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## **EDUCATION**

M.P.A. New York University Graduate School of Public Administration, 1978, graduated with highest scholastic standing. PhD work (56 credits completed), 1982-1984.

M.A. University of Wisconsin--Madison, Library Science, 1973, initiated into Beta Phi Mu Honorary Society.

B.A. University of Wisconsin--Madison, Anthropology, 1972, graduated with honors.

University of Pennsylvania, Historical Archaeology fieldwork, 1970.

## **EXPERIENCE**

**Rutgers University**, 2009- . (1/2 time). **School of Communication and Information**, Teaching Professor I—MI Program, and LIS Concentration Coordinator and Advisor: Classes Taught: Information Professions and Community Engagement (518); Information Policy (582); Intellectual Freedom (584); Colloquium (502); Guest Lecturer in Management of Library and Information Services, Transformative Library Leadership, Digital Libraries, Social Informatics, Digital Divide, Leadership Doctoral Seminar. Faculty Liaison to Library and Information Science Student Association (LISSA) and the Student College and Research Library Association (SCARLA).

**Libraries, 2009 – 2022.** Librarian of Practice I (eqv. Full Professor--Promoted 2015), Special Projects Librarian and School of Communication and Information Liaison Team.

**Guest Lecturer**, 2003- . U. of IL—GSLIS: Community Engagement, Libraries, Information and Society, and International Librarianship; North Carolina Central University SLIS, International Librarianship; U. of Washington Community Engagement; Pennsylvania State University College of Communication, Information Policy and School of Agriculture Community Engagement; U. of South Carolina Community Engagement; U. of Toronto iSchool MOOC on Advocacy.

**University of Wisconsin—Milwaukee, School of Information Studies**, 2008-2009. Online Instructor, Free Speech and Information Ethics. Center for Information Policy, Information Ethics Fellowship on e-Democracy, 2008-2009.

**Consultant and Guest Lecturer, 2004-** . Policy, Planning, Programs, Promotion, Publishing, Teaching.

**Free Expression Policy Project, 2003-2004.** Senior Research Fellow. Published reports on The Information Commons and the impact of the USA PATRIOT Act on free expression.

**American Library Association, President Elect, 1999-2000; President, 2000-2001. Immediate Past President, 2001-2002.**

Elected President of 66,000-member association. Theme--Libraries: The Cornerstone of Democracy. Projects: advocacy, information literacy partnerships, civil society building, democracy forums, smart voting, emerging democracies, and bridging the digital divide. Led the Association's @yourlibrary campaign and its legal challenge to the Children's Internet Protection Act (CIPA).

**New York University Libraries, 1978-2002.**

**Associate Dean, 1992-2001.** (On leave 2000-2002; retired 6/02 following 25 years of service). Chief operating officer for a major research library, university press, and academic media services. Tenured; Promoted to Faculty rank of Curator (eqv. Professor). Accomplishments: led strategic planning and building renovation efforts; launched major archival, special collections, media, digital library, distance learning, electronic publishing, and preservation programs; selected and implemented automation and web-based information systems; expanded and improved public services; established and incorporated branch libraries; strengthened communications and engagement with faculty, students, administrators, community members and alumni; raised more than \$20 million dollars in grants; initiated information literacy program; established partnership with LIU Palmer Library School; oversaw a contract to catalog and preserve the New-York Historical Society Library with a \$5 million grant from the Mellon Foundation; built exceptional professional leadership team.

**Director, Public Services, 1982-1992; Director of Administrative Services, 1980-89; Research and Development Librarian, 1978-1980.**

**Principal Investigator, "Development of a Fully Integrated Library Multi-Media Information System,"** \$650,000 grant funded by the Andrew W. Mellon Foundation, 1995-1999.

**Project Director, American Library Association/Benton Foundation "Right to Know Project,"** 1989-90. Sabbatical leave to work on grant with environmental and library groups promoting public access to environmental information; launched ALA media training program.

**Principal Investigator, "A Study of User Success with an Online Catalog", 1983-84, funded by the Council on Library Resources and the Association of Research Libraries.**

**New York University Graduate School of Public Administration:** Graduate Assistant for Library Services, 1976-1978.

**Bridgeport Public Library, Bridgeport, CT:** Head, Fine Arts Department, 1975-1976; Reference Librarian, 1974-1975.

**Windsor, CT. Public Library:** Reference/Interlibrary Loan Librarian, 1974.

**Madison (WI) Public Library:** Acting Municipal Reference Librarian, 1973-1974.

**University of Wisconsin Memorial Library:** Head, Graduate Reading Collection, 1972-1973; Student Assistant, 1970-1972.

**GRANTS, LEARNING EXCHANGES, CONSULTING, EXTERNAL REVIEWS, PANELS, EXPERT TESTIMONY, EDITORIAL BOARDS, ADVISORY ROLES**

American Library Association, Public Programs Office. LTC: Libraries as Leaders in Bridging Divides Project, Advisor 2025-.

*Library Quarterly: Information, Community, Policy.* Editorial Board. 2022-.

University at Albany, Center for Technology in Government. IMLS grant for Empowering Communities: Public Libraries, Inclusive Civic Engagement and Artificial Intelligence, Advisor 2023 – 2026.

Institute for Museum and Library Services (IMLS).

- Federal Information Literacy Convening, June 15-16, 2023, Jersey City, NJ
- Laura Bush Program. Grant reviewer, July 2018.

Dartmouth Conference, Delegate—Citizen-to-Citizen Direct Dialogue with Americans and Russians, September 25 – 30, 2017, Zavidovo and Moscow, Russia. Washington, DC, June 12 – 13, 2018.

OCLC-ALISE Library and Information Science Research Grant Program. “Investigating Engagement of Public, Academic, and Medical Libraries with Community-Based Health and Wellness Activities in Diverse Urban Communities,” Charles Senteio, Principal Investigator, Nancy Kranich, Co-Principal Investigator, 2017-2018: <https://doi.org/doi:10.7282/T3X351TK>. \$25,000.00.

Charles F. Kettering Foundation

National Forum for Black Public Administrators, Executive Leadership Institute, Learning Exchange, 2022

Developing Democratic Capacities through Children’s Literature, 2021-22.

Hidden Common Ground for Action, 2019 – 2020. Virtual Moderator for sessions on topics related to the 2020 elections, including Immigration 4/17/20.

Kettering Foundation. Citizens Creating Healthy Communities Research Exchange, Dayton, OH, May 23 – 24, 2018. "Engaging Local Libraries with the New Brunswick Community: A Collaborative Case Study Research Initiative: Final Report,"

<https://doi.org/doi:10.7282/T3NP27SV>

Kettering Foundation, U.S.--Russia Library Dialogue, "Building Strong Communities: The Civic Role of Libraries in the 21st Century," Program Co-Convener, 2016 – 2021. Dayton, Ohio, March 30-31, 2017; Suzdal, Russia, May 11–18, 2018; Urbana, IL, September 24 – 26, 2019; Online Convening, September 15-16, 2020; Online Webinar, June 3, 2021; Online Convening, December 16-17, 2021. Raised funds from the US-Russia Foundation, terminated with Ukraine War, February 2022.

Libraries and Democracy Learning Exchange, Dayton, OH, July 13–14, 2015; November 17-18, 2015; May 25-26, 2016; July 10-11, 2017; November 8-9, 2017; February 23-24, 2018. Secured Joint Learning Agreement based on a research proposal: "Engaging Local and Health Science Libraries with the New Brunswick Community: A Collaborative Case Study Research Initiative" in collaboration with Jeanette Valentine, Rutgers Community Health Institute: \$5000.00.

Developing Materials for Public Deliberation: A Kettering Foundation Learning Exchange Dayton, Ohio, November 7-8, 2017.

*Ecology of Democracy*, Book Discussion Group Learning Exchange, 2014-.

Public Voice, Panel Participant, June 4-5, 2013; February 24-25, 2015; May 7, 2015.

Place Based Civic Organizations Workshop, Panel Participant, February 26-27, 2014.

Journalists and Public Life: Engaging a Citizenry at Work Workshop, Panel Participant, February 27-28, 2014.

The Development of Public Practices: Creating Centers of Innovation and Learning, Multinational Alumni Exchange, Presenter and Panel Participant, April 3–5, 2013.

New Public Policy Centers, Panel Participant, 2010-2013.

Online Deliberation, Panel Participant, 2012; Test Online Forum, Moderator, 2007-date.

Deliberative Forum Issue Books, Panel Participant, July 23-24, 2012;

"A Nation in Debt: How Can We Pay the Bills?" Forum Moderator, July 23, 2012.

Online Deliberation Workshop—Panel Participant, May 25-26, 2011

Deliberative Dialogue and Professional Associations Workshop—Panel Participant, October 6-7, 2011.

"US-Russia Relationships: Implications for Public Attitudes," 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration of the Dartmouth Conference, Woodrow Wilson Center, Washington, DC, October 25, 2010.

New Dartmouth Conference, Member of U.S./Russia Delegation to Consider the Future of the U.S.-Russia Relationship, Washington, DC: April 30-May 2, 2003; May 2006; Democracy's Challenge, November 2006.

Kettering Foundation, Research Consultant Studying Libraries and Civic Engagement, 2008.

American Library Association/National Endowment for the Humanities. Latino Americans: 500 Years of History; 100 Years in New Jersey. 2015-16. \$10,000 Grant. Initiator and Project Director. Developed programs in Newark, Camden and New Brunswick that showed the PBS series with scholar-led discussions at public libraries and Rutgers University Libraries.

Center for Technology in Government, University at Albany. *Enabling Open Government for All: A Planning Framework for Public Libraries*, Funded by the Institute of Museum and Library Services (IMLS), Workshop Participant, May 7-8, 2014, Alexandria Virginia

United States Holocaust Memorial Museum, “State of Deception: The Power of Nazi Propaganda, Roundtable for Stakeholders in Media Literacy and Civic Education, Participant, Washington, DC, September 13-14, 2012.

*The Journal of Information Policy*: A peer-reviewed professional journal dedicated to timely policy research that addresses contemporary challenges and connects researchers to policymakers, Member, Advisory Board, 2011-. <http://jip.vmhost.psu.edu/ojs/index.php/jip/index>

Academic Libraries and Civic Engagement, American Association of State Colleges and Universities—American Democracy Project, Washington, DC, November 11, 2010.

WPSU, Public Service Media Group, Member of Advisory Council, 2007-2008.

Penn State University, A Capacity to Sustain Democracy Seminar, Participant, 2007-2008.

Otter Group (Cambridge, MA) Business Advisory Committee, Member, 2006-2007.

Berkshire Publishing Advisory Group, Member, 2005- 2019

East Hampton Public Library Building Planning, Consultant, January/February 2006.

Learning in Communities, participant in workshop funded by the National Science Foundation, Pennsylvania State University, School of Information Sciences and Technology, State College, PA, August 14-17, 2005.

National Science Foundation, National Science Digital Library, Grants Reader, Washington, DC, May 23-25, 2005, May 22-24, 2006; July 23-25, 2008. National Science Foundation, Grants Reader, Digital Libraries 1994.

Wesleyan University, Intellectual Property Committee, Assistance with policy development, February 2004.

PolicyLink, Contributed to proposal for research on privacy, filtering, the digital divide, and other information policy issues, 2004.

U.S. Department of Commerce, National Telecommunications and Information Administration. Technology Opportunity Program (TOP) Grants Reader, Washington, DC, June 30-July 1, 2003.

Community Informatics Roundtable, Participant in Forum funded by the Ford Foundation, Colorado Springs, CO, April 11-13, 2003.

Pacific Bell/UCLA Initiative for 21<sup>st</sup> Century Literacies, Measuring the Digital Divide Public Policy Roundtable, Participant, Los Angeles, CA, August 5, 2002.

Video Pipeline, Inc. v. Buena Vista Home Entertainment, Inc., U.S. District Court for the District of New Jersey, No. 00 CV 5236 (JBS), expert witness for Video Pipeline in a copyright infringement case, March 29, 2002- 2006.

International Children's Digital Library, "Children's Books in Common," Colloquium sponsored by the Internet Archive, Berkeley California, February 15, 2002, followed by several years involvement developing the initiative at the University of Maryland.

National Research Council/National Academy of Sciences, Computer Science and Telecommunications Board, "Toward an Enhanced Workforce: Understanding the Digital Divide," panelist, Washington, DC, December 7, 2001.

"New Technology, the Information Commons, and the Future of Libraries," convener of invitational forum sponsored by the American Library Association, Office of Information Technology Policy, at the Aspen Institute, Wye, November 2-4, 2001. Funded by the Rockefeller Foundation.

Aspen Institute, "Seminar on Minority Media," July 13-16, 2000 and July 13-14, 2002.

Packard Foundation/Blueprint initiative, Foundations in the Knowledge Economy, 2001.

Open Society Institute (Soros Foundation), "Democracy and the Digital Divide," panelist, New York City, June 21, 2000.

South Caucasus Regional Library Conference. Led ALA delegation to help strengthen library associations in emerging democracies in the newly independent states of Georgia, Armenia, and Azerbaijan. Funded by the Carnegie Corporation, Soros Open Society Institute, U.S. State Department, the American Councils for Education (ACCELS), and the American Library Association. May 5 – 8, 2001. <http://www.ala.org/ala/aboutala/offices/iro/iroactivities/strengtheninglibrary.cfm>

*The Nation* Business Advisory Council, advisor on magazine's digital archive, 2000-2004.

American Museum of Natural History: Consultant, digital library and publishing program, 1998.

New-York Historical Society Library: Consulting administrator through management contract with New York University Libraries, 1993-94, 1997-1998.

The Vera Institute: Consulted to develop an information service program and assisted with recruitment of library director, January-July, 1997.

Monmouth College: Member of Team for Review of Petition for Teaching University Designation, November 28-30, 1994.

Council on Foreign Relations: Consulted on plan for future deaccessioning, staffing, and automation, 1991.

Baruch College, CUNY: Consultant for new library building and search for a new library director, 1989-90.

Rutgers University: Member of 3-person Committee for the External Review of the Promotion Criteria for the University's Library Faculty, February 8-10, 1987.

Hahnemann University: Consulting team for a new library and integrated information management, under the leadership of Carlton Rochell, December 1984-February 1985.

Health Planning Council of Eastern Fairfield County, CT: Library Consultant with Leslie Burger, 1975.

External Tenure Review Referee: SUNY/Albany Library, Rutgers University Libraries, Hunter College Library, Rutgers University Department of Visual Arts.

## **HONORS AND AWARDS**

Rutgers University School of Communication and Information, Distinguished Achievement as a Part-Time Lecturer, 2015; 2018; Service Award 2024.

“Notable Women of New Jersey,” Honoree for Women’s History Month, Library of the Chathams (NJ), March 28, 2018.

OCLC/ALISE, Library and Information Science Research Grant Program, Grant Recipient, January 19, 2017. Final Report Submitted May 23, 2018.

Freedom to Read Foundation, Roll of Honor, June 2016. <http://www.libraries.rutgers.edu/news/nancy-kranich-named-recipient-2016-freedom-read-foundation-roll-honor-award>

ALA Ken Haycock Award for Promoting Librarianship, June 2015. <http://www.ala.org/awardsgrants/ken-haycock-award-promoting-librarianship>; <http://www.ala.org/news/press-releases/2015/03/nancy-kranich-named-recipient-ken-haycock-award-promoting-librarianship>; <http://comminfo.rutgers.edu/news/ala-honors-nancy-kranich-with-the-2015-ala-ken-haycock-award.html>

ALA-APA Angel, Anaheim, CA, June 2008.

Centennial Distinguished Alumni Award, University of Wisconsin—Madison, September 30, 2006.

50th Anniversary of the ALA Washington Office, Anniversary Honor Role for Legislative and Grass Roots Library Champions, Washington, DC, May 6, 1996.

Mentor, Snowbird Leadership Institute, Snowbird, UT, 1990, 1992, 2001. Advisory Board Member, 1993.

Young Visionary Leader, ALA Visionary Leaders for 2020: Developing Leadership in Human Resources for Library and Information Science, ALA President's Program, New Orleans, LA, July 10, 1988.

Award for Continuing Cooperation, Effort and Supportive Services (ACCESS), from the NYU Coalition for Students with Disabilities, Deaf Education and Awareness through Friendship, and the NYU Office of Disabled Student Services, April 1984.

U.S. Presidential Management Intern finalist, 1978 (first year of program).

New York University Graduate School of Public Administration: Major Lepesquer Award for graduation with highest scholastic standing; Scholars Seminar; Passage of Masters Degree Comprehensive Examination with distinction; Scholarship; Graduate Assistantship.

University of Wisconsin, Madison: Graduation with Honors, 1972.

## **RECENT PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES**

### American Library Association

Past President, 2001- ; President 2000-2001; President Elect 1999-2000.

ALA Executive Director Search Committee, 2023 – 2024.

ALA Center for Civic Life, Founder and Chair, Advisory Committee, 2010-2020.

ALA Policy Corps Advisor, 2019- ; Education Subcommittee, 2019-2021; Selection Committee 2021.

Committee on Legislation, Member, 2006—2008, 2011-2013; Legislation Assembly, Chair, 2008-2012; Copyright Subcommittee, Member 2006-2013; Chair 2007-2012, Co-chair 2012-2013; Telecommunications Subcommittee, Member 2007-2014; E-Government Subcommittee, 2008-2011.

Libraries Foster Community Engagement Membership Initiative Group, Founder and Convener, 2004-2020.

### Libraries Transform Communities Initiative

LTC: Libraries as Leaders in Bridging Divides Project, Advisor 2025-.

Core Committee Member and Community Conversation Convener and Analyst, 2012-2014.

[Models for Change](#) Advisory Committee, 2016 – 2018.

Public Programs Office Book on Libraries and Community Engagement, Advisor, 2019 - 2020.

### Association of College and Research Libraries

ACRL Academic/Research Librarian of the Year Award Committee, member, 2016-2018.

Leroy C. Merritt Fund, Elected Trustee, 2016-2019.

Harwood Institute for Public Innovation, Library Ambassador, 2019 - .

Highland Park (NJ) Public Library, Library Board Member, 2020 – .

Personnel Committee and Labor Relations Team, 2021-; Policy Committee, 2021- ;  
Convener/Facilitator, Community Conversations for Strategic Plan, 2022- .

National Issues Forums Institute, Director, 2008 – 2011; 2017 – 2020.

National Security Archive, [Board of Directors](#), 1994-  
Advisory Board, 1991-  
Executive Committee Member, 1994-  
Treasurer, 1999-

Partnership for Progress on the Digital Divide, Member, Board of Directors, Vice President, 2002-

Project Censored, Most Underreported Story of the Year, Judge, 1997-

#### Rutgers University

##### School of Communication and Information

Library and Information Science Student Association (LISSA), Faculty Liaison 2019 -. Student  
College, Academic and Research Library Association (SCARLA), Faculty Liaison, 2024; 2025- .  
MLIS Program Associates, Member, 2009-2020  
Curriculum Committee, 2010-2011  
Publications Committee, 2011-2012  
Accreditation Review, 2011-2012; 2019

##### Rutgers University, Other

Fulbright Campus Advisor, 2023 -.  
Discovery Advantage, Living-Learning Communities Subcommittee, 2023 -.  
RU CARES: Community Action, Respect, Engagement and Service, Faculty Working Group,  
RU-NB Civic Engagement Coalition, 2019 - 2020. Advocate for voting and census participation.  
RU-NB Collaborative for Community Based Research and Service, 2017 – 2020  
Compiled RUL and SC&I data for Carnegie Community Engagement Classification  
Rutgers Complete Count Committee for Census 2020, 2019-2020.  
Developed New Brunswick area LibGuide used across Rutgers and in Middlesex County  
Rutgers University Office for Undergraduate Education, Technology Task Force, 2016 – 2018.  
Office for Diversity and Inclusion Annual Planning Retreat, Designer and Facilitator, August 20,  
2014; August 22, 2013.  
Participant, Office for Diversity and Inclusion First Annual Forum, April 23, 2014.  
Rutgers Strategic Planning Committee, “Educating Involved Citizens and Effective Leaders for a  
Dynamic World Subcommittee,” Ruth Mandel and Ernie Lapore (Co-chairs), Member, 2012 -  
2013; Participated in 3 Town Hall Strategic Planning Meetings, 2012-2013.

##### Rutgers University Libraries

Strategic Plan, Team Member, 2022; Mission and Core Values Subcommittees.  
University Librarian Recruitment Internal Interview Team, 2022.  
Planning Committee, Elected Non-Tenure Track Member, 2021-2022.  
Mentoring Committee, Represented NTTs, Member, 2021-2022.  
PPAAC, 2016 - 2017.

Non-Tenure Track Faculty Promotion Committees: Served on 12 committees, 2014-2023.  
LEAD Committee, Member 2012-2015; Chair 2013-2015.

Innovation Space, Convener, 2012-2015.

Liaison Action Team, Convener, 2010-2015.

Liaison Assessment Committee, 2017-2018. Developed plan for Liaison Dashboard.

Privacy Policy Task Force, Chair, 2009-2011.

SAPAC, 2009-2012.

Scarlet Latte Electronic Display Team, 2011-2012.

Presentations:

“The Strength of Weak Ties: Health Literacy in Diverse Communities,” presentation at the Scholarly and Professional Activities Committee (SAPAC), October 27, 2021.

<https://libguides.rutgers.edu/SAPAC/nancykranich>

“Story Telling and Narrative Development,” presentation to RUL-NB Faculty, April 2, 2021.

“Library Liaisons: From Collecting to Connecting,” Literature Review presentation to RUL-NB Faculty, February 22, 2019.

“Listening to Many Voices: Community Conversations and the Graduate Experience,” with Triveni Kuchi, Karen Hartman, Laura Palumbo, and Jonathan Saucedo, RUL Faculty Meeting, March 7, 2014.

“Listening to Many Voices: Community Conversations about Undergraduate Education,” with Kayo Denda, Melissa Just, Megan Lotts, Gene Springs, RUL Faculty Meeting, March 8, 2013.

“Open Access: Toward a 21st Century Knowledge Commons,” Panelist at the Rutgers University Libraries Open Access Week, New Brunswick, NJ, October 23, 2012.

“Undergraduate Community Conversations,” with Gene Springs, Myoung Wilson, and Melissa Just, RUL Faculty Meeting, June 15, 2012.

“Shaping Your Academic Future,” Futures Group, Presenter, February 23, 2012.

“Privacy in a Public Era: Can We Still Be Safe and Free in a Post 9-11 World?” Panel Presentation, Rutgers University Libraries Cybersecurity Month Panel, New Brunswick, NJ, October 31, 2011.

“Liaison Action Team Update,” Faculty Meeting, April 27, 2011, June 11, 2010.  
RUL Privacy Policy, Presenter, October 10, 2010.

“Liaison Action Team,” State of the Libraries, February 28, 2011.

“Future of Liaisons at RUL,” Designer Framer and Convener of Deliberative Dialogue, May 7, 2010.

“Google Books: What’s in It for Libraries?” Presentation at Rutgers University MLIS Program Colloquium, October 28, 2009.

“Privacy as a First Amendment Right,” Panel Presentation for Banned Books Week, Rutgers University Libraries, New Brunswick, NJ, September 29, 2009.

Framer and Convener, Future of Liaisons at RUL, May 7, 2010

Urban Libraries Council, IREX, and WebJunction. Library Bridgebuilding Community of Practice (CoP), 2025-.

## **PREVIOUS PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES**

American Library Association, Member 1974-

Immediate Past President, 2001/2002; President, 2000/2001; President-Elect, 1999/2000.

Executive Board, Elected Member, 1994-1998; 1999-2002.

Planning Subcommittee, Chair, 1995-1998.

Finance and Audit Subcommittee, Member, 1994-5.

Search Committees for Executive Director, 1996-97; Chair, Interview Process Subcommittee, 1996; Chair, Executive Search Firm Hiring Subcommittee, 1997.

Awards Committee, Equality Award Jury, 2003-2004; Joseph W. Lippincott Award Jury, 2002-2003; Lippincott Award Winner sponsor, 2020.

Freedom to Read Foundation, Board member: ex officio as Chair of the ALA Intellectual Freedom Committee, 2002-2004; ALA Officer Board Member, 1999-2001; Board Liaison 2001-2002.

ALA/AAP Joint Committee, 1999-2002.

American Library Association/Associated Professional Association Transition Team, Chair, 2002-2003.

Committee on Committees, Elected Member, 1993-94; Chair, 1999-2000.

Committee on Legislation, Member, 1992-1994, 2006-2008. Chair, 1998-1999.

Subcommittee on Government Information, Chair, 1988-1996.

Ad Hoc Subcommittee on Telecommunications, Member, 1992-95.

Ad Hoc Subcommittee on the Library of Congress Fee Legislation, 1992-93.

Ad Hoc Committee to Form a Coalition on Government Information, 1985-; Chair, 1986-1988.

Coordinating Committee on Access to Information, Member, 1989-1991.

Copyright Committee/Forum, Liaison from NY, 1984-1990.

Council, Elected Member, 1987-1991; 1992; 1993-1997; 1999-2002.

Equal Access Committee, 1978-1979.

Information Commons Membership Initiative Group, Founder and Convener, 2005-

Intellectual Freedom Committee, Chair, 2002-2004; Member, 2002-2006; Subcommittee on the Impact of Media Concentration on Libraries, Chair, 2003-2007; Subcommittee on Privacy, Member, 2002-2010.

Legislative Assembly, Member 1985-86; Chair and representative to the ALA Legislation Committee, 1986, 2008-2012.

Local Arrangements Committee, 1986 New York Conference, Chair-Fun Run Committee and Member-President's Dance Committee.

Office of Information Technology Policy, Information Initiative Group Task Force, Chair, 2002-2004. Information Commons Workshop coordinator, October 29-31, 2004.

Presidential Initiative, Strategic Toolkit Team, Co-chair, 2011-2012.

Presidential Committee to Develop a National Library Agenda, Chair, 2006-2007.

Presidential Subcommittee on the Procurement of Funding from Foundation Sources, Chair 1984.

President's Committee on Intellectual Freedom 2000, Member 1998-1999.

President's Committee for the Information Summit, Chair, 1995-1996.

President's Committee on Diversity, Member, 1991-1992.

President's Committee on Your Right to Know, Member 1991-1993.

Washington Office Director, Search Committee, Member 1999.

Association of College and Research Libraries 1979-

ACRL Librarian of the Year Committee, Member, 2016-2018.

Legislation Committee, Member, 1981-1986; Chair, 1984-1986.

Personnel Officers' Discussion Group, Chair, 1982-1983.

National Conference, April 1986, Paper Reviewer.

Library Administration and Management Association, 1979- .

Task Force to Coordinate Responses from ALA to the Report of the Commission on Freedom and Equality of Access to Information, 7/87-6/89.

American Bar Association

Advisory Committee to the Standing Committee on Public Education, Public Member 2012-2015.

American Society for Public Administration, Member, 1978-2000.

New York Metropolitan Chapter, American Society for Public Administration, Member, 1978- 2000; Council, Member 1989.

Public Access to Government Information Committee, Member, 1986.

Annenberg Public Policy Center (U. Of Pennsylvania) Advisory Council on Excellence in Children's Media with Amy Jordan, 2000-2004.

Archons of Colophon, Member, 1991-

Beta Phi Mu International Library Science Honor Society, 1973-

Blue Mountain Center Colloquium on Access to and Use of Government Information, Steering Committee, Member, 1993-1994.

Coalition on Government Information, Chair, Steering Committee, Chair, 1986-1996.

Forum Planner and Moderator, January 6, 1989.

Planner and Moderator for Freedom of Information Day Celebrations, 1988-1995, 2000-2001.

Hartford, CT. Mayor's Task Force on Cable Television, 1974.

Indiana University (Bloomington) Advisory Committee for the Master of Library Science Program, 2002-2006.

Institute for Museum and Library Services, Facilitator, National Leadership Grants Research and Demonstration Projects Working Meeting, February 26, 1999.

International Federation of Library Associations (IFLA), Management and Marketing Standing Committee, August 2001-2005.

Internet SEC EDGAR Access Project Committee, 1994-1995.

Freeing the Media, Planning Committee, 1996-97.

Long Island University, Palmer School of Library and Information Science, Advisory Committee, 1993-1997.

Media and Democracy Congress, New York, Fall 1997, Planning Committee, 1996-1997.

National Communication Association, NCA Task Force on the Digital Divide, 2001-2008.  
Member representing the American Library Association.

New Jersey Center for the Book, Board Member, 2008-2016.

New York Comprehensive Research Libraries (NYCRL), Convener, 1994-. Principal Investigator for \$50,000 Mellon Foundation planning grant, "The Making of New York," to develop a New York State Digital Library, 1996-1998.

New York Library Association, Member, 1978-1988; 1999-2004.  
Academic and Special Library Section Legislative Committee, Chair, 1978-1981.  
Legislation Committee, Member, 1979-1981.

New York Metropolitan Reference and Research Library Resource Agency (METRO)  
Legislation Committee, Chair, 1980-1983.

New York Joint Museum/Library Council, Member, 1997-1998.

New York State Board of Regents Advisory Council on Libraries, Member, 1983-1987.

NYS Board of Regents Legislative Conference, Participant, 1995-1999.

New York State Interlibrary Loan Program (NYSILL), Advisory Committee on Interlibrary Loan Redesign, Member and liaison from Regents Advisory Council, 1984.

New York University (1990-2001 only)

Chief Information Technology Officer Search Committee, 1998.

Year 2000 Celebration Committee, 1998.

FAS Library Committee, Library Representative, 1997-1999.

GSAS Student Library Committee, Library Representative, 1997-1999.

Office of Sponsored Research Review Team, 1997-1998.

Conflict of Interest Committee, 1993-1994.

Center for Digital Multimedia, Production, Publishing and Education (NY State Center for Advanced Technology), Steering Committee, 1993-1994.

Network Planning Group, 1993-1994.

Community Service Council, 1991-2000; Chair, subcommittee to develop a community service database, 1991-92.

Information Technology Review Technical Committee, 1996-1998.

College of Arts and Science, Language Coordinating Committee, 1996-1997.

Robert F. Wagner School of Public Service, Program on Negotiation and Conflict Resolution, Advisory Committee, Member, 1995-2001.

World Wide Web Committee, 1996.

NYU in Albany Day, Team Leader, 1986-2000.

Public Issues Forums of Centre County (PA), Chair, Steering Committee, 2006-2008; Steering Committee Member, 2005-2008; Operations Committee, Member, 2005-2008; Moderator Trainer, 2006-2008; Convener and Moderator for National Issues Forums on topics including Democracy's Challenge; Immigration; Energy Futures; Death and Dying; Privacy; America's Role in the World; Emergency Planning; The National Debt; Success in School; Paying for Health Care.

Small Press Center (NY), Advisory Council, Member 2002-2004.

State College, (PA) Schlow Centre Region Library, Trustee, 2008.

State College, (PA) Centre Region Bill of Rights Defense Committee, Convener, 2005-2006, Passed Bill of Rights Safe Zone Resolution in State College Borough Council (unanimous), February 2006.

U.S. Dept. of Education, Office of Library Programs, "Issues in Library Research -- Proposals for the Nineties," Task Force on a Library Based Research Infrastructure, August 1988; Reader, HEA II-B grants, March 1990.

White House Conference on Library and Information Services, Facilitator, July 1991.

## **PUBLICATIONS**

### **Books (Edited):**

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## **TEACHING**

MLIS Colloquium, Faculty Convener, Rutgers University School of Communication and Information, Online and In Person, Spring 2014.

Presenter, *Navigating Rights, Liabilities, and Challenges in a Shifting Legal Landscape: A Legal Survival Guide for Librarians and Information Professionals*, April 10, 2025.

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Planner and Presenter, *Getting Engaged, Connecting Libraries to Communities*, October 18, 2017. Planner, *Puerto Rican Libraries after the Hurricane* colloquium with ALA President-Elect Loida Garcia-Febo, April 3, 2018.

“Information Professions and Community Engagement,” Rutgers University School of Communication and Information, Spring 2018; Fall 2019; Spring 2021; Fall 2022, Spring 2024, Spring 2025.

“Information Policy,” Rutgers University School of Communication and Information, Spring 2009; Spring 2010, Spring 2011, Summer 2011 (Independent Study), Spring 2012; Spring 2013; Spring 2015; Spring 2017; Spring 2019; Fall 2021; Spring 2023.

“Intellectual Freedom,” Rutgers University School of Communication and Information (online), Fall 2010, Fall 2011, Fall 2012, Fall 2013; Fall 2014; Fall 2015; Fall 2016; Fall 2017; Fall 2018, Spring 2020; Fall 2020; Spring 2022, Fall 2023, Fall 2024, Fall 2025.

“Community Engagement,” Special Topics Course, Rutgers University School of Communication and Information, Spring 2016. Online and On-Campus sections. Course accepted in curriculum, Online, 2017.

Digital Divide and Anchor Institutions, (Independent Study), Rutgers University MI Program Spring 2016.

### **Guest Lectures:**

“Mind the Gap: Connecting Academic Libraries and Campus Communities,” Guest Lecture, U. of Hawaii, SLIS, 3/7/23.

“Community Building: Advancing Your Library Vision,” Guest Lecture to the Transformational Library Leadership class, Rutgers MI program, School of Communication and Information, November 8, 2021.

“Libraries and Privacy,” University of Illinois MLIS Program, Global Librarianship class, November 1, 2021.

“Libraries and Privacy,” North Carolina Central University, LIS Program, Global Librarianship class, October 28, 2021.

University of South Carolina, LIS Program, Panel and Reviewer, Student Community Engagement Grant Proposals, May 2021.

“Reflections,” Discussion with the Harwood Institute for Public Innovation students in the Virtual Lab, December 10, 2020.

“Community Building: Advancing Your Library Vision,” Guest Lecture to the Transformational Library Leadership class, Rutgers MI program, School of Communication and Information, November 9, 2020.

“Intellectual Freedom and Censorship: What Matters to Librarians?” Guest Lecture to the U. of Illinois School of Library and Information Science Libraries and Society class, November 4, 2020.

Guest Lecturer, Rutgers University MLIS Program, Management of Library and Information Services, “Library Ethics,” November 25, 2014; March 6, 2014; March 25, 2010; October 30, 2009; November 12, 2008; “Privacy,” November 25, 2014; and “Community Engagement and Libraries,” March 6, 2014; April 20, 2015; “Leading Change,” November 6, 2017; “Innovation,” October 20, 2017.

“Civic Engagement and Academic Libraries,” Guest Lecture online to the U. of Illinois Graduate School of Library and Information Science, Spring 2013; Spring 2014; Spring 2015; Spring 2016; Spring 2017. “US and Russian Libraries as Community Centers,” Spring 2018 (February 12, 2018)

“Advocacy Messaging and Community Engagement,” U. of Toronto iSchool MOOC on Advocacy, Recorded January 6, 2014.

“E-Democracy,” Guest Lecturer, Rutgers School of Communication and Information, ITI Program Social Informatics Class, November 18, 2013.

“Civic Engagement: Leadership and Practice in Academic Settings,” School of Communication and Information Leadership Doctoral Seminar, April 21, 2011.

“Libraries of the Future: Getting Beyond the 'Edifice Complex?’” Guest Lecture to the Rutgers University MLIS Digital Library class, November 17, 2009, March 23, 2010, October 5, 2010.

“Civic Engagement and Older Adults,” Guest lecture to the Rutgers University Library and Information Services for Older Adults class, June 25, 2009.

“Information Ethics,” University of Wisconsin—Milwaukee, Online, Graduate School of Library and Information Science, Fall 2008 (2 sections).

“Freedom of Speech,” University of Wisconsin—Milwaukee, Online, Graduate School of Library and Information Science, Winterim 2008. Winterim 2010.

“Scholarly Publishing,” and “Libraries and Electronic Publishing,” Lectures to the Penn State University College of Communication Electronic Publishing class, October 4, 2007 and October 25, 2007.

“Technology and Democracy,” Psychological Aspects of Communication Technology Seminar, Penn State University College of Communication, April 6, 2007.

“Privacy,” “Copyright,” and “Libraries as Universal Service Provider,” Lectures to the Penn State University College of Communication Introduction to Telecommunications class, State College, PA, November 4, December 2, 2004; March 29, 2005; April 21, 2005, October 11, 2005, November 29, 2005, February 16, 2006, February 28, 2006; April 20, 2006, October 26, 2006, November 14, 2006, November 28, 2006; March 27, 2007, April 10, 2007; October 30, 2007, November 13, 2007, March 20, 2008, April 8, 2008.

“Privacy,” “Obscenity and Indecency,” “Copyright,” and “The Information Commons,” Presentation to the Penn State University School of Communication Telecommunications Policy seminar, October 5, 12, November 4, 9, 2004, September 20, 2005, October 11, 2005, November 29, 2005, State College, PA.

“Electronic Games and Information Policy,” Penn State University School of Communication, Comm 489—Media Industries, State College, PA, February 16, 2006

“The Meaning of Libraries in America Today,” Phone/MP3 Presentation to the New York University Communication Program Print and the Human Experience class, November 28, 2005.

“Change the World—Libraries and Civic Engagement,” Phone/Online presentation to University of Illinois School of Library and Information Studies, Change Management--Distance Learning Class, November 10, 2005, April 5, 2007.

“The USA PATRIOT Act,” Lecture to the Penn State University College of Communication Telecommunications Regulation class, State College, PA, October 25, 2005, March 2, 2006, October 31, 2006, March 20, 2007, October 23, 2007, March 18, 2008.

“Libraries and Civic Engagement,” Lecture to the Penn State University School of Agriculture Civic Engagement Class, April 12, 2005.

“Leadership and Libraries,” presentation to the Pratt Institute Library Leadership class, New York City, December 8, 2003.

“Government Information: Current Issues from the USA PATRIOT Act to the Selling of Government Information,” presentation to the Pratt Institute Government Documents class, New York City, December 2, 2003.

“The Children’s Internet Protection Act,” presentation to the Penn State University School of Communication Telecommunications Policy class, March 17 and 19, 2003 and to the graduate seminar in telecommunications policy on March 19, 2003, State College, PA.

“The Role of Libraries in Civil Society,” presentation to the U. of Illinois School of Library and Information Science distance learning class on Libraries and Community Information Systems, February 20, 2003.

“Libraries and Democracy,” presentation to the U. of Washington School of Information class on Public Libraries, Seattle, WA, May 15, 2002.

“Libraries as Social Capital Builders in Communities,” presentation to the U. of Illinois School of Library and Information Science distance learning class on Managing Change, March 28, 2002.

“Challenges of Academic Librarianship,” presentation to Rutgers U. School of Communications and Library Studies students and alumni, New Brunswick, NJ, November 5, 2001.

“Library Advocacy,” presentation to the Rutgers U. School of Communications and Library Studies management class, New Brunswick, NJ, November 5, 2001.

“Legislation for Library Managers,” presentation to the Pratt Institute library management class, Brooklyn, NY, July 8, 2001.

“The Digital Divide,” presentation to the Indiana University School of Library and Information Science Information Policy Class, Bloomington, IN, November 21, 2000.

“The Value of Communication Skills in the Real World,” presentation to the Pratt Institute School of Library Science Interpersonal Communication for Information Professionals Class, April 11, 2000.

“The Government as Publisher,” presentation to the Pratt Institute School of Library Science Publishing Class, April 15, 1998; April 15, 1997; March 5, 1996.

“Problems of Academic and Research Libraries,” presentation to the Libraries, Information and Society class, Pratt Institute, New York City, April 9, 2001, November 15, 2000; April 19, 2000; November 3, 1999; April 4, 1999; December 2, 1998; November 5, 1997.

"Information Policy and Libraries," Presentation to the Long Island University Palmer School Class in Information Policy, New York City, February 8, 1996.

"Evaluation Research in a Research Library," Presentation to the Long Island University Palmer School Research Methods Class, December 7, 1995.

"Information Policy," 3-day presentation to the Senior Fellows Program, Long Island University, July 24, 25, 27, 1995.

"Who Counts?" presentation to Applying Technology in Public Administration class, Baruch College Graduate School of Public Affairs, May 9, 1995.

"Research Methods in Research Libraries," presentation to the Pratt Institute Library School class in Research Methods, April 11, 1995.

"Research Libraries and Publishing," Presentation to the Libraries and Publishing class, New York University Gallatin Division, October 31, 1991.

"Planning and Budgeting," presentation to students in the Columbia U. Library School Library Administration class, New York City, April 8, 1985.

"Pragmatics: Administrative and Public Services," presentation to students in the Columbia U. Library School Library Administration class, New York City, October 29, 1984, March 18, 1985.

"Policy: Decision-Making and Implementation," presentation to students in the Columbia U. Library School Library Administration class, October 8, 1984.

"Clienteles, Services and Programs of Academic Libraries," presentation to the students at the Columbia University Library School, October 31, 1983, October 29, 1984, October 28, 1985, and October 27, 1986, May 8, 1991.

New York University Graduate School of Public Administration, guest lecturer: Grantsmanship Institute, Summer 1978 and Intergovernmental Management Course, 1977-1980.

### **SPEECHES AND PRESENTATIONS**

"Libraries: Guardians of Democracy," Presentation to the National Issues Forum Network, Online, June 11, 2025.

"Free People Read Freely," Presentation to the SCARLA and LISSA Student Associations, Banned Books Week, September 24, 2024.

"Free People Read Freely," Presentation to the Rutgers School of Social Work Online, October 31, 2024.

"The Role of Libraries in Promoting Democracy and Conflict Resolution," Keynote Address, ALA Think Tank on Building Bridges: Democracy, Peace and Conflict Resolution in the Modern World, San Jose State University Online, October 30, 2024.

"Promoting Civic Literacy through Forums," Presentation at Social Responsibilities Round Table program on Combating Voter Suppression in Your Library, ALA Annual Conference, San Diego, CA, June 29, 2024; Online September 12, 2024.

“When the Humanities Met Civics: Challenges to the Humanities and Humanities Librarianship,” Panelist for ACRL English Section and RUSA History Section Program, ALA Annual Conference, San Diego, June 29, 2024.

“Strengthening Civic Literacy: Academic Libraries as Catalysts for Voter Education and Engagement,” Presenter, Civic Learning and Democracy Education Annual Conference, Detroit, MI: AASCU, American Democracy Project, June 6, 2024.

“Free People Read Freely,” Presentation to Mercer County Democratic Committees, Hamilton, NJ, March 13, 2024.

“Banned Books: Free People Read Freely,” Presentation to the Rutgers University Libraries, Zoom. October 5, 2023.

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“Free People Read Freely,” Banned Books 2023 Presentation, SCARLA, October 5, 2023.

“Getting Past Plastics II: Accountability in Sustainability,” Sponsored by East Brunswick Sustainability Task Force, designed, introduced, and moderated panel, East Brunswick NJ Public Library, April 25, 2023. [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ouFWaKC35\\_M](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ouFWaKC35_M)

“Mind the Gap: Connecting Academic Libraries and Campus Communities,” Presentation to University of Hawaii LIS Students, Manoa, HI, March 7, 2023.

“Editors on Publishing,” Panelist, Rutgers University Libraries, November 4, 2022.

“What Students Need to Know to Advocate for Intellectual Freedom and Information Policy,” LIS Pedagogy Chat, Online. October 14, 2022. <https://www.lispedagogychat.org/archive>

“Unite Against Book Bans,” Banned Books 2022 Presentation, SCARLA, September 21, 2022.

“Getting Past Plastics One Bottle at a Time,” Sponsored by East Brunswick Hadassah, the East Brunswick Public Library, and the East Brunswick Sustainability Task Force, designed, introduced, and moderated panel on Zoom, East Brunswick, NJ, July 6, 2022.

“Revisiting Our Palaces for the People: Perspectives on Libraries During Good Times and Bad,” Panelist at the Ontario Library Association, Online, February 2, 2022.

“The Strength of Weak Ties: Health Literacy in Diverse Communities,” Presentation to the Rutgers University Libraries, SAPAC, Zoom, October 27, 2021. <https://libguides.rutgers.edu/SAPAC/nancykranich>

"Cancel Culture and Viewpoint Diversity: Free Speech on Campus," Panelist for Fairleigh Dickinson University Banned Books Week, Online, September 30, 2021.

"Story Telling and Narrative Development," Presentation to the Rutgers University Libraries-New Brunswick Faculty, April 2, 2021.

"Banned Books, The State of Challenges," Banned Books 2021 Presentation, SCARLA September 30, 2021.

"Towards a More Perfect Union: Libraries Engaging Communities in Civic Dialogue," Convener, Presenter and Moderator, ALA Annual Conference 2021, Virtual, On Demand Program.

"Academic Libraries as Civic Agents: Leveraging Census and Election 2020," with Sherri Farber, ACRL NJ/NJLA CUS, online, April 30, 2021.

"Embracing Our Diversity: Coming Together Against Bias – A Virtual Community Dialogue," Sponsored by East Brunswick Hadassah, the East Brunswick Public Library, and the East Brunswick Human Relations Council, designed, introduced, and moderated panel on Zoom, October 29, 2020.  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=T-fmslOr9MM>

"Smart Voting Starts @ Your Library," Virtual Presentation, Pennsylvania Library Association, October 19, 2020.

"Libraries 2020: Empowering Communities and Reigniting Democracy," Keynote Speaker, Long Island Library Research Resources Council, Zoom, October 9, 2020.

"Freedom of Expression," Panelist and Moderator, Rutgers University Mason Gross School of the Arts, October 8, 2020.  
[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EUgt54qUU0g&feature=youtu.be&ab\\_channel=MasonGrossArt%26Design](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EUgt54qUU0g&feature=youtu.be&ab_channel=MasonGrossArt%26Design)

"Banned No More," Banned Books Week Presentation, Rutgers University School of Communication and Information, October 1, 2020.

"Rigged: The Voter Suppression Playbook," Planned, convened and moderated documentary film viewing with producer, expert panel and audience participation, Zoom, Rutgers University Libraries, September 22, 2020.

"Mind the Gap: Connecting Academic Libraries and Campus Communities," Florida Libraries Online: Fostering Resilient Communities, Tampa Bay Library Consortium, June 12, 2020.

"Leadership Development through LIS Associations: Opportunities to Leverage Your Career Aspirations," Presentation to Rutgers University School of Communication and Information Library and Information Science Student Association, March 31, 2020.  
[Leadership Development through LIS Associations with Nancy Kranich](#)

“From Non-Voters to New Voters: How Libraries Can Engage Their Communities in the 2020 Elections and Beyond,” Moderator and Presenter, American Library Association Midwinter Conference, Philadelphia, PA, January 25, 2020.

“P is for Palestine: A Response from a local librarian and former president of the American Library Association,” Highland Park (NJ) Public Library Trustee Meeting, July 22, 2019.

“Dialog and Exchange Transforms Russia and U.S. Libraries,” Presenter as the American co-leader of the US/Russia Library Dialogue, American Library Association Annual Conference, Washington, DC, June 23, 2019.

“The Strength of Weak Ties: Health Literacy in Diverse Communities,” Panel presentation at the International Conference on the Digital Divide,” Washington, DC, May 22, 2019.

“Academic Libraries and Civic Engagement: New Roles for New Times,” Panel presentation at VALE, 2019, Piscataway, NJ, January 5, 2019.

“A Voice from the Field,” Presentation to the Harwood Institute Innovation Lab, online, November 16, 2018.

“Civility: Why, When, Where, How, Who?” Convener and Participant, National Coalition for Dialogue and Deliberation Biannual Conference, Denver, CO, November 3, 2018.

“Flavors of Free Speech on Campus,” Convener and Panelist, National Coalition for Dialogue and Deliberation Biannual Conference, Denver, CO, November 2, 2018.

“Collective Leadership for Community Change,” Convener and Panelist, National Coalition for Dialogue and Deliberation Biannual Conference, Denver, CO, November 3, 2018.

“Emerging Roles of Academic Libraries in Dialogue and Deliberation,” Convener and Panelist, National Coalition for Dialogue and Deliberation Biannual Conference, Denver, CO, November 3, 2018.

“American Libraries,” Presentation to visiting delegation to Rutgers University from Anhui Provincial Department of Culture, China, New Brunswick, NJ: Alexander Library, October 29, 2018.

“Getting Engaged: Leading Libraries and Communities,” Keynote presentation at the Pennsylvania District Library Leadership Training, Hershey, PA, September 6, 2018.

“No Better Time: Transforming Community Relationships through Dialogue,” ALA Annual Conference New Orleans, LA, June 23, 2018.

“US-Russia Library Dialogue on the Civic Role of Libraries in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century,” Russian Library Association, Opening General Session, Suzdal, Vladimir, Russia, May 14, 2018.

“Academic Libraries and Civic Engagement: New Roles for New Times,” ACRL/NJ Workshop on Academic Libraries and Civic Engagement, Raritan Valley Community College, April 27, 2018.

“Censorship: What Matters to Libraries?” Presentation to Students at Pratt Institute, New York City, April 19, 2018.

“Great Ideas for Teaching: My Journey,” Lightning Round Presenter, School of Communication and Information Teaching and Learning Incubator, April 4, 2018.

“Notable Women of New Jersey,” panelist and honoree for Women’s History Month, Library of the Chathams (NJ), March 28, 2018.

“Library Engagement with Community-Based Health and Wellness in Diverse Communities,” with Charles Senteio, Paper presented at the ALISE national conference, Session for ALISE/OCLC Grant Award Winners, 2017, Denver, CO, February 8, 2018. <https://doi.org/doi:10.7282/T3V12842>

“Academic Libraries and Civic Engagement,” American Library Association, Libraries Transform Communities: Models for Change, Webinar, September 13, 2017.

“Anchors Aweigh: The Role of Institutions in Spanning the Digital Divide,” Paper presented at the Partnership for the Progress on the Digital Divide Conference, San Diego, CA, May 25, 2017.

“Strengthening Civil Society/Library Education,” Keynote Virtual Presentation to the Slovakian, Czech, and Polish Librarians,” Banská Bystrica, Slovakia, April 3, 2017.

“Moving From Nice to Necessary: How Your Library Can Become More Relevant In The Community,” with Cheryl Gorman, Susan Taylor Simpson, and Cara Pryor, Ontario Library Association, Toronto, CA, February 3, 2017.

“Listening to Many Voices: Community Conversations at Rutgers University Libraries,” ALA Futures Symposium, ALA MW Conference, Atlanta, GA, January 22, 2017.

“Teaching Community Engagement,” with Ellen Knutson, Paper Presented at ALISE Conference, Atlanta, GA, January 19, 2017

“Getting Engaged: Partnering with Libraries in Your Community,” National Coalition on Dialogue and Deliberation, National Conference, Framingham, MA, October 15, 2016.

“Leadership Networking – Harwood Approach & Practices,” Chinese American Librarians Association (CALA), ALA Annual Conference, Orlando, FL, June 26, 2016.

“Conscious Engagement for Every Library: Forming Stronger Bonds with our Unique Communities,” New Jersey Library Association, Atlantic City, NJ, May 17, 2016.

*“Decade of Discovery* Film Screening, Panelist, Drexel University, Philadelphia, PA, May 11, 2016.

“Community Engagement, with Tweets” A Twitter Chat with Nancy Kranich, former ALA President, Lecturer and Special Projects Librarian at Rutgers University,” Midwest Collaborative for Library Services (MCLS), April 21, 2016. <https://storify.com/mclsorg/community-engagement>

“Turning Outward: Engaging Our Communities,” Keynote Speaker, U. of Hawaii SLIS Reaccreditation Celebration, Honolulu, HI, February 21, 2016.

Kranich, Nancy. “Reclaiming the Commons: Countering Enclosure of our Archival Heritage,” Keynote Speaker, Archival Seminar, Madrid Spain, December 11, 2015.  
<http://www.museoreinasofia.es/actividades/archivos-comun>

“Cornerstones of Democracy: Libraries, Intellectual Freedom and Privacy,” Rhode Island State Library, Providence, RI, November 11, 2015.

“The Harwood Institute Partnership with the American Library Association, an Introduction,” New Jersey Library Association Adult Services Workshop, Manalapan, NJ, October 26, 2015.

“Libraries as Anchor Institutions,” Presentation at the International Conference on the Digital Divide, Phoenix, AZ, October 21, 2015.

“Turning Outward: Engaging Your Community,” Presentation to the New Jersey Library Association Trustees,” Monroe, NJ, September 12, 2015.

“Libraries and the Public: Mapping the Terrain,” Presentation at the Libraries and Democracy Workshop, Kettering Foundation DDEX, Dayton, OH, July 14, 2015.

“Listening to Many Voices: Community Conversations at Rutgers University Libraries,” with Megan Lotts, Keynote Presentation at the Pennsylvania Library Association College and Research Division Conference, Millersville, PA, May 29, 2015. <http://www.slideshare.net/NancyKranich/kranich-and-lotts-listening-to-many-voices-pala-crd>

“Turning Outward: Engaging Our Communities,” Keynote Speaker for the “Public Libraries: Invest and Engage,” Innovative Libraries Online Conference sponsored by the Iowa Library Service/Iowa State Library, April 1, 2015, Archived at: <http://www.statelibraryofiowa.org/ld/c-d/continuing-ed/iloc/recordings/kranichtwainiloc205>.

“Listening to Many Voices: Engaging the Academic Community,” with Laura Palumbo and Jonathan Saucedo, Paper Presentation Accepted for the Library Research Seminar VI, U. of Illinois—Urbana/Champaign, October 9, 2014; VALE—NJ Conference, January 9, 2015.  
<http://www.slideshare.net/NancyKranich/u-of-il-power-point-presentation-10-914>

“Privacy and Libraries,” Presentation to Temple University Libraries Continuing Education Day, Philadelphia, PA, December 10, 2014.

“The Conversation Continues: Hosting Public Issues Forums @ your library,” Webinar Series Produced by the ALA Center for Civic Life, Planner, Convener and Presenter:

Naming and Framing Public Issues, Produced by the ALA Center for Civic Life and the David Mathews Center for Civic Life in Montevallo, AL:

“Tools for Naming and Framing Public Issues,” Webinar 7, December 3, 2014,

Archived [here](#)

“Beyond Deadlock: A Better Way to Talk about Difficult Issues,” Webinar 6, October 14, 2014, Archived [here](#)

Hosting Public Issues Forums @ your library, Produced by the ALA Center for Civic Life:

“Guides for Community Discussions: National Issues Forums (NIF) and Others,” Webinar 5. November 5<sup>th</sup>, 2013, Archived [here](#).

“Convening Forums @ your library--Nuts and Bolts,” May 22, 2012, Session 4 of 4, Archived [here](#).

“Practicing Moderating @ your library,” April 24, 2012, Session 3 of 4, Archived [here](#)

“Moderating Forums @ your library--Nuts and Bolts,” Session 2 of 4, March 27, 2012, Archived [here](#).

“An Introduction to Convening Forums @ your library,” Session 1 of 4, February 28, 2012, Archived [here](#)

Convener and Presenter, “ALA Community Conversations: A Step-by-Step Guide,” Webinar for Conversation Leaders and Note Takers at ALA 2013 Annual Conference—Chicago, IL, Presentation, June 25, 2013; ALA 2014 Midwinter Conference—Philadelphia, PA, Presentation, January 15, 2014; ALA Annual Conference—Las Vegas, June 19, 2014. Retrieved from

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“Beyond Books: Librarians, Journalists and Dialogue Professionals Working Together,” with Peggy Holman and Marla Crockett, Panel Presentation Accepted for the National Coalition on Dialogue and Deliberation 2014 Conference, Reston, VA, October 18, 2014.

“Youth Engagement: From Harry Potter and The Hunger Games to Active Participation in Civic Life,” with Andrew Slack, Harry Potter Alliance, Panel Presentation and Dialogue, American Library Association Annual Conference, Las Vegas, NV, June 30, 2014.

“Libraries as Universal Service Providers,” Presentation at the Digital Divide Research, Policy, and Practice Preconference Marking the 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Recognition of the Digital Divide, International Communication Association, Seattle, WA, May 22, 2014.

“Using Harwood Institute Tools to Engage Campus Communities,” ACRL Leadership Planning Meeting, Presenter and Participant, ALA Midwinter Conference, Philadelphia, PA, January 24, 2014.

- “Is Government Listening? From e-Government to e-Democracy,” Presentation at International Conference: Pro-Development Empowerment through Governmental Transparency, The Universidad Nacional Autónoma de Mexico (UNAM), Virtual Participation, Mexico City, MX, November 12, 2013.
- “From Collecting to Connecting: Engaging the Academic Community,” Presentation at the Temple University Inaugural Symposium: Libraries in the Digital Age—Communities, Collections, Opportunities, Philadelphia, PA, October 18, 2013.
- “Turning Outward: Engaging Our Communities in Tough Times,” Keynote Presentation at the Ocean County Library System, Tom’s River, NJ: May 17, 2013
- “Embedding the Library Within the Campus Community,” Presentation preceding ACRL Webinar: “Embedded Librarians: Integrating Information Literacy Instruction at the Point of Need,” New Brunswick, NJ: April 30, 2013.
- “Libraries, the First Sale Doctrine, and the Kirtsaeng Case,” Convener, ALA, Committee on Legislation Subcommittee on Copyright, Seattle, WA: January 26, 2013.
- “Listening to Many Voices: Community Conversations and the Undergraduate Experience,” Presenter on a panel at The State of the Libraries, Rutgers University, Piscataway, NJ, November 28, 2012.
- “Participating in the Work of the American Library Association,” Panelist, Rutgers University School of Communication and Information, SCARLA Professional Organizations 101 Panel Discussion, New Brunswick, NJ, October 23, 2012.
- “Open Access: Toward a 21st Century Knowledge Commons,” Panelist at the Rutgers University Libraries Open Access Week, New Brunswick, NJ, October 23, 2012.
- “American Libraries as Universal Service Providers,” Seminar Presentation at the Universidad Nacional Autónoma de Mexico (UNAM), Mexico City, MX, August 15, 2012.
- “Libraries at the Crossroads: Programming for Civic Engagement,” American Library Association Annual Conference, Anaheim California, June 23, 2012.
- “Why Do We Need a Privacy Revolution?” Presentation at the New Jersey Library Association, Atlantic City, NJ, June 6, 2012.
- “The Conversation Continues: Hosting Public Issues Forums @ your library,” Planner and Presenter of Series of 4 Online Webinars, American Library Association Center for Civic Life, February, 28, 2012; March 27, 2012; April 24, 2012; May 22, 2012. Archived at [programminglibrarian.org](http://programminglibrarian.org).
- “Teen Privacy and Social Networks: Myths and Realities,” Panel presentation, National Communication Association, New Orleans, LA, November 19, 2011.

“Privacy in a Public Era: Can We Still Be Safe and Free in a Post 9-11 World?” Panel presentation, Rutgers University Libraries Cybersecurity Month Panel, New Brunswick, NJ, October 31, 2011.

“Beyond Books: What’s Possible When Journalists and Librarians Meet?” Panel presentation, American Library Association Annual Conference, New Orleans, LA, June 25, 2011; and Virtual Conference, July 13, 2011.

“Beyond Books: The Opportunity for Journalist/Librarian Collaboration,” Consensus Wrap-Up of the Beyond Books: News, Literacy, and Democracy for America’s Libraries sessions, Cambridge, MA, April 7, 2011. <https://journalismthatmatters.org/biblionews/>

“Deliberative Dialogue and Civil Space,” Presentation at Civil Spaces: A Panel Discussion, Rutgers University Civility Project, Douglas College, New Brunswick, NJ, February 10, 2011.

“Civic Engagement and Libraries,” Podcast, Public Library Talk, December 31, 2010, <http://publiclibrarytalk.blogspot.com/2010/12/nancy-kranich-civic-engagement.html>.

“Civic Engagement: Libraries Foster Democracy,” Podcast, *Public Library Talk Blog*, Part 1, December 31, 2010, <http://publiclibrarytalk.blogspot.com/2010/12/nancy-kranich-civic-engagement.html>

“The National Broadband Plan: The Role of Anchor Institutions,” National Communication Association, San Francisco, CA, November 15, 2010.

“Academic Libraries and Civic Engagement,” American Association of State Colleges and Universities—American Democracy Project, Washington, DC, November 11, 2010.

“US-Russia Relationships: Implications for Public Attitudes,” Kettering Foundation 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration of the Dartmouth Conference, Woodrow Wilson Center, Washington, DC, October 25, 2010.

“Privacy and Civility,” Rutgers University Project Civility, Panel on Uncivil Gadgets, New Brunswick, NJ: November 3, 2010.

“The Googlization of Libraries: Should We Care?” Illinois Library Association Keynote Conversation with Siva Vaidhyanathan, “The Googlization of Everything: Should We Care?” Chicago, IL, September 28, 2010.

“Turning Outward: Engaging Our Communities in Tough Times,” Presentation at the Illinois Library Association, Chicago, IL, September 28, 2010.

“Pump Up the Volume: Be Heard on Legislation,” Panel Presentation at the American Library Association Midwinter Conference, Boston, MA, January 16, 2010.

“Building Partnerships for 21st Century Skills: Bridging Divides and Closing Gaps,” Panel Presentation at the National Communication Association Annual Conference, Chicago, IL, November 14, 2009.

“E-Democracy: Opportunity or Barrier to Participation in the Digital Age,” Panel Presentation at the National Communication Association Annual Conference, Chicago, IL, November 13, 2009.

“Google Books: What’s in It for Libraries?” Presentation at Rutgers University MLIS Program Colloquium, October 28, 2009.

“Privacy as a First Amendment Right,” Panel Presentation for Banned Books Week, Rutgers University Libraries, New Brunswick, NJ, September 29, 2009.

“The Nature and Role of Information Commons,” Presentation for OneWebDay at University of Wisconsin—Milwaukee, September 22, 2009.

“The Ethics of Building 'Balanced' Collections,” Presentation at the ACRL Ethic Committee Program at the ALA Annual Conference, Chicago, IL, July 12, 2009.

“Civic Engagement and Academic Libraries,” Presentation at the ACRL Law and Political Science Section Program at the ALA Annual Conference, Chicago, IL, July 11, 2009.

“The Google Book Settlement: Continuing to Explore What’s In It for Libraries,” Presentation at an ALA Committee on Legislation panel, ALA Annual Conference, Chicago, IL, July 11, 2009.

“Shaping the Future: Re-imagining Citizenship through E-Government,” Samore Lecture, UW-Milwaukee, May 8, 2009.

“The Google Books Settlement: How Will It Affect Libraries, Scholarship, Publishing and Reading?” Presentation and Moderator at a Rutgers University Panel, New Brunswick, NJ, April 30, 2009.

“James Madison Award Presentation to Thomas Susman,” Freedom of Information Day, Freedom Forum, Washington, DC, March 13, 2009.

“Libraries and the Civic Sphere,” Presentation for Rutgers University LIS Colloquium, New Brunswick, NJ, February 11, 2009.

“The Google Book Settlement: What’s in It for Libraries,” Presentation at an ALA Committee on Legislation panel, ALA Annual Conference, Chicago, IL, January 24, 2009.

“The Information Commons,” Doctoral Colloquium at Long Island University, C.W. Post Center, October 30, 2008.

“Banned Books: What’s Hot and What’s Not,” Keystone State Reading Association, Valley Forge, PA, October 20, 2008.

“The Ethics of Copyright,” American Association of School Librarians, ALA Annual Conference, June 29, 2008.

“Library Advocacy,” Bulgarian Library Association, Sofia, Bulgaria, May 13, 2008.

“Bridging the Divide: Libraries Transform Communities—An Overview of Libraries and Civic Engagement,” Public Library Association National Conference, Minneapolis, MN, March 26, 2008.

“People Watching with a Purpose: Meeting Needs Before They Need It—Civic Engagement,” Soaring to Excellence Teleconference, College of DuPage, Glen Ellyn, IL, February 8, 2008.

“Deliberative Democracy,” Presentation and Moderator at the ALA Legislation Committee Meeting, Philadelphia, PA, January 11, 2008.

“Information, Civic Engagement, and Human Rights,” the Boucher Memorial Lecture on Intellectual Freedom,” Colorado Association of Libraries, November 10, 2007, Denver, CO.

“Libraries as Universal Service Providers,” Presentation at the Pennsylvania Library Association Conference, State College, PA, October 15, 2007.

“Civic Engagement by Libraries and Librarians,” Presentation at the Pennsylvania Library Association Conference, State College, PA, October 15, 2007.

“The Information Commons,” Presentation at Beijing University for Posts and Telecommunications, Beijing, China, October 9, 2007.

“Public Issues Forums of Centre County: Bringing the Public Back into the Public Square,” Presentation to the Downtown Rotary Club, State College, PA, September 27, 2007.

“Access to Information as a Human Right,” Presentation at Millersville University, Millersville, PA, April 20, 2007.

“Libraries as Universal Service Providers,” Panelist on The Challenges and Opportunities of the Information Age: Exploring the Frontiers of the Digital Divide, National Communications Association Annual Conference, November 17, 2006, San Antonio, TX.

“The Media Affects You: Start Affecting It,” Panelist at the Penn State Media Activism Workshop, October 17, 2006, State College, PA.

“Access and Intellectual Freedom,” Presentation at the University of Wisconsin, School of Library and Information Science Centennial Program, September 30, 2006, Madison, WI.

“Possibilities and Responsibilities for Civic Engagement,” Presentation at the Libraries and Productive Aging Institute, Americans for Libraries Council, August 1, 2006, Chapel Hill, NC.

“The Ethnic Press, Libraries, and Community: How We Can Strengthen the Ties?” Panel Moderator at the ALA Annual Conference, June 25, 2006, New Orleans, LA.

“Fostering Civic Engagement with Older Americans through Libraries,” Presentation to the ALA Preconference on Library Service to Older Adults, June 23, 2006, New Orleans, LA.

“Practicing Democracy: Methods, Successes and Failures,” Speech to the Centre County League of Women Voters, State College, PA, April 26, 2006.

“The Big Chill: Staying Safe and Free in a Post 9-11 World,” Presentation at SUNY-Cortland, March 28, 2006.

“The Impact of Federal Antiterrorism Measures on State College, PA,” Presentations in support of a Bill of Rights Safe Zone Resolution (passed unanimously) at the State College Borough Council Meetings, State College, PA, February 13, 2006 and February 21, 2006.

“The Information Commons: Ensuring Public Spaces for Free Speech, Civic Participation, Innovation, and Creativity in the Digital Age,” Presentations at the Global Futures Symposium, Rutgers U., Livingston Campus, March 23, 2006

“Staking a Claim in the Digital Commons,” Presentation at the National Communications Association Conference, Boston, MA, November 18, 2005.

“Rip and Burn or Own and Lock? The Future of the Digital Commons,” MIT Communications Forum, Cambridge, MA, September 22, 2005.

“The Information Commons,” Presentation at BayNet Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA, May 10, 2005.

“Practicing Democracy: ALA Means Participation,” Presentation at the Tennessee Library Association, Nashville, TN, April 7, 2005.

“The Big Chill: Intellectual Freedom in 2005,” Presentation at the Tennessee Library Association, Nashville, TN, April 7, 2005.

“Promoting Civic Engagement and Leading Communities through Libraries,” Presentation for the Thinking Ahead Symposium, Salt Lake City, March 18, 2005.

“Libraries as Universal Service Providers,” Presentation at the International Conference on the National Communications Commission, Taipei, Taiwan, March 8-11, 2005

“The Information Commons: Ensuring Public Spaces for Free Speech, Civic Participation, Innovation and Creativity in the Digital Age,” Presentation at the International Conference on the National Communications Commission, Taipei, Taiwan, March 8-11, 2005

“Getting Around ALA: Orchestrating Democracy,” Presentation at the ALA Council Orientation Boston, MA, January 15, 2005.

“The Information Commons,” Presentation at Beijing University for Posts and Telecommunications, Beijing, China, December 14, 2004.

“The USA PATRIOT Act and Local Action,” Presentation to the Centre County Democrats, State College, PA, November 20, 2004.

“The Information Commons: Reframing the Debate over Access,” Presentation at the ALA Workshop on the Information Commons, Cerritos CA, October 29, 2004.

“Libraries as Civic Partners,” Keynote Presentation at the Maine Library Association Conference, Augusta, ME, October 18, 2004.

“Privacy, Security, and Libraries,” Presentation at the Maine Library Association Conference, Augusta, ME, October 18, 2004.

“Privacy, Security and Surveillance,” Luncheon Speaker, Ramapo-Catskill Library Trustees Annual Meeting, Middletown, NY, October 17, 2004.

“The Information Commons,” Luncheon Address, Telecommunications Policy Research Conference, Roslyn, VA, October 1, 2004.

“You Can’t Say That: Censorship and the Media,” Presentation at the Nassau County Library Association Conference, Long Island University, Greenvale, NY, September 30, 2004.

“Copyright and the Commons,” Presentation to the American Association of School Librarians, ALA Annual Conference, Orlando, FL, June 28, 2004.

“Walking the Highwire: Exploring the Tension between Intellectual Freedom and Intellectual Property,” Presentation sponsored by the Intellectual Freedom Round Table at the American Library Association Annual Conference, Orlando, FL, June 26, 2004.

“Libraries and Civic Engagement,” Presentation at the American Library Association Annual Conference, Orlando, FL, June 26, 2004.

“Libraries: Why They Are More Important Than Ever in the Digital Age,” Presentation to the International Visitors Program, U.S. State Department, NYC, June 17, 2004.

“The USA PATRIOT Act,” Presentation at SUNYLA Conference, Cortland, NY, May 26, 2004.

“Professional Issues –What Are the Hot Topics Today?” Presentation at a Rutgers University SLIS Colloquium, New Brunswick, NJ, February 25, 2004

“The USA PATRIOT Act and the Academy,” Presentation to the Wesleyan University Academic Technology Round Table, Middletown, CT, February 18, 2004.

“Libraries and the Information Commons,” Presentation at the OITP Forum on the Information Commons, ALA Midwinter Conference, San Diego, January 10, 2004.

“Libraries, Democracy and Civic Engagement,” Presentation at the Libraries as Public Forum Training Session, ALA Midwinter Conference, San Diego, January 9, 2004.

"Who Owns Information? Digital Information Today, Tomorrow, and Yesterday," Panel presentation at the National Communication Association Conference, Miami Beach, FL, November 22, 2003.

"Applying Librarianship Approaches to ICT Research, Policy, and Practice," Panel presentation at the National Communication Association Conference, Miami Beach, FL, November 21, 2003.

"Challenging the Constitutionality of Federally Mandated Library Internet Filters," Panel presentation at the National Communication Association Conference, Miami Beach, FL, November 21, 2003.

“The Role of Libraries in Serving Multi-ethnic, Multi-lingual Information Needs,” Panel presentation at the National Communication Association Conference, Miami Beach, FL, November 20, 2003

“The USA PATRIOT Act,” Presentation at the Library of Congress, September 25, 2003; Indiana University-South Bend, October 3, 2003; Rutgers University SCILS, October 25, 2003; Westport Public Library, October 28, 2003; Teaneck Public Library, November 12, 2003.

“The Role of Libraries in Civil Society,” Presentation to the International Visitor Project for Russia: Managing Multicultural Library Services, U.S. State Department, New York City, October 15, 2003.

“Why Filters Won’t Protect Children or Adults,” Presentation at the Princeton Public Library, September 23, 2003.

"Free Inquiry, Access and Privacy for 21st Century Learners," Presentation at the EFL Forum and at a Capitol Hill Briefing sponsored by Senator Maria Cantwell, Washington, DC, April 3-4, 2003.

“Libraries and Fundraising,” Presentation to a delegation of librarians and public officials from Azerbaijan, U.S. State Department, New York City, February 20, 2003.

“The ALA-APA, Why We Need a New Organization,” Presentation at ALISE, January 23, 2003, Philadelphia, PA.

Thomson ISI Samuel Lazerow Memorial Lecture, Indiana University School of Library and Information Science, Bloomington, IN, December 11, 2002.

“Better than Bookstores: Sales and Distribution,” Panelist at the Small Press Center, New York, NY, November 21, 2002.

“Intellectual Freedom in a Time of War,” Presentation before the Association of Connecticut Library Boards, Water’s Edge Inn, Westbrook, CT, October 10, 2002.

“Becoming an Effective Advocate,” Presentation at the Texas Leadership Conference, Austin, TX, September 30, 2002.

“Why We Still Need Libraries,” Keynote speech at the Texas Leadership Conference, Austin, TX, September 29, 2002.

“Libraries and Information Policy in Times of Crisis,” Keynote speech at the British Columbia Information Policy Annual Conference, Vancouver, BC, Canada, September 26, 2002.

“Advocating for Academic Libraries,” Presentation at the ACRL Legislative Advocacy Pre-Conference Atlanta, GA, June 14, 2002.

“ALA’s New Allied Professional Association,” Presentations at the ALA Annual Conference Membership Meeting, Council, Planning and Budget Assembly, Executive Board, Atlanta, GA, June 14-18, 2002.

“Libraries: Ensuring the Public’s Right to Know in the Information Age,” Presentation at the National Library of Serbia, Belgrade, May 29, 2002.

“Libraries in the Digital Age: Enhancing Teaching and Learning,” Speech at the International Conference: Management of a University Library, Polotsk State University, Polotsk, Belarus, May 22, 2002.

“Literacy in the Digital Age,” Presentation at the CPSR/NCA DIAC Conference, Seattle, WA, May 17, 2002.

“Libraries Create Social Capital,” speech at the New Jersey Library Association, Somerset, NJ, April 11, 2002.

“Internet Filtering Today: The Children’s Internet Protection Act,” panelist at the Florida Library Association, Daytona Beach, FL, April 10, 2002.

“Why We Still Need Libraries,” Keynote speech at the Florida Library Association, Daytona Beach, FL, April 9, 2002.

“The New Regulatory Environment and Its Impact on Children and Media,” panelist at the Annenberg Public Policy Center, U. of PA, Summit on Children’s Media, St. Thomas, Virgin Islands, April 5, 2002.

“Why We Still Need Libraries,” lunch speaker at the York, PA Rotary Club, March 6, 2002.

“The Digital Divide Is Not Just About Access,” panelist at the IAMCR/ICA Symposium on the Digital Divide, Austin, TX, November 17, 2001.

“Why Do We Still Need Libraries?” Nasser Sharify Lecture, Pratt Graduate School of Information and Library Science,” New York City, October 28, 2001.

“Sharing Our Passion,” Keynote speech at the New Jersey Recruitment Summit, Manalapan, NJ: October 26, 2001.

“New Technology: What to Cash in on and What to Avoid,” Panel presentation at the Small Press Center, New York City, October 23, 2001.

“Bridging the Digital Divide,” Keynote speech before the Indiana Library Federation District 4 Conference, Plainfield, IN, October 5, 2001.

“CIPA: Pro and Con,” Presenter at the Rutgers University School of Information and Library Science, New Brunswick, NJ, October 3, 2001.

“Libraries: Ensuring the Public’s Right to Know,” Keynote speech before the General Federation of Women’s Clubs, St. Paul, MN, June 23, 2001.

“Communication Research and the Digital Divide: Opportunities through Libraries,” panelist at the International Communication Association Conference, Washington, DC, May 25, 2001.

“The Digital Library in the Age of Electronic Publishing,” panelist at the TextOneZero Conference on Electronic Publishing, Brooklyn, NY, May 23, 2001, and BookExpo, Chicago, IL, June 2, 2001.

“Libraries: Advocating for Democracy, Civil Society and the Public’s Right to Know,” key note and other presentations at a workshop to strengthen library associations in the South Caucasus, Tblisi, Georgia, May 4-9, 2001.

“Libraries: Ensuring the Public’s Right to Know in the Information Age,” presentations to the Washington Library Association, Spokane, WA, April 6, 2001; UCLA Alumni Association, Los Angeles, CA, April 7, 2001; New Mexico Library Association, Albuquerque, NM, April 18, 2001; Oklahoma Library Association, Oklahoma City, OK, April 19, 2001; Pratt Institute Library School Beta Phi Mu Chapter, NYC, April 23, 2001; Catholic University Betty Stone Lecture, Washington, DC, April 25, 2001; and Pennsylvania Library Trustees, Pittsburgh, PA, May 18, 2001.

“Building Information Smart Communities,” presentation at the Texas Library Association, San Antonio, TX, March 28, 2001.

“E-Government: Making Government More Accountable and Efficient,” panel presentation to the Congressional Internet Caucus, Washington, DC, March 22, 2001.

“The American Library Association vs. The United States,” presentation at a press conference announcing the filing of a lawsuit to overturn the Children’s Internet Protection Act (CIPA), New York City, March 20, 2001.

“The Campaign for America’s Libraries and ACRL,” presentation at the ACRL National Conference, Denver, CO, March 18, 2001.

“The James Madison Award for John Podesta,” presentation on Freedom of Information Day at the Freedom Forum, Roslyn, VA, March 16, 2001.

“Libraries and Democracy: Advocating for the Public’s Information Rights,” presentation to Oahu librarians, Honolulu, Hawaii, March 3, 2001.

“Libraries for 2020,” presentation to Hawaii and Maui librarians, Hilo, Hawaii, March 1, 2001 and Kahului, Maui, March 2, 2001.

“Free Speech v. Filtering: The Internet in Schools and Libraries,” presentation at the Freedom Forum First Amendment Center, New York, February 20, 2001.

“Libraries, Advocacy, and the Campaign for America’s Libraries,” presentation at the Library Public Relations Council, New York City, February 15, 2001.

“The First Amendment 2001” presentation at the Freedom Forum First Amendment Center, a discussion with Media Studies Journal Fall 2000 contributors, New York, February 6, 2001.

“The Campaign for America’s Libraries,” presentation to the ALA Council, New Members Round Table, and Campaign Workshops, Washington, DC, January 13-14, 2001.

“The ALA Council and Democratic Deliberation,” presentation at the ALA Council Orientation Session, Washington, DC, January 13, 2001.

“Libraries: A Place to Stake a Career,” Speech at the Queensborough Public Library Page Graduation, Jamaica, NY, January 10, 2001.

“More Than BigBookstore.com: Libraries Can Provide Alternatives,” Edith Coulter lecture, California Library Association, Santa Clara, November 12, 2000.

“The Role of Libraries in Bridging the Digital Divide,” presentation at the National Communication Association annual conference, Seattle, WA, November 11, 2000.

“Libraries, Equity and the Digital Divide,” presentation at the New York Library Association, Saratoga Springs, NY, November 4, 2000.

“Libraries: Ensuring the Public’s Right to Know in an Information Age,” keynote presentation at the Kentucky Library Association, Louisville, KY, October 19, 2000.

“Building Smart Communities,” presentation to the Georgia Library Association, Jeckyll Island, GA, October 12, 2000.

“The Digital Divide,” presentation at the New England Library Association, Worcester, MA, October 2, 2000.

“Building 21<sup>st</sup>-Century Advocates,” presentation to the Libraries for the Future Advocacy Network, Kansas City, MO, September 23, 2000.

“Libraries: Bridging the Digital Divide,” keynote address at the Colorado Library Association, Snomass, CO, September 15, 2000.

“Libraries: Enhancing Teaching and Learning,” keynote address at the Mexico Library Association, College and Research Libraries, San Luis Potosi, Mexico, September 13, 2000.

“Gypsy or Peasant: Career Options of Library Leaders,” presentation at the Tucson Public Library, Tucson, AZ, August 2, 2000.

“Information Literacy for the 21<sup>st</sup> Century,” presentation at the U. of Arizona Library, Tucson, AZ, August 2, 2000.

“Building Information Smart Communities,” presentation to the Greater Tucson Economic Development Council, Tucson, AZ, August 2, 2000.

“Puttin’ on the Ritz: FDR, Democracy and Libraries,” Inaugural address at the ALA Annual Conference, Chicago, IL, July 11, 2000.

“Being Digital: Opportunities for Library Collaboration in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century,” Keynote address at the Rochester Regional Library Council Annual Meeting, Rochester, NY, June 1, 2000.

“The Role of Libraries and Professional Societies in Shaping the Network Society,” Discussion leader at the DIAC-2000 CPSR Symposium, Seattle, WA, May 22, 2000.

“High Tech, Low Tech, No Tech: Moving Beyond Economics to Bridge the Digital Divide,” Workshop presentation at the DIAC-2000 CPSR Symposium, Seattle, WA, May 21, 2000.

“Access to the Public Sphere,” Plenary session presentation at the DIAC-2000 CPSR Symposium, Seattle, WA, May 20, 2000.

“Intellectual Freedom Issues: A National Perspective,” Presentation at the Utah Library Association, Ogden, UT, May 18, 2000.

“Staking Our Claim in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century Academy: Emerging Roles for Librarians Throughout the World,” Presentation at the Argentina Library Association, Buenos Aires, April 27, 2000.

“Managing Library Associations: A Case Study of Strategic Planning at the American Library Association,” Presentation at the Argentina Library Association, Buenos Aires, April 26, 2000.

“Spanish Book Buying in the U.S.,” Presentation at the Argentine Book Fair/Argentina Library Association, Buenos Aires, April 25, 2000.

“Ensuring the Public’s Right to Know: Librarians Make it Happen,” Keynote speech at the Argentina Library Association, Buenos Aires, April 25, 2000.

“Information Equity and Independent Media,” Panelist at the Project Censored Press Freedom Conference, Fordham University, New York City, April 12, 2000.

“The Digital Millennium Copyright Act: A Librarian’s Perspective,” Roundtable participant at the Columbia University Law School Kernochan Center for Law, Media, and the Arts, New York City, April 11, 2000.

“Staking a Claim in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century Academy: Emerging Roles for Librarians,” Presentation at the ACRL Delaware Valley Chapter, Academic Librarianship Speaker Series, University of Pennsylvania Van Pelt Library, Philadelphia, PA, April 4, 2000.

“Building Smart Communities,” Presentation at the Smart Communities Conference, WNYLRC, Buffalo, NY, March 24, 2000.

“The Digital Divide,” Presenter and facilitator at the Freedom Forum Freedom of Information Day Celebration, Roslyn, VA, March 16, 2000.

“Literacy and Learning,” Panel Presentation at a Digital Dialogue with Educators, Program Leaders, and Professional convened by Digital Democracy USA, NYC, March 8, 2000.

“Filtering in the Schools,” Panel Presentation at the NYS Association of Computers and Technologies in Education (NYSCATES), NYC, March 4, 2000.

“Net Loss: A Discussion of Information Equity and How to Fight the Corporate Takeover of the Internet,” Presentation at Housing Works Used Book Cafe sponsored by FAIR (Fairness and Accuracy in Reporting), New York City, February 24, 2000.

“A Question of Balance: Libraries and Publishers Promoting Scholarship,” Presentation before the Bielefeld, Germany, 2000 Conference, Videoconference February 8, 2000.

“Libraries: The Cornerstone of Democracy,” Speech before Archons of Colophon, NYC, December 15, 1999.

“New York Public Libraries Salaries,” Testimony before the NYC Council, Committee on Parks, Recreation, Cultural Affairs, and International Intergroup Relations, NYC City Hall, December 10, 1999.

“Libraries: The Cornerstone of Democracy,” Speech at the Queens Borough Public Library Director’s Forum, Jamaica, NY, December 10, 1999.

“Libraries Are the Cornerstone of Democracy,” Keynote Address for the METRO Annual Meeting, NYC, October 14, 1999.

“School Libraries and Literacy in the Next Millennium,” Keynote Address for the NYC Public Schools Professional Development Workshops, Queens College, NYC, October 5, 6, 1999.

“Creating a New York State Digital Library,” Academic Libraries 2000 Conference, Albany, NY, October 1, 1999.

“Building a Global Digital Library,” paper presented at the NIT >99 Conference, Taipei, Taiwan, August 18, 1999.

“A Question of Balance: The Role of Libraries in Providing Alternatives to the Mainstream Media,” Speech before the ALA, Social Responsibilities Roundtable/Alternatives in Print Task Force, New Orleans, LA, June 27, 1999.

“The Library’s Role in Teaching and Learning,” Presentation before the Tulane University Library Staff and Invited Faculty Members, New Orleans, LA, June 25, 1999.

“Staking Our Claim in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century Academy: Emerging Roles for Librarians,” Presentation before A Joint Symposium Sponsored by ACRL New Jersey and Greater New York Chapters on Librarians and Leadership: The Role of Librarians in Higher Education, New York City, May 14, 1999.

“Ensuring the Public’s Right to Know: Librarians Make It Happen,” Keynote Speech at the University of Wisconsin SLIS Centennial Celebration, Madison, WI, May 1, 1999.

“Building a State Digital Library: Collaboration for the 21<sup>st</sup> Century,” Presentation at the Texas Library Association, Dallas, TX, April 22, 1999.

“Posting Chemical Plant Worst-case Scenarios on the Net,” Panel Moderator for National Freedom of Information Day Conference, Freedom Forum, Arlington, VA, March 16, 1999.

“ALA Presidential Candidate’s Forum,” Teleconference from the College of DuPage, March 12, 1999.

“Ensuring the Public’s Right to Know: Librarians Make It Happen,” Presentation at Rutgers University Library School, March 10, 1999.

“The Tangled Web We Weave: Rights, Responsibilities and Freedom of Expression in the Library Internet Access Controversy,” presentation at the National Communications Association Conference, New York City, November 24, 1998.

“The Free Market and Freedom of Information,” presentation at the National Communications Association Conference, New York City, November 21, 1998.

“Local Web Network Issues,” facilitator of panel discussion at METRO symposium: Building Library Webs: Integrating Online and Web-Based Resources in a Networked Environment, New York City, October 21, 1998.

“Collaboration: Lessons from the New York State Digital Library,” presentation before the Western Council Planning for Digitization Conference, Denver, Colorado, September 18, 1998.

“NYCRL Digital Library Symposium: Welcome, Introductions, and Charge to Participants,” presentation at the NYCRL Digital Library Symposium, New York University, June 1, 1998.

“The Library of the Future,” speech before the Manhattan High Schools Technology Conference, New York City, May 29, 1998.

“Phi Beta Capitalism,” award presentation to Lawrence Soley, Project Censored Awards, New York City, April 27, 1998.

“Digital Libraries: Building a Bridge to the 21<sup>st</sup> Century,” speech before the Nassau County Library Association, Academic and Special Libraries Division, Brookville, NY, April 24, 1998.

“Freedom of Information in the Publishing Industry The Impact on Scholarly Publishing,” presentation for the Media Literacy Club, New York University, March 11, 1998, aired on C-Span, April 11, 1998.

“The ALA Executive Director Search Process: A Final Report,” Presentation to the ALA Council, New Orleans, LA, January 11, 1998.

“Seamless Scanning in the Virtual World: A View from NYCRL”, presentation at the NYLA ASLS/SMART program, New York Library Association Conference, Syracuse, NY, October 31, 1997.

“Building a Post-917 Action Plan,” presentation at the NYLA Legislation Committee program, New York Library Association Conference, Syracuse, NY, October 31, 1997.

“Life After the Telecommunications Act,” facilitator at the Media and Democracy Congress, New York City, October 17, 1997.

“Ensuring the Public’s Right to Know in a Digital Age: Librarians Make It Happen,” presentation at the Iowa Library Association, Sioux City, IA, October 9, 1997.

“Envisioning Our Future: The Digital Library as New Paradigm, Survival for the 21<sup>st</sup> Century,” presentation at the Colorado State Library Joint Projects Planning Workshop, Mt. Princeton, CO, September 24, 1997.

“The ALA Planning Process,” presentation to the Planning and Budget Assembly, ALA Annual Conference, San Francisco, June 27, 1997.

“Creating a New York State Digital Library: Survival for the 21st Century,” presentation at the Long Island Library Association Conference, Huntington, NY, May 21, 1997.

“Big Brother Goes High Tech,” presentation of Project Censored Award, New York City, May 6, 1997.

“The New York State Digital Library: Building on the Past, Planning for the Future,” presentation at the ACRL/NY Annual Symposium, New Paltz, NY, March 21, 1997.

“Community Networking and Telecommunications Policy,” facilitator at the “Freeing the Media” conference, NYC, February 1, 1997.

“ALA v. Pataki,” presentation on behalf of the American Library Association at the press conference to announce a lawsuit challenging the New York State Communications Decency Act, NYC, January 14, 1997.

“A 50-Year Celebration of Access to Government Information,” presentation at the Depository Library 50th Anniversary, Hartford, CT, Public Library, December 16, 1996.

“Information Inequality: Public Space and the Information Age,” presentation at the Learning Alliance, New York, October 23, 1996.

“The Information Superhighway and the Free Flow of Ideas,” Plenary Speech at the Computers for Social Change Conference, Bronx, NY, June 22, 1996.

“The Academic Library Market,” Presentation to the NYU Publishing Institute, NYC, June 18, 1996.

"The New York State Digital Library: Building on the Past, Collaborating on the Future," Presentation at METRO, NYC, June 6, 1996.

"Government Information Dissemination: Issue Briefing," Facilitator at ALA Legislative Day Briefing, Washington, DC, May 6, 1996.

"Keeping On-line Speech Free: Street Corners in Cyberspace," Presentation at the 1996 Project Censored Awards Ceremony, New York City, April 24, 1996.

"Social Implications of Computer Communications Technologies," Presentation to the Columbia University Revson Fellows, New York City, February 13, 1996.

"The ALA Legislative Process," Presentation to ALA Council Orientation Program, San Antonio, TX, January 21, 1996.

"Government Information: Hot Issues," Presentation at the ALA Legislative Update, San Antonio, TX, January 21, 1996.

"Information Highway or Corporate Monorail?" Speech at the Learning Alliance, New York City, December 12, 1995, broadcast on Manhattan Neighborhood Network, February 6, 1996.

"Developing a New York State Digital Library," Presentation to the New York State Board of Regents Cultural Education Committee, Albany, NY, September 13, 1995.

"Government Information: Why This Area Is Contentious," presentation at the ALA Forum on Government Information Policy, Washington, DC, July 19, 1995.

"Ownership of Information and the Role of Libraries in the Information Age," presentation to the Faculty Resource Network Summer Seminar, New York University, June 6, 1995.

"Copyright in the Age of Technology," speech before the U.S. Department of Energy National Laboratories, Library Operations Working Group, Annual Meeting, Brookhaven National Laboratory, New York, May 4, 1995.

"The ALA Council Listserv, Pilot Project Review and Options for Future Use," presented at the ALA Council session, ALA Midwinter Conference, Philadelphia, February 7, 1995.

"Resolutions," presented at the ALA Council Orientation session, ALA Midwinter Conference, Philadelphia, February 5, 1995.

"Government Information: Hot Issues and Strategies," presentation at the Legislative Update, ALA Midwinter Conference, Philadelphia, February 4, 1995.

"Access to Information: Getting It and Keeping It," Rudy Weiss Memorial Lecture, New York Library Association Annual Conference, Syracuse, NY, October 21, 1994.

"Insights into the National Information Infrastructure," presentation before the ASIS Metro NY Chapter, 23rd Seminar, New York City, September 23, 1994

"The National Information Infrastructure: Superhighway or Dead End?" presentation before the National Association of State Directors of Administration and General Services (NASDAGS) Conference, Portland, Maine, August 14, 1994.

"Bringing Government to the People," speech before the Public Library Association/ALA Annual Conference, Miami, FL, June 26, 1994.

"Forging a National Information Policy: Where is the Public? Forging Coalitions for Public Access," speech before the Canadian Library Association Annual Conference, Vancouver, B.C., June 17, 1994.

"NREN/NII," keynote address at the New Jersey Intercampus Network Library Committee/ Educational Activities Task Force, Annual Conference, Randolph, NJ, May 20, 1994.

"Adventures in Cyberspace," speech before the Palmer School of Library and Information Science Alumni Association, Annual Dinner, Long Island, NY, May 11, 1994.

"Converging Interests on the NII: Commercial Ventures, Policy and Public Access," presentation before the ASIS/New England Chapter Annual Conference, Cambridge, MA, May 6, 1994.

"Libraries Without Walls," presentation to the Authors Guild Roundtable to explore the extent to which public libraries should be able to disseminate copyrighted electronic works, New York City, April 14, 1994.

"Shaping the Frontier," Presentation before the New Jersey Library Association Annual Institute, Manalapan, NJ, March 17, 1994.

"Government Documents for Library Administrators: Lobbying for Libraries," Presentation at the METRO-GODIG Continuing Education Program, New York City, December 1, 1993.

"Building Powerful Partnerships: Librarians' Action Plan for the National Information Infrastructure," Presentation at the ACRL New York Annual Symposium, New York City, November 17, 1993.

"The Public's Right to Know and Universal Access," Presentation at a White House Briefing about the Access to and Use of Government Information Colloquium, Washington, DC, August 11, 1993.

"Staking a Claim in Cyberspace," Interview on a Paper Tiger Television production, July 1, 1993.

"Barriers Preventing Public Access," Presentation at the Access to and Use of Government Information Colloquium, Blue Mountain Center, NY, June 11, 1993.

"Measuring Library Effectiveness," Presentation at a METRO Workshop, New York City, May 7, 1993.

"The GPO/Gateway to Government Bill," Presentation at the Meckler Conference on the Internet and Libraries, Philadelphia, PA, December 8, 1992.

"Strategies and Coalitions for Gaining Access to Government Information," Speech before the British Columbia Library Association, Vancouver, B.C., Canada, November 6, 1992.

"Information--Commodity or Public Good?" Presentation to the Rutgers University School of Library and Information Science Colloquium, New Brunswick, NJ, October 28, 1992.

"Market Failure and Government Information," Presentation to the NYU Libraries Faculty, New York City, May 20, 1992.

"Government Information as a Commodity," Presentation at the Intellectual Freedom Program, Maryland Library Association, Solomons Island, Maryland, May 14, 1992.

"Confidentiality: How the NYU Library Stacks Up," Presentation at the Intellectual Freedom Roundtable program on Confidentiality, New York Library Association Annual Conference, New York City, November 22, 1991.

"Access to Government and Legal Information: Issues in the National Information Policy Arena," Presentation at the Second Northeast Regional Law Library Conference, Philadelphia, PA, November 9, 1991.

"Speaking Up About Your Right To Know," Presentation at the National Library Week Workshop, American Library Association Conference, Atlanta, GA, July 1, 1991.

"The GPO Windo Bill," Presentation at the Legislation Update, American Library Association Conference, Atlanta, GA, June 29, 1991.

"Government Information in the Electronic Age," Presentation at the Computers for Social Change Conference, New York City, June 26, 1991.

"Libraries Battle Government Censorship," Presentation during the NYU Alumni Reunion Weekend, New York, June 1, 1991.

"Your Right to Know: Making It Happen In Your Community," Presentation at the Public Library Association National Conference, San Diego, CA, March 22, 1990.

"Federal Funding for Academic Libraries," Paper presented at the Florida State University Conference on The Funding of Public and Academic Libraries: The Critical Issues for the '90's, Tallahassee, FL, March 11, 1991.

"Government Information: For Whom?" Presentation to the ACRL/NY, Greater Metropolitan Area Chapter Symposium, NYC, November 14, 1990.

"The Right to Know--Libraries Make It Happen," Presentation before the Regional Library Cooperative V, Central Jersey Annual Meeting, Freehold, NJ, October 30, 1990.

"Libraries in a Changing and Competitive Society," Panelist at Symposium honoring Pratt Institute Library School's 100th year, NYC, October 6, 1990.

"Public Information Dissemination and Access," Presentation before the Eastern Government Technology Conference, Albany, NY, September 28, 1990.

"Democracy and Access to Government Information," Panel presentation before the New York State Governor's Commission on Library and Information Services, Syracuse, NY, July 12, 1990.

"Access to Government Information," Presentation to the Rhode Island Department of Library Services/U. of R.I. Library School Forum, Providence, R.I., June 12, 1990.

"Public Data Access: The Role of Libraries," Presentation at the Computers for Social Change Conference, New York City, June 8, 1990.

"Electronic Publishing: Service Opportunities and Problems," Presentation before the Joint Spring Workshop, Washington, DC, March 30, 1990.

"Access to Government Information," Presentation before the METRO Government Documents Interest Group, New York, NY, March 23, 1990.

"Electronic Dissemination of Federal Information," Presentation before the American Society for Information Science Conference, Washington, DC, October 30, 1989.

"The Role of Libraries in Disseminating Electronic Public Information," paper presented at the Benton Foundation's Consultation on Electronic Public Information and the Public's Right to Know, Washington, DC, October 24, 1989.

"Goals and Needs for Public Access to Environmental Data: A Librarian's Perspective," Presentation before the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency First Conference on Public Access to Environmental Information, Washington, DC, October 22, 1989.

"Issues Related to Government Information," Presentation before the University of Michigan Libraries Resident Program and Library School, Ann Arbor, MI, October 16, 1989.

"Information Access, The Fifth Freedom: The Implications of Information Access as a Citizen Right for Libraries," Presentation at the American Library Association President's Program, Dallas, TX, June 25, 1989.

"Public Data Access: Federal Government," Presentation at the Conference on Computers for Social Change, New York City, June 9, 1989.

"Federal Information Dissemination Policies and Practices," Testimony before the House Subcommittee on Government Information, Justice, and Agriculture, May 23, 1989.

"Federal Government Information Policy," keynote speaker for Colloquium at the University of Maryland College of Library and Information Services, College Park, MD, April 12, 1989.

"The FBI Library Awareness Program," presentation at the State University of New York - Plattsburgh, March 27, 1989.

"Federal Policy Concerns of the Coalition on Government Information," speech before the Federal Library and Information Center Committee 6th Annual Forum on Federal Information Policies, Library of Congress, Washington, DC, March 22, 1989.

"Access to Information and Resources: Conflicting Rights and Interests," speech at the Rutgers University Colloquium in Library and Information Studies, New Brunswick, NJ, March 1, 1989.

"Less Access to Less Information," speech before the Utah Library Association, St. George, UT, February 15, 1989.

"Access to Government Information: Strategies and Actions for the Next Administration," Moderator of Forum sponsored by the Coalition on Government Information, Washington, DC, January 6, 1989.

"When the FBI Knocks on Your Door" speech before the New Jersey Library Association/New Jersey State Library Institute: "Spies In the Aisles", Monmouth County Library, Manalapan, NJ, December 16, 1988.

"Is the Government Threatening First Amendment Rights in Your Library?" Panel discussion before the Academic Freedom Committee, World University Service, New York City, December 10, 1988.

"The FBI Library Awareness Program," Speech before the Librarian's Assembly, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA, November 16, 1988.

"Armed For Action: Getting Access to Government Information and Keeping It," Speech before the California Academic and Research Libraries (CARL) - South, San Diego, CA, October 21, 1988.

"Freedom of Information: The Impact of Technology," Speech presented at the Library Information and Technology Association National Conference, Boston, MA, October 4, 1988.

"Never Look a Gift Horse in the Mouth," speech for the LAMA Financial Management Committee program "Now That You've Got the Grant: Establishing a Good Track Record in Financial Administration," ALA Conference, New Orleans, LA, July 11, 1988.

"Profiles in Leadership," panelist for the ALA President's Program, "Visionary Leaders for 2020: Developing Leadership in Human Resources for Library and Information Science," ALA Conference, New Orleans, LA, July 10, 1988.

"Armed for Action: The Coalition on Government Information," speech for the ACRL Legislation Committee/GODORT program "Information Access: Issues and Action," ALA Conference, New Orleans, LA, July 10, 1988.

"The Great Information Depression of the 1980's," speech before the Massachusetts Library Association, Springfield, MA, May 2, 1988.

"Providing Effective Public Services for the Future," panelist at Columbia University Libraries, staff development seminar, New York City, April 29, 1988.

"Access to Government Information: Getting It and Keeping It," presentation to the Association of College and Research Libraries Delaware Valley Chapter, Philadelphia, PA, October 21, 1987.

"Privatizing Information Policy: Threat to the Constitution?" panel convener for the American Society for Public Administration, Northeast Regional meeting, New York City, October 13, 1987

"Government Efforts to Control Information," presentation to the Long Island Library Conference, Garden City, NY, May 20, 1987.

"The Coalition on Government Information," presentation at the ALA Legislation Committee Information Update, Chicago, IL, January 19, 1987; San Antonio, TX, January 9, 1988; and before ALA Council, January 22, 1987; July 12, 1988, January 10, 1989.

"Yes You, A Lobbyist: Academic Librarians and Legislative Action," speech before the Pennsylvania Library Association, Lancaster, PA., November 9, 1986

"Changing Government Information Policy," paper presented to the Organization of American Historians/National Council on Public History, New York City: April 12, 1986.

"Impact of the Online Catalog on Library Users," panel presentation to the ACRL/New York Chapter, New York City: November 15, 1985.

"The Higher Education Act Reauthorization," testimony before the House Postsecondary Education Subcommittee, Washington, D.C.: September 6, 1985.

"Federal Funding of Libraries," panel presentation to the SUNYLA Annual Conference, Buffalo, NY: June 6, 1985.

"Marketing the Online Catalog," presentation to the ACRL/Delaware Valley Chapter and PLA/CRD, Bethlehem, PA: May 17, 1985.

"Higher Education Act Revision, Title II-A Need Criteria," presentation at the Legislative Update, American Library Association Midwinter conference, Washington, DC: January 6, 1985.

"NYU's Online Catalog Public Relations Program," presentation before the ACRL Public Relations in Academic Libraries Discussion Group, Dallas, TX: June 23, 1984.

"First Amendment Issues: Access to Information," panel respondent, Columbia University School of Library Service, Beta Phi Mu, Nu Chapter, New York City, April 25, 1984.

"Cooperation through Automation: Changing Job Descriptions," speech before the Connecticut Library Association, Library Technical Assistants Division Hartford, CT: April 2, 1984.

"Library Governance," presentation to students in the Columbia U. Library School Library Administration class, February 6, 1984.

"Geac at NYU: Expectations and Experiences," presentation before the staff at Massachusetts Institute of Technology Libraries, Cambridge, MA, October 21, 1983.

"Getting Ready for Automation in the University Library," presentation to the Indiana State University Libraries staff, with Gail Persky, Terre Haute, Indiana, October 28, 1983.

"Buttonholing Your State Legislator," panel presentation for the ACRL Legislation Committee, Los Angeles, CA: June 25, 1983.

"The Impact of Copyright on Scholarly Communication," panel presentation on the NYU Copyright Suit, American Library Association Legislation Committee, Los Angeles, Calif: June 27, 1983.

"Good Fences Make Good Neighbors; Maintaining Special Relationships with Special Libraries in an Urban Environment," speech before the New York Library Association, Academic and Special Library Section, Albany, NY, October 22, 1982.

"State Legislation-Exploring Its Impact on Academic Libraries," Speech delivered at the Nassau/Suffolk Library Institute, Hauppauge, NY, May 19, 1982.

"Job Dissatisfaction: Can Lobbying Help?" Speech delivered at the Pratt Institute Library School Alumni Day, Brooklyn, NY, November 15, 1980.

"Fee or Free?" Session leader at the annual meeting of the New York Library Association at the Concord, Monticello, NY, October 1, 1980.

"Bibliographic Services: Free or Fee? A Theoretical and Practical Perspective," speech before the New Jersey Library Association, Atlantic City, NJ, May 1, 1980.

"Planning Guidelines for Preservation," speech before the NYLA/CULS and Special Libraries Association Upstate New York Chapter annual conference, Rochester, NY, May 10, 1980.

Testimony before the New York State Senate/Assembly Subcommittees on Libraries, New York City, April 25, 1980, February 19, 1982, and December 10, 1985.

"User Fees: Are They Inevitable?" presentation before the Connecticut Library Association annual meeting, Norwich, CT, April 25, 1979.

Grantsmanship Institute, group leader at the NYLA annual conference, October, 1979.

## **MEDIA**

"Libraries as Civic Spaces," Interview, *When People Decide*, Season 2, Episode 3, Podcast by LWC Studios for the [McCourtney Institute for Democracy at Penn State](https://thepopledecide.show/episodes/203). Summer 2023.  
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"Lecturer Elaborates on Obama's Net Neutrality Statement," Interview with the Rutgers U *Targum*, November 17, 2014. <http://www.dailytargum.com/article/2014/11/lecturer-elaborates-on-obama-net-neutrality-statement>

"American Libraries and the Digital Divide," Anáhuac University Radio Biblioteca. El Sonido de las Páginas, Programa Radiofonico, Mexico City, MX, August 17, 2012.

"Privacy and the Internet," Interviews after the Tyler Clementi tragedy with the Home News, and NJ 101.5.

Life and Death Decisions: Who Decides?" "Pennsylvania Inside Out, WPSU, November 1, 2006.

"National Library Week and the Importance of Libraries," WUST-AM, Washington, DC, taped April 8, 2004.

"Free Access to Library Databases: News and Trends," NewsProNet, taped April 16, 2002 for airing on local NBC news shows May 2002.

“ReAdiscover America @ your library,” Radio America, KFIV, Tacoma, WA, April 19, 2002; KRCB Sonoma Spotlight, Sonoma, CA, April 18, 2002; WYKT-FM show with Mike Tomano, Chicago, April 18, 2002; KLAY-AM show with Bruce Bond, Seattle, WA, April 18, 2002.

“Libraries as Vacation Destinations,” *The Savvy Traveler*, Public Radio International, taped March 18, 2002.

“KQED Forum with Michael Krasney,” 1-hour talk/call-in show, San Francisco, June 19, 2001.

“The Digital Divide,” KFOG Radio, San Francisco, June 18, 2001.

Editorial Board and Business Section, *San Francisco Chronicle*, June 14, 2001.

“Libraries and Technology,” the Pam Dixon radio show, live on June 10, 2001.

“Say It Out Loud: Libraries are Hot,” interview with Patrick Reardon from the *Chicago Tribune*, published June 1, 2001.

“Libraries and Democracy Building,” interviews with 2 television stations, one live radio broadcast, and 2 newspapers during workshop for South Caucuses library associations in Tblisi, Georgia, May 5-8, 2001.

“The Campaign for America’s Libraries,” WICC-AM (Bridgeport, CT) April 5, 2001; AP; USA Today; Scripps Howard; Washington Hispanic News, April 3, 2001; Media TV, Toronto, April 25, 2001; KPXQ Radio, Phoenix, April 2, 2001; KRUE radio, St. Louis, April 2, 2001; KJSF radio, St. Louis, April 2, 2001; KNOX radio, North Dakota; April 2, 2001.

“Teen Age Girls and the Digital Divide,” *Chicago Sun Times*, April 13, 2001.

“Copyright and Libraries,” interview with Amy Harmon, *The New York Times*, March 23, 2001.

“The American Library Association vs. The United States,” media interviews about the ALA lawsuit to overturn the Children’s Internet Protection Act (CIPA). Interviews and coverage in: *The Washington Post*, Reuters, AP, *The York (PA) Dispatch*, Fox News, WINS, WOR, WNRI (Providence), KYSA (San Antonio). March 19-22, 2001; WFLA talk radio, Orlando, FL, May 22, 2001; State Your Case call-in show with George Korda, WNOX, Knoxville, TN, July 21, 2001; WELI Morning Show with Jerry Kristafer, New Haven, CT, April 3, 2002; KFIV, Modesto, California, April 19, 2002.

“Pat Schroeder’s New Chapter,” interview in the *Washington Post* with Linton Weeks, February 7, 2001.

“21<sup>st</sup>-Century Literacy,” interview with Margot Adler, National Public Radio, February 2001.

“Prison Libraries,” interview with Margot Adler, National Public Radio, February 2001.

"Libraries in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century," interview with Mary Alice Williams for *Amazing Women*, iNext TV (on the web) February 2001.

"The Newbery and Caldecott Awards," *The NBC Today Show*, " January 16, 2001.

"The Old-Fangled Search Engine; In a Digital Age, Do Libraries Still Count?" interview in the *Washington Post* by Linton Weeks, January 13, 2001.

"Libraries and the Digital Divide," *Good Day Washington*, Fox News, January 11, 2001.

"Library Card Sign-Up Month," USA Radio Networks, Daybreak USA, 8/28/00.

"Banned Books," Chat Room host for Table Talk," *Salon.com*. 9/26-9/30/00.

"Banned Books," Radio Interviews: WFUV, 9/25/03; BBC Radio, 9/24/03; Public Eye with Al Vuona, WICN-FM, Worcester, MA, 10/2/00; WRVO call in with Chris Ulanowski, Oswego, NY, 9/28/00; The Sam Greenfield Show, WEVD, NYC, 9/27/00; The Living Room, KPFA with Kris Welch, Los Angeles, 10/27/00; VoxPop, WAMC-FM, Albany, NY, 9/26/00 and 9/28/99; The Steve and Johnnie Show, WGN, Chicago, 9/26/00; The Jim Bohannon Show, syndicated call-in show, Arlington, VA, 9/25/00; Mo in the Midday, WVON, 9/25/00; The Bill Ayres Show, NYC, 9/24/00; The Ruth and Ed Shaw Show, Syndicated, Lighthouse Pt, FL, 9/24/00; WGY, Schenectady, NY, 9/22/00; Midday with Mike Pentack, Pittsburgh, PA, 9/21/00; Beneath the Surface with Jon Wiener, KPFK-AM, Los Angeles, 9/20/00; Eye on the Coast, WFIT-FM, Melbourne, FL, 9/19/00; The Casper Citron Show, WOR-AM, New York, 9/19/00; Counterspin, Pacifica Network, 9/18/00; Bill Straus Show, KXAM-AM, Scottsdale, AZ, 9/28/99; Jim Hightower Show, United Broadcasting Network, 9/27/99; America, Good Morning Show, Talk Radio Network, 9/27/99; Openline, WOSU-FM, Columbus, OH, 9/23/99; A Chautauqua, KOPN-FM, Columbia, MO, 9/21/99; The Bev Smith Show, American Urban Radio Network, 9/20/99; Tom Calhoun Show, KTRS-AM, St. Louis, MO, 9/19/99.

"Kids Who Aren't Logged On and Literate Will Be Lost in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century," Get Net Wise Press Conference, Washington, DC: National Press Club, July 29, 1999, aired on C-Span August 1, 1999.

"Project Censored and the Most Underreported Stories of the Year," Interview on Sunday Salon, Pacifica Radio Network, April 4, 1999.

"Freedom of Information," interview with German National Radio host Gebhardt Eike, November 18, 1998.

"The Information Superhighway: Counterpoint," aired on Cityfolk radio program, WFUV 90.7, Public Radio from Fordham University, Bronx, NY, March 1, 1996.

"The Information Superhighway," Interview on WBAI Radio with Laura Flanders, NYC, December 8, 1995.

"Checkpoint '95: The Bridge Project," panelist in a 90 minute interactive broadcast linking the U.S. with Russia and Austria discussion history, myth and the information age, Paper Tiger TV, New York, June 20, 1995.

"Library Advocacy Now Campaign," New York Beat--live call in show, WNYC-AM, New York City, April 13, 1995.

"Americans Can't Wait: Library Advocacy Now--Freedom of Information Day Awards," Radio Interview, WCBM AM, Maryland, March 15, 1995; WTOP, Maryland, March 15, 1995; WARW FM, Maryland, March 17, 1995.

"Freedom of Information Day, 1994", Voice of America Radio Interview, Broadcast in English Worldwide, March 16, 1994.

"The FBI Library Awareness Program," interview on WBAI radio, New York City, July 26, 1988.

"Library Spies: The FBI and Surveillance of Libraries," interview on National Public Radio -- All Things Considered, September 20, 1987.

### **SPECIAL SKILLS AND CONTINUING EDUCATION**

Coursework in community engagement, deliberative democracy, conflict management, negotiation, parliamentary procedure, educational services management, digital library administration, grantsmanship, time management, systems analysis, group dynamics, information systems, fees for services in academic libraries.

Statistics, research methods, evaluation research, course management systems, QuickBooks, computer statistical packages, word processing, spread sheets, HTML markup, wordpress, database searching, database management software, telecommunications packages.

Media and spokesperson training. Video taping/editing and film training.

Participated in Office of Management Studies, Association of Research Libraries: Consultant Training Assessment Workshop, February, 1981.

Participated in the C-Span in the Classroom Seminar for Professors, January, 1993.

Languages studied: Latin, French, German, Spanish