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EMPLOYMENT

- 2012 - Current Adjunct Faculty, School of Information & Library Science; University of North Carolina
- 2017-2018 Visiting Researcher and Lecturer, Library and Information Studies; University College London Qatar
- 2004-2007 Director, Irvine Campus Library; California State University Fullerton
- 2001-2004 Senior Assistant Librarian, Pollak Library; California State University Fullerton
- 2004-2006 Adjunct Lecturer, School of Information; San Jose State University
- 2000-2001 Public Relations Administrator; Lexus Division of Toyota Motor Sales (TMS), USA, Torrance, CA
- 1999-2000 Corporate Research Librarian, Toyota Motor Sales (TMS), USA, Torrance, CA
- 1998-1999 Grant Project Coordinator, Texas Statewide Coordinated Statement of Need; Texas Woman's University
- 1998-2001 Adjunct Lecturer, School of Library and Information Studies; Texas Woman's University

EDUCATION

- 2017 PhD, School of Information & Library Science, University of North Carolina
- 1998 MLS, Texas Woman's University, Denton, TX
- 1992 BA, Political Science / Philosophy, Concord University, Athens, WV

FELLOWSHIPS AND AWARDS

- 2015-2016 UNC Graduate School Dissertation Research Fellowship
- 2014 Deborah Barreau Award for Teaching Excellence, SILS, UNC
- 2009 ASIS&T Elfreda A. Chatman Research Proposal Award

PUBLICATIONS

- Clemens, R.** (*forthcoming 2020*). Intersection of information science and crisis pregnancy decision making. In *Routledge Handbook of Adoption* (Wrobel, Helder, & Marr, Eds.).
- Ahmed, S. & **Clemens, R.** (2018). "I've only been here for two days, how do you...?": WhatsApp group as social and collaborative information seeking virtual platform for Muslim women living abroad in the Middle East. *Proceedings of iConference 2018*, Sheffield, UK.
- Clemens, R.** (2017). Human information behavior, coping, and decision-making in the context of a personal crisis: An interpretative phenomenological analysis of the voices of birthmothers on relinquishing a child for adoption (Doctoral dissertation). University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, NC.
- Clemens, R.** & Cushing, A. (2010). Beyond everyday life: Information seeking behavior in deeply meaningful and profoundly personal contexts. *Proceedings of the Association for Information Science and Technology*, Pittsburgh PA.
- Tibbo, H.R., **Clemens, R.**, & Hank, C. (Guest Eds.). (2009). Institutional repositories: The great debate. *The Bulletin of the American Society for Information Science and Technology*, 35(4).
- H.R. Tibbo, Hank, C., Lee, C.A., & **Clemens, R.** (Eds.) (2009). Proceedings of DigCCurr2009: Digital Curation: Practice, Promise, and Prospects, April 3-5, 2009, Chapel Hill, NC. Chapel Hill, NC: School of Information and Library Science, University of North Carolina.
- Capra, R.G., **Clemens, R.**, Lee, C.A. & Sheble, L. (2009). Contextual information from blogs in video digital curation. In H.R. Tibbo, C. Hank, C.A. Lee, & R. Clemens (Eds.), Proceedings of DigCCurr2009: Digital Curation: Practice, Promise, and Prospects, April 3-5, 2009, Chapel Hill, NC, 2-3. Chapel Hill, NC: School of Information and Library Science, University of North Carolina.
- Marchionini, G., Tibbo, H., Lee, C. A., Jones, P., Capra, R., Geisler, G., Russell, T., Shah, C., Sheble, L., Jorda, S., Song, Y., Howard, D. E., **Clemens, R.**, and Hill, B. (2009). VidArch: Preserving video objects and context final report. *SILS Technical Report TR-2009-01*. University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill: June 2009.
- Clemens, R.** (2009). Reports of Conferences, Institutes, and Seminars: ASIS&T 2008 Annual Meeting. *Serials Review*, 35 (2): 105-106.
- Lee, C. A., Capra, R., **Clemens, R.**, & Sheble, L. (2008). I Know it's Important, But What Am I Looking at? Strategies for using Blog Content to Contextualize YouTube Videos. *Society of American Archivists Research Forum*, San Francisco, CA, August 26, 2008. [Paper accepted in refereed proceedings]
- Kelly, D., Shah, C., Sugimoto, C. R., Bailey, E. W., **Clemens, R. A.**, Irvine, A. K., Johnson, N. A., Ke, W., Oh, S., Poljakova, A., Rodriguez, M. A., van Noord, M. G., & Zhang, Y. (2008). Effects of performance feedback on users' evaluations of an interactive IR system. Proceedings of the 2nd Symposium on Information Interaction in Context (IiX), London, UK, 75-82

SELECT PRESENTATIONS

Clemens, R. (2017). Interpretative Phenomenological Analysis (IPA). Presentation at University College London Qatar, School of Library and Information Studies.

Clemens, R. (2017). The role of information in birthmother experience. Juried presentation at the 38th Annual American Adoption Congress International Conference. April 5-8, 2017, Atlanta Georgia.

Clemens, R. (2007). Podcasting possibilities for library instruction. Presentation at *Computers in Libraries*, Washington DC

Clemens, R. (2007). Podcast vs. Libraries: Podcasting and the new culture of personal broadcasting on campus. Invited presentation at *LITA (Library & Information Technology Association)*, American Library Association Preconference, Seattle, WA.

Clemens, R. (2004). Library resources and services to branch campuses. Presentation at *National Association of Branch Campus Administrators* Conference, Anaheim, CA.

Clemens, R. (2003). Delivering library instruction to remote students: The hits, the hurdles and the horizon. Presentation at *Syllabus National Conference*, San Jose, CA.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Adjunct Faculty, University of North Carolina, School of Information & Library Science

INLS 581: Research Methods (Fall 2019, Spring 2018)

INLS 203: Human Information Behavior (Spring 2019)

INLS 201: Retrieving and Analyzing Information (Spring 2016, Fall 2015, Spring 2015, Fall 2014)

INLS 502: User Education (Fall 2013, Fall 2012, Fall 2011)

Visiting Faculty, University College London Qatar, Library & Information Studies

Reference (Fall 2018, Fall 2017)

Research Methods (Fall 2018, Fall 2017)

Adjunct Instructor, San Jose State University, School of Information

Reference and Information Services (Spring 2006, Spring 2005, Spring 2004)

Adjunct Instructor, Texas Woman's University, School of Library and Information Studies

Internet Research (Spring 2001, Fall 2000, Spring 2000, Fall 1999, Spring 1999, Fall 1998)

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

Association for Information Science & Technology

American Adoption Congress