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4S Conference 2008 - Rotterdam, Netherlands - Faculty News

[Noriko Hara](#) presented a paper at the Annual Meeting of the [Society for Social Studies of Science \(4S\)](#) held August 20-23, 2008 in Rotterdam, Netherlands. [Pnina Shachaf](#) co-authored the paper titled "Collaborative Mass Knowledge Production Online: Cross-Cultural Comparison of Variation in the Communities of Wikipedians."

[http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story\\_id=1805](http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story_id=1805)  
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MIS Students Intern at Purdue - Student News

Master of Information Science (MIS) students Qizheng Bao and Jieming Qiu participated in the [Executive Vice President and Treasurer - Summer 2008 Internship Program](#) at Purdue University, West Lafayette, Indiana.



They were featured in a brochure

highlighting the program (excerpts below). They also responded to email questions about their experiences:

[http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story\\_id=1804](http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story_id=1804)

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Journal of the American Society for Information Science and Technology,  
59(11) - Faculty News

[JASIST](#), 59(11) includes articles by SLIS Dean [Blaise Cronin](#), faculty members [Lokman Meho](#) and [Alice Robbin](#), visiting scholar Yvonne Rogers, and Ph.D. student Wayne Buente. Article abstracts are below, and full text articles are available through [Wiley InterScience](#).  
[http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story\\_id=1803](http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story_id=1803)  
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101st Annual Meeting - American Association of Law Libraries - Alumni  
News

SLIS, along with the IU School of Law-Bloomington and IU School of Law Library, hosted a reception at the [101st Annual Meeting](#) of the American Association of Law Libraries (AALL). This year's conference was in Portland, Oregon. Nearly 45 alumni and friends gathered at the Hilton Portland Hotel on Monday, July 14, 2008.

[http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story\\_id=1802](http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story_id=1802)

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Internship: Beinecke Rare Book and Manuscript Library, Yale University  
- Student News

Bergis Jules is a current student in the dual [Master of Library Science/Master of Arts in African American and African Diaspora Studies](#) program. He was a 2006-2008 scholarship recipient of the Association of Research Libraries [Initiative to Recruit a Diverse Workforce](#). He also received the [Harold T. Pinkett Award](#) from the Society of American Archivists.

[http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story\\_id=1801](http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story_id=1801)

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Online Community in Wales - Student News

Courtenay Honeycutt is currently a doctoral student at SLIS. She is working on a Ph.D. in Information Science. Recently she had an article published in the journal [The Information Society](#), volume 24, number 4, titled:

[http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story\\_id=1800](http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story_id=1800)

Posted Aug. 19, 2008

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Gender Differences in Patrons of a Public Library - Faculty News

[Rachel Applegate](#) (SLIS faculty member) recently published an article in *Public Library Quarterly* titled "Gender Differences in Patrons of a Public Library." The survey for the article was done at the [Carmel Clay Public Library](#) located in Carmel, Indiana (just north of Indianapolis).

[http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story\\_id=1799](http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story_id=1799)

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Revisiting the Conceptualization of Computerization Movements - Faculty News

How do you determine the success or failure? SLIS faculty members [Noriko Hara](#) and [Howard Rosenbaum](#) examine this question as it relates to computerization movements in [The Information Society](#) (2008), Volume 24, Number 4, pages 229-245.

[http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story\\_id=1798](http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story_id=1798)

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Oxford Internet Institute and Eric Meyer - Student News

*"Many key scientific questions facing the world today cannot be answered by the stereotypical lone researcher; scientists, social scientists and humanities scholars today are much more likely than in the past to work in teams as they address complex problem such as understanding climates change, modeling potentials impacts of public policy decisions, or visualizing trends in history."* [Eric Meyer, OII publication, p.12]

[http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story\\_id=1797](http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story_id=1797)

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International Digital Humanities Conference (Oulu, Finland) - Faculty News

SLIS faculty member, [John Walsh](#), presented three papers this summer at the [International Digital Humanities Conference](#) (IDHC). The conference was held in Oulu, Finland from June 25-29, 2008, and was hosted by the University of Oulu. "It was a joint conference between the Association for

Literary and Linguistic Computing, the Association for Computers and the Humanities, and the Society for Digital Humanities." [conference website]

[http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story\\_id=1796](http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story_id=1796)

Posted Aug. 14, 2008

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Indiana Library Federation: Small & Medium Libraries Conference -  
Events News

The 2008 Indiana Library Federation (ILF) - [Small and Medium Libraries Conference](#) will be held August 21-22 at the [New Castle-Henry County Public Library](#). The theme of the Conference is *Beyond the Walls: Small and Medium Sized Libraries Reach Out*.

[http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story\\_id=1795](http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story_id=1795)

Posted Aug. 6, 2008

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Indiana Receives \$1 Million Grant for Librarian Diversity Initiative -  
Faculty News

*"This is a fabulous opening for Indiana libraries to become more diverse," said Dr. [Marilyn Irwin](#), Associate Dean, School of Library and Information Science, Indiana University, Indianapolis. "This grant creates great opportunities for members of diverse communities who have been historically underrepresented in the profession." [see below]*

[http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story\\_id=1794](http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story_id=1794)  
Posted Aug. 6, 2008

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SLIS Welcomes New Faculty Member: Ying Ding - Faculty News

*My teaching philosophy is to teach students on how to learn in order to*

*make them to know how to think; to combine theory and practice together and use practice to better understand theory; to integrate teaching and research together to achieve joint benefits.*

Dr. Ying Ding joined the SLIS Faculty on August 1, 2008 as an Assistant Professor of Information Science. She comes to SLIS from a position as a Senior Researcher (Unit Leader) in the Digital Enterprise Research Institute in the Department of Computer Science at the University of Innsbruck, Austria. Ding received her Ph.D. in Information Science in 2001 from the Information Studies Division, School of Computer Engineering, Nanyang Technological University, Singapore. She also has a Masters Information Science from the Graduate School of Chinese Academy of Sciences, Beijing, China that she received in 1996.

[http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story\\_id=1793](http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story_id=1793)

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## Information & Communication Behavior at a Political Moment - Faculty News

"Information & Communication Behavior at a Political Moment: The Iraq War, March 2003" was the title of a talk given by SLIS faculty member, [Alice Robbin](#), in Paris, France this summer. Robbin reported on research she carried out with SLIS doctoral student Wayne Buente. The research seminar presentation was given at the Institut Francilien d'Ingénierie des Services (IFIS) — Val d'Europe — of the [Université Paris-Est](#) (Marne-la-Vallée). Discussions were also held with the director of IFIS about future cooperation in teaching and research of social informatics.

[http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story\\_id=1792](http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story_id=1792)  
Posted Aug. 6, 2008

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eIFL.net - International Meeting in Belgrade - Alumni News

Ann Snoeyenbos (MLS'91) attended the General Assembly of eIFL.net (Electronic Information for Libraries) in November 2007. This international meeting was held in Belgrade (the capital city of Serbia). Shortly after the meeting, [Ann Snoeyenbos](#) wrote, 'I just got back from a meeting in Serbia where I found three other IU SLIS alums: [Mariana Harjevschi](#), Moldova; [Diana Sayej-Naser](#) (MLS'83), Palestine; [Arnold Hirshon](#) (MLS'74), US. You can't imagine the thrill for these women to find fellow IU SLIS alums at this meeting in Belgrade. It is one thing to bring the US alumnae together but for the international librarians there is major bonding.'

[http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story\\_id=1791](http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story_id=1791)  
Posted Aug. 6, 2008

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ICTs and Society Network Launch Meeting - Austria - Faculty News

SLIS faculty member [Alice Robbin](#) gave a keynote address at the [ICTs](#)

*[and Society Network Launch Meeting](#) - University of Salzburg (Austria) held June 20-21, 2008. Excerpts are included below. Robbin is also the Director of the [Rob Kling Center for Social Informatics](#) at Indiana University.*

*[http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story\\_id=1790](http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story_id=1790)  
Posted July 31, 2008*

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*Job Successes - April, May, June 2008 - Student News*

*Congratulations to SLIS graduates! The list below is made of job successes posted to the SLIS website in April, May, and June 2008. SLIS graduates are finding interesting careers in a variety of settings.*

*[http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story\\_id=1789](http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story_id=1789)  
Posted July 24, 2008*

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*Library Evaluation Talk by Rachel Applegate, 8/1/08 - Faculty News*

*On August 1, 2008, SLIS faculty member [Rachel Applegate](#) will present "Five Things Librarians Need to Know About Library Evaluation." The talk is a "Lunch & Learn" Forum Session organized by SLIS Indianapolis, and Steve Owens (CTELP Summer 2008 Resident). Details from the [Invitation](#):*

*[http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story\\_id=1788](http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story_id=1788)  
Posted July 24, 2008*

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*...You have a Stack of Surveys, Now What? - Faculty News*

*SLIS faculty member, [Rachel Applegate](#), has given presentations at the [Indiana Library Federation Annual Conference](#) the past two years, and is*

*scheduled to give another session this fall. The sessions have been on "Simple Surveys - and You have a Stack of Surveys, Now What?" Applegate gave details in a recent email interview:*

*[http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story\\_id=1787](http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story_id=1787)  
Posted July 24, 2008*

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*SLIS Alumna: Judaica and Hebraica Cataloger - Alumni News*

*Graduates are encouraged to post their [job successes](#) on the SLIS website. Prospective students (in particular) can [view job successes](#) to get ideas for career paths. Jasmin Nof (MLS'04) recently gave us details about her position, and about professional association work she is doing:*

*[http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story\\_id=1786](http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story_id=1786)  
Posted July 24, 2008*

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*IU Faculty Podcasting Initiative - Faculty News*

*SLIS Associate Dean and Master of Information Science Program Director, [Howard Rosenbaum](#) - and SLIS Director of Information Technology, [Mark Napier](#) - received an IU Faculty Podcasting Initiative grant for their proposal: *Creating a Student-Generated Podcast Knowledge Base for Information Literacy.**

*[http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story\\_id=1785](http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story_id=1785)  
Posted July 17, 2008*

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*Institute of Information Scientists (IIS) - Celebrating 50 Years - Faculty News*

*Information Science as a professional discipline has some definable roots.*

*"2008 is the 50th Anniversary of the founding of the Institute of Information Scientists in the UK, and many of the ideas of the earlier information scientists are not only still valid today, but became the foundations upon which later generations have built. Consequently, feeling that it might be worth the effort to capture some insights into advances made in the last 50 years, a number of pre-eminent information scientists were commissioned to write articles on a range of topics reflecting many facets of information science." [by Alan Gilchrist, [Editorial](#), Journal of Information Science, 34(4)2008]*

*[http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story\\_id=1784](http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story_id=1784)  
Posted July 17, 2008*

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*Summer Course: University of Mashhad, Iran - Faculty News*

*SLIS is fortunate to have a globally diverse faculty. Not only do the faculty present at conferences around the world, many were born in other*

*countries and are bi-lingual. SLIS faculty members are from Japan, Israel, Germany, Lebanon, Korea, Ireland, and Iran.*

*[Hamid Ekbia](#) returned to Iran this summer to teach a Doctoral Seminar in Cognitive Science at the Computer Science Department, School of Engineering, [Ferdowsi University](#) of Mashhad, July 5-17, 2008. He gave details in an email interview:*

*[http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story\\_id=1783](http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story_id=1783)  
Posted July 17, 2008*

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*Visualization and Data Analysis 2009 - Call for Papers - Events News*

*SLIS faculty member [Katy Börner](#) is a Co-Chair for the [Visualization and Data Analysis 2009 \(EII08\)](#) Conference to be held January 18-22, 2009 at the San Jose Convention Center, California. The Conference is a part of the [IS&T/SPIE 21st Annual Symposium on Electronic Imaging 2009](#).*

[http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story\\_id=1782](http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story_id=1782)

*Posted July 17, 2008*

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*Students Excel at SLIS - Student News*

*"Students at SLIS not only get excellent education by highly professional, widely published, and well-networked faculty, they also distinguish themselves by publishing in refereed and professional journals and applying for and winning major student awards both internal and external. Publishing and winning awards are among many other activities that SLIS students accomplish or get involved with in order to enhance their professional knowledge and skills and attract employers." [Lokman Meho]*

[http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story\\_id=1781](http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story_id=1781)

*Posted July 14, 2008*

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*Team X works on Accessibility Toolkit - Alumni News*

*[Marilyn Irwin](#), Associate Dean - SLIS Indianapolis, was the mentor for one of the American Library Association ([ALA](#)) [Emerging Leaders](#) Teams - Team X. The [team's project](#) was to "assist [ASCLA](#) in planning and promoting the release of an 'accessibility toolkit' of fifteen pamphlets that provide information on different aspects of accessibility as well as an Electronic Accessibility Checklist. The subjects of the pamphlets included developmental disabilities, learning disabilities, service animals, vision, mental illness, physical disabilities, and more."*

*[http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story\\_id=1780](http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story_id=1780)  
Posted July 14, 2008*

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*Taking the Sting out of Serials (NASIG 2008) - Alumni News*

*The North American Serials Interest Group (NASIG) held their [23rd Annual Conference](#) this year in Phoenix, Arizona from June 5-8, 2008. The theme was Taking the Sting out of Serials.*

*[http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story\\_id=1779](http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story_id=1779)  
Posted July 11, 2008*

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*Staying Connected - SLIS at ALA 2008 - Anaheim, California - Alumni News*

*Understanding professional associations is important to SLIS students. These groups provide entry into networks in library and information science. They provide a way to keep learning after graduation. Professional associations offer opportunities for research, publication, and job connections. SLIS currently has six [student chapters of professional associations](#). And, the American Library Association - Student Chapter has won the ALA [National Chapter of the Year](#) (2005),*

*and national runner-up (2006). To help continue connections, SLIS hosts alumni events during professional conferences.*

*[http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story\\_id=1778](http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story_id=1778)*

*Posted July 10, 2008*

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*WikiProteins ("Calling on a Million Minds...") - Faculty News*

*SLIS faculty member [Katy Börner](#) is a contributor to "Calling on a Million Minds for Community Annotation in WikiProteins" (Genome Biology 2008, 9:R62). The article was published on April 21, 2008, and is [available online](#). It is the first project of [WikiProfessional](#) ("Creating the Concept Web by Collaborative Intelligence) - of which Börner is both a [contributing and a research partner](#).*

*[http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story\\_id=1777](http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story_id=1777)*

*Posted July 10, 2008*

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*Virtual Reference Service Evaluation - Faculty News*

*"This study evaluates the level to which virtual (e-mail) reference services adhere to professional guidelines. These professional guidelines are set up as standards to assure service quality. However, studies of virtual reference effectiveness rarely utilize these standards to measure reference success. This study evaluates and compares the level of adherence to two sets of professional guidelines published by the International Federation of Library Associations (IFLA) and the American Library Association (ALA) Reference and User Services Association (RUSA). Analysis of 324 transactions from 54 libraries showed: 1) low levels of adherence to both sets of guidelines; 2) varied levels of adherence based on request types and user names on both sets of guidelines; 3) variation in institutional rank according to different sets of guidelines; 4) no correlation between user satisfaction and adherence to either set of guidelines. This study has implications for future research and practice because it provides a*

*systematic way to analyze transactions in light of the ideal professional standards. It also provides an empirical benchmark for evaluating virtual reference services." [Abstract]*

*[http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story\\_id=1776](http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story_id=1776)  
Posted July 10, 2008*

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*SLIS at Special Libraries Association Conference in Seattle - Alumni News*

*SLIS hosted another successful alumni reception at the [annual conference of the Special Libraries Association](#) (SLA) in Seattle. The reception was held at the Seattle Hilton, the SLA conference hotel, during the Alumni & Student Connect Event on Monday evening, June 16th. SLIS Professor [Debora "Ralf" Shaw](#) (Ph.D.'83) hosted the event for SLIS, along with Vicky Martin of the IU Foundation who works with SLIS in its alumni relations and development efforts. Others from Bloomington were SLIS*

faculty member [Kiduk Yang](#) and adjunct faculty member Brian Winterman (MLS'03), both of whom participated in the SLA conference this year. The [SLIS Alumni Board](#) was represented by board member Christina Bennett-McNew (MLS'02).

[http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story\\_id=1775](http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story_id=1775)  
Posted July 8, 2008

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*Katy Börner's Work Featured at IU's 10 year IT Strategic Plan  
Celebration - Faculty News*

*SLIS faculty member, [Katy Börner](#), showcased her work at the IT Strategic Plan (ITSP) celebration held on May 20, 2008. This event was a joint effort between many different organizations within the campus community. Börner, director of the Cyberinfrastructure for Network Science Center and the Information Visualization Lab, collaborates with many colleagues on campus on related research.*

[http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story\\_id=1774](http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story_id=1774)  
*Posted July 7, 2008*

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*NetSci and InfoVis Research Presented in Norwich and London - Events News*

*[Russell Duhon](#) will travel to England to present a workshop, two talks, and a tutorial (June 21 through July 12, 2008). Duhon is a Senior Software Developer, with the [Cyberinfrastructure for Network Science Center](#). SLIS faculty member [Katy Börner](#) is the Director of the Center.*

[http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story\\_id=1773](http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story_id=1773)  
*Posted July 7, 2008*

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*Cognitive Cartography Presented at the Université du Québec - Faculty*

## News

*["Minds and Societies - 2008"](#) is the name of the 2nd Summer School of Social Cognition, Institute of Cognitive Services (ISC), Université du Québec à Montréal. It will be held from June 28 to July 6, 2008. As a part of the program, SLIS faculty member, [Katy Börner](#), will present a talk on "Cognitive Cartography" at the The Science of Science lecture - see abstract below. She will also present all four iterations of the [Places & Spaces: Mapping Science](#) poster exhibit. Each of the iterations has 10 maps. This is the first time for all 40 maps to include a French translation.*

*[http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story\\_id=1772](http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story_id=1772)  
Posted July 7, 2008*

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*Military Librarian Sharon Lenius (MLS'65) - Alumni News*

*Sharon Lenius (MLS'65) is the Manager of the Information Resource*

*Center, National Guard Bureau located in Arlington, Virginia. She is an active member of the [Military Librarians Division](#) of the Special Libraries Association (SLA), and was the recipient of the [2007 SLA Member Achievement Award](#). Next year's [100th SLA Anniversary](#) will be held in Washington, DC, June 14-17, 2009. Lenius is the Local Arrangements Chair in DC for helping to plan the Centennial Celebration.*

*[http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story\\_id=1771](http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story_id=1771)*

*Posted July 7, 2008*

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*Impact of Google Scholar on Citation Analysis - Faculty News*

*SLIS faculty member [Kiduk Yang](#) gave an invited presentation, *Impact of Google Scholar on Citation Analysis*, at the Citation Tracking and Analysis session of [Special Libraries Association's Annual Conference](#), June 16, 2008 in Seattle, WA. The session was standing room only. It included two presentations from researchers and three from vendors (Web*

*of Science, Scopus, Eigenfactor).*

[http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story\\_id=1770](http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story_id=1770)

*Posted July 7, 2008*

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*Dean Cronin: New Editor-in-Chief, Journal of the American Society for Information Science and Technology - Faculty News*

*Blaise Cronin has been selected to be the new Editor-in-Chief of the Journal of the American Society for Information Science and Technology (JASIST), effective January 1, 2009, the 60th year of its publication. Dr. Cronin is Rudy Professor of Information Science and Dean of the School of Library and Information Science at Indiana University and has been Editor of ASIS&T's Annual Review of Information Science and Technology since 2001.*

[http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story\\_id=1769](http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story_id=1769)

*Posted June 19, 2008*

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### *Two African Studies Publications for Lindsey Badger - Student News*

*SLIS faculty member [Lokman Meho](#), sends news that Lindsey Badger (current MLS/MA student) has had two papers submitted for IU classes accepted for publication. The first paper was originally submitted for G732 - Bibliography of Sub-Saharan Africa. This paper entitled, "A Selective and Annotated Bibliography of English and French Language Sources on Cape Verdean Literature," has been accepted for publication in [Electronic Journal of African Bibliographies](#) (EJAB). EJAB is an online referred journal of bibliographies which is housed at the University of Iowa Libraries.*

[http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story\\_id=1768](http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story_id=1768)

*Posted June 19, 2008*

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*"Toward a Rhopography of Scholarly Communication" - Faculty News*

*In science and scholarship, discoveries and new ideas are rarely the work of one individual. All too often we focus on the big names and the major findings. As a result, many meaningful, sometimes essential, contributions to the advancement of science are overlooked. SLIS Dean [Blaise Cronin](#) will be a keynote speaker at the [USE-2008: From Information Provision to Knowledge Production](#) conference, University of Oulu in Finland on June 25, 2008, and his talk "Toward a Rhopography of Scholarly Communication" will explore the nature and significance of the mundane in the conduct of science.*

*[http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story\\_id=1767](http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story_id=1767)  
Posted June 19, 2008*

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*The Global Internet - Faculty News*

*Professor of Information Science, [Susan Herring](#), presented on "The Global Internet" as part of the Supersession: The Many Uses of the Internet: Approaches to Research in Communication and English Composition on May 24, 2008 at the 13<sup>th</sup> [Rhetorical Society of America \(RSA\) Conference](#). This biennial conference took place May 23-26 in Seattle, Washington and its focus was on the Responsibilities of Rhetoric.*

*[http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story\\_id=1766](http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story_id=1766)  
Posted June 19, 2008*

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*Slam Poetry and the Poetry Slam: A Research Guide - Student News*

*"I am pleased to announce that the winner of this year's Beta Phi Mu Chi Chapter Student Scholarship Award is Rebekah J. Wiesenhofer for her paper Slam Poetry and the Poetry Slam: A Research Guide, nominated by*

[Lokman Meho](#) for work done in his S501 Reference class.

[http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story\\_id=1765](http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story_id=1765)

Posted June 13, 2008

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### *Online Peace Movement Organizations - Faculty News*

*"The use of the Internet for civic engagement by the general public is becoming increasingly prevalent, yet research in this area is still sparse.*

*More studies are particularly needed in the area of cross-cultural comparisons of online social movements or online peace movement organizations (PMOs). While it is possible that PMOs in diverse cultures differ in their collective action frames, it is unclear whether PMOs use collective action frames and, if so, how differently they are used.*

[http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story\\_id=1764](http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story_id=1764)

*Posted June 12, 2008*

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*Keith C. Kuhn (December 17, 1950 - May 6, 2008) - Alumni News*

*SLIS Alumni Board President, Keith Kuhn died too young. He is greatly missed. He served on the SLIS Alumni Board for many years, and even established a scholarship to help students. This feature is inadequate to remember a special person, but he is remembered - and with fondness.*

[http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story\\_id=1763](http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story_id=1763)

*Posted June 3, 2008*

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*Folk Art Terminology Revisited - in Radical Cataloging - Alumni News*

*An essay by SLIS alumna Joan Benedetti (MA '66) on folk art and craft*

*terminology was included in Radical Cataloging, a book published in April 2008.*

*[http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story\\_id=1762](http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story_id=1762)  
Posted June 2, 2008*

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*MLS Student to Intern at New York Law Institute - Student News*

*In June 2008, MLS student Mikhail Koulikov will begin a collection development and reference internship at the New York Law Institute. Founded in 1830, it is a unique circulating law library that serves New York City's vast number of small law firms and individual attorneys who are not able to afford their own in-house libraries.*

*[http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story\\_id=1761](http://www.slis.indiana.edu/news/story.php?story_id=1761)  
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*Amy Griffin Contributes to ARLIS Midstates Newsletter - Student News*

*Recently SLIS student, Amy Griffin, received recognition from, Tony White, the head of the [Fine Arts Library](#) at Indiana University. Amy, who is also enrolled in the [Art Librarianship Specialization](#), has been quite involved with [Art Libraries Society of North America](#) (ARLIS/NA) this year. She attended the [ARLIS Midstates](#) meeting last fall and volunteered to work on the newsletter. She authored several essays entitled, "New Space Breathes New Life into the Art Library: An Interview with Rijn Templeton, University of Iowa" and "Collaboration Equals Materialization of the CBAA: Professional Association Established for Book Arts Educators." We congratulate Amy on her hard work for this professional organization.*

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*SLIS Student - Librarian at Brown County High School - Student News*

*Brian Galm, SLIS Indianapolis Student, was featured in the Herald Times newspaper "In School" section on April 29, 2008. The story is available at the [HeraldTimesOnline.com](http://HeraldTimesOnline.com) - and is reposted here with permission from the Herald Times editor. The >em>Herald Times story includes photos and extra details. [Brown County High School](#) is located in Nashville, Indiana.*

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Medical Library Association Conference - Chicago - Alumni News

SLIS held an Alumni Reception (Sunday, May 18, 2008) during the

[Medical Library Association \(MLA\)](#) Annual Conference in Chicago. It was held at Bella Bacino's restaurant on 75 East Wacker Drive. The Executive Director (ex officio) of the Medical Library Association Board of Directors was able to attend — SLIS graduate [Carla Funk](#) (MLS'73). Kris Alpi (MLS'96) who helped to begin SLIS receptions during the MLA conferences the past few years was also able to attend.

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Joanne Passet Wins Fulbright Scholarship to Vietnam - Alumni News

SLIS alumna Joanne E. Passet (MLS '80, Ph.D. '88) has been awarded a J. William Fulbright Foreign Scholarship Award for the 2008—2009 academic year. Passet is a Professor of History at the Indiana University East campus, and will also teach SLIS S580 History of Libraries during Summer II on the IUPUI campus.

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Art Librarianship Students Receive Awards - Student News

Five Master of Library Science students who focus in the area of art librarianship received awards this spring. These awards came from friends of SLIS who wanted to offer special encouragement and support to students studying art librarianship. Tony White (Head, IU Fine Arts Library) and B.J. Irvine (retired Head, IU Fine Arts Library) nominated students for these awards.

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