

# Gregory K. Raschke

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## EXPERIENCE

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North Carolina State University, NCSU Libraries. July 2002 - present

*Senior Vice Provost & Director of Libraries.* October 2017 – present.

Responsible for the leadership and administration of the NCSU Libraries, comprising two main libraries and three branches. Lead the Libraries in achieving its mission to enhance the research, teaching, and learning of NC State's faculty, staff, and students. Lead the continued growth of the NCSU Libraries as an exceptional environment for experiential learning, discovery, research, innovation, and entrepreneurship.

### Selected Accomplishments:

- Lead the Libraries in a \$15 million+ renovation of the D.H. Hill Library, including collaborative partnerships to provide space for multiple student success services, as well as data and visualization services for the entire campus community.
- Collaborate on a successful digital scholarship and visualization grant from the Andrew W. Mellon Foundation and a data commons and technology grant from the Fidelity Foundation.
- Develop partnerships with the Office of Information Technology, Office of Research, and Colleges to provide services, workshops, and technologies that enhance the research enterprise and research productivity.
- Created a new department, Data & Visualization Services, to leverage emerging opportunities to enhance teaching, learning, and research.
- With the development team, lead the Libraries fundraising efforts, resulting in a second consecutive year with over \$3 million raised, well above the Libraries' five-year average.
- Represent the Libraries on collaborative regional and national efforts including the HathiTrust, Triangle Research Libraries Network, and Association of Research Libraries.
- Through creative budget management and consistent strategic focus, collaborated with Associate Directors to enhance several of the Libraries learning, research, and technology spaces in the D.H. Hill Library and Hunt Library.

*Associate Director for Collections & Scholarly Communication.* November 2004 – October 2017. Provided leadership and comprehensive management for all aspects of the Libraries' collection management, special collections, and scholarly communication operations. Managed a division including 18 librarians and 15 technical and support staff with collections expenditures of over ten million dollars. Led programs to support and partner with faculty across the research enterprise. Administered the Friends of the Library annual giving programs, oversaw program planning and events, and participated in library fundraising strategy and activities. Served on the Libraries' senior administrative team.

### Selected Accomplishments:

- Provided leadership for broad collection management and scholarly communication initiatives, including a \$11 million+ collections budget.
- Led services for and collaborations with faculty across the research enterprise including emerging areas such as visualization, data curation, collaboration networks, and computational analysis.
- Led a comprehensive data analytics program to facilitate management of the collection, gain efficiency, and optimally align collections with user needs.
- Led the Libraries' participation in consortial collection building, particularly through the Triangle Research Libraries Network (TRLN), HathiTrust, and Center for Research Libraries.
- Oversaw the expansion of the Special Collections Research Center, including renovated staff and public spaces, improved processing and description efficiency, and growing digital collections and grant initiatives.
- Co-developed an alternative textbook program that has engaged faculty across the curriculum and saved students several hundred thousand dollars.
- Served on the leadership team to envision, plan, and implement the new James B. Hunt Jr. Library ([www.lib.ncsu.edu/huntlibrary/](http://www.lib.ncsu.edu/huntlibrary/)) – a building that is helping to redefine research library spaces and partnerships in this century. Led major donor events in support of a \$10 million fundraising campaign to build and endow new learning spaces.

*Associate Head of Collection Management.* July 2002 - October 2004. Helped oversee an eight million dollar collections budget and directly supervised budgetary expenditures in all areas of science, engineering, and technology. Provided leadership for a department of 9 librarians and 2 staff while directly supervising 3 librarians and 1 staff member. Maintained active relations with faculty and graduate students and shared responsibility for articulating the collection development vision of the Libraries through written and oral presentations.

Selected Accomplishments:

- Led development of the Libraries collections analytics program.
- Led a complete revision of the NCSU Libraries' approval plan.
- Negotiated electronic resource licenses for the NCSU Libraries and the Triangle Research Libraries Network consortium.
- Served as a lead representative in negotiating and analyzing bundled journal offerings from major commercial publishers, coordinating communication and outreach efforts to faculty, administrators, and students.

**University of Kansas.** *Head of the Spahr Engineering Library.* January 2001 – June 2002. Managed all operations of the Engineering Library and supervised 2 FTE support staff and 15 student assistants.

**Georgia Institute of Technology.** *Head of Technical Resources & Information Consultant.* 1998 – 2001. Provided leadership for a department of 2 librarians and 4 library assistants responsible for specialized information delivery in a large academic research community. Served as Information Consultant for computer science, electrical engineering, and industrial engineering.

**University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign.** *Graduate Assistant, Grainger Engineering Library Information Center.* 1996 – 1998.

## PUBLICATIONS & PRESENTATIONS

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### **Journal Articles, Book Chapters, & Magazine Articles:**

Alpi K, Cross W, Raschke G, Sullivan M. The NCSU Libraries' Alt-Textbook Project: Open Education That Opens a Door to the Library (pgs 69-89). In: *Affordable Course Materials: Electronic Textbooks and Open Educational Resources*. Chicago: American Library Association, 2017. <https://repository.lib.ncsu.edu/handle/1840.20/34569>.

“Data Informed and Community Driven: Using Data and Feedback Loops to Manage a Journal Review and Cancellation Project,” *Against the Grain*. April 2017: 12-15, 20, with Hilary Davis.

“Water on a Hot Skillet: Textbooks, Open Educational Resources, and the Role of the Library,” *The No Shelf Required Guide to E-Book Purchasing* from *Library Technology Reports*. 2012, American Library Association.

“The NCSU Libraries' Entomological Archive,” *Celebrating Research: Rare Collections from the Membership of the Association of Research Libraries*. Association of Research Libraries, 182-183, 292. October 2007.

“Making the Connections: An E-Matrix for Managing Resources in the Dis-integrated Library System,” *Currents and Convergence: Navigating the Rivers of Change. Proceedings of the Twelfth National Conference of the Association of College and Research Libraries*. Minneapolis, Minnesota, April 7-10, 2005: 217-222, with David Goldsmith.

“Electronic Resource Management: Clarity in the Mist,” *netconnect* a supplement to *Library Journal* Summer 2004: 4-8, with Suzanne Weiner.

“Opportunity Knocks: The Demand for Minority Science and Technology Librarians,” *Winds of Change* 18 #4 (Autumn 2003): 12-15, with Karen Letarte.

“Hiring Practices in Academic Libraries: Problems and Solutions,” *portal: Libraries and the Academy* 3 #1 (January 2003): 53-67.

"Engineering Communications," *Introduction to Engineering* New York: John Wiley & Sons, 2002.

"Information Consulting: The Key to Success in Academic Libraries," with others. *Journal of Academic Librarianship* 27 #2 (March 2001): 90-96.

"The Changing Nature of Reference and Information Services: Predictions and Realities," with others. *Reference & User Services Quarterly* 39 (Winter 1999): 151-157.

- Winner of the 2001 Reference Press Service Award from the American Library Association.

### **Selected Presentations:**

“Experiential Libraries: The Transformed Library’s Impact on Teaching & Learning,” *JISC and CNI Leaders Conference*. Oxford University, Oxford, England. July 2, 2018.

“Library Usage as a Map for Targeting OER Advocacy,” *Open Ed16*. November 2, 2016. With Will Cross and others.  
<http://www.slideshare.net/GregRaschke/library-usage-as-a-map-for-targeting-open-educational-resource-advocacy?smtNoRedir=1>.

“Preparing Research Librarians for Transformed Libraries: Creating a Community of Practice,” *Designing Libraries IV Conference*. NCSU Libraries, NC State University. September 20, 2015.

“Preparing for New Roles and Transformed Libraries: Models and Implementation,” *Coalition for Networked Information Fall Meeting*. Washington, DC. December 14, 2015.

“Digital Scholarship Spaces: Building Communities & Enabling Collaboration,” *Coalition for Networked Information Fall Meeting*. With Mike Nutt. Washington, DC. December 15, 2015.

“Libraries Leading the Way on the Textbook Problem,” *2014 Charleston Conference*, November 6, 2014.

“Moneyball, the Extra 2%, and What Baseball Management Can Teach Us About Fostering Innovation in Managing Collections,” *Association of Research Libraries Fall Forum*, October 14, 2011.

“Newspapers, Fantasy Football, and the Future of Library Collections,” keynote presentation at the Virginia Tech Library *Annual Research Forum*, May 23, 2011.

“Clay Shirkey, Fantasy Football, and Using Data to Glean the Future of Library Collections,” *XXX Charleston Annual Conference*. Invited pre-conference address. November 3, 2010.  
<http://www.slideshare.net/gkraschk/charleston-collections-presentation-radically-different-future-of-collection>.

“Textbooks, Open Educational Resources, and the Role of the Library,” *XXX Charleston Annual Conference*. November 4, 2010.  
<http://www.slideshare.net/gkraschk/open-textbook-modelslibrary>.

“Managing the Downturn with Data,” *American Library Association Annual Conference*. July 12, 2010.

“Keeping the Best in Challenging Economic Times,” *American Library Association Annual Conference*. July 12, 2009.

“E-Books at NC State,” *American Library Association Annual Conference*. June 30, 2008.

“Expanding the E-Book Buying Experience,” *Charleston Conference*. November 6, 2008.

“Library Collections of the Future,” *LAUN-CH Conference*. March 13, 2006.

“Who Moved My E-Journal?: Electronic Resources and Organizational Change,” *Electronic Resources & Libraries Conference*. March 24, 2006.

“Making the Connections: An E-Matrix for Managing Resources in the Dis-integrated Library System,” presented with David Goldsmith at the ACRL 12<sup>th</sup> National Conference in Minneapolis, Minnesota, April 7-10, 2005.

“Collection Development or Information Access: Science and Engineering Collections Over the Next Decade,” *American Society for Engineering Education 2003 Annual Conference*. Nashville, TN: 2003.

## MEMBERSHIP AND ACTIVITIES

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### American Library Association

- ALCTS/LITA Electronic Resource Management Interest Group Chair, 2005 – 2007
- ALCTS Member at Large, 2008 - 2010

### Academic Preservation Trust

- Board of Directors, 2013 – present

### Association of Research Libraries

- Working Group on Research Communication and Collections, July 2018 – present

### American Society for Engineering Education; Engineering Libraries Division

- Director and Executive Committee Member, elected 2002-2004

### Center for Research Libraries

- Center for Research Libraries Executive Director Search Committee, Member
- Search Committee for the President, June 2018 - present
- Collections and Services Policy Committee, 2014 - 2018

### HathiTrust

- Program Steering Committee, 2015 – present

### NC LIVE

- Librarian’s Council, 2017 – present
- Resource Advisory Committee Chair, 2014 – 2017

### Scholarly Communication Institute

- Advisory Board, 2014 – present

### Triangle Research Libraries Network (TRLN)

- Executive Committee, 2017 – present
- Collections Council Chair, 2014 – 2017
- Executive Director Search, Chair, 2015

*University of Illinois Graduate School of Library & Information Science*

- Alumni Association Award Committee.

## TEACHING

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Instructor and guest lecturer for multiple sections of INLS 513, *Resource Selection and Evaluation*, School of Information and Library Science, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, 2008 – 2009.

Instructor for the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign Graduate School of Library and Information Science LEEP distance education program. Various courses from 2003 – 2005.

## CONTINUING EDUCATION

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Co-Founder, *Data Science and Visualization Institute for Librarians*,  
<https://www.lib.ncsu.edu/datavizinstitute>.

*Association of Research Libraries Research Library Leadership Fellow*, 2009-2010.

*Library Management Skills Institute I: The Manager*. Association of Research Libraries (Chicago, IL): 2000.

*Library Management Skills Institute II*. Association of Research Libraries (Durham, NC): 2002.

## GRANTS (PI or CO-PI)

“Visualizing Digital Scholarship in Libraries and Learning Spaces,” *Mellon Foundation*. \$414,000. 2016 – 2020.

## UNIVERSITY SERVICE

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2018-19 Alumni Distinguished Undergraduate Professor (Adup) Award Administrative Advisory Committee

## EDUCATION

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Master of Science in Library and Information Science University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign	1998
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Bachelor of Arts in History and Political Science University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign	1996
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