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|  | Kaitlin M. Thaney |

**A. Professional Preparation**

Institution Major Degree Year

Northeastern University Journalism B.A. 2006

Northeastern University Political Science B.A 2006

**B. Appointments**

June 2013 - Present Director, Mozilla Science Lab, Mozilla Foundation

April 2013 – Present Board of Directors, DataKind UK

March 2012 – Present Chair, O’Reilly Strata Conference in Europe

March 2012 – Present Founding Member, UK e-Infrastructure Leadership Council

July 2010 - May 2013 Manager, Partnerships at Digital Science

July 2006 – July 2010 Manager, Science at Creative Commons

June 2005 – July 2006 Communications Manager, MIT iCampus

**C. Products**

**D. Synergistic Activities**

Kaitlin Thaney oversees the Mozilla Science Lab, of which Software Carpentry is a leading educational program.

She also helped found and manage the science program at Creative Commons. Creative Commons has been a critical voice for the Open Access movement particularly for the importance of sharing data on the web and the principles of “open science.”

Prior to Mozilla, Thaney worked at Digital Science, a technology company founded out of Macmillan Science and Technology focused on building tools for research and incubating for scientific startups. She also advises policymakers in both the US and the UK on digital infrastructure, data-intensive science and education to make scientific research more collaborative, open and reproducible. She has worked with the Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT), Microsoft, the American Geophysical Union, Sage Bionetworks, and the International Polar Year to craft infrastructure for sharing science on the web.

**E. Collaborators**

Arfon Smith (Github), Alf Eaton (PeerJ), Marian Petre (Open University), Greg Wilson (Software Carpentry, Mozilla Foundation), Mark Hahnel (figshare).