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### RESEARCH INTERESTS

Scholarly communication; Quantitative science studies; Digital humanities; Information organization; Science and technology studies; Information visualization

# ACADEMIC POSITION

Assistant Professor

2023 -

School of Information Sciences

University of Tennessee, Knoxville, Tennessee, USA

Assistant Professor

2020 - 2022

School of Information Resource Management Renmin University of China, Beijing, China

### **EDUCATION**

Ph.D. in Information Studies

2015 - 2020

College of Computing & Informatics **Drexel University**, Philadelphia, PA

- Dissertation: A quantitative examination of research methods and software in scientific publications
- Advisor: Dr. Erjia Yan

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

### PUBLICATIONS Peer-Reviewed Journal Articles

[J21] Jiao, C., <u>Li, K.</u>, & Fang, Z. (2022). Data sharing practices across knowledge domains: a dynamic examination of data availability statements in PLOS ONE publications *Journal of Information Science*, OnlineFirst. https://doi.org/10.1177/0165551522110183

[J20] Li, K. (2022). Relationships between Method-section citation rates and citation contexts: Evidence from highly cited references in psychology. *Online Information Review*, 46(5): 829-845 https://doi.org/10.1108/0IR-03-2021-0171

[J19] Wang Y., Zhang C., <u>Li K.</u> (2022) A review on method entities in the academic literature: extraction, evaluation, and application. *Scientometrics*. 127: 2479-2520. https://doi.org/10.1007/s11192-022-04332-7

[J18] Ma, R., & <u>Li, K.</u> (2022). Digital humanities as a cross-disciplinary battleground: An examination of inscriptions in journal publications. *Journal of the Association for Information Science and Technology*, 73(2): 172-187. https://doi.org/10.1002/asi.24534

- [J17] <u>Li, K.</u> & Jiao, C. (2022). The data paper as a socio-linguistic epistemic object: A content analysis on the rhetorical moves used in data paper abstracts. *Journal of the Association for Information Science and Technology.*, 73(6): 834-846. https://doi.org/10.1002/asi.24585
- [J16] <u>Li, K.</u>, Jiao, C., Sugimoto, C. R., & Lariviere, V. (2022). Versioning boundary objects: the citation profile of the Diagnostic and Statistical Manual for Mental Disorders (DSM). *Journal of Documentation*, 78(4): 871-889. https://doi.org/10.1108/JD-06-2021-0117
- [J15] Lou, W. Su, Z., He, J. & <u>Li, K.</u> (2021) A temporally dynamic examination of research method usage in the <u>Chinese library</u> and information science community. *Information Processing & Management*, 58(5): 102686. https://doi.org/10.1016/j.ipm.2021.102686
- [J14] Wu C., Yan, E., Zhu, Y., & Li, K. (2021). Gender imbalance in the productivity of funded projects: A study of the outputs of National Institutes of Health R01 grants. *Journal of the Association for Information Science and Technology*, 72(11): 1386-1399. https://doi.org/10.1002/asi.24487
- [J13] <u>Li, K.</u> (2021) The re-instrumentalization of the Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders (DSM) in psychological publications: a citation context analysis. *Quantitative Science Studies*, 2(2): 678-697. https://doi.org/10.1162/qss\_a\_00124
- [J12] Lou, W., Zhang, J., Li, K., & He, J. (2020). Understanding the Application of Science Mapping Tools in LIS and Non-LIS Domains. *Data and Information Management*, 4(2), 94-108. https://doi.org/10.2478/dim-2020-0006
- [J11] Yan, E., Chen, Z. & Li, K. (2020). The relationship between journal citation impact and citation sentiment: A study of 32 million citances in PubMed Central, *Quantitative Science Studies*, 1(2): 664-674. https://doi.org/10.1162/qss\_a\_00040
- [J10] Yan, E., Chen, Z. & Li, K. (2020). Authors' status and the perceived quality of their work: Measuring citation sentiment change in nobel articles. *Journal of the Association for Information Science and Technology*, 71(3): 314-324. https://doi.org/10.1002/asi.24237
- [J9] <u>Li, K.</u>, Greenberg, J. and Dunic, J. (2020). Data objects and documenting scientific processes: An analysis of data events in biodiversity data papers. *Journal of the Association for Information Science and Technology*, 71(2): 172-182. https://doi.org/10.1002/asi.24226
- [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] <u>Li, K.</u>, & 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/pra2.2017.14505401009
- [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/pra2.2016.14505301072
- [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

- [S5] Li, K. & Jiao, C. (2021). How are data paper abstracts constructed? Preliminary analysis of rhetorical moves in data paper abstracts from Scientific Data and Data in Brief. In 18th International Conference on Scientometrics and Informetrics.
- [S4] Dagiene, E. & Li, K. (2021). ISBNs as identifiers for books in research evaluations. In 18th International Conference on Scientometrics and Informetrics.
- [S3] Ma, R., Li, K., & He, D. (2021). Understanding the Narrative Functions of

- Visualization in Digital Humanities Publications: A Case Study of the Journal of Cultural Analytics. In *Proceedings of iConference 2021*.
- [S2] Pascua, S., <u>Li, K.</u>, & 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., <u>Li, K.</u>, 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

- [P8] Chen, PY, Li, K. & Jiao, C. (2022), A Preliminary Analysis of Geography of Collaboration in Data Papers by S&T Capacity Index. *Proceedings of the Association for Information Science and Technology*, 59: 642-644.
- [P7] Ma, R.Q. & Li, K. (2020). Telling Multifaceted Stories with Humanities Data: Visualizing Book of Hours Manuscripts. Presented at iConference 2020 Annual Meeting. (Finalist for Best Poster Award).
- [P6] <u>Li, K.</u>, 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/pra2.2018.14505501147
- [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/pra2.2017.14505401138
- [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 discplinarity 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  $\overline{24}$ ,  $\overline{2012}$ . Anaheim, California.

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

#### Instructor

School of Information Resource Management, Renmin University of China

- Information Visualization in the Context of Digital Humanities (master level; in Chinese-language) (Fall '21, '22)
- Information Visualization (undergraduate level; in Chinese-language) (Spring '22)
- Knowledge Organization (master level; in Chinese-language; in Chinese-language) (Spring '22)

College of Computing & Informatics, Drexel University

- INFO 250: Information Visualization (Online) (Summer '20)
- INFO 590: Foundations of Data and Information (Online) (Winter '20)
- INFO 250: Information Visualization (On-site) (Summer '19)

# HONORS & AWARDS

 $LIS\ Education\ and\ Data\ Science\ for\ the\ National\ Digital\ Platform\ (LEADS-4-NDP) \\ Fellowship \qquad \qquad 2019$ 

### **Drexel University**

- Project: Automatic Identification of Publisher Entities to Support Discovery and Navigation (with OCLC)
- Awarded \$5,000 plus travel support
- Funded by the Institute of Museum and Library Services

# RDA/US Data Share Fellowship

2016 - 2017

### Research Data Alliance

- Project: Metadata Standards and Software Citation Practices
- Awarded \$10,000 plus travel support
- Funded by the Alfred P. Sloan Foundation

Student Travel Award

2019

### The International Society for Informetrics and Scientometrics

## PROFESSIONAL Cataloger

2014 - 2015

### EXPERIENCE

## Ingram Content Group, Fort Wayne, Indiana

Cataloging Librarian

2007 - 2012

## Capital Library of China, Beijing, China

# SERVICE & MEMBERSHIPS

### Service

- Editorial Board Member, Annual Review of Information Science and Technology (ARIST), 2022-2024
- President-Elect, ASIS&T SIG-MET, 2022-2023
- Jury, ASIS&T Lois Lunin Award, 2022
- Webmaster, ASIS&T SIG-MET, 2021-2022
- Committee Member, ISSI 2021 Paper of the Year Award Committee
- Secretary, ASIS&T SIG-MET, 2020-2021
- Award Coordinator, ASIS&T SIG-MET, 2019-2020

**Selected Peer Review Experience**: (My full peer review record can be retrieved from my ORCID page.)

- Journal of the Association for Information Science and Technology
- Quantitative Science Studies
- Scientometrics
- Journal of Informetrics
- Journal of Information Science

## Membership

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

# TECHNICAL SKILLS

• Programming: Python, R

• Database: MySQL

• Markup Language: HTML, CSS, XML, XSLT, LATEX