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Research Interests

Trustworthy Digital Repositories • Risk and Disaster Planning for Digital Repositories • Sustainability of Digital Information • Digital Preservation • Archives

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Education

University of Michigan, School of Information   Ann Arbor, Michigan
PhD, Information   2012 – *present*
- Advisor: Elizabeth Yakel, Ph.D.

University of Michigan, School of Information   Ann Arbor, Michigan
Master of Science, Information   2012
- Specialization: Preservation of Information
- Thesis: Disaster Planning for Digital Repositories

University of Michigan, College of Literature, Science and the Arts   Ann Arbor, Michigan
Bachelor of Arts, August 2004   2004
- Major: Organizational Studies
- London School of Economics Summer Program in English Law (July 2004)

Honors and Awards

- Fellowship, National Science Foundation (NSF) East Asia and Pacific Summer   2015
  Institutes (EAPSI) Program for Australia
- University of Michigan School of Information Travel Grant   2015
- Summer Institute Scholarship, Archival Education and Research Institute   2014
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- University of Michigan School of Information Travel Grant   2013
- Rackham Conference Travel Grant   2013
- Summer Institute Scholarship, Archival Education and Research Institute   2012
- University Library Associate Scholarship Award   2010-2012
- JetBlue Airways London School of Economics Scholarship Award   2004
- Residential College Student Community Building Award   2002

Experience

Research Experience

Qualitative Data Reuse: Records of Practice in Educational Research and   Ann Arbor, Michigan
Teacher Development   Winter 2015 – present
University of Michigan, School of Information
Graduate Student Research Assistant
> The Qualitative Data Reuse project studies the reuse of qualitative data for teacher and education research. Responsibilities include data collection and analysis, maintaining the project website, and contributing to project publications.

Dissemination Information Packages for Information Reuse (DIPIR) Project　　　Ann Arbor, Michigan
University of Michigan, School of Information　　　Fall 2012 – Summer 2013,
Graduate Student Research Assistant　　　Winter 2013 – Summer 2014

    The DIPIR Project studies data reuse across three academic communities to identify how contextual information about the data that supports reuse can best be created and preserved. Responsibilities include recruiting participants and conducting interviews, coding interview transcripts, maintaining the project website, and contributing to project publications.

Teaching Experience

SI 530: Principles in Management　　　Fall 2014
Graduate Student Instructor

SI 625: Digital Preservation　　　April 2014
Guest Lecture: *"Disaster Planning for Digital Repositories"*

SI 501: Contextual Inquiry and Project Management　　　Fall 2013
Graduate Student Instructor

Professional Experience

University of Michigan, Art, Architecture and Engineering Library (AAEL)　　　Ann Arbor, Michigan
University Library Associate　　　2010 – 2012

University of Michigan Library, Department of Preservation and Conservation　　　Ann Arbor, Michigan
Intern, Disaster Planning Project　　　Summer 2011

GMAC/First American Field Services　　　Waterloo, Iowa
Triage Specialist, Loss Mitigation　　　2009 – 2010
Property Preservation Specialist, FHA Team　　　2009

Morgan Samuels Company　　　Beverly Hills, California
Research Consultant　　　2007 – 2008
Associate Consultant　　　2006 – 2007

Kalcheim Salah　　　Los Angeles, California
Paralegal, Consumer Class Action Group　　　2006

Metaldyne Corporation　　　Plymouth, Michigan
Executive Assistant, Legal Department　　　2005 – 2006

Ann Arbor District Library　　　Ann Arbor, Michigan
Information Desk Clerk, Adult Services　　　2003 – 2005

Benzinger Library, University of Michigan　　　Ann Arbor, Michigan
Library Information Assistant　　　2001 – 2003

Publications

Master's Thesis

    Frank, R. D. (2012). *Disaster Planning for Digital Repositories.* (Master's Thesis). University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI.

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Journal Articles

- **Frank, R. D.**, Yakel, E., & Faniel, I. M. (2015). Destruction/Reconstruction: Preservation of Archaeological and Zoological Research Data. *Archival Science.* http://doi.org/10.1007/s10502-014-9238-9. Available URL: http://hdl.handle.net/2027.42/111298

Conference Papers

- **Frank, R.D.**, Kriesberg, A., Yakel, E., & Faniel, I. M. (accepted). "*Looting Hoards of Gold and Poaching Spotted Owls: Data Confidentiality Among Archaeologists & Zoologists.*" 78th Annual Association for Information Science & Technology (ASIS&T) Annual Conference, St. Louis, MO. Available URL: http://hdl.handle.net/2027.42/115883

- Yakel, E., **Frank, R. D.**, & Suzuka, K. (accepted). "*Educational Records of Practice: Preservation and Access Concerns.*" iPRES 2015 Annual Conference, Chapel Hill, NC.

- **Frank, R. D.** & Yakel, E. (2013). *Disaster Planning for Digital Repositories.* Proceedings of the Association for Information Science & Technology, 50. Available URL: http://hdl.handle.net/2027.42/106841

- Kriesberg, A., **Frank, R. D.**, Yakel, E., Faniel, I. (2013). *The Role of Data Reuse in the Apprenticeship Process.* Proceedings of the Association for Information Science & Technology, 50. Available URL: http://hdl.handle.net/2027.42/106839

Presentations

Conference Presentations

- **Frank, R.D.**, Kriesberg, A., Yakel, E., & Faniel, I. M. (2015, November). "*Looting Hoards of Gold and Poaching Spotted Owls: Data Confidentiality Among Archaeologists & Zoologists.*" 78th Annual Association for Information Science & Technology (ASIS&T) Annual Conference, St. Louis, MO.

- **Frank, R. D.**, Evans, J. (2015, July). "*Construction and Reconstruction: Understanding the Development of Sustainable Information Infrastructures to Support Marginalized Communities.*" 2015 Conference on Research Applications, Information and Library Science (RAILS), Sydney, NSW, Australia.

- **Frank, R.**, Yakel, E. (2013, November). *"Disaster Planning for Digital Repositories"* 76th Annual Association for Information Science & Technology (ASIS&T) Annual Conference, Montreal, QC, Canada.

- **Frank, R.** (2013, June). *"Selection for Digitization Through the Lens of Archival Reappraisal"* Archival Education Research Institute, Austin, TX.

- **Frank, R.** (2012, March). *"Collaborative Mentorship: Engaging Information School Students in Concurrent Library Employment"* Michigan Academies Annual Conference, Mt. Pleasant, MI.

- **Frank, R.** (2012, January). "*Game Over: Disaster Planning for the Computer and Video Game Archive*" Quasi-Con 2012, Ann Arbor, MI.

- **Frank, R.**, Cox, A., Hukill, G., Johnston, J., Maynard, A. (2012, January). "*Evaluating the Success of Grant-Funded Digital Preservation Projects*" Quasi-Con 2012, Ann Arbor, MI.

- **Frank, R.** (2011, August). "*Preparing for the Worst: Disaster Planning at the Art, Architecture, and Engineering Library*" MLibrary Lightning Talks, Ann Arbor, MI.

- Moderator, Panel Discussion: (2011, March) "*Paving the Way for an Uncertain Future: Teaching Art Information Management in the 21st Century*" Art Libraries Society of North America Annual Conference, Minneapolis, MN.

Invited Presentations

- **Frank, R. D.**, (2015, August) "*Construction and Reconstruction: Understanding the Development of Sustainable Information Infrastructures to Support Marginalized Communities.*" Invited Presentation: Public Records Office of Victoria, Melbourne, VIC, Australia

- Eveleigh, A., **Frank, R. D**., Rolan, G. (2015, July). *"Digital Preservation: Sustainability Through Participation?"* Monash University Faculty of Information Technology, Caulfield, VIC, Australia.

- **Frank, R. D.** (2015, May 21). "*A Thing That Can Ignite: Rebooting Heritage Institutions After Disaster.*" NerdNite Detroit: Reboot, Renew, Relaunch, Detroit, MI.

Conference Workshops

- Centivany, A., Chalmers, M., **Frank, R. D.**, Zimmer, M. (2015, March). *"A Collaborative Approach to Improving Information Ethics Education"* iConference 2015, Newport Beach, CA. Available URL: https://www.ideals.illinois.edu/handle/2142/73789

Posters

- **Frank, R.** (2014, July). *"Lots of Copies Keeps Stuff Safe: Examining the USDocs LOCKSS Network as a Socio-Technical System"* Archival Education Research Institute Poster Session, Pittsburgh, PA.

- **Frank, R.** (2014, February). *"Knowledge Infrastructures and Digital Preservation: An Examination of the Development of LOCKSS as a Second Order Technical System"* International Digital Curation Conference, San Francisco, CA.

- Yakel, E., Faniel, I., **Frank, R.** (2014, February). *"Dynamics of Data Reuse when Aggregating Data through Time and Space: The Case of Archaeology and Zoology"* International Digital Curation Conference, San Francisco, CA.

- **Frank, R.** (2013, February). *"Preservation of Archaeological and Zoological Research Data"* Society of American Archivists Annual Conference, New Orleans, LA.

- **Frank, R.** (2012, July). *"Disaster Planning and Trustworthy Digital Repositories"* Archival Education Research Institute Poster Session, Los Angeles, CA.

Service Activities

Internal

University of Michigan School of Information

• Member, Dean Search Advisory Committee	2015 – present
• Graduate Student Instructor Mentor	2015
• Member, Doctoral Executive Committee (DEC)	2013 – 2014
• Member, Doctoral Development Seminar (DDS) Planning Committee	2013 – 2014

University of Michigan

• Group Leader, Sweetland Dissertation Writing Group Program	2014
• Member, HathiTrust Disaster Planning Group	2012 – 2014
• Website Usability Testing, University of Michigan Office of Research Cyberinfrastructure (ORCI)	2012
• Preservation Assessment & Plan, University of Michigan Computer and Video Game	2010

Archive (CVGA)
- Member, Organizational Studies Alumni Committee   2005 – 2010
- Member, Residential College Executive Committee   2001 – 2004
- Chair, Residential College Student Republic Academic Affairs Committee   2001 – 2003

External

- Editorial Advisory Board Member, Decker, E. N., & Townes, J. A. (2016). Handbook of Research on Disaster Management and Contingency Planning in Modern Libraries (pp. 1-677). Hershey, PA: IGI Global. doi:10.4018/978-1-4666-8624-3   2013 – 2015
- Reviewer, *Archival Science* (Journal)   2013

Professional Affiliations

- Member, Society of American Archivists (SAA)   2010 – present
- Member, Association for Information Science and Technology (ASIS&T)   2013 – present