



The Environment and Technology librarian:

**a new professional's perspective,
making the role your own**

What?

- my library route/roots
- first professional role
- making the role my own
- the future of my role

My library route/roots

Careers Information Officer

MA Information Studies

Library Shelver

Assistant Information Adviser

What next?

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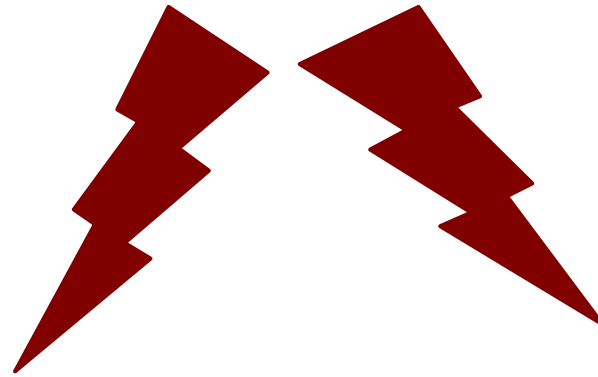
First professional role

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Assistant
Information
Adviser

School of
Environment and
Technology

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Assistant
Information
Adviser

School of
Computing
Engineering and
Maths

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Making the role my own

I want to....



Making the role my own

I want people to...



...my professional opinion

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Some things seem obvious but...

- know my academics
- know my students
- know my researchers
- know my school staff
- know my subjects



Be involved in all ... but how?

Making the role my own

Connect...

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Brief description: I am an Assistant Information Adviser for the School of Environment and Technology.

Location: aldrich library, 2nd floor

Interests: ooh too many things to mention!

Skills: need help finding information for an assignment? can't figure out those databases? looking for journal articles? trying to find resources on your reading list? ask me!

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About me
I'm here to help with all things library for the School of Environment and Technology. If you're involved in learning about, researching or teaching the built environment, civil engineering, geography or geology, then I'm your librarian!

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The Library Team supporting the students on Built Environment, Civil Engineering and Geography, Geology, Env Science courses.
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STUDY

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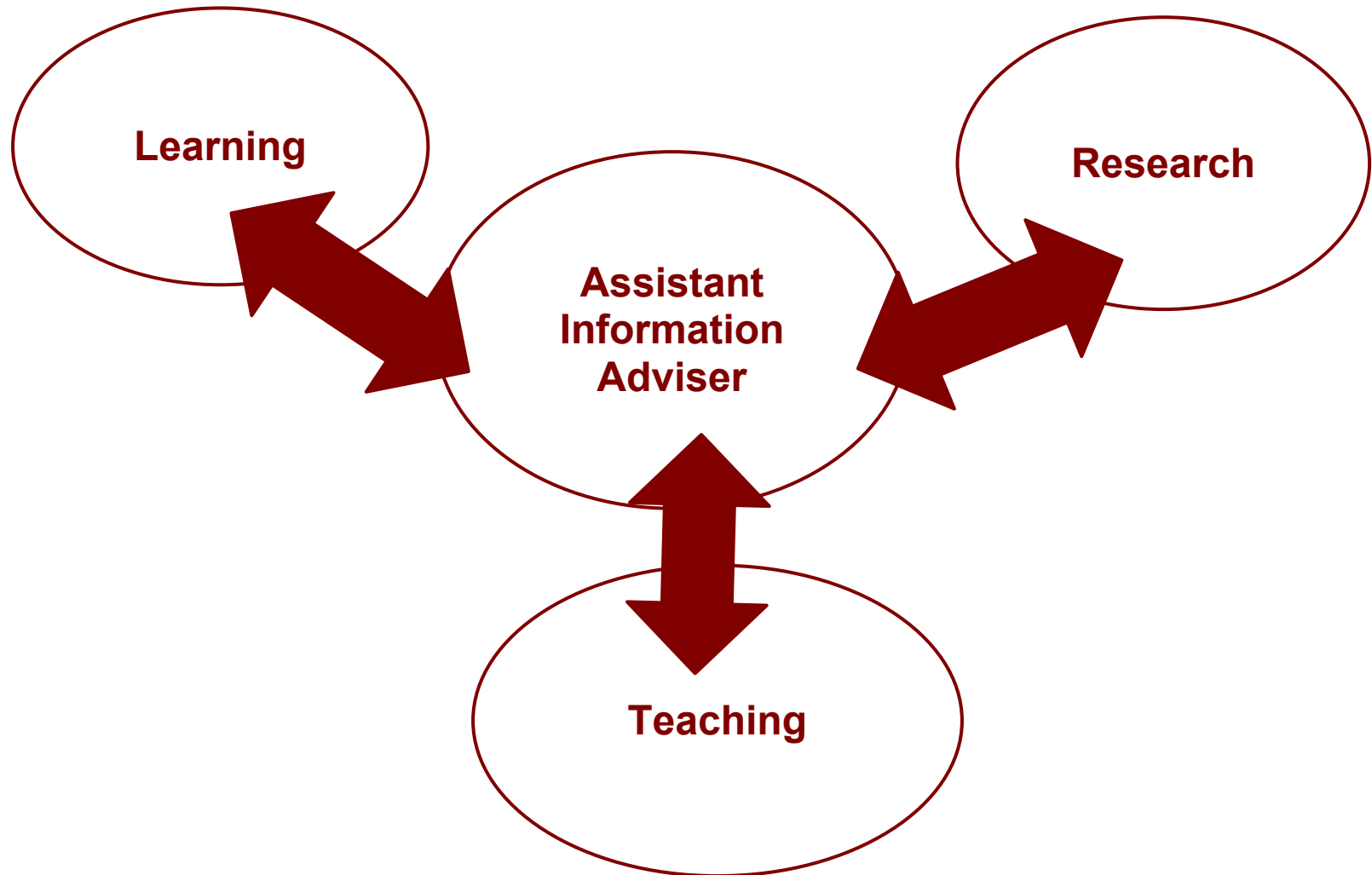
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ideas

Making the role my own



Making the role my own

Demonstrating value

Working collaboratively

Sharing success



I must be doing something right

Fabulous Emma

I am really pleased for you ~ this is a huge recognition of your skills and ability... we are extremely lucky to have you working with us Emma...

Thank You Emma and keep up the great performance and desire to develop and support our staff and students.

Regards

Dr Philip Ashton

Principal Lecturer

Assistant Head of School – Environment & Technology

Head of the Built Environment & Civil Engineering Division

Dear Emma

Many congratulations. I am always very impressed with your proactive approach which is something that characterises UoB Info Services in comparison to other institutions

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University of Brighton

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Student feedback...

University of Brighton
Information Services
libraries, media and computing

NATIONAL LIBRARIES DAY

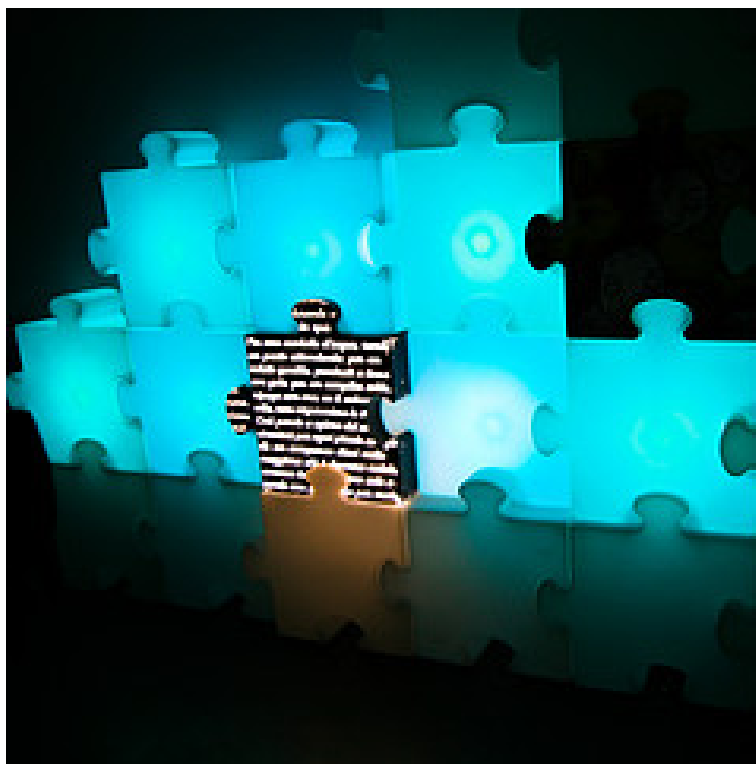
Tell us what you think!

I love my library because...

*Emma is amazing
Staff always helpful
Online library is great
Well organised*

the future of my role

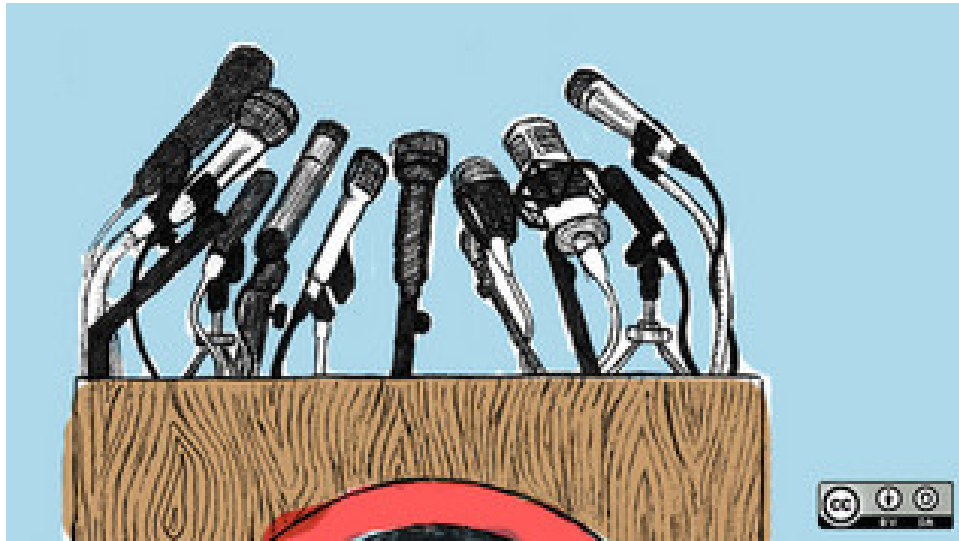
I want to be...



...an 'embedded librarian'

advice?

You tell me, please...



...how can I develop the role further?

Thank you...

Continue our conversation...

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