

Marita Ahola CV

Personal Skills

- good co-operation and social skills
 - eager to develop functions and herself
 - active and energetic
 - networking
 - good problem solving abilities
- language skills:**
- Finnish as the first language
 - good spoken and written skills in English and Swedish
 - German satisfactory, Italian basics

Work Experience in Libraries

Head of Library Services and Deputy Director, Tritonia- Academic Library 01/2010-

- responsibility of the library's local services for the five Higher Educations Schools
- responsibility of library statistics and questionnaires

Library Director, Vaasa University of Applied Sciences 02/2004-12/2009

- responsibility of the library services and the staff

Special Librarian, Espoo City Library 11/2003-01/2004

- providing library services for children

Librarian, the Finnish Border Guard, Border and Coast Guard Academy 01/1998-11/2003

- establishment and development the library

Student Worker at the Customer Services, Oulu University Library 08/1992-08/1994 and 01-12/1997

Library Trainee, Oulu University Library 05-08/1992

Library Trainee, Oulu City Library 06-07/1993 and 08/1996

Library assistant, Oulu City Library 01-05/1989 and 06/1989-02/1992

Library assistant, Oulu City Library 09/1984-05/1985

Qualifications

Oulu University, Information Science, Master of Arts 12/1997 (major: information science, minors: sociology, literature, history of ideas and knowledge, feminist research)

Oulun Lyseo Upper Secondary School, graduate 05/1983

Complementary Qualifications and Education

LIBER Emerging Leaders: International Development Programme for the Leaders of Tomorrow's Libraries 2013-2014

Future Vaasa – The Strategic Development Programme for the City of Vaasa, Management Institute of Finland 04-09/2008

Special qualification in leadership, Management Institute of Finland /2005- 2007

Current confidential posts and working groups

The Finnish Research Library Association, board member 2013-2016

National Group for Libraries Efficiency 2013-2015

The AMKIT Consortium for UAS Libraries board member 2014-2015, vice-chair 2015

SPECIA- Experts and Managerial Professionals Association, board member 2013-2016, vice-chair 2014

Akava Special Branches 2015-2016 **substitute** board member

Akava Special Branches, Committee for Higher Education, chair 2013-2014, member 2015-2016