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Education

2015 - 2020
(expected) Doctor of Philosophy, Information Science
University of Colorado, Boulder, CO, USA
Advisor: Prof. Stephen Volda

1981 - 1986 Bachelor of Arts, Psychology
University of South Florida, Tampa, FL, USA

Peer-reviewed publications

2017 Norris, W. "Digital Humanitarians: Citizen journalists on the virtual front line of natural and human-caused disasters." *Journalism Practice* 11(2-3), 213-228. <http://doi.org/10.1080/17512786.2016.1228471>

Refereed conferences and presentations

2019 Norris, W., Volda, S., Palen, L., and Anderson, K.M. "Unwinding Pluritemporal Time in Digital Humanitarian Crowdsourcing." *CHI 2019 Workshop on the Future of Work*. Glasgow, UK, May 5, 2019

2017 Norris, W. and Volda, S. "Temporality in Crisis Informatics: Representations of time in digital humanitarian systems." *CHI 2017 Symposium on HCI Across Borders*, Denver, CO, USA, May 6-7, 2017

Norris, W. and Volda, S. "Temporality in Crisis Informatics: Representations and integrations of time in humanitarian crowd work." *Grand Challenges for HCI Crisis Informatics Researchers Workshop*, Boulder, CO, USA. May 6, 2017

Norris, W. and Volda, S. "Models and Metaphors of Temporality: Supporting Individual- and Group-Based Time-Management and Coordination Work." *CSCW '17 workshop: Theory transfers? Social theory & CSCW research*, Portland, OR, USA. February 26, 2017

Book chapter

- 2019 Norris, W. "Digital Humanitarians: Citizen journalists on the virtual front line of natural and human-caused disasters." In *TBA*, Melissa Wall (Ed.), London: Routledge. [in press]

Invited Talks and Panel Discussions

- 2019 "*Promise and Peril of Sentiment Analysis in Humanitarian Research*," Invited lecture to Center for Research Data and Digital Scholarship. University of Colorado Boulder
- 2017 - 2018 "*Digital Humanitarian Crisis Informatics Simulation*," Invited lecture INFO 2131: Information Ecosystems and INFO 3501 Special Topics: Open Collaboration. University of Colorado Boulder
- 2016 "*Computational Journalism: Data + Storytelling*," Invited lecture JRNL 5001: Media Technology Bootcamp. University of Colorado Boulder
- 2016 "*Crowdsourcing + Data Verification*," Invited lecture JRNL 4501: Reporting 3. University of Colorado Boulder. (Spring 2016; Fall 2016)
- 2015 "*Crowdsourcing + Data Visualization*," Invited lecture JRNL 5001: Media Technology Bootcamp. University of Colorado Boulder
- 2015 "*Advocacy Journalism: Boundaries or Possibilities*," Invited to participate in faculty panel discussion. College of Media, Communication and Information. University of Colorado Boulder

Grants, Fellowships and Honors

- 2019 *Senior Research Fellow*, Trilateral Research
Project: Ethical impact assessment and responsible research design framework for IN-PREP, a situational awareness/decision support preparedness training platform for complex, large-scale transborder disasters in European Union member states.
- 2019 *Provost's Fellowship for the Libraries*, University of Colorado Boulder
Project: Instructional videos on text-based computational research methods in collaboration with the Center for Research Data and Digital Scholarship
- 2018 *CRA-W Grad Cohort for Women Workshop*, Computing Research Association

- 2018 *Beverly Sears Graduate Student Award*, University of Colorado Boulder. \$1,000
Project: Digital humanitarian participatory design workshop + study
- 2018 *Sterling Scholarship*, University of Colorado Boulder. \$1,750
Project: Computational refugee crisis study
- 2010 *Knight Fellowship*, Stanford University
Project: CrowdTrust – A crowdsourcing platform prototype
- 2010 *H.F. Guggenheim Fellowship*, City University of New York
- 2010 *Knight Digital Media Center Fellowship*, University of California Berkeley
- 2009 *Knight News Entrepreneur Fellowship*, University of Southern California, Annenberg School for Communication, Lloyd Greif Center for Entrepreneurial Studies and USC Marshall School of Business

Media Coverage

- 2018 Are, Carolina. (April 2018). Q&A on Digital Humanitarians with Researcher Wendy Norris. *Humanitarian Research News Network*, published by the City, University of London. <https://blogs.city.ac.uk/humnews/2018/04/03/qa-on-digital-humanitarians-with-researcher-wendy-norris/>

Teaching (5.6/6 composite student evaluation score)

- 2019 Certificate in Graduate Teaching, University of Colorado Boulder [in-progress]
- 2019 Future Faculty Development Certificate, University of Colorado Boulder [in-progress]
- 2017 - 2018 *INFO 1201 Computational Reasoning 1: Expression + Media Transformation*
Summer 2018 (instructor)
Summer 2017 (instructor)
Fall 2017 (lead teaching assistant)
Spring 2017 (lead teaching assistant)
- 2016 JRNL 5001 Media Technology Bootcamp (Fall teaching assistant)
- 2016 INFO 1020 Concepts + Creativity: Information Science (Spring teaching assistant)

2015 JRNL 5001 Media Technology Bootcamp (Fall teaching assistant)

2015 JRNL 2001 Fundamentals of Reporting (Fall teaching assistant)

Research Assistantships

2016 - *Too Much Information (TMI) Lab*, Dept. of Information Science, University of Colorado Boulder. Prof. Stephen Volda

2018 - *Project EPIC Lab*, Department of Information Science and Department of Computer Science, University of Colorado Boulder. Prof. Leysia Palen.

2017 Center for Environmental Journalism, University of Colorado Boulder. Thomas Yulsman and Michael Kodas

Academic Service

2017 - 2018 *Lead Teaching Assistant for Information Science Department*, Graduate Teaching Program, University of Colorado Boulder
Department projects: 1) Develop Information Science PhD student onboarding plan and 2) organize implicit bias workshop for department student and faculty.
University-wide capstone project: Interdisciplinary activity-based classroom evaluation tool for teaching assistants and graduate student instructors.

2016 - *ACM/Computer-Supported Cooperative Work (CSCW) Reviewer*
Blind reviewed papers submitted to CSCW. Also participated in student mentorship program under guidance of Prof. Giorgio De Michelis, University of Milano (2016) and Prof. Gabriela Avram, University of Limerick (2017)

2017 *Student Volunteer at ACM/Computer-Human Interaction Conference (CHI)*
Assisted organizers at Program Committee meeting and during CHI 2017 conference, Denver, Colorado

2016 *CMCI Faculty Search Committee*, University of Colorado Boulder
Graduate student representative. Reviewed credentials, ranked applicants, interviewed candidates, and hosted graduate student gatherings on campus

2016 *CMCI Graduate Student Orientation Coordinator*, University of Colorado Boulder
Plan and coordinate Fall 2016 orientation week activities for new College of Media, Communication and Information PhD and Masters graduate students

- 2016 *Google News Lab Partnership Committee, University of Colorado Boulder*
Graduate student representative for CMCI working group to plan a potential partnership with Google News Lab
- 2015 - 2016 *Graduate Student Workspace Committee Member, University of Colorado Boulder*
Coordinate need assessment, design, and project management of new CMCI graduate student workspaces in the Armory Building

Volunteer Service

- 2015 - *Standby Task Force*
Deployment coordinator for international non-governmental organization that collects, curates, and visualizes humanitarian crisis data for emergency responders

Professional Experience

- 2015 *ICT Volunteer, Peace Corps Response, Port Vila, Republic of Vanuatu*
- 2013 - *Reviewer, Uutistraivaaja Media Innovation Contest, Helsinki, Finland*
- 2012 *Data Journalism Instructor, MyNews.AM, Yerevan, Armenia*
- 2011 - 2015 *CEO + Founder, Tekhne, Denver, CO*
- 2011 - 2014 *Editor-in-Chief, The Upstart Magazine, Denver, CO*
- 2009 - 2010 *Editor-in-Chief, Western Citizen, Denver, CO*
- 2006 - 2010 *Freelance investigative reporter, various national magazines*
- 2006 - 2009 *Editor, The American Independent News Network, Washington, DC*
- 2004 - 2006 *Political Columnist, Rocky Mountain Chronicle, Fort Collins, CO*
- 1985 - 2006 *Various education/healthcare nonprofit + philanthropic organizations*

Technical Skills

Programming	Python, PHP
Web development	HTML/CSS, WordPress, Joomla
Database	SQL, Microsoft Access
Data analysis	MAXQDA, SPSS, Jupyter Notebook, Pandas, Matplotlib
Mapping	ArcGIS, StoryMap, OpenStreetMap

Languages

English (Native)
Bislama (Intermediate)
French (Basic)