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RESEARCH INTERESTS

Kai Li is interested in scholarly communication, open science, and scientometrics, especially (1) how digital research objects, such as software and datasets, and research activities are represented in scientific publications through scientific writing practices and (2) how the existing scientific infrastructure can be improved to facilitate a better integration of scientific research and writing practices.

EDUCATION

Ph.D. in Information Studies 2015 - Present
College of Computing & Informatics
Drexel University, Philadelphia, PA

- Proposal defended. Expect to graduate in 2020.
- Dissertation: A quantitative examination of research methods and software in scientific publications
- Committee: Dr. Erjia Yan (Chair), Dr. Jane Greenberg, Dr. Ali Kenner, Dr. Cassidy Sugimoto, Dr. Chaomei Chen, and Dr. Jake Williams

Master of Science in Library and Information Science 2012 - 2013
School of Information Studies
Syracuse University, Syracuse, NY

Bachelor's Degree in History 2003 - 2007
School of History
Beijing Normal University, Beijing, China

HONORS & AWARDS

LIS Education and Data Science for the National Digital Platform (LEADS-4-NDP) Fellowship 2019
Drexel University

- Project: Automatic Identification of Publisher Entities to Support Discovery and Navigation (with OCLC)
- Awarded \$5,000 plus travel support

RDA/US Data Share Fellowship 2016 - 2017
Research Data Alliance

- Awarded \$10,000 plus travel support

Student Travel Award 2019
The International Society for Informetrics and Scientometrics

Travel Awards 2016, 2017
Department of Information Science, Drexel University

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

College of Computing & Informatics, Drexel University

- Research Assistant (with Dr. Erjia Yan) 2017 - 2019

- Project: “Building an Entity-based Research Framework to Enhance Digital Services on Knowledge Discovery and Delivery” (funded by the Institute of Museum and Library Services)
- Research Assistant (with Dr. Jane Greenberg) 2016 - 2017
- Project: “Transforming Data Adaptation Science and Service: An Innovative Visual Ontology Application” (funded by Center for Visual & Decision Informatics)

College of Information Studies, Syracuse University

- Research Assistant (with Dr. Kevin Crowston & Dr. Carsten Oesterlund) 2013
- Project: “Collaborative Research: Focusing Attention to Improve the Performance of Citizen Science Systems - Beautiful Images and Perspective Observers” (funded by the National Science Foundation)
- Research Assistant (with Dr. Jian Qin) 2012 - 2013

PUBLICATIONS Peer-Reviewed Journal Articles

- [J10] Yan, E., Chen, Z., & Li, K. (In press). Authors’ status and the perceived quality of their work: measuring citation sentiment change in Nobel papers. *Journal of the Association for Information Science and Technology*.
- [J9] Li, K., Greenberg, J., & Dunic, J. (In press). Data objects and documenting scientific processes: An analysis of data events in biodiversity data papers. *Journal of the Association for Information Science and Technology*.
- [J8] Li, K., Chen, P.-Y., & Yan, E. (2019). Challenges of measuring software impact through citations: An examination of the lme4 R package. *Journal of Informetrics*, 13(1), 449–461. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.joi.2019.02.007>
- [J7] Li, K., & Yan, E. (2019). Are NIH-funded publications fulfilling the proposed research? An examination of concept-matchedness between NIH research grants and their supported publications. *Journal of Informetrics*, 13(1), 226–237. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.joi.2019.01.001>
- [J6] Li, Y., Wu, C., Yan, E., & Li, K. (2018). Will open access increase journal CiteScores? An empirical investigation over multiple disciplines. *PLOS ONE*, 13(8), e0201885. <https://doi.org/10.1371/journal.pone.0201885>
- [J5] Yan, E., & Li, K. (2018). Which domains do open-access journals do best in? A 5-year longitudinal study. *Journal of the Association for Information Science and Technology*, 69(6), 844–856. <https://doi.org/10.1002/asi.24002>
- [J4] Li, K., Rollins, J., & Yan, E. (2018). Web of Science use in published research and review papers 1997–2017: a selective, dynamic, cross-domain, content-based analysis. *Scientometrics*, 115(1), 1–20. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s11192-017-2622-5>
- [J3] Zhao, M., Yan, E., & Li, K. (2018). Data set mentions and citations: A content analysis of full-text publications. *Journal of the Association for Information Science and Technology*, 69(1), 32–46. <https://doi.org/10.1002/asi.23919>

[J2] Li, K. & Yan, E. (2018). Co-mention network of R packages: Scientific impact and clustering structure. *Journal of Informetrics*, 12(1), 87-100. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.joi.2017.12.001>

[J1] Li, K., Yan, E., & Feng, Y. (2017). How is R cited in research outputs? Structure, impacts, and citation standard. *Journal of Informetrics*, 11(4), 989–1002. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.joi.2017.08.003>

Refereed Full Papers in Conference Proceedings

[C4] Li, K., & Yan, E. (2019). Using a keyword extraction pipeline to understand concepts in future work sections of research papers. In *17th International Conference on Scientometrics and Informetrics*.

[C3] Feng, Y., Li, K., & Agosto, D.E. (2017). Healthy users' personal health information management from activity trackers: The perspective of gym-goers. In *Proceedings of the Annual Meeting of Association for Information Science and Technology* (54: pp. 71-81). <https://doi.org/10.1002/pras.2017.14505401009>

[C2] Li, K., Greenberg, J., & Lin, X. (2016). Software Citation, Reuse and Metadata Considerations: An Exploratory Study Examining LAMMPS. In *Proceedings of the Annual Meeting of the Association for Information Science and Technology* (53: pp. 1-10). <https://doi.org/10.1002/pras.2016.14505301072>

[C1] Qin, J., & Li, K. (2013). How portable are the metadata standards for scientific data? a proposal for a metadata infrastructure. In *Proceedings of the International Conference on Dublin Core and Metadata Applications* (pp. 25–34). <https://dcpapers.dublincore.org/pubs/article/view/3670>

Refereed Short Papers in Conference Proceedings

[S2] Pascua, S., Li, K., & Greenberg, J. (2019). Toward A Metadata Activity Matrix: Conceptualizing and Grounding the Research Life-cycle and Metadata Connections. In *Proceedings of the International Conference on Dublin Core and Metadata Applications*.

[S1] Guerra, J., Wei, Q., Li, K., Ahumada, L., Winston, F., & Desai, B. R. (2018). Scosy: A Biomedical Collaboration Recommendation System. Presented at the 40th Annual International Conference of the IEEE Engineering in Medicine and Biology Society (EMBC), Honolulu, HI, USA.

Refereed Conference Posters

[P6] Li, K., Chen, P.-Y., & Fang, Z. (2019). Disciplinarity of Software Papers: A Preliminary Analysis. In *Proceedings of the Annual Meeting of Association for Information Science and Technology*.

[P5] Li, K., & Chen, P.-Y. (2019). A preliminary scientometric analysis of the Cross-Strait scientific collaboration. In *17th International Conference on Scientometrics and Informetrics*.

[P4] He, J. & Li, K. (2019). How comprehensive is the PubMed Central Open Access full-text database?. Presented at iConference 2019 Annual Meeting, Washington, DC, USA. <http://hdl.handle.net/2142/103317>

[P3] Li, K. & Chen, PY. (2018). The narrative structure as a citation context in data papers: A preliminary analysis of Scientific Data. In *Proceedings of the Annual Meeting of Association for Information Science and Technology*. <https://doi.org/10.1002/pr2.2018.14505501147>

[P2] Li, K. & Xu, S. (2017). Measuring the impact of R packages. In *Proceedings of the Annual Meeting of Association for Information Science and Technology* (54: pp. 739-741). <https://doi.org/10.1002/pr2.2017.14505401138>

[P1] Li, K. (2016). How much can data citation standards be used for scientific software? A crosswalk analysis of data citation standards for software citation needs. Presented in Research Data Alliance 8th Plenary Meeting, Denver, Colorado, September 14-17, 2016.

Book Reviews

[B1] Li, K. (2019). A review of The Politics of Mass Digitization. *Education for Information*, 35, 361-363. <https://doi.org/10.3233/EFI-199011>

Doctoral Colloquia (Lightly Peer-Reviewed)

[D2] Li, K. (2019). Quantitative examination of research methods and software in scientific publications. Selected to attend the Doctoral Colloquium at ASIS&T 2019, Melbourne, Australia, October 19, 2019.

[D1] Li, K. (2019). What is the disciplinary of software. Selected to attend the Doctoral Forum at 17th International Conference on Scientometrics and Informetrics, Rome, Italy, September 2, 2019.

Non-Refereed Conference Presentations

[T1] Li, K. (2012). RDA in China. Presented at ALA Annual Conference 2012. June 24, 2012. Anaheim, California.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Instructor

College of Computing & Informatics, Drexel University

- **INFO 250 (On-site): Information Visualization** (Summer '18)

Teaching Assistant

College of Computing & Informatics, Drexel University

- **INFO 659: Introduction to Data Analytics** (Fall '19)
- **INFO 250: Information Visualization** (Spring '18)
- **INFO 683: Resources for Children** (Summer '18)
- **CI 101: Introduction to Computing and Informatics** (Fall '15)

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Research Intern

2016 - 2017

- The Children's Hospital of Philadelphia, Philadelphia, PA

Cataloger

2014 - 2015

- Ingram Content Group, Fort Wayne, Indiana

Cataloging Librarian

2007 - 2012

- Capital Library of China, Beijing, China

**SERVICE &
MEMBERSHIPS**

Reviewer

- Journal of the Association for Information Science and Technology
- Journal of Informetrics
- Scientometrics
- Library Hi Tech
- IEEE Access
- iConference Annual Meeting ('19)
- The American Medical Informatics Association (AMIA) Annual Symposium ('18 '19)

Membership

- The Association for Information Science and Technology (ASIS&T)