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Curriculum Vitae
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Education

Ph.D., 1984, University of Illinois at Urbana. Degree in Library and Information Science
M.S., 1972, University of Wisconsin-Madison. Degree in Library Science
B.S., 1972, University of Wisconsin-Madison. Degree in Elementary Education
B.Sc., 1966, Osmania University, India. Degree in Physical Sciences

Publications

- Prabha, C., & Hank, C. Moving from Print to Electronic Journals: Assessment of Association of Research Libraries. (Submitted to Library Resources and Technical Services.)
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- Prabha, C. (1996): Office of Research Studies Copy Cataloging Throughput Time for CIP Titles. *OCLC Newsletter*, (January/February) 13-14
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- Prabha, C.(1995). Adding Holdings Information to CIP Records Before Book Receipt. *Annual Review of OCLC Research*, 4-6.
- Prabha, C. & Ogden J. (1994): Recent Trends in Academic Library Materials Expenditures. *Library Trends*, p. 499-513
- Prabha, C. (1993): Estimating Interlibrary Loan Volume: Academic, Public, Special and Federal Libraries. *Annual Review of OCLC Research* (1992-1993) 14-17.
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Research Reports

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- Prabha, C. (1999). *High Demand Titles in Economics* Proprietary Research Report
- Prabha, C. (1998). *Commercial Publishers with 1,000 or More ILL requests via OCLC in Fiscal Year 1998* Proprietary Research Report, 213 pages.
- Prabha, C. (1998): *Non-Commercial Publishers with 1,000 or more ILL Requests via OCLC in Fiscal Year 1998*. Proprietary Research Report, 197 pages.

- Prabha, C. (1998): *Top ranking serial titles based on fiscal year 1998 OCLC ILL Requests* Proprietary Research Report, 11 pages.
- Prabha, C. (1998). UMI Full-Text - OCLC ILL Comparison
- Prabha, C. (1998). Impact of OhioLink on OCLC's ILL Market Share (For Jay Jordan)
- Prabha, C. (1998). Availability of ILLed Articles via ECO and FS ASCII (Services)
- Prabha, C. (1998). Emerging Demand for Circulation-based ILL Calls for a Revisit of Strategies Pertaining to WebZ, ILL/DR, and ILL Online.
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- Prabha, C. (1991). Database Search Behavior at the Arizona State University
- Prabha, C. (1991). Authority Practice at the University of Illinois at Chicago Library
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- Prabha, C. (1990). Interlibrary Loan and OCLC. [OCLC] *Research Review* April Issue
- Prabha, C. (1990). Journal Collection Evaluation Using Citation Data - Study pt 1
- Prabha, C. (1990). ISI Coverage of Journals in which OSU Physicists Publish - Study pt II
- Prabha, C. (1989). Cataloging Productivity Studies: Time Required, Systems Response time and Workflows 1989. (Series of Reports)
- Prabha, C. (1989). A Study of Author, Title, & Subject Query Searches on the EPIC Catalog, 1989
- Prabha, C. (1989). Methods for Presenting and Reducing Large Retrievals, 1989
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- Prabha, C. (1988). Managing Large Retrievals, April 1988.
- Prabha, C & Prasse, Mike (1988). Cataloging Productivity Studies: Time Required for Cataloging English Language Books. [OCLC] *Research Review*. 5-6

Presentations

- Prabha, C., Connaway, L. S., Dervin, B. (2004). What Ohio academic librarians want to know about their users. Talk presented at the 30th Annual Conference of Academic Library Association of Ohio, Dayton Ohio.
- Prabha, C. (2002): What does a catalog mean anymore? Talk presented at the Michigan Library Association Annual Meeting. Grand Rapids, Michigan.
- Prabha, C., (2001): The CORC resource catalog: content analysis. Talk presented to OCLC Member Council, Research Interest Group.

- Prabha, C. & Allen, B. (1998) What the CIC-VEL Users Told Us: Findings From Face-to-Face Interviews. Talk presented at ALA Midwinter Meeting, CIC Committee.
- Prabha, C. & Allen, B. 1998: Maximizing the use of VEL. Presented to CIC Public Service Directors at ALA, at ALA Annual, Meeting, CIC Committee.
- Hickey, T. & Prabha, C. (1990): Online Public Catalogs and Large Retrievals: Methods for Organizing, Reducing, Displaying, Paper presented at 53rd *ASIS Annual Meeting*, 110-116.
- Prabha, C. 1990: Improving the Quality and Usability of Large Retrievals.” Paper presented at the *National Online Meeting*. New York, New York.
- Prabha, C. (1988). Managing Large Retrievals: A Problem of the 1990's? in *OPACS and Beyond*. Proceeding of the Joint Meeting of the British Library, DBMIST (French), and OCLC.
- Prabha, C. & Bunge, J., & Rice, D., (1988). Assumptions about information seeking behavior in nonfiction books: their importance to full-text systems, Paper presented at ASIS 51st Annual Meeting, 147-151.
- Prabha, C., Bunge, J & Rice, D. (1987). Access to full-text of nonfiction books: design considerations from a study of public library patrons. Paper presented at ASIS 50th Annual meeting, 196-200.
- Prabha, C. 1987: Comparing Bradford-type Scatter: A Bibliometric Problem. Talk presented at ALA Library Research Round Table.
- Prabha, C. 1986: Some aspects of nonfiction book use. Talk presented at ALA, Library Research Round Table.

Research Experience

- 1986-present: OCLC Online Computer Library Center, Office of Research. Research Scientist
- 1985-1986: OCLC Online Computer Library Center, Office of Research, Post-doctoral Fellow
- 1981-1985: Univ. of Illinois, College of Agricultural Communications, Research Assistantship
- 1993: Visiting Researcher in Cataloging at the Library of Congress

Library Experience

- 1980: Champaign Library and Information Center, Champaign, Illinois. Children's Librarian
- 1979: American Studies Research Centre, India. Acting Librarian
- 1978: University of Hyderabad, India. Assistant Librarian (Technical Services)
- 1977: Sorghum & Millet Information Centre, ICRISAT, India. Documentalist
- 1974-1976: Milwaukee Public Library, Milwaukee, WI. Inner-City Branch. Children's Librarian
- 1974: University of Wisconsin, Memorial Library. Serials Acquisitions Associate
- 1973: University of Wisconsin, Occupational Therapy School. Cataloger

1971-1972: University of Wisconsin-Campus Libraries. Student Assistant

Honors/Awards

Visiting Researcher in Cataloging (LC) 1993

University of Illinois, GSLIS Berner-Nash Award for Best Dissertation of the Year

Phi Kappa Phi. University of Illinois-Urbana, Scholarship 1983

Beta Phi Mu. University of Wisconsin-Madison, Library Science 1973

Professional Service

Elected Offices

CO-A~IS. Chapter Assembly Representative for 1994-1995

CO-ASIS. Chair, 1993-1994.

Milwaukee Public Library, Affirmative Action Comm. 1976

Appointments

ASIS. National Conference, 1993. Served as liaison for the Technical Program; also served on the local arrangements committee.

Planning Programs

OCLC Distinguished Seminar Series, 1985-87

Revived the seminar series, and hosted 16 notable professionals.

COASIS. Chair-elect, 1992-1993

Planned several programs & Continuing Education Workshops.

Workshop on Electronic Information Delivery, 1987

AI Applications in Information Systems, 1986

ASIS Midyear 1987. Moderator, Session on User-Interfaces.

Revived the dormant OCLC Distinguished Seminar Series, 1986.

Milwaukee Public Library, 1975-1976

Brought about significant increase in program attendance by children in an the inner city branch

Committee Work

AAP/ALCTS Working subcommittee (1996-97)

ASIS Research Committee Member (1993-96)