**Cheryl Middleton**

**Associate University Librarian Learning & Engagement**

**OSU Libraries & Press**

**Oregon State University**

**121 The Valley Library**

**Corvallis, OR 97330**

***A. Education and Employment Information***

**1. Education**

M.A. 1995 Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge, Louisiana

Master of Library and Information Science. Beta Phi Mu

B.S. 1993 Oregon State University, Corvallis, Oregon

Bachelor of General Science

Professional Development:

Harvard Leadership Institute, August 2011

**2. Academic and Professional Positions Held:**

9/12-presentOregon State University

Corvallis, Oregon 97330-4501

**Associate University Librarian for Learning & Engagement**

*Associate Professor*

Engage in overall library administration of OSU Libraries, including strategic planning, policy decision-making, organizational planning, project oversight, budget allocation, and personnel management. Contribute to long-range planning, program development and evaluation, resource development, budget formulation, and allocation of resources in support of the Libraries’ mission. Direct and provide vision, leadership, motivation, and supervision for the 50 faculty and staff in the Teaching and Engagement Department (TED), the Collections and Resource Sharing Department (CRSD), Library Experience & Access Department (LEAD) and Library Assessment. Develop evaluate, and assess library services and resources in these areas and advances the Libraries’ ongoing role in shaping and transforming the University’s teaching, learning, research, and outreach mission. Collaborate with other members of the OSU Libraries & Press administrative team to demonstrate to the University community the critical importance of libraries through the development of collaborative relationships on campus that further the libraries strategic plan. Support library faculty in the tenure process, including working with tenure-track faculty on their research, providing mentoring in the tenure process, and guiding faculty in their research activities

7/10 - 8/12 Oregon State University

Corvallis, Oregon 97330-4501

**Head of OSU Libraries Teaching & Engagement**

*Associate Professor*

Plan and manage strategic initiatives related to information literacy instruction and engagement activities that support the academic and research needs of OSU students, faculty and staff. Administer and manage the OSUL Learning Commons and reference/information services offered face-to-face and virtually to the OSU Community. Regularly assess and track the OSUL instruction program, learning commons services and student engagement services for continual improvement and alignment with OSU and OSUL strategic goals. Partner and work collaboratively with OSU Academic & Outreach programs that are engaged in creating information literate students. Serve as a member of the Library Management Team and engage in strategic planning, budget and operations management and policy develop for OSU Libraries. Manage, supervise and manage eight tenure track faculty and one professional faculty members.

7/06-6/10 Oregon State University

Corvallis, Oregon 97330-4501

**Head of Undergraduate Learning and Library Information Access**, *Associate Professor*

Administer and coordinate an undergraduate information literacy curriculum that supports the academic success of the undergraduate student body. In addition, oversee the OSU Libraries 2nd floor public service functions that include the reference and circulation desks, the information commons, the public printing and photocopy services. In addition, manage the OSU Libraries interlibrary loan department and library collection maintenance. Responsible for strategic planning, personnel management, budgeting, facilities management, user services, responding to library user suggestions/issues and technical support in the above areas.

Supervise one tenure track faculty (7/06-6/07) and six tenure track-faculty (7/07-6/08), three professional faculty and seventeen classified employees in the Library Tech 1 to Library Tech 3 range.

12/05-7/06 Oregon State University Libraries,

Corvallis, Oregon 97330-4501

**Interim Head of Undergraduate Learning and Library Information Access**, *Associate Professor*

Coordinate the reorganization of the OSU Libraries’ circulation, reference/information, library information commons, collection maintenance and document delivery/resource sharing into a seamless, user-centered system of services and resources designed to assist undergraduate students in becoming successful life-long learners. Administer and coordinate an undergraduate information literacy curriculum that supports the academic success of the undergraduate student body. Supervise one tenure-track Undergraduate Services Librarian, three professional faculty and seventeen classified employees in the Library Tech 1 - Library Tech 3 range.

5/02-11/05 Oregon State University Libraries

Corvallis, Oregon 97330-4501

**Assistant Head of Reference & Instruction/Life Sciences Librarian**, *Associate Professor*

Responsible for primary life sciences librarian duties including collection development reference/research services, general and subject specific library instruction and library liaison to academic departments in the subject areas of Pharmacy, Public Health, Exercise & Sport Sciences, Nutrition and Food Science & Technology. Coordinate the Reference Services Workgroup with a focus on service planning and library user input. Assess “Out of Library” Reference Services. Provide management and oversight of services from OSU Libraries Reference Desk to library patrons. Supervise the Instruction Coordinator, Reference Student Supervisor, the Reference, Instruction and Collections Office support staff, the part-time evening Information Commons Manager, and six to eight on-call Reference Librarians. Direct the delivery of user education programs in a variety of formats to undergraduate students, emphasizing basic research skills for first year students and information literacy including web-based tutorials. Participate in OSU Libraries’ outreach and instruction programs. Market and promoted reference and instruction services and resources.

9/98 - 4/02 Oregon State University Libraries,

Corvallis, Oregon 97330-4501

**Life Sciences Librarian**, *Assistant Professor*

9/95 - 9/98 Oregon State University Libraries

Corvallis Oregon 93770-4501

**Life Sciences Librarian/Library Instruction Coordinator** *(Instructor 9/95-7/96), Assistant Professor*

***C. Scholarship and Creative Activity***

**Refereed Publications/Print:**

Middleton, C. (2014) OSU Libraries Reference Services & Collections a not so cautionary tale

Taking the big leap: releasing reference collections and old reference models. Eds. Mary Evangeliste and Katherine Furlong, American Library Association.

Christie, A., Pollitz, J., Middleton, C. (2009) Management of Library Course Reserves and the Textbook Affordability Crisis.  Journal of Access Services, 6 (4) 459-484..

 Christie, A., Pollitz, J., Middleton, C. (2009) Student Strategies for Coping with the High Cost of Textbooks and the Role of Academic Library Course Reserves. Portal: Libraries and the Academy, 9 (4) 491-510.

Davidson, J., MiddletonC.(2006) Networking, networking, networking: the role of professional association memberships in mentoring and retention of science librarians. Science and Technology Libraries,, 27 (1/2) 203-222.

Vondracek, R., Middleton C. Oregon State University Libraries Information Commons” inField Guide to the Information Commons Eds. Charles Forrest and Martin Halbert, Scarecrow Press, 2006.

Middleton, C. (January 2002) Evolution of peer evaluation of library instruction at Oregon State University Libraries. Portal: Libraries and the Academy, 2(1), 69-78

Schindler, J. Middleton, C. (2001) Conducting public health research using the world wide web. International Electronic Journal of Health Education, 4, 308-317.

Banerjee, K., Middleton, C. (2001) Successful fast track implementation of a new library system. Technical Services Quarterly, 18(3), 21-33.

Webster, J., Middleton C. (1999) Paying for technology with student fees. Journal of

Academic Librarianship, 25(6), 462-472.

Cross, J., Middleton C. (1998) Connecting rural Oregon libraries to the internet; or Will it fit in my car? Public Libraries, 37(1), 58-61.

**2. Non-Refereed Publications:**

Middleton, C. (2011) OSU Summit on Library Research Skills for Successful High School Senior to College Transition. The Messenger 26(2) 15.

Middleton, C. (2010) From an Information Commons to a Learning Commons: Twelve Years of Change and Innovation at the OSU Valley Library. OLA Quarterly 16(2), 2012

Middleton, C. (1999) United we stand - divided we fail? Integrated service points at

MIT. In Racing toward tomorrow, part 2: more reports from ACRL's 9th National Conference. C&RL News. 60(7), 550.

Middleton, C. (1998) Construction demands innovation in orienting new students to The Valley Library. The Messenger, 13(1), 9.

**3. Juried Lectures/Presentations/Workshops:**

“What to Do with Reference Collections?” Cheryl Middleton and Paul Frantz. 2010 Acquisitions Institute at Timberline Lodge, Timberline, Oregon, May 15-18, 2010

“M-Web: An Experience in Collaborative Cataloging” Bonnie Parks, Terry Reese and Cheryl Middleton. Oregon Library Association Annual Conference, Corvallis, Oregon, April 23-25, 2003

“Common Ground or Quick Sand, Collaboration Instructional Improvement”

Tammy Barr, Jeanne Davidson and Cheryl Middleton, “Choosing our Futures,” ACRL 8th National Conference, Nashville, Tennessee, April 11-14, 1997

“Exploring Gerontology Resources on the World Wide Web” Jean Caspers and Cheryl

Middleton, “Probabilities and Possibilities: Enhancing Quality of life Special Track for

Clinical Practitioners,” OSU 22nd Annual Gerontology Conference, Corvallis, Oregon,

April 14-15, 1998

“Research in the “Virtual” Library” Bonnie Avery and Cheryl Middleton, OSU Extension/Information Services Regional Training. COCC Computer Lab, Warm Springs, Oregon, September 3-5, 1997.

“Library Catalogs on the Internet” Cheryl Middleton, “Internet Boot Camp” Oregon State University, Corvallis, Oregon, March 19, 1996

**5. Juried Poster Sessions:**

"Successful Fast Track Implementation of a New Library System" Kyle Banerjee and Cheryl Middleton, Poster Session, ALA Annual, New Orleans, Louisiana, June 1999.

"Taking your show on the Road" Cheryl Middleton, Poster Session, ACRL 9th National Conference, Detroit, Michigan, April 8 - 14, 1999.

**6. Conferences/Programs:**

“Librarians Partnering for Student Learning: Leadership, Practice & Culture”   
University of Nevada, Las Vegas, Las Vegas, Nevada, November 13-15, 2013

Committee Chair, Conference Planning

"Managing Educational Services,” Oregon State University, Corvallis, Oregon, May

7, 1999. Local arrangements coordinator and fund-raiser.

“Managing Part-time & Student Employees: A workshop for supervisors”, The Valley Link Continuing Education Committee, Willamette University, Salem, Oregon, June 15, 1998. Committee member and discussion facilitator.

“Soaring to Excellence Teleconference: The Internet”, The Valley Link Continuing Education Committee, Chemeketa Community College, Salem, Oregon, January 16, 1998. Committee member and discussion facilitator.

“The Systematic Information Retrieval/Organization Model (SIRO)”, The Valley Link Continuing Education Committee, Oregon State University, Corvallis, Oregon, June 11, 1997. Organizer.

“Soaring to Excellence Teleconference: You and the Internet”, The Valley Link Continuing Education Committee, Salem Public Library, Salem, Oregon, February 14, 1997. Committee member and discussion facilitator.

“Internet Boot Camp II” William Jasper Kerr Library, Oregon State University, September 16 - 17, 1996. Implementation committee member.

“Soaring to Excellence Teleconference: Support Staff: Invisible People”, The Valley Link Continuing Education Committee, Salem Public Library, Salem, Oregon, May 3, 1996. Committee member and discussion Facilitator.

“Censorship and the Internet” The Valley Link Continuing Education Committee, Willamette University, Salem, Oregon, April 19, 1996. Committee member.

***D.*** ***Service***

1. **Library**
   1. **Search Committees**

Associate University Librarian for Research and Scholarly Communication, chair 2015

Associate University Librarian for Research and Scholarly Communication search committee, member 2012

Head of Library Circulations Search Committee, chair 2011-

Head of Emerging Technology Services Search Committee, member 2008

Head of Library Technology Search Committee, member 2007Library Administration OS Search Committee, member 2007

* 1. **OSU Libraries Promotion & Tenure Committee**

Senior Review Panel 2012 (elected)

Member 2008/2012

Chair 2005/2006 (elected)

Member 2003/2004 (elected)

* 1. **Library Faculty Association**

President 2012/2013

Coordinator, LFA Seminars, 2001/2002

Coordinator of the Research and Writing Group, 1998/99

* 1. **Other Library Services**

Library Faculty Mentor 2007, 2012-

Valley Library Reorganization Committee, member 2008

Information Services Faculty Senator, 2000/2003

Valley Library Staff Association, OSU Libraries, Chair, 1996-1998

Information Services Instruction and Training Team, Coordinator, 1997.

Online Public Access Catalog Sub-Committee of Library Administration, Management and Planning Committee, OSU Libraries, 1995-1997

The Innovative Interfaces Online Catalog Implementation Committee, 1998

The Electronic Resources Task Force, OSU Libraries, 1997-1998

Information Services Salary Equity Study Committee, Chair, 1996

1. **University**

OSU Faculty Senate – Senator 2015-present

Vice Provost and Dean, Undergraduate Studies Search Committee, committee member 2015-present

OSU Faculty Senate Faculty Senate Committee, member 2012/2013, co-chair 2014/2015, Chair - present

Oregon State University Council on Student Engagement and Experience sub-committee assessment of academic support services, member 2012-2013

Oregon State University Instructional Technology Governance Committee, member 2010- 2015

IT Governance committee liaison to the Teaching and Learning Expectations Taskforce 2012 -2014

OSU Student Affairs, Student Conduct Committee, member 2008 – 2012

OSU Faculty Senate Faculty Status Committee, member 2009/2010, chair 2010/2011

OSU Faculty Senate Baccalaureate Core Committee, member 2005-2007, co-chair 2007/2008

OSU Classroom Renovation Committee, member 2006

OSU Faculty SenateUndergraduate Admissions Committee, member 2004-2006

OSU Shared ILS Orbis Cascade Alliance Migration Committee, Chair, July 2015-present

OSU Community Network Advisory, member, 2004 – 2005

Faculty Instructor, OSU Odyssey (First-year student experience), fall 1999-Fall 2000.

OSU New Student Planning Committee (SOAP), 1996

OSU New Student Orientation Programs, 1997

**3. Profession**

American Library Association, member 1992 – present

Virtual Meeting Taskforce, member 2003-2005

ALA President Camila Alire’s Presidential Initiative “Libraries:  The Heart of All Communities” Initiative Reactor Advisory Group, member 2008-2010

Association of College & Research Libraries

University Libraries Section

Organization and Bylaws Committee, University Libraries Section, member 1997- 2000; Committee Chair 2000-2003

Executive Committee, University Libraries Section, member-at-large 2003-2005.

Nominating Committee, University Libraries Section, member 2002/03, 2005/06

2005 Program Committee, University Libraries Section, member 2004/05

Executive Committee, University Libraries Section, vice/chair elect 2006/07

Executive Committee, University Library Section, chair 2007/2008

Executive Committee, University Library Section, past-chair 2008/2009

Nominating Committee, University Library Section, chair 2008/2009

ACRL Leadership and Nominations Committee, member 2009/2011

ACRL Research Program Committee, member 2010/2011, vice-chair elect 2011/2012

ACRL ULS Academic Outreach Committee, member 2011/2012, co-chair 2012/

ACRL Research Planning and Review Committee, vice/chair elect 2012/2013, Chair 2013/2014

ACRL 2017 Panels Committee

Greater Western Library Alliance

GWLA Libraries Impact on Student Learning Task Force Charge, Chair 2011-2014

Oregon Library Association, 1996-2004

Oregon Library Association, 2003 Conference Committee, Local Arrangements, Chair 2002/03

OLA/WLA Conference Program Committee member, August 2001, August 2002

ACRL-Oregon Member-at-Large, 2000-2003

Valley Link Continuing Education Committee, member 1996-1998, Committee Chair 1998/99