

# Jean Gudenas MLIS AHIP

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Leads a team of dedicated workers to deliver information across the Medical University of South Carolina campus, whether through the negotiation and acquisition of resources, direct access to subscriptions, or services such as Interlibrary Loan that obtains content from unsubscribed material.

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## Overview of Skills

- Over 10 years of experience working in academic health sciences libraries, including 6 years of experience in collection development management
- Knowledgeable about the trends in resource licensing, negotiation, and implementation
- Excellent communication and relationships with constituents on and off campus
- Fiscal approach to finding opportunities through assessment and data
- Record of continued education and professional development activities

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## Experience

JUNE 2017 – PRESENT

### **Director of Information Resources and Collection Services / Medical University of South Carolina**

- Provides strategic collection development policies and practices that reflect and align with the overall vision of the library and university
- Provides a clear collection assessment and development plans
- Oversees all aspects of collection development, including the research, negotiation, licensing, acquisition, and implementation of resources
- Foster relationships, actively collaborate, and communicate information about resources with the campus community
- Lead a staff of 3 full-time employees and 1 part-time employee

2010 – 2017

### **Head of Collections Management / Loyola University of Chicago Health Sciences Library**

- Negotiate costs and license agreements through both direct vendor communication and utilized shared purchasing with Loyola University of Chicago
- Accountable for management of all electronic resources including the implementation, maintenance, and removal
- Prepare and monitor the collections budget and track expenditures throughout the fiscal year

- Manage and train the Collections department, including the training of the Metadata and Digital Services Librarian

2007 – 2017

## **Research Services Librarian & Instructor / Loyola University of Chicago Health Sciences Library**

- Formally and informally instructed patrons on how to effectively apply search strategies to retrieve most relevant results
- Collaborated with clinical and academic departments to learn needed resources and provide support with training of resources
- Coordinated, developed, and taught Loyola University faculty, staff, and students through the casual learning program

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## **Education**

FEBRUARY 2018

### **Distinguished Member of The Academy of Health Information Professionals / Medical Library Association**

JUNE 2007

### **Masters of Library and Informational Sciences / University of Illinois-Champaign Urbana, Illinois**

Thesis: Valuing Information through Knowledge

JUNE 2003

### **Bachelor of Arts in Philosophy and English/ Augustana University, Illinois**

Minor in writing

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## **Professional Activities**

### Conferences & Classes/CE (MUSC)

- Harvard Leadership Institute for Academic Librarians: Cambridge, MA 2017
- South Carolina Conference on Innovations in Teaching and Learning in Higher Education: Charleston, SC 2017
- OCLC Worldshare Management Services Global Community + User Group Meeting: Dublin, OH 2017
- Southern Chapter of the Medical Library Association: Knoxville, TN 2017
- Cool Creative Communications: Dazzling Data Visualization course: 3CE 2017
- Charleston Conference: Charleston, SC 2017
- 8 Tips for Using Metrics in Research Evaluation webinar: 1.5CE 2017
- Visualize Your Data: Tableau for Health Sciences Librarians webinar: 1.5CE 2017
- Go Red! REDCap for Library Data Services and Data Collection: 1.5CE 2017
- Librarians, Get What You Want! Lessons in Influence from the Business World 1.5CE 2018

- Teaching with Technology: Tips, Techniques and Tools 4CE 2018
- Electronic Resources in Libraries Virtual Conference 2018
- ACRL Roadshow: Scholarly Communication: From Understanding to Engagement. Greensboro, NC 2018
- Resume reviewer at the Medical Library Association Annual Conference: Atlanta, GA 2018
- Bibliometrics and Scientometrics for Research Evaluation: Chicago, IL 2018
- Transforming Research Conference: Providence, RI 2018
- Southern Chapter of the Medical Library Association: Orlando, FL 2018
- Charleston Conference: Charleston, SC 2018
- JMLA Peer Reviewer 2019
- Scopus Certification 2019
- Electronic Resources in Libraries Virtual Conference 2019
- Research Data Management – In Your Future? ACRL 2019
- Diversity & Social Justice: A Starting Place: NNLM 2019
- Diversifying your Collection, Engaging All Users: SCLA 2019
- What’s in a Data Story? Understanding the Basics of Data Story Telling: NNLM 2019
- “Seeing” your Search: Visualization Techniques for Exploring PubMed: NNLM 2019
- Being a Better Ally to All: NNLM 2019
- Southern Chapter of the Medical Library Association: Savannah, GA 2019
- Charleston Conference: Charleston, SC 2019
- Inclusive Managers Toolkit: DeEtta Jones and Associates 2020
- Well-Being and Morale!: DeEtta Jones and Associates 2020
- Leadership in the Time of Coronavirus: DeEtta Jones and Associates 2020
- Fundamentals of Digital Accessibility 2020
- JMLA Peer Reviewer 2020
- Medical Library Association Annual Conference: Virtual 2020
- Leading Decision-Making Meetings: 1.5CE MLA 2020
- Managing Conflict in Decision-Making Meetings: 1.5CE MLA 2020
- Charleston Conference: Virtual 2020
- Copyright Basics for Academia 2021
- Management and Leadership and their Roles for an Inclusive Organization: SCLA 2021
- A Deeper Look at Your Organization, Change, and Culture: SCLA 2021
- Medical Library Association Annual Conference: Virtual 2021

### **Publications & Presentations (MUSC)**

1. Gudenas, J. Prelude to a Health Sciences Library Assessment: Introducing the Woodward Model; Presentation at the Charleston Conference, Charleston SC 2017
2. Gudenas, J. Health Sciences Lively Lunch: Moderator at Charleston Conference, Charleston SC, 2017
3. Gudenas, J. “Weight and See:” Conducting a Collection Assessment and How to Plan for the Future; Presentation at the Carolina Conference, Greensboro, NC 2018
4. Gudenas, J., Burgess, K., et al. Anticipating Disaster: Do our Vendors Meet Web Content Accessibility Guidelines; Poster Presentation at the Southern Chapter Medical Librarian Association Conference, Orlando, FL 2018
5. Gudenas, J. Health Sciences Lively Lunch: Moderator at Charleston Conference, Charleston SC, 2018

6. Gudenas, J. Squirle: One Month to Renegotiate License Agreements and Pricing to Include New Hospital Acquisitions; Presentation at the Southern Chapter Medical Librarian Association Conference, Savannah, GA 2019
7. Gudenas, J., et al. "Down the Rabbit Hole We Go Again," the 19<sup>th</sup> Health Sciences Lively Lunchtime; Invited Panel Discussion at Charleston Conference, Charleston, SC 2019
8. Gudenas, J., et al. "Collection Management in the Age of Hospital Mergers," Medical Library Association 2020; Invited Panelist
9. Gudenas, J., et al. "Where Have We Been and Where Are We Going?" the 20<sup>th</sup> Health Sciences Lively Lunchtime; Invited Panel Discussion at Charleston Conference, Charleston, SC 2020
10. Gudenas, J. "Collection Development and Opportunities During a Pandemic," *Doody's Collection Development Monthly*. 2020:10. <http://dcdm.doody.com/2020/10/collection-development-and-opportunities-during-a-pandemic/>

### **Committees & Activities (MUSC)**

- Chair-Elect for PASCAL SLSP Steering Committee: 2017-2021
- Chair-Elect for PASCAL Consortia Purchasing Committee: 2017-2018
- PASCAL: 2017-Present
- DLSI/Academic Affairs Faculty Senator: 2017-2020
- DLSI/Academic Affairs Faculty Unit Representative: 2017-2018
- MUSC Faculty Senate Communication Committee: 2017-2020
- Medical Library Association: 2017-Present
- Medical Library Association Collections Committee member: 2017-Present
- Southern Chapter of the Medical Library Association: 2018-Present
- Chair for PASCAL SLSP Search Committee: 2018-2019
- Doody's Core Reviewer: 2019-Present
- Editor-in-Chief of the International Journal of Innovative Teaching and Learning in Higher Education: 2018-2020
- Chair for PASCAL Consortia Purchasing Committee: 2019-2020
- PASCAL Train-The-Trainer Committee: 2019-Present
- Academic Promotion and Tenure Committee: 2020-Present
- Co-Chair for the SC Elsevier Negotiation Group: 2021-Present
- Carolina Consortia Advisory Committee: 2021-Present
- Chair for PASCAL SLSP Steering Committee: 2021-Present
- Interim DOCLINE Director and Coordinator for the Region 2 Medical Libraries: 2021-Present

### **Awards (MUSC)**

- SCMLA Research Prize Winner: Poster Presentation – 2<sup>nd</sup> Place: 2018

### **Publications & Presentations (LUC)**

1. Hendler GY, Gudenas J. Developing collections with Get It Now: A pilot project for a hybrid collection. *Medical Reference Services Quarterly*. 2016;35(4):363.  
<http://www.tandfonline.com/doi/abs/10.1080/02763869.2016.1220751>. doi: 10.1080/02763869.2016.1220751.
2. Gudenas J. Health Sciences Lively Lunch: Presenter & Moderator. *Presenting Ownership vs Access*. Charleston Conference, Charleston SC, 2015
3. Gudenas J, Hendler G, Sadlik J. Expanding Limits with Get It Now; Poster Presentation at Charleston Conference, Charleston SC, 2015.
4. Gudenas J, Hendler G, Sadlik J. Expanding Limits with Get It Now; Poster Presentation at Medical Library Association, Austin TX, 2015.
5. Gudenas J. Health sciences reference managers on mobile devices. *MLANews*. 2014;54(4).
6. Gudenas J. Hilarious Chicago. *MLANews*. 2014;54(1).
7. GUDENAS J. The variety of e-book platforms for textbooks on mobile devices. *Journal of Electronic Resources in Medical Libraries*. 2013;10(4):206-214. doi: 10.1080/15424065.2013.847640.
8. Gudenas J, Brooks M. Seasonal affective disorder. *Journal of Consumer Health on the Internet*. 2013;17(2).
9. Gudenas J. Comparison and analysis of eBook platforms on mobile devices; Poster Presentation at Midwest Chapter MLA, East Peoria IL, 2013.
10. Gudenas J. Comparison and analysis of eBook platforms on mobile devices; Poster Presentation at Charleston Conference, Charleston SC, 2013.
11. Gudenas J. Presenting with a mobile device. *MLANews*. 2012;52(10):27.
12. Gudenas J. Ovid MD review. *Journal of the Medical Library Association*. 2012;100(3):232.

### **Committees & Activities (LUC)**

- University Rank & Promotion Committee Chair: 2013-2014
- Chair of the Communications Committee for the Midwest Chapter of the Medical Library Association: 2010-2011
- MLANews Technology Column Editor: 2014-2017
- TRIP (<http://www.tripdatabase.com>) Advisory Board: 2013-2017
- University Libraries Alma/Primo Subcommittee: 2015-2017
- University Libraries Collections, Liaisons, Instruction, and Reference Committee (CLIR): 2012-2016
- University Copyright Committee: 2012-2015
- University Copyright Website Subcommittee Co-Chair: 2013-2015
- University Rank & Promotion Committee: 2011-2014

- Medical Librarian Association Collection Development Committee: 2011-2017
- Collection Development for Health Sciences Librarians (CDHSL-Illinois/Wisconsin section): 2010-2017
- Health Sciences Library Committee: 2010-2017
- University Libraries Electronic Resources & Periodicals Committee: 2010-2017
- Medical Library Association: 2010-2017