

## Summary

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I am a creative, resourceful, and bilingual librarian with over seven years of experience in reference, data acquisition, and cataloging services at large research institutions, and most recently at a public library. I enjoy helping people conduct research, learn, and make discoveries.

## Professional experience

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**General Services Librarian, Part-time** **June 2022 - Nov 2022**  
**Inglewood Public Library, Main Library, Inglewood, CA.**

- ◇ Provided reference services and technological assistance for patrons of all ages.
- ◇ Developed and led community programming to engage and educate the public.
- ◇ Curated book displays to showcase the collection.
- ◇ Designed promotional materials for programs, events, and social media.

**Research Librarian** **April 2021- Aug. 2021**  
**Prof. Curtis Deutsch Computational Laboratory, University of Washington (Remote, contract-based)**

- ◇ Conducted a systematic literature review in Proquest and Web of Science for laboratory measurements of marine species thermal growth curves.
- ◇ Created a database of measurements extracted from published articles, tables, and figures.
- ◇ Organized citations and sources on Zotero shared library.

**Research Librarian II (Data Services Specialist II)** **Jan. 2019 - Oct. 2020**  
**Institute for Health Metrics and Evaluation, Seattle, WA**

- ◇ Provided reference services for six-plus research teams, including assistance with research questions, library materials, resources, catalogs, and other library tools.
- ◇ Data acquisition for six-plus research teams, leading to authorship in a peer-reviewed scientific article.
- ◇ Acquired and cataloged hundreds of data sources in different languages and formats.
- ◇ Advised and taught researchers best practices of data management and seeking.
- ◇ Established relationships with global vendors, researchers, and data providers in English and Spanish, leading to long-lasting data sharing and research collaborations between diverse organizations.

**Research Librarian I (Data Services Specialist I)** **Jan. 2017 - Jan. 2019**  
**Institute for Health Metrics and Evaluation, Seattle, WA**

- ◇ Managed the Institute's Help Desk, including supervising task delegation and resource allocation for 6 librarians
- ◇ Provided reference services for six-plus research teams, including assistance with research questions, library materials, resources, catalogs, and other library tools.

- ◇ Data acquisition for three annual studies by six-plus research teams, leading to my authorship in five peer-reviewed scientific articles.

**Data Curator**  
Institute for Health Metrics and Evaluation, Seattle, WA

**Dec. 2015 - Jan. 2017**

- ◇ Dataset archiving in multiple formats and languages for an online public access catalog (GHDx) to ensure user agreement compliance.
- ◇ Managed Institute's catalog journal taxonomy by performing monthly reviews, additions, and merges.
- ◇ Biannual data source updates.

**Digital Content Curator**  
Market.Space Inc, (Remote)

**Nov. 2015 - Dec. 2015**

- ◇ Reviewed and created metadata for news articles on travel, venture capital, and gaming to train a machine-learning algorithm.
- ◇ Documented observations for taxonomy development and review.

## Additional Experience

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**UX Research Assistant (June 2015 – Aug 2015)**  
Library of Congress: Office of Strategic Initiatives, Washington, DC

**Web services Graduate Assistant (Aug 2013 – May 2015)**  
Social sciences, Health, and Education Library, University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign, IL

**Special Education Paraprofessional (March 2013 - July 2013)**  
Chicago Tech Academy, Chicago, IL

## Education

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**M.S. in Library and Information Sciences, Data Curation specialization**  
University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign

**B.A. in Mesoamerican and Caribbean Anthropology**  
University of Puerto Rico, San Juan

## Skills

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Languages: English (Fluent) • Spanish (Native)  
Microsoft Office Excel/Google Sheets  
Adobe Illustrator/Procreate/Canvas  
Intermediate knowledge of HTML and CSS.  
Metadata skills  
Project management  
Cataloging  
Reference  
Bibliographic Research  
Documentation