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Curriculum vitae

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Personal data

Born January 7, 1940, in Freiburg i.Br., Germany
German citizen with resident alien status in U.S.
Married, one child

Education

- 1960 Diplom-Physiker-Vorprüfung (B.S., Physics), University of Freiburg
 - 1964 Staatsexamen (M.S.), Mathematics and Physics, University of Freiburg
 - 1967 Assessor des Lehramts (Teaching Certificate for high school/junior college),
 Mathematics and Physics, Staatliches Prüfungsamt Freiburg
 - 1970 Dr.phil. (Ph.D.), Political science, University of Freiburg
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The American degree roughly equivalent to the German degree is indicated in ().

Revised version of Master thesis published in Information Storage and Retrieval (see Publications, B4)

Doctoral dissertation published as book (see Publications, A2)

Positions held

- 1960 - 61 Deputy for relations to developing countries, Student government Association, University of Freiburg
- 1961 - 62 Founding secretary, Freiburg Office for Relations to Developing Countries (an office concerned with the dissemination of information about developing countries, particularly about the needs and opportunities for properly trained people willing to help in developing countries)
- 1963 - 65 Systems analyst, Forschungsstelle für Weltzivilisation, Abteilung Dokumentation (Research Center for World Civilization, Documentation Department), Freiburg
- 1966 - 67 Studienreferendar, Seminar für Studienreferendare, Freiburg
- 1967 - 69 Head, Documentation Department, Stiftung Wissenschaft und Politik (Foundation Science and Politics), Ebenhausen
- 1969 - 70 Head, Documentation Department, DATUM (Documentation and Training Center for Theory and Methods of Regional Science), Bad Godesberg
- 1970 - 71 Visiting lecturer, College of Library and Information Services (since 2000 College of Information Studies), University of Maryland
- 1971 - 76 Associate Professor
- 1976- Professor
- 1976, 1977 Visiting lecturer (Summer), School of Library and Information Science, University of Western Ontario, London, Canada
- 1985 - 89 Visiting Professor (Summer), Graduate Library School, University of Chicago
- Sept., 1985- June, 1986 Visiting Professor, Chair for Information Science, University of Konstanz, Germany.
- 1987 - 1994 Visiting Professor (Summer), Konstanz, Germany
- May - July, 1997 Guest scientist, IPSI - Integrated Publication and Information Systems Institute, German National Research Centre for Computer Science and Information Technology, Darmstadt
- May - July, 1997 Visiting Lecturer, Department of Information and Documentation, Fachhochschule Darmstadt

Professional Activities

- 1969 Lecturer, Lehrinstitut für Dokumentation (Training Center for documentation), German Society for Documentation
- 1973 - Consultant on Information Services to the Technical Operations Staff of the Bureau of Foods (Study of information systems, index language development; see Publications B3, D3, D8, E4)
- 1975 - 1976 Consultant, Smithsonian Institution (Study of information systems, see Publications D4)
- 1978 - Consultant to various organizations (MITRE Corporation, JWK Corporation, Capital Systems Group, Kappa Corporation, Technology Services Corporation, Farm Credit Administration)
- 1985 - 1986 Consultant on chemical information systems and user-system interface, Gesellschaft für Information und Dokumentation, Heidelberg, Germany
- 1988 - 1989 Consultant and instructor of training courses for information management staff of the World Bank
- 1989 - Consultant to the National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism and to the Office of Substance Abuse Prevention and chair of the Advisory Committee for the Alcohol and Other Drug Thesaurus
- 1993 Consultant to the Swiss National Library on multilingual subject access
- 2001 - Consultant to the Harvard Business School Library on the development of the Harvard Business Thesaurus.
- 2003 - Consultant to the FDA Center for Drugs on development and use of thesauri and other knowledge organization systems and on intranet and Web design

Refereeing and membership in editorial boards and conference program committees

- 1974 - Member, editorial board, Knowledge Organization (formerly International Classification)
- 1978 - Referee, Journal of the American Society for Information Science
- 1978 - Reviewer, Computing Reviews
- 1980 - Proposal reviewer for NSF
- 1995 Referee, International Journal of Human Computer Systems
- 1996 - Member, editorial board, Review of Information Science. Electronic Journal of the Hochschulverband fuer Informationswissenschaft
- 1996 - 1997 Member, organizing committee, AAAI Spring Symposium 1997, Cross-Language Text and Speech Retrieval
- 1997 Digital Libraries 1997, Reviewer and Chair of Session 4, Agents
- 1998 NSF SBIR review panel Sept. 11, 1998
- 2000 Referee for Journal of Digital Information
- 2000 Co-chair and primary proceedings editor, ASIS&T SIG Classification Research Workshop: Classification for User Support and Learning
- 2000/2001 Program Committee, Joint Conference on Digital Libraries 2001
- Program Committee, 5th European Conference on Research and Advanced Technology for Digital Libraries
- Chaired the session Integration With User Communities.
- Program Committee, International Conference on Formal Ontology in Information Systems, FOIS-2001
- 2001/2002 Program Committee, Joint Conference on Digital Libraries 2002. July 14-18, 2002
- COLIS 4 (Conceptions of Library and Information Science), Seattle, July 21 -25, 2002
- ISKO 7 (International Society for Knowledge Organization), Granada, Spain, July 10-13.
- 2002/2003 Program Committee, Joint Conference on Digital Libraries 2003. May 27-30, 2003
- Program Committee, European Conference on Digital Libraries 2003. August, 2003

- 2003/2004 Program Committee, European Conference on Digital Libraries 2004.
September 2005
- 2004/2005 Program Committee, COLIS 2005

Grants

- 1986 Grant from the German Federal Ministry for Research to the University of Konstanz (during my sabbatical there)
Pilot project developing an intelligent database guide
- 1989 OCLC Library and Information Science Research Grant
An investigation into the structure of LCC and LCSH to support the development of a classification knowledge base
- 2001 Participated in writing the proposal for
MALACH: Multilingual Access to Large spoken ArCHives
A five-year NSF ITR/IM+AP grant for a total of \$7.5 Million for four partners (Shoah Visual History Foundation, IBM, Johns Hopkins University, and University of Maryland)
Serve as senior researcher for the UM part.
- 2004 **NSA grant for preparing the MALACH test collection for wide distribution (\$140,000)**

Activities in Professional Societies

Member

Deutsche Gesellschaft für Dokumentation, 1962-

American Society for Information Science and Technology, 1964-
(Special Interest Groups: Classification Research; Behavioral and Social Sciences, Education for Information Science, Numeric Databases)

Association for Computing Machinery, 1969-

Association for Library and Information Science Education 1975-

SALIS (Substance Abuse Librarians and Information Specialists), 1990-

Secretary, Task Force for Information Retrieval in Data Archives of the Standing Committee for Data Archives of the International Social Science Council, 1968-1970

Technical Program Chairman, ASIS-SIG/ED, 1977-1978

Chairman, ASIS-SIG/ED and member, ASIS Education Committee (ex officio), 1978- 1979

Member, ASIS Best Information Science Book Award Jury, 1987

Awards and Honors

FDA Commissioners Special Citation 1981 (for work on the Factored Food Vocabulary Committee)

American Society for Information Science, ASIS Best Information Science Book Award, 1986 (for Organizing Information)

Governor's Award for Volunteering Excellence (Virginia). Gold Medal, 1993.

American Society for Information Science, Award of Merit, 1997

American Society for Information Science, Best JASIS Paper Award, 1999 (for Wang, Peiling; Soergel, Dagobert. **A cognitive model of document use during a research project. Study I. Document selection.** Journal of the American Society for Information Science. February 1998; 49(2): 115-133.)

Courses Taught

College of Information Studies, University of Maryland, College Park, Maryland

Proseminar (instructor and coordinator)

With Marcia Bates: a course package consisting of Organization of knowledge in libraries
I Introduction to reference and information services Introduction to data processing for
libraries (an experimental course offered in Spring 1974)

A revised course package consisting of

Organization of knowledge in libraries

Introduction to reference and information services

Research methods in library and information studies

Introduction to information storage and retrieval systems

Advanced information storage and retrieval

Objectives and evaluation of information systems

Construction and maintenance of index languages and thesauri

Introduction to expert systems with illustrations in Prolog

Doctoral seminar in information storage and retrieval

Introduction to data processing for libraries

Database design

Communication and information transfer

Doctoral seminar in communication and information transfer

Seminar in the special library and information center

Software evaluation and usability

Information retrieval and analysis on the Internet

Information structure (core course replacing Organization of knowledge in libraries)

Courses Taught (continued)

University of Western Ontario, London, Western Ontario

Introduction to data processing

Doctoral seminar in research methods

University of Chicago

Construction and maintenance of index languages and thesauri

Information retrieval and database management for microcomputers

Seminar in cataloging and classification

Introduction to expert systems with illustrations in Prolog

University of Konstanz

Introduction to information retrieval

Construction and maintenance of index languages and thesauri

Expert systems with Prolog

Systems analysis

Thesaurus software

Fachhochschule (Polytechnic) Darmstadt Summer1997

Database design

Expert systems

Doctoral Dissertations Supervised

- 1975 Katherine Packer - Methods used by chemists and chemical engineers in Canadian Universities to maintain current awareness with special reference to the use of SDI systems
- 1976 Karen Levitan - Function of scientific societies: Views of biomedical scientists
- 1979 Richard Lytle - Subject retrieval in archives: a comparison of the provenance and content indexing methods
- 1980 Sinikka Koskiala - The role of industrial information service in the information transfer chain from information producer to the ultimate user, with special emphasis on the information acquisition function in Finland
- 1981 Alexis Jamieson - Comprehension of entries in printed indexes
- 1982 Raya Fidel - The construction of a pattern model of man-machine interaction in online literature searching
- 1983 Randall Trigg - A network-based approach to text handling for the online scientific community (computer science dissertation; served as representative of the Dean of Graduate Studies on the dissertation committee)
- 1985 Brigitte Duces - The role of information in decision-making on agricultural innovations
- 1989 Rebecca Green - The expression of syntagmatic relationships in frame-based indexing (member of dissertation committee)
- 1989 Helen Tibbo - Abstracts, online searching, and the humanities: An analysis of the structure and content of historical literature
- 1990 Xinhua Wang - An algorithm for matching databases with queries in an intelligent guide to databases
- 1991 Paul Solomon - Explorations in information access and interface design for an online catalog in an elementary school library
- 1992 Mu-hsuan Huang - Pausing behavior of end-users in online searching (member of dissertation committee)
- 1993 Peter Liebscher - Information seeking in hypertext: Multiple access methods in a full text hypertext database (member of dissertation committee)
- Xia Lin - Self-organizing maps as graphical interfaces for information retrieval
- Peter Evans - The enabling and disabling effects of a hypermedia information environment on information seeking and use in an undergraduate course (member of dissertation committee)

- 1994 Peiling Wang - A cognitive model of document selection of real users of information retrieval systems
- 1998 Susan Boerner - A study of novice searcher's evolving task and topic knowledge.
Huei-Chung Lee - Cognitive processes in document-oriented indexing of empirical journal articles. A case study
- 1999 Wei Ding - Cognitive processing of multimodal surrogates for video browsing
Outside evaluator for a doctoral dissertation at the University of Mysore, India
- 2001 Anita Komlodi - Search history for user support in information seeking interfaces
- 2002 Emily Marsh - Rhetorical relationships between text and images in Web pages

Ana Flavia Fonseca - The effect of an integrated knowledge management architecture on organizational performance and impact. The case of the World Bank

Laura Slaughter - Concept exploration via semantic relationships: Improving access to consumer health information (Dec. 2002)

Tony Tse - Identifying and characterizing a "Health Consumer Vocabulary" (Dec. 2002)
- 2003 Wiwat Puntai - An examination of instructional messages delivered via the World Wide Web from the perspective of instructional design
- In progress Jinmook Kim - User's interaction with speech retrieval systems with particular emphasis on relevance judgments

Also reader for many masters and doctoral theses and three Habilitationsschriften at the University of Konstanz and outside reviewer for two dissertations at the University of Mysore, India

Committees

University of Maryland, College of Information Studies

College Committees

Curriculum Committee (chair for 1 year)

Doctoral Committee (chair for many years)

Designed the process for the review of the CLIS PhD program and chaired subcommittee 1, Program (mission, general design, requirements, courses)

Admissions Committee (chair for 1 year)

Course Evaluation Committee

Research and Publications Committee

Personnel Committee (chair for 2 years)

Chair, Subcommittee for the Review of the Plan of Organization (major editing responsibility) (2000/2001)

Chair, Subcommittee 1 (Program structure and requirements) for the PhD program review (major editing responsibility) (2000/2001)

Many search committees

University Committees

Campus Senate (two 3 year terms)

Chair, Adjunct Committee on Libraries and Instructional Aids (1 year term)

Provost's Commission on Curriculum Collaboration, Division of Human and Community Resources

Faculty Development Committee, Division of Human and Community Resources (1982-1984)

Graduate Council (1999 -)

Civic Activities

- 1978 - Member of the Outreach Committee of Immanuel-Church- on-the-Hill, Alexandria, VA. Conducting operation **Christmas families** (Christmas presents to needy children in families with danger of child abuse) for several years. Vestry member 1986- 1989. Instrumental in establishing a church-supported small preschool in a public housing project.
- 1987 - Co-convenor, Virginia Citizens for Preschool Education
- 1988 - 1991 Chair, Episcopal Diocese of Virginia Region IV Preschool Committee
- 1989 Principal editor, Final report of the Alexandria Early Childhood Development Task Force.
- 1989 - 1994 Member, Alexandria Early Childhood Development Commission (Co-chair, 1989/1990, Vice-chair 1990/1991, Chair 1993/94)
- 1991 - Secretary-Treasurer, Alexandria Community Network Preschool

Publications

A Books

- A1 **Klassifikationssysteme und Thesauri. Eine Anleitung zur Herstellung von Klassifikationssystemen und Thesauri im Bereich der Dokumentation.**
(Classification systems and thesauri. A guide to the construction of classification schemes and thesauri for use in documentation.)
Frankfurt/M: Deutsche Gesellschaft für Dokumentation; 1969. 244p.
- A2 **Dokumentation und Organisation des Wissens. Versuch einer methodischen und theoretischen Grundlegung am Beispiel der Sozialwissenschaften.**
(Documentation and organization of knowledge. An inquiry into the methodological and theoretical foundations with particular reference to the Social Sciences.)
Berlin: Duncker und Humblot; 1971. 380p.
(Ordo Politicus 13) (Doctoral dissertation)
- A3 **Indexing languages and thesauri: Construction and maintenance.**
Los Angeles, CA: Melville; 1974. 632p., 72 fig., ca 850 ref.
(Wiley Information Science Series)
(Based on A1, but completely revised and enlarged)
- A4 **Organizing information. Principles of data base and retrieval systems.**
Orlando, FL: Academic Press; 1985. 450 p.
- A5 Arbeitsplatzsysteme, on-line Handbücher, Datenmodellierung, Dialog-Gestaltung. Beiträge zum Entwurf von Informationssystemen unter besonderer Berücksichtigung der Chemie. **(Work station systems, on-line handbooks, data modeling, user interface design. Contributions on the design of information systems with special reference to chemistry.)**
Frankfurt a.M.: Gesellschaft für Information und Dokumentation; December 1987.
- A6 **The Alcohol and Other Drug Thesaurus. A guide to concepts and terminology in substance abuse and addiction (AOD Thesaurus).**
Rockville, MD: National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism (NIAAA) and Center for Substance Abuse Prevention (CSAP). 1993. 3. ed. 2000
(Chief designer and development consultant, developer of the thesaurus management software used, and chair of the Thesaurus Advisory Committee.)
- A7 Soergel, Dagobert; Srinivasan, Padmini; Kwasnik, Barbara, Editors
Classification for User Support and Learning. Proceedings of the 11th ASIS&T SIG/CR Classification Research Workshop.
Silver Spring, Maryland: American Society for Information Science and Technology. Special Interest Group/Classification Research; November 2000
To be published as Advances in Classification Research 11 by Information Today

B Journal articles and conference papers

- B0 **Mathematical analysis of documentation systems.** Paper presented at the International Federation of Documentation (FID) Congress 1965 Oct. 10-15. Washington, DC. p. 88 (abstract). Based on master thesis, see B3).
- B1 **Problems of documentation in sociology.** Requirements and possibilities as seen from the point of view of a documentalist.
Paper for the 6th World Congress of Sociology, Evian, Switzerland, 1966. 9.4-11.
- B2 **Bericht über das International Symposium on Relational Factors in Classification, University of Maryland, USA. 8.-11 June 1966.**
Nachrichten für Dokumentation. 1966.8; 17(4): 137-138.
- B3 **Mathematical analysis of documentation systems.** An attempt at a theory of classification and search request formulation.
Information Storage and Retrieval. 1967.7; 3(3): 129-173.
(Revised version of master thesis)
- B4 **Some remarks on information languages, their analysis and comparison.**
Information Storage and Retrieval. 1967.12; 3(4): 219-291.
(Paper presented at the International Symposium on Relational Factors in Classification, University of Maryland. 1966.6.8-11)
- B5 **Vorschläge zu einem universellen Daten-Erfassungs-Schema für die Literatur-Dokumentation.** (Proposals for a universal scheme for the recording of bibliographic data.)
Nachrichten für Dokumentation. 1969.10; 20(5): 205-11.
- B6 With Katharina Hubben.
Dokumentation.
Staatslexikon, Ergänzungsband I. Freiburg: Herder; 1969: 593-602.
- B7 With Karl Furmaniak.
The description of statistical tables: a problem in data documentation.
American Society for Information Science. Proceedings. 1970; 7: 331-336.
- B8 **Invited comments on Andreae et.al. GEOCODE: A computer code system for administrative divisions with a boundary correcting analysis program.**
Social Science Information. 1970.4; 9(2): 75-81.

- B9 **A general model for indexing languages: The basis for compatibility and integration.**
Subject Retrieval in the Seventies - New Directions
New York: Greenwood; College Park, Md.: University of Maryland, School of Library and Information Services; 1972: 36-61.
- B10 **Mathematical models in the theory of classification: An illustration.**
Demonstration lecture at the American Library Association Conference/LED Teachers Section Program, Dallas, Texas, June 22, 1971.
- B11 **A universal source thesaurus as a classification generator.**
J. Amer. Soc. for Info. Sci. 1972.9; 23(5): 229-305.
- B12 **Theoretical problems of thesaurus construction with particular reference to concept formation.**
In: Petoefi et.al. ed. Fachsprache - Umgangssprache.
Kronberg, Ts: Scriptor; 1975: 355-381.
(Invited paper presented at the Symposium "Fachsprachliche Texte-Umgangssprachliche Kommunikation", Bad Homburg, Germany. 1974.1.)
- B13 **Automatic and semi-automatic methods as an aid in the construction of indexing languages and thesauri.**
International Classification. 1974; 1(1): 34-39.
Revised version of Chapter H of A3.
- B14 With Valery Leonov.
Compressing and abstracting of information and information utilities.
American Society for Information Science. Proceedings. 1974.10; 11: 46-49.
- B15 With Marcia Bates.
A modern integrated introduction to library and information services.
American Society for Information Science/SIG-ED News. 1974.11; (ED-1): 7-11.
(Presented at the ASIS meeting. 1974.10.15. Technical Session of SIG/Education for Information Science.)
- B16 **Trends in dissertation research.**
Paper presented at the Meeting of the American Association of Library Schools, Research Interest Group. Chicago, IL: 1976.1.
- B17 **Is user satisfaction a hobgoblin?**
J. Amer. Soc. for Info. Sci. 1976.7; 27(4): 256-259.

- B18 **An automated encyclopedia--a solution of the information problem?**
International Classification. 1977; 4(1): 4-10. 1977; 4(2): 81-89.
(Based on some sections of the dissertation.)
- B19 With Katherine Packer.
The importance of SDI for current awareness in fields with severe scatter of information. J. Amer. Soc. for Info. Sci. 1975.5; 30(3): 125-135.
- B20 **The Broad System of Ordering -- A critique**
Int. Forum on Information and Documentation. 1979.7; 4(3): 21-24.
- B21 **A systems approach to automated information storage and retrieval in archives.**
McCrank, Lawrence J. Automating the archives. White Plains, NY: Knowledge Industry Publications; 1981: 253-261.
- B22 Joint editor (with Charles Claydon) of **Drexel Library Quarterly** special issue on **Numeric Data Bases**, 1982 Summer/Fall; 19(3-4): 1-219.
- B23 **Structure and Construction of Numeric Data Bases.**
Drexel Library Quarterly. 1982, Summer/Fall; 19(3-4): 135-146.
- B24 **Data models for integrated thesauri.**
Invited paper presented at the Pre-conference workshop on Compatibility of Index Languages at the American Society for Information Science Annual Meeting, Oct. 17, 1982, Columbus, Ohio.
- B25 With Raya Fidel.
Factors Affecting Online Bibliographic Searching.
J. Amer. Soc. for Info. Sci. 1983.5; 34(3): 163-180.
- B26 **Logo Illustrations.**
Washington Apple Pi. 1983.5; 5(5): 10-11, 17.
- B27 **A Program of Logo Instruction: Objectives and Methods.** Washington Apple Pi. 1983.5; 5(5): 20-21.
- B28 With E.C. Smith, J.H. Holden, A. McCann, and R.C. Wiley
The FDA's Factored Food Vocabulary (FFV).
Poster presented at the 9th National Nutrient Data Bank Conference. 1984.
- B29 **Organizing information for problem solving.**
Bull. Amer. Soc. for Info. Sci. 1986.12; 13(2): 24-25.
(Invited note with material from A4.)

- B30 **Thesaurus project survey.**
Currents (American Society for Information Science. Potomac Valley Chapter).
1987.3;:4-5
- B31 **A course in knowledge representation as the foundation of the new information studies curriculum. A proposal.**
Presentation at the 50th Annual Meeting of the American Society for Information Science. Boston, MA, October 4-8, 1987. SIG-ED Session on Tuesday, October 6.
- B32 A. McCann, J.A.T. Pennington, E.C. Smith, J.H. Holden, D. Soergel, and R.C. Wiley.
Development of the Food and Drug Administration's Factored Food Vocabulary.
Journal of the American Dietetic Association. 1988.3; 88(3): 336-341.
- B33 [How does one design a database?](#)
Paper presented at the New York Library Association Conference, Academic and Special Libraries Section, Buffalo, NY, October 13, 1988.
- B34 [Improved access to the LC Classification and the LC Subject Headings for online searchers and catalogers through conceptual analysis](#)
Presented in the Distinguished Seminar Series, OCLC, Dublin, OH, March 14, 1989.
- B35 **Investigating the structure of LCC and LCSH. Developing a knowledge base.**
Annual Review of OCLC research. July 1989 - June 1990. Dublin, OH: OCLC; 1990.
p. 54-55.
- B36 [Beyond facets: Semantic roots and modifiers.](#)
Proceedings of the 2nd American Society for Information Science/SIG-CR Classification Research Workshop. Held at the 54th ASIS Annual Meeting, Washington, DC, Oct. 27, 1991. Washington, DC: ASIS. p.149-158. (Advances in Classification Research. v. 3)
- B37 **On the structure of hypertext and retrieval systems: A unifying view.**
Paper presented at the 54th Annual Meeting of the American Society for Information Science, Washington, DC, Oct. 27 - 31, 1991.
- B38 D. Soergel, J.A.T. Pennington, A. McCann, J.H. Holden, E.C. Smith, and R.C. Wiley.
A network model for improving access to food and nutrition data.
Journal of the American Dietetic Association. 1992.1; 92(1): 78-82.

- B39 D. Soergel, A. McCann, J.A.T. Pennington, J.H. Holden, E.C. Smith, and R.C. Wiley. [Improving access to food and nutrition data. 2. A language for the description of foods in databases.](#)
To be submitted to the Journal of Food Composition Data.
- B40 Xia Lin, Dagobert Soergel, and Gary Marchionini
A self-organizing semantic map for information retrieval.
Proceedings of the 14th International ACM/SIGIR Conference on Research and Development in Information Retrieval. New York: ACM Press; 1991. p. 262-269.
- B41 [New vistas for knowledge-based support for complex organizations.](#)
Paper presented at the 55th Annual Meeting of the American Society for Information Science, Pittsburgh, PA,, Oct. 25 - 29, 1992.
- B42 Soergel, Dagobert; Helfert, Samantha.
The AOD thesaurus: A new tool for organizing resource files in RADAR and other agencies.
Paper presented at the 15th Annual SALIS Conference, San Francisco, CA, 1993 Oct. 3-6. (Substance Abuse Librarians and Information Specialists)
- B43 Lin, Xia; Marchionini, Gary; Soergel, Dagobert.
Category-based and association-based map displays by human subjects.
American Society for Information Science/SIG-CR Classification Research Workshop. 1993; 4: 147-164.
- B44 Wang, Peiling; Soergel, Dagobert.
Beyond topical relevance: Document selection behavior of real users of IR systems.
American Society of Information Science Annual Meeting Proc. 1993; 30: 87-92.
- B45 [Information Structure Management. A unified framework for indexing and searching in database, expert, information-retrieval, and hypermedia systems.](#)
Challenges in Indexing Electronic Text and Images. Medford, NJ: Learned Information; 1994. Chapter 7, p. 111 - 156.
A much expanded version of B37.
- B46 [Indexing and retrieval performance: The logical evidence.](#)
J. Amer. Soc. for Info. Sci. 1994.9; 45(8): 589-599. (Invited paper)
Reprinted in From classification to "knowledge organization": Dorking revisited or "Past is prelude" / Edited by Alan Gilchrist. - The Hague: FID, 1997. - xiv, 186 p. - (FID pub. no. 714; FID Occasional paper 14). - ISBN 92 66 00 714 5
- B47 [The Art and Architecture Thesaurus \(AAT\): A critical appraisal.](#)
Visual Resources. 1995; 10(4): 369-400.

- B48 **The Alcohol and Other Drug Thesaurus: a tool for collaboration.**
Paper presented at the 6th Annual ELISAD meeting, Utrecht, The Netherlands, October 7, 1994.
(ELISAD = European Association of Libraries and Information Services on Alcohol and Other Drugs)
- B49 [Software support for thesaurus construction and display.](#)
Proceedings of the 5th ASIS SIG/CR Classification Research Workshop. Held at the 57th ASIS Annual Meeting, Oct. 16-20, 1994, Alexandria, VA.
Silver Spring, MD: American Society for Information Science. Special Interest Group / Classification Research. 1994.10; 5: 157-184. (Advances in Classification Research. v. 5)
- B50 **A multifunctional, multilingual thesaurus** (Panel Non-traditional Uses of Classification)
Invited paper presented at the 36th Allerton Institute. New Roles for Classification in Libraries and Information Networks. Oct. 23-25, 1994, Allerton Park, Monticello, IL (Sponsored by the Graduate School of Library and Information Science, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign)
- B51 with Kathleen Mullen
The NIAAA and CSAP Alcohol and Other Drug Thesaurus: A conceptual map and a tool for communication.
25th International Congress of the ICAA (International Council on Alcoholism and Addiction), San Diego, CA, August 22-24, 1995
- B52 with Kathleen Mullen
The structure of the NIAAA and CSAP Alcohol and Other Drug Thesaurus.
25th International Congress of the ICAA (International Council on Alcoholism and Addiction), San Diego, CA, August 22-24, 1995
- B53 with Kathleen Mullen and Andrea Mitchell
The AOD Thesaurus as a tool in research, writing, and program planning and evaluation. A tutorial.
25th International Congress of the ICAA (International Council on Alcoholism and Addiction), San Diego, CA, August 22-24, 1995
- B54 [Data models for an integrated thesaurus database.](#)
Paper presented at the Research Seminar on Compatibility and Integration of Order Systems, Warsaw, Poland, September 13-15, 1995.
Published in Compatibility and Integration of Order Systems: Research Seminar. Proceedings of the TIP/ISKO Meeting. Issued by International Society for Knowledge Organization; Polish Library Association; Society for Professional Information. Warsaw: Wydaw. SBP; 1996. p. 47-57.

- B55 [Framework for data element standardization.](#)
Proceedings of the 6th ASIS SIG/CR Classification Research Workshop. Held at the 58th ASIS Annual Meeting, Oct. 8, 1995, Chicago, IL. Medford, NJ: Information Today; 1998. p. 115-126. (Advances in Classification Research. v. 6)
- B56 Samantha Helfert and Dagobert Soergel
Adapting the AOD Thesaurus to a Small Collection
17th Annual SALIS Conference, Boston, MA, Nov. 12 - 15, 1995
- B57 Kathleen Mullen and Dagobert Soergel
Changes Made to the AOD Thesaurus.
17th Annual SALIS Conference, Boston, MA, Nov. 12 - 15, 1995
- B58 [SemWeb. Proposal for an open, multifunctional, multilingual system for integrated access to knowledge base about concepts and terminology.](#)
Proceedings of the Fourth International ISKO Conference, 15-18 July 1996, Washington, DC. Frankfurt/Main: Indeks Verlag; 1996. (Advances in Knowledge Organization, v. 5). p. 165 - 173
- B59 [Software support for semantically well-structured thesauri.](#) Paper presented at the invitational Getty Workshop on Semantic Systems, Los Angeles, CA, October 10-11, 1996.
- B60 [Multilingual thesauri in cross-language retrieval.](#) Paper presented at the AAAI-97 Spring Symposium Series. Cross-Language Text and Speech Retrieval. Stanford, CA March 24-26, 1997. Published in the Symposium Technical Report.
- B61 [Thesauri for knowledge-based assistance in searching digital libraries.](#) Paper, DL97 Workshop on Thesauri and Metadata, Philadelphia, PA, July 26, 1997
- B62 [SemWeb. An environment for integrated access to distributed ontological and lexical knowledge bases and their collaborative development and maintenance. A proposal.](#) Presented (by videotape) at the 2nd Workshop on Multilinguality in Software Industry: The AI Contribution (MULSAIC 97). August 25, 1997 (Workshop W21, International Joint Conference on Artificial Intelligence (IJCAI-97), Nagoya, Japan)
- B63 [Thesauri for knowledge-based assistance in searching digital libraries. Tutorial.](#)
European Digital Library Conference, Pisa, Italy, August 31, 1997;
European Digital Library Conference, Heraklion, Crete, Sept. 20, 1998;
Fourth ACM Conference on Digital Libraries (DL 99), Berkeley, CA Aug. 11, 1999;
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