

EDUCATION:**Masters in Library and Information Science***University of California, Los Angeles*

June 2003

Area of specialization in public library work with an emphasis on children's and young adult services and serving Spanish-speaking communities.

Bachelor of Arts in Spanish with a minor in Library Science*McDaniel College, founded in 1867 as Western Maryland College*

May 2001

Cum Laude, Honors in Spanish, College Scholar

SKILLS:

Proficient in written and spoken Spanish. Familiar with HTML and CSS.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:**Teen Services Librarian***County of Los Angeles Public Library, Los Angeles, CA*

September 2005 – Present

- In charge of teen programs and services
- In charge of juvenile programs and services including Family Place and emergent literacy
- 2008 Summer Reading Program Committee
 - Teen book clubs & Photography program
- 2009 Summer Reading Program Committee
 - Teen Book Clubs

Acting Community Library Manager*County of Los Angeles Public Library, Los Angeles, CA*

April 2006 – September 2006

- In charge of a small, community library
- Maintaining community interest and involvement through outreach

Reference Librarian*County of Los Angeles Public Library, South Whittier, CA*

August 2003 – September 2005

- In charge of collection development for periodicals
- In charge of teen volunteers and programming

PROFESSIONAL INVOLVEMENT:**Memberships:**

- American Library Association
 - 2011 YALSA Mentor January – December 2011
- California Library Association
 - 2009 John & Patricia Beatty Award Committee October 2007 – October 2009
 - 2013 John & Patricia Beatty Award Committee November 2011 – November 2013
- Young Adult Reviewers of Southern California

Conferences:*Better Together Conference, Cerritos, CA*

April 2006

Book Expo America, Los Angeles, CA

June 2008

American Library Association Annual Conference, Anaheim, CA

June 2008

California Library Association Annual Conference, San Jose, CA

November 2008

California Library Association Annual Conference, Pasadena, CA

October 2009