

## Author Biographies

**Filippa Anzalone** Professor Filippa Marullo Anzalone has served as Professor of Law and Associate Dean for Library and Technology Services at Boston College Law School since August 2002. She teaches an Art Law Seminar and a Seminar for the Law School's Semester in Practice Program. Professor Anzalone has taught Advanced Legal Research. Professor Anzalone's scholarly interests are legal education and student formation, especially preparing lawyers for the rigors of 21st century practice; art law; higher education management; and law library leadership.

Before joining Boston College Law School, Professor Anzalone was at Northeastern University School of Law School for almost eleven years. Prior to entering higher education, Professor Anzalone worked in law firm libraries and public libraries. Before her career in legal education and libraries, Professor Anzalone has had experience in retail, as a nursing home aide, and babysitting. Much to her mom's chagrin, Professor Anzalone's favorite job was working in the Cara Dona Bakery. Professor Anzalone received an A.B. from Smith College in 1975, a M.S.L.S. from Simmons College Graduate School of Library Science in 1977, and a J.D. from Suffolk University Law School in 1985. She and her husband Antonio have two adult daughters, Patricia and Lucia, and two cats.

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**Trey Gardner** is the founder of Koios, a digital marketing firm dedicated to helping libraries show up online. Going from special collections to startups, Trey has spent his career at the intersection of physical and digital information. He is a prominent speaker and writer on the future of libraries, library user experience, and library marketing. He and his wife, Andrea, live in Arlington, Virginia. A.M.D.G.

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**Michael Harris** graduated with a B.A. in Radio TV Communication from Cleveland State University in 1972. He received his MLS from Kent State University in 1975. He worked at Euclid Public Library in northeast Ohio from 1976–1989, serving as Science/Technology Librarian, Teen Librarian and Head of Technology. In 1989 he accepted the position of Branch Manager at the Brunswick Community Library, the largest branch of the Medina County District Library system. He served as Interim Director for the year Medina celebrated being named Library of the Year by Library Journal and Gale Publishing. He was later named Director. After completing the passage of a forty-two million dollar bond issue that built and expanded libraries throughout the county and a replacement operating levy that shifted

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**Megan Hartline** is the Head of Access and Public Services at Auraria Library, serving two universities, a community college, and the public in downtown Denver. Her focus as a library leader is on creating great experiences for library users and great careers for library employees. She received a B.A. in English and a graduate certificate in Nonprofit Leadership, both from Grand Valley State University, and a Master of Science in Information from the University of Michigan. Megan edits *Library Lost & Found*, a blog offering inspiration and resources for library leaders.

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