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# **EDUCATION**

Master of Mass Communication Manship School of Mass Communication, Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge, La	. 2006
Public Relations Concentration Thesis: An Investigation of Focus: Local, Regional and National Newspaper Coverage i Hurricane Katrina	
Bachelor of Arts, Journalism—News Writing Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge, La.	1977
POSITIONS	
Instructor Manship School of Mass Communication Coordinate entry-level media writing classes Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge, La.	Fall 2008-Present
Adjunct Instructor Manship School of Mass Communication Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge, La.	Fall 2007
Program CoordinatorJanCenter for Community Engagement, Learning, and LeadershipLouisiana State University, Baton Rouge, La.	uary 2005-Fall 2008
<b>Private Consultant, Group/Individual Grammar/Writing, elementary school-colleg</b> Baton Rouge, La.	ge 1989-Present
Non-Profit Public Relations Publications The Medical Centers of West Africa, Inc. Baton Rouge, La.	2001-Present
Managing Editor Daily Comet, New York Times Affiliate Newspaper Group Thibodaux, La.	1980-1983
<b>Reporter</b> <b>Daily Comet, Thibodaux, La.</b> Thibodaux, La.	1978-1980
Photographer, Darkroom Technician Denham Springs News, Denham Springs, La.	1977-1978

## **CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS**

- Dill, R. (2012). "Festival Fiasco: Teaching students to plan, think, and write across platforms." Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication Annual Conference, Chicago, Illinois.
- Dill, R. (March 2008). "Wearing the PR Hat: Communicating Your Service-Learning Message on a Shoestring." Gulf-South Summit on Service-Learning and Civic Engagement in Higher Education Annual Conference, Nashville, Tenn.
- Dill, R. & Wu, D. (2007). "Lessons Learned from Covering Katrina: Comparing Local, Regional, and National Newspapers and Staff Perspectives." Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication Annual Conference, Washington, D.C.
- Shoemaker, J., Dill, R., Allen, P., Lima, M., & Seghers, C. (2007) "Reflecting on Our Response to Crisis: Civic Engagement in a Post-Katrina Context." American Association of Colleges and Universities Annual Conference, New Orleans, La.

## **PUBLICATIONS**

Dill, R. & Wu, D. (Winter, 2009). "Lessons Learned from Covering Katrina: Comparing Local, Regional, and National Newspapers and Staff Perspectives," *Newspaper Research Journal* 

R. Dill (2010) "Local Coverage: Anticipating the Needs of Readers." In R. Izard & J. Perkins (Eds.), *Covering Disaster: Lessons from Media Coverage of Katrina and Rita* (pp. 39-54) Transaction Publishers

#### PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS AND PUBLIC SERVICE

Women in Media (Baton Rouge, Louisiana)Society of Professional JournalistsAssociation for Education in Journalism and Mass CommunicationVice President, The Medical Centers of West Africa, Inc., Baton Rouge, La.

## ADMINISTRATIVE DUTIES, UNIVERSITY SERVICE, COMMITTEE WORK

Coordinator, Entry-Level Media Writing sections, LSU Manship School of Mass Communication Manship School Journalism Area Committee LSU Student Media Board Manship School applicant screening committee Faculty Adviser, Manship School Ambassadors Faculty Adviser, Manship School Grammar Boot Camp and AP Quiz Bowl LSU Service-Learning Advisory Council LSU Communication across the Curriculum Advisory Council

#### AWARDS

- 2012: Second Place, Best Practices in Teaching Writing, Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication annual conference, Chicago, Illinois
- 2011 LSU Tiger Athletic Foundation Teaching Award, University College
- 2010 LSU Tiger Athletic Foundation Teaching Award, Manship School of Mass Communication
- 2011 Nominee, George H. Deer Distinguished Teaching Award