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Degrees Earned

Ph.D. in Library Management and Bilingual Education, Texas Woman's University, 1982
M.L.S. in Library Science. University of Texas at Austin, 1970
B.A. in Spanish and Library Science with French minor, Syracuse University, 1966

Peer-Reviewed Publications**Books**

Fountain, J. F. (In Press). *Subject headings for school and public libraries = Encabezamientos de materia para bibliotecas escolares y públicas* (4th ed.). Westport, Conn.: Libraries Unlimited.

Intner, S. I., Fountain, J. F. & Weihs, J. (Eds.). (2010). *Cataloging correctly for kids: An introduction to the tools* (5th ed.). Chicago, Ill.: American Library Association.

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Intner, S.I., Fountain, J.F., Gilchrist, J.E., editors. (2006). *Cataloging Correctly for Kids: An Introduction to the Tools*. 4th ed. American Library Association, Chicago, Ill.

Haynes, E. & Fountain, J.F. (2005). *Unlocking the Mysteries of Cataloging: A Workbook of Examples*. Libraries Unlimited, The Greenwood Group, Westport, Conn.

Fountain, J.F. (2001). *Subject Headings for School and Public Libraries: A Sears/LCSH Companion*, 3rd ed. Libraries Unlimited, Westport, Conn.

Fountain, J.F. (1996). *Subject Headings for School and Public Libraries: A Sears/LCSH Companion*, 2nd ed. Libraries Unlimited, Westport, Conn.

Fountain, J.F. (1993). *Headings for Children's Materials : A Sears/LCSH Companion*. Libraries Unlimited, Littleton, Colo.

Articles

Fountain, J. F. (2009). The theory and practice of the Dewey Decimal Classification system, by M.P. Satija. *Library Collections, Acquisitions, and Technical Services*, 33 (4), 135-136.

Fountain, J.F., 'Descriptive and Subject Cataloguing: A Workbook' [by Jaya Raju and Reggie Raju], *Library Collections, Acquisitions, and Technical Services*, Vol. 31, Issue 2:115-116, 2007.

Chapters

Fountain, J. F. (2010). Guidelines for standardized cataloging for children. In Intner, S. I., Fountain, J. F. & Weihs, J. (Eds.), *Cataloging correctly for kids: An introduction to the tools* (5th ed., Ch. 1, pp. 1-18). Chicago, Ill.: American Library Association.

Fountain, J. F. (2010). Using LC's children's headings in catalogs for children and young adults: why and how. In Intner, S. I., Fountain, J. F. & Weihs, J. (Eds.), *Cataloging correctly for kids: An introduction to the tools* (5th ed., Ch. 7, pp. 115-128). Chicago, Ill.: American Library Association.

Fountain, J. F. & Zwierski, Michele (2010). How the CIP helps children's librarians. In Intner, S. I., Fountain, J. F. & Weiss, Jean (Eds.), *Cataloging correctly for kids: An introduction to the tools* (5th ed., Ch. 11, pp. 161-165). Chicago, Ill.: American Library Association.

Fountain, J. F. (2010). Glossary of abbreviations. In Intner, S. I., Fountain, J. F. & Weiss, Jean (Eds.), *Cataloging correctly for kids: An introduction to the tools* (5th ed., Appendix, pp. 205-207). Chicago, Ill.: American Library Association.

Fountain, J. F. (2010). Serving non-English speaking and pre-literate children: How cataloging can help. Subject thesauri in various languages. American Library Association, Cataloging and Classification Section, Committee on Cataloging of Children's Materials.

Proceedings

Fountain, J. F. (2010). Serving non-English speaking and pre-literate children: How cataloging can help. Subject thesauri in various languages. American Library Association, Cataloging and Classification Section, Committee on Cataloging of Children's Materials.

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Fountain, J. F. (2009). Procesos en la traducción de Subject headings for school and public libraries. *Memoria del I Simposio Internacional sobre Organización del Conocimiento: Bibliotecología y Terminología* (pp. 163-179). México, D.F.: Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México.

Funded External Grants

Principal Investigator: ACCESO: Improving Library Access for Spanish Speakers. Grant application submitted Dec. 2010 to the Institute of Museum and Library Services, Laura Bush 21st Century Librarian Program, Early Career Development Program. Response expected June 2011. \$324,691 (Under review)

Institute of Museum and Library Sciences (IMLS) Laura Bush 21st Century Grant

Peer-Reviewed Presentations

Fountain, J. F. (2010). *Sources of subject headings in various languages*. Presented at Serving Non-English Speaking and Pre-literate Children: How Cataloging Can Help, Cataloging and Classification Section, Committee on Cataloging of Children's Materials, Washington, D.C. (Invited)

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Fountain, J. F. (2010) *Subject cataloging: The essentials*. Presented at Texas Library Association, Annual Conference. San Antonio, Tex. (Invited)

Fountain, J. F. (2009) *Cataloging 101 for School and Public Librarians*. Presented at Texas Library Association, Annual Conference, Houston, Tex. (Invited)

Fountain, J. F. (2009) *Cataloging 101 for School and Public Librarians*. Presented at Texas Library Association, Annual Conference, Houston, Tex. (Invited)

Fountain, J. F. (2009) *Summer cataloging academy*. Presented at Education Service Center, Region One, Edinburg, Tex. (Invited)

Fountain, J. F. (2008) *Cataloging update*. Presented at Conroe ISD, Conroe, Tex. (Invited)

Fountain, J. F. (2008) *Librarians' cataloging In-service*. Presented at Dr. Mario E. Ramírez Elementary Library, Rio Grande City, Tex. (Invited)

Fountain, J. F. (2008) *Summer cataloging academy*. Presented at Education Service Center, Region One, Edinburg, Tex. (Invited)

Fountain, J. F. (2008) *Venturing into cataloging I and II*. Presented at Region IV Education Service Center, Houston, Tex. (Invited)

Fountain, J. F. (2007) *Procesos en la traducción de Subject Headings for School and Public Libraries*. Presented at 1er Simposio Internacional Sobre Organización del Conocimiento: Bibliotecología y Terminología. Mexico City, Mexico. (Invited)

Fountain, J. F. (2007) *Basic cataloging and tools: A review of the basics*. Presented at Region IV Education Service Center, Houston, Tex. (Invited)

Fountain, J. F. (2007) *Let's get cataloging! An introductory workshop for school librarians*. Presented at Education Service Center, Region One, Edinburg, Tex. (Invited)

Fountain, J. F. (2007) *Summer cataloging academy*. Presented at Education Service Center, Region One, Edinburg, Tex. (Invited)

Work or Professional Experiences

2005–Present, Assistant Professor of Library Science, Sam Houston State University

1990-Present, Owner, Bibliotechnics, Austin, Tex.

1995-1998, Technical Services Librarian/Cataloger, Austin Independent School District, Austin, Tex.

1983-1990, Assistant Professor, Director of Technical Services & Collection Development, Southwestern University. Georgetown, Tex.

1981-1983, Associate Director for Collection Development and Director, Learning Resources Center [Audiovisual Services], Texas Southern University. Houston, Tex.

1980-1981, Librarian for Proyecto LEER, Texas Woman's University, Graduate School of Library Science. Denton, Tex.

1978-1979, Editorial Director, Voluntad Publishers/Editores, Bogotá, Col.; Austin, Tex.

1972-1978, Bilingual Resource Specialist, Education Service Center, Region XIII, Austin, Tex.

1970-1972, Branch Librarian, Austin Public Library. Austin, Tex.

1967-1969, Librarian, Emerson Elementary School, Dade County Public Schools. Miami, Fla.

1966-1967, Bookmobile and Children's Librarian, San Antonio Public Library, San Antonio, Tex.

Honors and Awards

Spanish Subject Heading Project, an Enhancement Grant for Professional Development, Sam Houston State University, 2006-2008

Texas Reads grant program reviewer, Texas State Library and Archives, 2004-Present

Other Competencies

Fluent in Spanish
Online teaching
Online cataloging
Book conservation