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For developing and leading systemic and sustainable models of intentional information literacy learning which empowers students as independent, discerning and masterful users of information.

Information literacy (IL) is a keystone capability for productive and fulfilling personal, social, educational and career outcomes for students. To me, it is a capability which enhances the adaptability and autonomy of and for our graduates.
extensive leadership in developing and implementing systemic, systematic and sustainable initiatives which can enable and empower QUT students as critical and independent users of information initiatives which foster essential IL knowledge, skills and understanding within the QUT community, and propagate models of effective practice in terms of IL learning outcomes, curriculum structure and assessment
Selection criteria

Approaches to teaching that influence, motivate and inspire students to learn

Development of curricula and resources that reflect a command of the field

Scholarly activities that have influenced and enhanced learning and teaching
Selected initiatives

Policy creation; development of performance measurement and evaluation tools and processes; establishment of learning and skills frameworks and systems; curriculum and learning resource development; publication and presentation; and leadership in staff development.

Within QUT

developed and led the implementation of the QUT IL Framework & Syllabus, a model for intentional IL learning

led development of two significant learning tools: (i) PILOT: Your Information Navigator - a comprehensive online tutorial for undergraduates (since customised by over 15 national and international institutions); (ii) IFN001: AIRS Online - a unique online advanced research skills course for higher degree research students

led development of a KPI methodology and tool to enable critical analysis of the capacity of the curriculum to engender effective IL learning outcomes and opportunities

coordinator of the EduLib staff development program for teaching librarians to develop pedagogical and practical skills and capabilities

member of the working party for the review and finalisation of the QUT Graduate Capabilities policy

member of the QUT First Year Experience Priority Projects committees for (i) academic literacies, (ii) orientation standards and (iii) first year curriculum, with a view to enhancing student transition and improving the student experience across the university
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to QUT

member of the Editorial Teams and contributing author for the ANZ Information Literacy Standards (1st & 2nd editions)

over 20 published journal articles, book chapters and conference papers on the teaching and learning of IL

commissioned workshop facilitator and/or staff development/program consultant for over 14 national and international universities in Canada, Australia, New Zealand and Sweden

invited speaker at over 10 national and international conferences and symposia, including 6 keynote addresses

active contribution to the missions of international, national and state associations and peak bodies, such as CAUL, ATN, IFLA, QULOC and ANZIIL
This citation was – of all things – a true team effort.