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Education:

Degree	Awarding Institution	Year
Doctor of Education	Northern Illinois University	1993
Master of Library Science	Northern Illinois University	1992
Master of Arts	Beijing University of Foreign Studies	1986
Bachelor of Arts	Xi'an Foreign Languages University	1982

Certificate

Eurasian Studies	Harvard University	2002
Translation	United Nations	1986

Academic Appointments:

	Institution	Year
Interim Dean, Library	Humboldt State University	2007 -
Dean, Humboldt College	Xi'an International Studies Univ. /HSU	2006-07
Chair, Information Services	Library, Humboldt State University	2003-06
Director, World Languages	Humboldt State University	2001-
Documents Librarian	Humboldt State University	1996-03
Head, Documents Department	Binghamton University	1994-96
Documents Librarian	Northwestern University	1992-94
Translator	United Nations	1986-88

Other Relevant Experience:

President, Executive Committee IV Von Humboldt International Conference		2006
Chair, Student Affairs		

Executive Committee, Academic Senate	2001-03
Member, Search Committee for Vice President, Advancement	2005
Member, Search Committee for Vice President, Academic Affairs	2003

Professional Experience and Selected Achievements:

Budget, Strategic Planning and Assessment

- Since May 2007 have planned and managed HSU library’s annual budget of \$3.6 million for two years and am planning for year three.
- Led the Library in two annual strategic planning cycles with goals to promote Learning Commons, Information Competency and Institutional Repository.
- Led the Library in academic support prioritization process. Served on the steering committee to plan out the campus academic support prioritization with emphasis on service assessment.
- Actively participated in academic program prioritization and student learning outcome assessments.

Administrative Leadership

- Successfully made the case to include the Library Dean as a member on the President’s Executive Committee, the university’s highest decision making body.
- Successfully run the Library with a staff of 44 represented by three unions by creating a supportive working environment.
- Successfully led the campus wide Learning Commons efforts so that all campus academic support units work under one roof to provide a one stop student learning center.
- Successfully led the Book of the Year events which included a community college and is now very much part of freshmen’s campus and academic experience.
- Successfully organized two international conferences.
- Successfully established the policy and procedure on behalf of the president for university wide records retention and disposition.

- Successfully co-chaired and now chair the CSU wide Electronic Access to Information Resources (EAR) Committee, which leads the CSU system in resources sharing as information consortia.

Grants

- Awarded a Title VI Grant from the U.S. Department of Education, a first for HSU, to develop an academic program in 2004, which for the first time included a book budget and a book processing budget, setting a precedent for future grants on campus to support the Library.
- Awarded CSU Information Competence Grants for my subject areas, History and Geography, in collaboration with the Departments of History and Geography 2002.
- Awarded Research Grant from National Endowment for Humanities 2002.

Fundraising

- Revitalized the *Friends of the Library circle* by mounting various fundraising efforts, which made the Library rank as number one and number two in the last two years among all campus units engaged in fundraising.
- Raised partial funding for the Learning Commons project.
- Managed to support a professional journal through fundraising.

Library Construction/Renovation Projects

- Organized the installation of a 45-station state-of- the-art computer lab.
- Oversaw construction of an Internet Café and renovation of 12,000 square feet of space for the Learning Commons.
- Established the Library's printer network system in collaboration with HSU's University Center and Fiscal Affairs Unit.

Research and Scholarship Activities:

Editor-in-Chief, *Today Literary Journal* (Web Edition). As Editor-in-Chief for its online edition, I am in charge of policy, overall design and selection of lead articles for the weekly updates and sit on the editorial board for the print quarterly, which is based in Iowa. Other advising board members include Gary Snyder, John Updike, and Russell Banks. The late Allen Ginsberg also was a board member. 2004 --present

Becoming American – the Chinese Experience (PBS/ KEET Documentary) – I was the only Chinese American from the north coast featured in this documentary on the “Humboldt Experience.” February, 2003

Columnist *Global Times*. Wrote monthly column On Americanism (65 articles). 2003 – 2008

Columnist *Phoenix Weekly*. Wrote column Letters from San Francisco (17 articles) 2002.

Selected Publications:

Wang, Rui and Yulin Yang. 2004. “China’s Roosevelt Library” in *Lost Libraries: the Destruction of Great Book Collections Since Antiquity*, ed. James Raven, 203-213. New York: Palgrave Macmillan.

Wang, Rui. 2002. Government information of the People's Republic of China on the Internet. *Journal of Government Information*, 29: 31-37.

Wang, Rui and Ye Shuyi. Psychological manifestations in computer-assisted Chinese teaching.” Proceedings of the 2nd International Conference on New Technologies in Teaching and Learning Chinese, December 14, 2000, Guilin, China.

Wang, Rui. 1999. “Chinese language online journals in North America.” *Serials Librarian*, 4, No. 1.

Wang, Rui. 1998. “Traveling uncharted waters: “Exchange of government information between the United States and China.” *Journal of Government Information*. 25: 1-6.

Wang, Rui and W. Studwell. 1994. “A bibliographic guide to Chinese serials in library and information science.” *The Serials Librarian*. 25 (1/2): 221-226

Studwell, William, H. Wu and **Rui Wang**. 1994. “Ideological influence on Chinese cataloging schemes.” *Cataloging and Classification Quarterly*. 19 (Number 1): 61-73.

Studwell, William, **Rui Wang** and H. Wu. 1993. “A tale of two decades: controversy over the transliteration schemes of Chinese in American cataloging practice.” *Cataloging and Classification Quarterly*. 18 (Number 1): 33-41.

Community:

President, Humboldt Asian Society

1997 - present

Director, Board of Directors, Eureka Chamber Music Series 1999 - present

Association:

Member, Council of Library Directors, CSU 2007 - present

Co-Chair and Chair, the Electronic Access to
Information Resources (EAR) Committee 2008 -present

Member, American Library Association 1990 - present
Documents Round Table
ACRL

Member, Editorial Board, Today Literary Association 1990 – present