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EDUCATION

PhD in Information Science, 2023 - present

Information School

University of Washington, Seattle, WA, USA

Master of Digital Information Management, 2019

School of Communication, Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences

University of Technology Sydney, Australia

Thesis: "Why are eFOI Requests in the Philippines being denied?"

Advisers: Professors Michael Olsson and Hilary Yerbury

Bachelor of Library and Information Science, 2016

School of Library and Information Studies

University of the Philippines Diliman, Philippines

Thesis: "Design of a Balanced Scorecard for the University of the East Ramon Magsaysay Memorial Medical Center Library"

Adviser: Assistant Professor Kathleen Lourdes B. Obille

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

Sep 2023 – present	University of Washington - Seattle <i>Teaching Assistant</i> , Information School
Jan 2022 – present	University of the Philippines Diliman <i>Assistant Professor IV</i> , School of Library & Information Studies (<i>on study-leave since August 2023</i>)
Aug 2019 – Dec 2021	University of the Philippines Diliman <i>Tenure-Track Assistant Professor I</i> , School of Library & Information Studies

PUBLICATIONS

Peer-reviewed Published Works

- Potnis, D., Gala, B., Reyes, V., Lamba, M., Warraich, N., Seifi, L., & **Perez, P.** (2023). How To Better Engage with ASIS&T Members? Lessons Learned from SIG-III's Activities during the COVID-19 Pandemic. *Proceedings of the 2023 ASIS&T Mid-Year Conference*. <https://doi.org/10.5281/zenodo.7776962>
- Perez, P.**, & Henninger, M. (2022). The Right to Information: An Investigation into the Legal Framework and Implementation in the Philippines. *Proceedings of the Association for Information Science and Technology*, 59: 251-261. <https://doi.org/10.1002/pr2.750>.
- Perez, P. J.**, Escueta, J. K., & Jequinto, P. M. P. (2022). Digital Cultural Heritage Inequality: Philippine Museums During the COVID-19 Pandemic. *Collections*, 18(4), 568–585. <https://doi.org/10.1177/15501906221121624>.
- Perez, P.**, & Davalos, A. (2021). Moving Criminal Accountability Forward: Web Archiving the Philippine War on Drugs in State-sponsored Media. *10th Asia-Pacific Library and Information Education and Practice Conference (A-LIEP 2021)*, October 21-22, 2021. bit.ly/aliep2021-proceedings, 71 – 82.

Perez, P. (2020). Why are Freedom of Information Requests in the Philippines Being Denied? An Analysis using a Practice-based Approach. *Philippine Journal of Librarianship and Information Studies*, 40(2), 3-36.
<https://phjilis.org/index.php/phjilis/article/view/41>.

Perez, P. (2016). Design of a Balanced Scorecard for the University of the East Ramon Magsaysay Memorial Medical Center Library. *Journal of Philippine Librarianship*, 36, 50-75.
<https://journals.upd.edu.ph/index.php/jpl/article/view/6799>.

Edited Venues

Perez, P. (2021). Holding Governments Accountable: The Fight for Freedom of Information. In Dar Juan, J. and Obille, K. (eds) *Information & Society*. Vibal Publishing. [Textbook chapter] (forthcoming)

Perez, P. (2021). Humans and Machines on Social Media and Fake News: A Review of Two Books. *Philippine Journal of Librarianship and Information Studies* 41(2), 29-32.
<https://phjilis.org/index.php/phjilis/article/view/83>

GRANTS, FELLOWSHIPS, AND AWARDS

Fellowships

2024 - Jan University of Washington Libraries - Open Scholarship Commons Community Fellows – a mentorship program for scholars to develop their proposed workshop during the Winter quarter of 2024, and to be delivered publicly in Spring of 2024 (\$ 700 USD)

Research and Extension Grant

2022 – 2024 One UP Faculty Grant Award for Outstanding Teaching and Public Service (Php 288,000.00 or around \$ 5,220 USD)

2022 – 2023 Digitizing and Preserving Martial Law Materials: A Training and Development Program for Non-profit and Volunteer Organizations. Funding from the University of the Philippines Diliman – Office of the Vice Chancellor for Research and Development (Php 142,000.00 or around \$ 2,574 USD)

Travel and Workshop Participation Grants

2023 -Jun-22 Archives Unleashed Cohort and Research Event. Travel funding from the Internet Archives (\$ 2,000 USD). Vancouver, BC, Canada.

2023-Apr-25 Collections-as-Data: State of the Field and Future Directions. Travel funding from the Mellon Foundation (\$ 2,735 USD). Vancouver, BC, Canada.

2022-Nov-14 Humanities and the Web: Introduction to Web Archive Data Analysis. Travel funding from the Internet Archives (\$ 1,000 USD). Los Angeles, CA, USA.

2021-Aug-28 Documenting the Now Archives Workshop. Stipend from the Shift Collective (\$ 100 USD)

2021-Mar-25 Trust and Doubt in Public-Sector Data Infrastructure. Stipend from Data & Society (\$ 150 USD)

Study Grant

2018-2019 Australia Awards Scholarship – A fully-funded postgraduate studies in Australia sponsored by the Australian Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Research projects, self-funded

Principal investigator, Open Heritage Data in Philippine Museums, 2021.

Principal investigator, Web Archiving of State-Sponsored Media in the Philippines, 2021.

SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS

Conference Presentations, reviewed and accepted (no published proceedings)

- Perez, P.** (2021, November). *Linked Open Data in GLAM: Open and Collaborative Projects Using Wikipedia*. Philippine Librarians Association Inc. (PLAI) Congress 2021, November 23 – 26, 2021, Manila, Philippines. (virtual). <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pNI-ntkmKes&t=22522s>
- Perez, P.** (2021, November). *Preserving #Tumindig: Technical and Ethical Concerns for the Digital Humanities*. 1st Philippine National Conference on Digital Humanities (Dagitab), November 3 – 5, 2021, Manila, Philippines. (virtual). <https://www.facebook.com/updcis/videos/570716730678095/> @ 01:14:00
- Perez, P.** (2021, July). *Open Heritage Data in Philippine Museums*. 2021 LD4 Conference on Linked Data, July 20 – 24, 2021, United States of America. (virtual). <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=sz0GqKTjbbY>
- Perez, P.** (2019, October). *Why are Freedom of Information Requests in the Philippines Being Denied? A Practice Theory-based Approach*. 2019 Research Applications in Information and Library Studies (RAILS) Conference, Canberra, Australia. [Won Best Paper]

Guest and Invited Lectures

- Perez, P.** (2022, May). *Preserving Our Online Cultural Heritage: Techniques and Ethics in Web Archiving*. Digital Technology and Documentary Heritage: PHDH Webinar Series for National Heritage Month 2022. Philippine Documentary Heritage, May 20, 2022, Manila, Philippines. (virtual). <https://fb.watch/d9uDriCfyL>
- Perez, P.** (2021, November). *Knowledge Graphs and the Semantic Web: New Ways and Strategies in Accessing, Delivering, and Using Information*. IT Colloquium for Libraries, Challenging the Status Quo: Global Trends in Digital Transformation. The University Library, University of the Philippines Diliman, November 22 and 29, 2021, Quezon City, Philippines. (virtual). <https://fb.watch/9AeGH04Udx/>
- Perez, P.** (2021, September). *Supporting Our Users Through Research Data Management*. DOST-STII Library Webinar Series. Department of Science and Technology, September 22, 2021, Manila, Philippines. (virtual). <https://fb.watch/8aS448pj1c/>
- Perez, P.** (2020, December). *Records and Democracy*. In For the Record Episode 7. UPSLIS, December 16, 2020, Quezon City, Philippines. (virtual). <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wmgzKCTX5Hg>
- Perez, P.** (2020, October). *Gathering Data from the Web: Web Scraping with Python*. Joint Webinar of UPSLIS and the Universiti of Teknologi Mara (Malaysia), October 9, 2020, Quezon City, Philippines. (virtual). <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=SNwWn9ppzrU>
- Perez, P.** (2020, September). *Online Teaching Aids for LIS Educators*. 2020 UPSLIS Lecture Series, September 2, 2020, Quezon City, Philippines. (virtual). <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Niq2Uwd-4cQ&t=2885s>
- Perez, P.** (2020, February). *How to Commit: A Crash Course on Using Git and GitHub*. 2020 UPSLIS Lecture Series, February 14, 2020, Quezon City, Philippines.

Organized

- Faculty Room (10 Episodes). A YouTube series where we invite LIS Educators and interview them about their professional and personal lives. 2020 – 2021. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=A6yUnrDMwIE&list=PLgxUS-UK3K8libqjG67sHyQXVxpEgx7gG>
- UP SLIS@60 Webinar Wednesdays (10 episodes). An online webinar where we invite local and international LIS scholars and practitioners to talk about their expertise. 2021 – 2022. <https://www.youtube.com/user/UPSLIS/videos>

WORKSHOPS

Organized

Workshop on Foundations of Digitization and Digital Preservation with Dr. Maureen Henninger. UP Film Institute – Film Center, September 1 – 2, 2022, Quezon City, Philippines.

2022 UP SLIS Research Bootcamp: Research for LIS Educators with Dr. Michael Olsson. UP School of Library and Information Studies, June 27 – August 29, 2022, Quezon City, Philippines. (virtual)

2021 UP SLIS Research Bootcamp: Information and Knowledge Research with Dr. Michael Olsson. UP School of Library and Information Studies, August 9 – 25, 2021, Quezon City, Philippines. (virtual)

Invited as speaker

Building Digital Collections using Minimal Computing: A Workshop with CollectionBuilder. Open Culture for Outstanding Services Webinar Series by the UP Library Science Alumni Association, November 19, 2022, Manila, Philippines. (virtual)

Building a Digital Community Archives: Tools and Technologies. 8th Association of Special Libraries of the Philippines (ASLP) Congress, October 27 – 29, 2021, Manila, Philippines. (virtual)

LIS Teacher Training on Programming Fundamentals. A Project of UP SLIS funded by the National Committee on Libraries and Information Services of the National Commission for Culture and Arts, November 30, 2020 – January 4, 2021, Quezon City, Philippines. (virtual)

TEACHING

Certifications

2020 Certificate in Teaching Effectiveness
Office of the Advancement of Teaching, University of the Philippines Diliman

Teaching Experience

Designed, handled, and taught a total of 93 units in the UP School of Library and Information Studies from 2019 – present, with an average of 1.5 out of 1.0 (pre-pandemic) and 4.7 out of 5.0 (pandemic) on student evaluations. The following are the courses I have handled (all in the undergraduate level):

- LIS 10 – Information and Society
- LIS 51 – Introduction to Librarianship and Information Science
- LIS 160 – ICTs in LIS I (The Internet, The Web, Digital Libraries, and Emerging Technologies in LIS)
- LIS 161 – ICTs in LIS II (Systems Analysis and Design, and Programming)
- LIS 181 – Field Work
- National Service Training Program (Digital Curation)

Term	Section	Course and Description	Units	No. Students	Student Evaluations
1st sem 2019-2020	THY1	LIS 51 – Introduction to LIS	3	39	1.2775 (out of 1)
1st sem 2019-2020	THX3	LIS 160 – ICTs in LIS I	3	31	1.4212 (out of 1)
1st sem 2019-2020	WFY2	LIS 160 – ICTs in LIS I	3	31	1.3481 (out of 1)
1st sem 2019-2020	THU3	LIS 161 – ICTs in LIS II	3	13	1.9475 (out of 1)
2nd sem 2019-2020	WFW4	LIS 10 – Information and Society	3	27	N/A (due to COVID-19)
2nd sem 2019-2020	WFX2	LIS 10 – Information and Society	3	19	N/A (due to COVID-19)

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2nd sem 2019-2020	THX3	LIS 160 – ICTs in LIS I	3	9	N/A (due to COVID-19)
2nd sem 2019-2020	THRU1	LIS 161 – ICTs in LIS II	3	23	N/A (due to COVID-19)
2nd sem 2019-2020	WFRU2	LIS 161 – ICTs in LIS II	3	24	N/A (due to COVID-19)
1st sem 2020-2021	MIJK1	NSTP - Digital Curation	3	40	4.7861 (out of 5)
1st sem 2020-2021	WFU3	LIS 51 – Introduction to LIS	3	18	4.8275 (out of 5)
1st sem 2020-2021	THU3	LIS 160 – ICTs in LIS I	3	26	4.5873 (out of 5)
1st sem 2020-2021	WFW3	LIS 160 – ICTs in LIS I	3	16	4.3667 (out of 5)
2nd sem 2020-2021	MIJK1	NSTP - Digital Curation	3	40	4.4386 (out of 5)
2nd sem 2020-2021	WFX3	LIS 51 – Introduction to LIS	3	10	4.9417 (out of 5)
2nd sem 2020-2021	WFW2	LIS 160 – ICTs in LIS I	3	8	4.9600 (out of 5)
2nd sem 2020-2021	THW3	LIS 161 – ICTs in LIS II	3	25	4.6012 (out of 5)
2nd sem 2020-2021	THX2	LIS 161 – ICTs in LIS II	3	13	4.9167 (out of 5)
1st sem 2021-2022	MIJK1	NSTP - Digital Curation	3	45	4.4450 (out of 5)
1st sem 2021-2022	THU1	LIS 160 – ICTs in LIS I	3	19	4.8370 (out of 5)
1st sem 2021-2022	THY2	LIS 160 – ICTs in LIS I	3	19	4.6400 (out of 5)
1st sem 2021-2022	WFU2	LIS 161 – ICTs in LIS II	3	10	4.8250 (out of 5)
2nd sem 2021-2022	MIJK1	NSTP - Digital Curation	3	46	4.6850 (out of 5)
2nd sem 2021-2022	THX1	LIS 160 – ICTs in LIS I	3	13	4.7176 (out of 5)
2nd sem 2021-2022	THU3	LIS 161 – ICTs in LIS II	3	24	4.7778 (out of 5)
Midyear 2021-2022	X3	LIS 180 - Field Work	3	25	4.8828 (out of 5)
1st sem 2022-2023	MIJK2	NSTP - Digital Curation	3	29	4.7445 (out of 5)
1st sem 2022-2023	THU1	LIS 160 – ICTs in LIS I	3	22	4.7744 (out of 5)
1st sem 2022-2023	THX1	LIS 160 – ICTs in LIS I	3	25	4.8105 (out of 5)
1st sem 2022-2023	WFU3	LIS 160 – ICTs in LIS I	3	20	4.9758 (out of 5)
1st sem 2022-2023	THW3	LIS 161 – ICTs in LIS II	3	11	4.6933 (out of 5)
2nd sem 2022-2023	MCDE1	NSTP - Digital Curation	3	14	4.5857 (out of 5)
2nd sem 2022-2023	MIJK1	NSTP - Digital Curation	3	15	4.6303 (out of 5)
2nd sem 2022-2023	WIJK1	LIS 161 – ICTs in LIS II	3	20	4.8105 (out of 5)
2nd sem 2022-2023	TIJK1	LIS 161 – ICTs in LIS II	3	20	4.9754 (out of 5)
2023 - present (On study-leave for my PhD)					
Total			105	789	Pre-2020: 1.5 (out of 1) 2020-2023: 4.7 (out of 5)

MENTORSHIP

Thesis and Capstone Project Advising

Served as thesis adviser to four (5) undergraduate theses (1 ongoing) and served as a reader to two (2) graduate special problem.

Undergraduate Thesis Adviser of:

2022 Que, Arvin Raphael. A Study on the Ethical Practices Considered During the Contact Tracing Among Local Government Units in the National Capital Region. Requirement for the degree of Bachelor of

Library and Information Science

Torres, Stephen Jorel. A Phenomenological Study on the Experiences of UP Faculty Members in Migrating to Remote Learning Setup During the COVID-19 Pandemic. Requirement for the degree of Bachelor of Library and Information Science.

Padilla, Diego Alfonso. A Study of the Information Seeking Behavior Exhibited by Final Fantasy XIV Players. Requirement for the degree of Bachelor of Library and Information Science.

2021 Calceta, Anne Frances. The Design and Development of a Serious Game to Introduce LIS Concepts. Requirement for the degree of Bachelor of Library and Information Science.

Dumlao, Mark Xavier. Implications of Research Practices in STEM on Establishing Research Data Management Services: The Case of UP Diliman. Requirement for the degree of Bachelor of Library and Information Science.

Graduate Special Problem Reader of:

2022 Bantatua, Teresita. Documentation and Promotion of the Kapakyanan Festival or Oriental Mindoro Through an Online Virtual Exhibit. Requirement for the degree of Master of Library and Information Science.

2021 Santos, Patcheska Dewi. Design and Implementation of a Knowledge Base for the Office of the Vice Mayor of Marikina City's COVID-19 Efforts. Requirement for the degree of Master of Library and Information Science.

UNIVERSITY SERVICE and ADMINISTRATIVE APPOINTMENT

University of the Philippines

- 2020 – present *NSTP Coordinator*, UP SLIS
- 2021 – 2022 *Head*, UP SLIS@60 Celebration, UP SLIS
- 2021 Project Leader, UP SLIS@60 Digital Exhibit (<http://60.upslis.info/>)
- 2021 – present *Chair*, Best Thesis Award Committee, UP SLIS
- 2021 – present *Member*, Research and Publications Committee, UP SLIS
- 2021 – present *Member*, Linkages Committee, UP SLIS

EXTRACURRICULAR UNIVERSITY SERVICE, as student

University of Technology Sydney

- 2018 – 2019 *Founding Member and Vice-President*, UTS Filipino Society

University of the Philippines

- 2012 – 2013 *Vice-Chairperson*, UP SLIS Student Council

COMMUNITY SERVICE, EXTENSION PROJECTS, and CONSULTANCY

Community service and extension projects, unpaid

- 2021 *Consultant*, Commission on Human Rights Digital Archive (<http://kibo.chr.gov.ph/>)

Professional Projects and Consulting Services, paid

- 2021 – 2022 *Lead Programmer*, UP Manila Rizal Hall@100 Digital Exhibit (<https://cas.upm.edu.ph/rizalhall@100/>)
- 2021 – present *Lead Programmer*, Philippine Food History Project (<https://felicepstamaria.net/>)

2021 – present *Lead Programmer, UP Sigma Delta Pi Alumnae Association Digital Archive*

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATION and SERVICE TO THE PROFESSION

Service to Professional Organization in Elected Capacity

2022 – present *President, Philippine Association of Teachers of Library and Information Science, Inc.*
2020 – 2022 *Secretary, Philippine Association of Teachers of Library and Information Science, Inc.*
2021 – 2022 *Webmaster and Communications Officer, ASIS&T SIG-III*

Journal and Conference Review

Journals

Cosmopolitan Civil Societies: An Interdisciplinary Journal 2021

Conferences

Asia-Pacific Library and Information Education and Practice (A-LIEP) Conference 2021

Conference Organizing

Asia-Pacific Library and Information Education and Practice (ALIEP)
Organizing Committee Member: 2021
Philippine Librarians Association, Inc. (PLAI) Congress
Technical Committee Member: 2020, 2021

Membership in Professional Associations

Philippine Librarians Association, Inc. (PLAI)
Philippine Association of Teachers of Library and Information Science, Inc. (PATLS)
Association for Information Science and Technology (ASIS&T)

NON-ACADEMIC PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENTS

Employment

2018 *Student Caller Representative, University of Technology Sydney*
2014 - 2017 *Senior ICT Associate, UP Information Technology Development Center*
2011 – 2012 *Reports Analyst for AT&T Mobility, Convergys Philippines Corp.*
2010 – 2011 *Technical Support Specialist for AT&T U-verse, Convergys Philippines Corp.*

Internships

2019 *Global Trade Accelerator Consultant, Practera, Sydney, Australia*
2018 *Student Placement, University of Sydney Fisher Library, Sydney, Australia*

Certifications

2016 *Registered Librarian (4th place out of 738 passers), Librarians Licensure Examination, Professional Regulation Commission, Philippines.*