter, Co-Editor, 1996-2002.

American Library Association. ACRL Professional Development Discussion Group Chair, 2007-present; Marketing @ your Library Campaign, trainer, 2005-present; ACRL College Library Section, Continuing Education Committee, 2005-08, 2009-11, Co-chair 2006-8; Library Administration and Management Association Mentor, 2010-2012; My Research Coach, 2009-11; NMRT Career Mentoring Program. Mentor, 2007-9.

My Info Quest. Steering Committee 2009-present; Marketing Committee 2009-present; volunteer reference librarian, 2010-present.

Fellowship of Christian Librarians. Board Member-at-large, June 2009 -2012; Newsletter editor, 2010-present; List moderator, 2010-present

LOEX 2011. Steering Committee 2009-2011; Programs Committee, Chair, 2010-2011.

Mountain Plains Library Association. Vice President/President/Past President, 2003-06; Professional Development Committee, 2011-present; Bylaws Committee, 2008-10; Chair, Awards Committee, 2007-08.

Texas Library Association. Professional Issues and Ethics Committee. 2010-2012; CULD, Programming Committee, 2010-11; Membership Committee, Vice-Chair, 2008-10.

Review of Texas Books, Co-Editor, 1996-7. Editor 1998-2000.

Colorado State Library. Colorado Academic Library Impact Study Committee, 2005-6; AskColorado Policies and Procedures Committee, Chair 2009-2010; AskColorado Collaborative Virtual Reference Committee, Steering Committee, 2002-7; AskColorado Steering Committee Bylaws Task Force, Chair, 2006; AskColorado Marketing and Public Relations Subcommittee, 2002-7.

Marmot Consortium. Executive Board, 2005-2007, Vice-President 2007; Users Group Workshop Planning Committee, 2005-7; Resource Sharing Committee, 2006-7; Audio Book Selection Committee, 2006-7.

Western Colorado Academic Libraries Consortium, 2000-7; Co-chair 2004-7.

Colorado Academic Library Consortium. Nominating Committee, 2007; Bylaws Committee Chair, 2007-8; Summit Planning Committee 2006-7; Chair, 2001-2002; Founding Steering Committee, 2001.

Colorado Association of Libraries. CAL Strategic Infrastructure and Emergency Response Committee. 2003-7; Conference Planning Committee, 2003-2005; Academic Library Association, Vice Chair/Chair-Elect/Chair, 2002-4; Executive Board, 1992-4; Conference Site Selection Committee 1991-94, 2002-4, Chair 1992-94; Colorado Library Educational Foundation, 2002-04. Vice-chair 2002-3.

One Book, One Valley program (Gunnison, CO). Co-chair, 2004-2007

Gunnison Valley Leadership Program. Board of Directors, 2005-7; Co-facilitator, 2005-6.

## **HONORS**

UNT Soaring Eagle for service to the University. 2009 and 2011.

ALA, Association for Library Collections & Technical Services, Blackwell North American Scholarship Award, 1994. (with Joel Rutstein and Anna DeMiller).