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## Research Interests

Digital curation • scientific data management • archives • public-private partnerships • digital preservation • public sector information services

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## Education

*University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI* May 2015

PhD, School of Information

- Dissertation: “The Changing Landscape of Digital Access: Public-Private Partnerships in US State and Territorial Archives”
- Committee: Elizabeth Yakel (Chair), Paul Conway, David Wallace, Janet Weiss

*Brown University, Providence, RI* 2008

A.B., History and Classics, with Honors in History.

- Thesis: “Through King Philip’s Woods’: Metacom’s Legacy and Historical Memory in Bristol, Rhode Island”
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## Honors and Awards

- Research Data Alliance/US (RDA) Data Share Fellow 2016-2017
- Summer Institute Scholarship, Archival Education and Research Institute (AERI) 2015
- Doctoral Colloquium, iConference 2015 2015
- Rackham One-Term Dissertation Fellowship, Rackham School of Graduate Studies 2014
- Doctoral Seminar, 77<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the Association for Information Science and Technology 2014
- Graduate Student Research Grant, Rackham School of Graduate Studies 2014
- Summer Institute Scholarship, Archival Education and Research Institute (AERI) 2014
- Doctoral Colloquium, 15<sup>th</sup> Annual International Conference on Digital Government Research 2014
- Conference Travel Grant, Rackham School of Graduate Studies 2013
- Summer Institute Scholarship, Archival Education and Research Institute (AERI) 2013
- Best Conference Research Paper, with Yakel, E., Faniel, I., & Yoon, A. 8<sup>th</sup> International Digital Curation Conference (IDCC). Amsterdam, Netherlands. 2013

- Summer Institute Scholarship, Archival Education and Research Institute (AERI) 2012
- Conference Travel Grant, Rackham School of Graduate Studies 2012
- Humanities Arts Science and Technology Advanced Collaborator (HASTAC) Scholar 2011-2012
- Summer Institute Scholarship, Archival Education and Research Institute (AERI) 2011

## Experience

### Current Position

*University of Maryland College of Information Studies* Summer 2017-present

#### **Lecturer**

Member of iSchool faculty in professional track role. Responsibilities include teaching, research, and service activities focused on digital curation, preservation, and archives. Research activities include work with USDA National Agricultural Library. Courses offered at the Masters level for Masters in Library and Information Science students.

### Research Experience

*University of Maryland College of Information Studies* Summer 2015-Summer 2017

#### **Postdoctoral Fellowship in Agricultural Data Curation**

Conducting research at the National Agricultural Library (NAL) on data curation, primarily in NAL's Knowledge Services Division (KSD). Current work focuses on digital preservation initiatives at the library and the use of controlled vocabularies for agricultural data access systems. Work with NAL includes collection policy/organizational scope development with data curation projects and preservation planning for NAL, combining digital library and scientific data into a unified digital preservation plan. Collaborate on the development of guidelines for Data Management Plans in agriculture to be published as guidance for USDA. Currently sitting on NAL's Collection Development Committee. Additional responsibilities include coordination and supervision of six masters student fellows and one undergraduate working on digital curation projects across NAL.

*Dissemination Information Packages for Information Reuse (DIPIR) Project,* Fall 2011-Fall 2013  
*University of Michigan School of Information*

#### **Graduate Student Research Assistant (GSRA)**

The DIPIR Project studies data reuse across three academic communities to identify how contextual information about data that supports reuse can best be created and preserved. My responsibilities included coordinating multiple team members across different project initiatives. I was responsible for recruiting participants, conducting interviews and observations for multiple target populations and their subsequent thematic coding. With project team members, worked to develop a survey for deployment to more than 2000 researchers. Contributed to project publications ranging from posters to papers. Supervised and mentored a series of Master's student research assistants on the project who were tasked with bibliographic work, transcript review, and thematic coding.

*Beyond Plagiarism Project, Sweetland Center for Writing* Summer 2013- Summer 2014  
*University of Michigan*

#### **Graduate Student Assistant**

Beyond Plagiarism is a collaborative instructional resource created by the Sweetland Center for Writing and MLibrary at the University of Michigan. The goal is to teach undergraduate students how to use sources effectively and responsibly. My responsibilities included the development of web-based evaluations to complement instructional material related to source use.

*Archival Metrics Project, University of Michigan School of Information* Fall 2010- Summer 2011

**Graduate Student Research Assistant (GSRA)**

The Archival Metrics Project sought to promote a culture of assessment in the archival domain by creating standardized user-based evaluation tools and other performance measures. Project responsibilities included collaborative development and authoring of toolkits for assessment in archival institutions. Conducted interviews, gathered information and feedback from partner institutions, developed and administered online evaluation surveys, wrote documentation, co-authored papers, posters and conference presentations.

**Professional Experience**

*Database Publishing Consultants Inc (DPCI), New York, NY* 2008-2010

**Client Services Associate/Project Manager**

DPCI is an interactive technology agency. Participated in all aspects of the business, including client communication, web consulting, and development, operations and account management. Obtained PMP Project Management credential and served as project manager for Drupal-based web projects.

*CV Starr National Service Fellowship, Providence, RI* 2007

**Fellow**

Awarded through Brown's Swearer Center for Public Service. Launched new project, along with two other fellows, aimed at raising awareness of archival resources in Rhode Island to encourage faculty research and to engage faculty with the surrounding community. Visited archives around the state to compile information for a database documenting possible points of inquiry into local collections.

*Intrepid Sea, Air and Space Museum, New York, NY* 2006-2008

**Exhibits and Education Department Intern**

Assisted in developing and leading visitor education programs for camp and public. Helped facilitate professional development sessions for New York City schoolteachers. Conducted informational tours for visiting teachers in preparation for future class trips to the museum.

**Contract Freelance Research**

Conducted research on military leadership, children in World War II, and other projects for exhibits in advance of museum's reopening in the fall of 2008. Collaborated with Collections Manager and Curator during redesign of main exhibit space.

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**Teaching/Instructional Experience**

**University of Maryland**

- INST647: Management of Electronic Records and Information Fall Semester 2017
- INST641: Policy and Ethics in Digital Curation Spring Semester 2017
- INST643: Curation in Cultural Institutions Fall Semester 2016, Fall Semester 2017
- DCIC Seminar- Introduction to ArchivesSpace February 2016

## University of Michigan

- SI629: Access Systems for Archival Materials Fall 2014  
*Graduate Student Instructor, Guest Lecturer*
  - SI500: Information in Social Systems Winter 2014  
*Graduate Student Instructor*
  - SI623: Research Methods for Information Professionals Winter 2014  
*Guest Lecturer*
  - SI410: Ethics and Information Technology Fall 2012  
*Graduate Student Instructor, Guest Lecturer*
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## Publications

### Under Review

- **Kriesberg, A.**, Archival Materials as Public Goods: Repositioning Records in the Public Sector Information Landscape.

### Peer-reviewed Journals

- Kahn, E., Arbuckle, P., **Kriesberg, A.** (2017) Challenge Paper: Challenges to Sharing Data and Models for Life Cycle Assessment. *Journal of Data and Information Quality*. 9(1), <https://doi.org/10.1145/3106236>
- **Kriesberg, A.**, Huller, K., Punzalan, R., Parr, C. (2017) An Analysis of Federal Policy on Public Access to Scientific Research Data. *Data Science Journal*. 16, p.27. DOI: <http://doi.org/10.5334/dsj-2017-027>
- Punzalan, R., **Kriesberg, A.** (2017) Library-Mediated Collaborations: Data Curation at the National Agricultural Library. *Library Trends*. vol. 65 no. 3, 2017, pp. 429-447. Project MUSE, doi:10.1353/lib.2017.0010
- **Kriesberg, A.** (2016) The Future of Access to Public Records? Public-Private Partnerships in US State and Territorial Archives. *Archival Science*. doi:10.1007/s10502-016-9268-6
- Faniel, I., **Kriesberg, A.**, Yakel, E., Frank, R. (2015) Researcher Satisfaction with Data Reuse. *Journal of the Association for Information Science and Technology*. doi: 10.1002/asi.23480.
- **Kriesberg, A.** (2014). Increasing Access in 140 Characters or Less: Or, What Are Archival Institutions Doing on Twitter? *American Archivist*, 77(2), 534-557.
- Yakel, E., Faniel, I., **Kriesberg, A.**, & Yoon, A. (2013). Trust in Digital Repositories. *International Journal of Digital Curation*, 8(1), 143–156. doi:10.2218/ijdc.v8i1.251.
- Yakel, E., Duff, W., Tibbo, H., **Kriesberg, A.** & Cushing, A. (2012, November). The economic impact of archives: A survey of users of government archives in Canada and the United States. *American Archivist*, 75(2), 297-325.

### Peer-reviewed Conference Proceedings

- Acker, A., **Kriesberg, A.** (2017). Tweets may Be Archived: Civic Engagement, Digital Preservation, and Obama White House Social Media. ASIST 2017 Annual Meeting.

- Frank, R., **Kriesberg, A.**, Yakel, E., Faniel, I. 2015. Looting Hoards of Gold and Poaching Spotted Owls: Data Confidentiality Among Archaeologists & Zoologists. ASIST 2015 Annual Meeting. Available online at <https://www.asist.org/files/meetings/am15/proceedings/openpage15.html>.
- **Kriesberg, A.**, Frank, R. Faniel I., Yakel, E. 2013. The Role of Data Reuse in the Apprenticeship Process. American Society for Information Science and Technology 2013 Annual Meeting Proceedings, Montréal, Québec, Canada. Available online at <http://www.asis.org/asist2013/proceedings/submissions/papers/49paper.pdf>.
- Faniel, I., **Kriesberg, A.**, & Yakel, E. (2012). Data reuse and sensemaking among novice social scientists. Proceedings of the American Society for Information Science and Technology, 49(1), 1–10. doi:10.1002/meet.14504901068

### Other Publications

- **Kriesberg, A.** (2017). Agricultural Research, Data Management, Funder Mandates: Where Do We Go From Here? [blog post]. Retrieved from <http://www.sr.ithaka.org/blog/agricultural-research-data-management-funder-mandates-where-do-we-go-from-here/>.

### Workshop Organizer

- Durden, D., Kovisto, J., **Kriesberg, A.**, Westgard, J. (2017, April). Endangered Data Week Hands-on data preservation workshop. UMD Libraries, College Park, MD.
- Kovisto, J., **Kriesberg, A.**, Wickner, A. (2017, January). Wikipedia #1lib1ref Event. UMD Libraries Emerging Technology Discussion Group. UMD Libraries, College Park, MD.
- Burton, M., Chalmers, M., **Kriesberg, A.** (2012, February). “Scholarly Matchmaking: Fostering a cross disciplinary dialog between the digital humanities and the information sciences.” Alternative Event at the iConference 2012, Toronto, ON, Canada.

### Presentations

#### Talks and Webinars

- **Kriesberg, A.** (2017, August). Understanding Agricultural Research Practices: Ithaka Study and NAL Report. Presentation at National Agricultural Library Monthly Brown Bag Talk Series. Beltsville, MD.
- Condon, P., Murillo, A., **Kriesberg, A.** (2017, April). Engaging with Data Creators and Users to Foster a Culture of Data Sharing and Reuse [webinar]. DataONE. Retrieved from <https://www.dataone.org/webinars/engaging-data-creators-and-users-foster-culture-data-sharing-and-reuse>.
- **Kriesberg, A.** (2015, December). The Changing Landscape of Access: Digitization and Privatization. Presentation at National Agricultural Library Monthly Brown Bag Talk Series. Beltsville, MD.
- **Kriesberg, A.** (2014, February). Presentation at ProQuest Monthly Employee Seminar Series. Ann Arbor, MI.

## Selected Conference Presentations

- **Kriesberg, A.**, Punzalan, R. (2017, July). The United States Government Does Not Understand Data Preservation. Presented at the Archival Education and Research Institute (AERI), Toronto, ON, Canada.
- **Kriesberg, A.** (2014, August). State Archives and the Private Sector: Exploring Public-Private Partnerships. Society of American Archivists (SAA) Annual Meeting, Washington, DC.
- **Kriesberg, A.** (2014, July). Understanding Digitization Partnerships Between State Archives and the Private Sector. Presented at the Archival Education and Research Institute (AERI), Pittsburgh, PA.
- **Kriesberg, A.** (2013, August). Satisfaction with Data Reuse: Survey Results from Users of a Social Science Data Archive. Research Forum, Archives 2013: The Council of State Archivists and Society of American Archivists Joint Annual Meeting. New Orleans, LA.
- Faniel, I., Yakel, E., **Kriesberg, A.**, & Daniels, M. (2013, April). Can Quantitative Social Scientists Get Data Reuse Satisfaction? RDAP13: The 4th Annual Research Data Access and Preservation Summit. Baltimore, MD.
- Yakel, E., Faniel, I., **Kriesberg, A.**, & Yoon, A. (2013, January). "Trust in Digital Repositories." 8th International Digital Curation Conference (IDCC). Amsterdam, Netherlands. (Awarded Best Conference Paper)
- **Kriesberg, A.** (2012, June). "Archival Institutions Online: Connecting with Users in Social Media." Presented at the Archival Education and Research Institute (AERI), Los Angeles, CA.
- **Kriesberg, A.** (2011, October). "Ojibwe Language Classes at the University of Michigan: Culture, Preservation, and the Pedagogy of the Digital Age." 43rd Algonquian Annual Conference, Ann Arbor, MI.
- **Kriesberg, A.** (2011, August). "Focus Groups in Archival Institutions: A Pilot Study" Research Forum of the Society of American Archivists (SAA), Chicago IL.
- Faniel, I., Yakel, E., McGovern, N., Fear, K., Daniels, M., **Kriesberg, A.** (2011, August) "Does Trust Matter?" Research Forum of the Society of American Archivists (SAA). Chicago, IL.

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## Selected Posters

- **Kriesberg, A.**, Punzalan, R. (2016, April). Data Curation at the National Agricultural Library. Poster session presented at 15<sup>th</sup> Biennial US Agricultural Information Network Conference, Gainesville, FL.
- **Kriesberg, A.**, Punzalan, R. (2016, February). Library-Mediated Data Curation Collaborations Examples from a National Library. Poster session presented at 11th International Digital Curation Conference, Amsterdam, NL.
- **Kriesberg, A.** (2015, January). The Changing Landscape of Digital Access: Public Private Partnerships in US State and Territorial Archives. Association for Library and Information Science Education (ALISE) 2015 Annual Conference, Chicago, IL.

- **Kriesberg, A.** (2014, June). Public-Private Partnerships and the Future of Digital Access in US State Archives. Poster presented at 15th Annual International Conference on Digital Government Research, Aguascalientes City, Aguascalientes, Mexico.
- **Kriesberg, A.** (2013, June). The Changing Landscape of Digital Access: Public-Private Partnerships and Cultural Heritage Institutions. Poster session at Archival Education and Research Institute 2013, Austin, TX.
- Faniel, I., Barrera-Gomez, J., **Kriesberg, A.**, & Yakel, E., (2013, February). A Comparative Study of Data Reuse among Quantitative Social Scientists and Archaeologists. Poster session presented at iConference 2013, Fort Worth, TX.
- **Kriesberg, A.**, Faniel, I., Yakel, E., Fear, K (2011, December). Reuse at data repositories: User and staff perspectives on the dissemination process. Poster session presented at 7th International Digital Curation Conference, Bristol, UK.

## Service Activities

### University of Maryland

- Center for the Advanced Study of Communities and Information (CASCI) Reading Group Organizer, 2016-2017 Academic Year

### University of Michigan

- Doctoral Executive Committee Member, University of Michigan School of Information 2011-2013
  - Student Representative, UMSI Doctoral Committee 2013

### Selected External Activities

- *Reviewer*, Hawaii International Conference on System Sciences (HICSS) 2016
- *Reviewer*, iConference 2014-2016
- Student Program Subcommittee Member, Society of American Archivists 2014-2015
- *Reviewer*, ASIS&T Annual Conference 2014, 2016, 2017
- *Reviewer*, *Archival Science* (Journal) 2011, 2013, 2015, 2017

## Affiliations, Memberships and Certifications

- Senior Fellow, Center for the Advanced Study of Communities and Information (CASCI), University of Maryland College of Information Studies
- UMD Teaching and Learning Transformation Center, Faculty Launch Program (in progress)
- Member, Association for Information Science and Technology (ASIS&T)
- University of Michigan Graduate Teaching Certificate
- Certified Associate in Project Management, Project Management Institute (2009-2014)

## Technical Competencies

Microsoft Office, Drupal, WordPress, HTML/CSS, ArchivesSpace, Omeka, DKAN, NVivo, SPSS, Qualtrics, Python (basic knowledge), Github (basic knowledge), R (basic knowledge)

## References

- Available upon request