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Employment

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| 2000-present | Senior Lecturer, Department of Computer Science, The University of Texas at Austin. |
| 2000-2002 | Associate Chair for Academic Affairs, Department of Computer Sciences, The University of Texas at Austin. |
| 1998-2000 | Adjunct Associate Professor, Department of Computer Sciences, The University of Texas at Austin. |
| 1988-1993 | Director, Artificial Intelligence Laboratory, Microelectronics and Computer Technology Corporation (MCC), Texas. |
| 1987-1988 | Associate Director, Human Interface Laboratory, MCC. |
| 1985-1987 | Member, Technical Staff, Human Interface Laboratory. Team Leader, Knowledge-Based Natural Language Project, MCC. |
| 1979-1984 | Assistant Professor, Department of Computer Sciences, The University of Texas at Austin. |

Education

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| Ph.D. | Computer Science, Carnegie-Mellon University, 1979. Thesis title: <i>Building and Exploiting User Models</i> . |
| A. B. | Independent Concentration in Linguistics and Applied Mathematics, Brown University, <i>magna cum laude</i> , 1972. |

Courses Taught

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| CS 302 | Computer Fluency (2011 - present) As Associate Chair for Academics in 2002, I created this class as our department's first foray into large-scale teaching of nonmajors. I began teaching it myself in Spring, 2011. |
| CS 329E | Elements of Computing in Society (2010) A nonmajors version of my CS 349. |
| LIN 340/ CS 341 | Automata Theory (1998 – present) My experience teaching this class, and my realization of the need to motivate CS students to see why learning theory matters, inspired me to write my book, <i>Automata Theory</i> . |
| CS 341H | Honors Automata Theory (2007, 2008, 2010). |
| CS 343 | Artificial Intelligence (1980 - 1984, then again 2004 – 2006) The 1980 - 1984 experience (along with CS 381K) inspired me to write the first edition of my book, <i>Artificial Intelligence</i> . |
| CS 345 | Programming Languages (1979 - 1984) |
| CS 349 | Contemporary Issues in CS (2008 - present) Completely redesigned this class, including augmenting the technical communication aspect to include student video production. |
| CS 378 | Natural Language Processing. |
| CS 381K | Artificial Intelligence (1980 - 1984). |
| CS 395T | Intelligent User Interfaces (ca. 1984). |
| NSC 110 | Deans Scholars Seminar (2001 - 2010) Approximately once a year. Topics have included: <i>Guns, Germs and Steel</i> , Artificial Intelligence, Do Scientists Have Crystal Balls, Gender Differences in Color Vocabularies, Mirrors on Ourselves, and Science in Society. |
| FS 301/UGS 302 | Freshman Seminar: Mirrors on Ourselves. (2007 - present) Humankind's quest to create artificial copies of ourselves, from early legend to 19 th century mechanical automata to modern AI and robotics. |

Publications

Edited Publications

J. M. Lemm, E. A. Rich, G. Wiederhold and M. Harrison (eds), *Advanced Software Applications in Japan*. William Andrew Publishing, 1995.

Books

E. A. Rich, K. Knight and S. B. Nair, *Artificial Intelligence*, 3rd Edition (568 pages). Tata McGraw-Hill, 2009.

E. A. Rich, *Automata, Computability, and Complexity: Theory and Applications* (1100 pages). Prentice-Hall, 2008.

E. A. Rich and K. Knight, *Artificial Intelligence*, 2nd Edition (620 pages). McGraw-Hill, 1991. Translated into Spanish and Italian.

E. A. Rich, *Artificial Intelligence*. (440 pages). McGraw-Hill, 1983. Translated into: Japanese, Spanish, Portuguese, Italian, German and French.

Surveys, Editorials, and Reviews

E. A. Rich, "Intelligent Interfaces", in *Advances in Artificial Intelligence Research, Volume 1*, Mark Fishman (ed). Greenwich, Connecticut: JAI Press, pages 3-30, 1989.

E. A. Rich, "Artificial Intelligence", in *Encyclopedia of Artificial Intelligence*, S. Shapiro (ed.). New York: John Wiley Sons, pages 9-16, 1987.

E. A. Rich, "Natural Language Interfaces", in *Readings in Human-Computer Interaction: A Multidisciplinary Approach*, R. Baeker & W. Buxton (eds.). Los Altos, CA: Morgan Kaufmann Publishers, pp. 442-450, 1987.

E. A. Rich, "Natural Language Interfaces", *IEEE Computer*, September, 1984, pp. 39-47.

E. A. Rich, "Research at The University of Texas", *The AI Magazine*, Winter, 1983, pp. 55-57.

Book Chapters

E. A. Rich, "Planning, Reacting, and Communicating", in *Communication from an Artificial Intelligence Perspective*, A. Ortony, J. Slack, O. Stock (eds.), pages 145-168, 1992.

W. Hill, J. Hollan, J. Miller, E. A. Rich, W. Wilner, K. Wittenburg, and D. Wroblewski, "An Introduction to HITS: Human Interface Tool Suite", in *Architectures for Intelligent Interfaces: Elements and Prototypes*, J. W. Sullivan & S. W. Tyler (eds), 1991.

E. A. Rich, J. Barnett, I. Mani, C. Aone, K. Knight, and J.C. Martinez, "Knowledge Based Machine Translation", in *Frontiers in Knowledge-Based Computing*, V. Bhatkar and K. Rege (eds.). New Delhi: Narosa Publishing House, 1991.

E. A. Rich, "Stereotypes and User Modelling", in *User Modelling in Dialog Systems*, A. Kobsa & W. Wahlster (eds.). Springer-Verlag, pages 35-51, 1989.

E. A. Rich, "Rationality and Creativity in Artificial Intelligence", in *Expert Systems and Knowledge Engineering*, T. Bernold (ed.), New York: North-Holland, pages 7-16, 1986.

E. A. Rich, "Users are Individuals: Individualizing User Models", in *Intelligent Information Systems*, Roy Davies (ed.). Chichester: Ellis Horwood, pages 184-201, 1986.

E. A. Rich and A. Temin, "MIRROR: A Language for Representing Programs for Reasoning", in *The Role of Language in Problem Solving I*, R. Jernigan, B.W. Hamill and D. M. Weintraub (eds), Elsevier, pages 177-188, 1985.

Journal Articles

J. Barnett, K. Knight, I. Mani, E. A. Rich, "Knowledge and Natural Language Processing", *Communications of the ACM*, August, 1990, pp. 50-71.

W. Myers, "Expert Interview. Elaine Rich – Expert Systems and Neural Networks Can Work Together", *IEEE Expert*, 5(5), 1990, pp 5-7.

E. A. Rich, "The Gradual Expansion of Artificial Intelligence," *IEEE Computer*, May, 1984, pp. 4-12.

E. A. Rich, "Artificial Intelligence and the Humanities," *Computers and the Humanities*, Fall, 1984.

- E. A. Rich, "Users are Individuals: Individualizing User Models," *International Journal of Man Machine Studies*, 18, 1983, pp. 199-214.
- E. A. Rich, "User Modeling via Stereotypes," *Cognitive Science*, 3, 1979, pp. 329-354. Reprinted in *Readings in Intelligent User Interfaces*, M. T. Maybury and W. Wahlster (eds.), Morgan Kaufmann, 1998, with a short reflection article following.
- E. A. Rich, "Sex Related Differences in Colour Vocabulary," *Language and Speech*, December, 1978, pp. 404-409.

Articles in Conference Proceedings

- E. A. Rich, "Portable NL Systems: Across Applications, Languages, and Knowledge Bases," *Proceedings of Avignon '92: Twelfth International Conference on Artificial Intelligence, Expert Systems, and Natural Language*, Avignon, France, June, 1992.
- E. A. Rich and D. Wroblewski, "Luke: An Experiment in the Early Integration of Natural Language Processing," *Proceedings of the 2nd ACL Conference on Applied Natural Language Processing*, 1988.
- E. A. Rich and S. Luperfoy, "An Architecture for Anaphora Resolution," *Proceedings of the 2nd ACL Conference on Applied Natural Language Processing*, 1988.
- J. Barnett, E. A. Rich, K. Wittenburg, and D. Wroblewski, "Ambiguity Procrastination," *Proceedings AAAI-87*, 1987.
- D. Sleeman, D. Appelt, K. Konolge, E. A. Rich, NS Sridharan, and B. Swartout, "User Modeling Panel", *Proceedings of IJCAI 9*, 1985, pp. 1298-1302.
- E. A. Rich, "Natural Language Understanding: How Natural Can it Be?" *Proceedings of the Second IEEE Conference on Artificial Intelligence Applications*, December, 1985, pp 372-377.
- E. A. Rich, "Default Reasoning as Likelihood Reasoning," *Proceedings AAAI-83*, 1983, pp. 348-351.
- E. A. Rich, "Programs as Data for Their Help Systems," *Proc. NCC*, 1982, pp. 481-485.
- E. A. Rich, "Building and Exploiting Individual User Models", *IJCAI 6*, 1979, pp. 720-722.

Articles in Workshop and Symposium Proceedings

- E. A. Rich, "Knowledge Engineering for Natural Language Processing," *Proceedings of the Fifth International Symposium on Knowledge Engineering*. Seville, Spain, October, 1992.
- J. Barnett, I. Mani, P. Martin and E. A. Rich, "Reversible Machine Translation: What to Do When the Languages Don't Line Up," *Proceedings of the ACL Workshop on Reversible Grammars in Natural Language Processing*, 1991.
- J. Barnett, I. Mani, E. A. Rich, C. Aone, K. Knight and J. C. Martinez, "Capturing Language-Specific Semantic Distinctions in Interlingua-Based MT," *Proceedings of Machine Translation Summit III*, 1991.
- J. Barnett, I. Mani, E. A. Rich, C. Aone, K. Knight and J. C. Martinez, "Resolving Translation Mismatches and Divergences in an Interlingua-Based MT System", *Proceedings of International Workshop on Fundamental Research for the Future Generation of Natural Language Processing*, Kyoto, Japan, pages 127-146, 1991.
- R. M. Cohen, T. P. McCandless, and E. A. Rich, "A Problem Solving Approach to Human-Computer Interface Management," *Proceedings of Workshop on Blackboard Systems, IJCAI-89*, 1989.
- K. Knight, E. A. Rich, and D. Wroblewski, "Integrating Language Acquisition and Knowledge Acquisition," *Proceedings of Workshop on Automated Tools for Lexical Acquisition, IJCAI-89*, 1989.
- J. Hollan, J. Miller, E. A. Rich, W. Wilner, "Knowledge Bases and Tools for Building Integrated Multimedia Intelligent Interfaces," *Proceedings of Workshop on Architectures for Intelligent Interfaces: Elements and Prototypes*, 1988.
- A. Temin and E. A. Rich, "Automating the Desk Analysis of Programs," *Proceedings of the Twentieth Annual Hawaii International Conference on System Sciences*, 1987, pp. 54-63.
- A. Temin and E. A. Rich, "Representing Programs for Reasoning," *Proceedings of the Symposium on the Role of Language in Problem Solving*, October, 1984.
- E. A. Rich, "Inference and Use of Simple Predictive Grammars", *Proceedings of the IEEE Symposium on Speech Recognition*, 1974, p. 242.

Research Support

At the University of Texas

“Individual User Models in Computer Systems”, \$56,315. National Science Foundation, August, 1980.

(with J.C. Browne, A.G. Dale, D.I. Good, and A. Silberschatz) “An Experimental Computing Facility to Support the Design and Analysis of Reliable, High-Performance, Distributed Systems”, \$3,700,000. National Science Foundation, June, 1982.

(with G. Novak, R. Simmons, and V. Kumar) “Support for an A.I. Laboratory”, \$1,300,000. Army Research Office, June, 1984.

(with J Moore) “Target Diversity: Increasing Graduation Rates by Recruiting and Retaining Underrepresented Populations”, \$198,000. Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board.

At MCC

Commercial support for natural language processing research, \$900,000/year.

Awards and Honors

- Phi Beta Kappa Award for Distinction in Teaching nomination, 2010
- My book, *Artificial Intelligence*, appeared on Techoozie’s list, “10 Books that Will Substitute a Computer Science Degree”, June, 2008:
<http://www.techoozie.com/10-books-that-will-substitute-a-computer-science-degree/>
- Natural Sciences Council, Faculty Service Award, 2007.
- My book, *Artificial Intelligence*, appeared on the Association for Computing Machinery (ACM)’s list (voted on by members) of the 25 classic books in Computer Science, 2006:
http://membernet.acm.org/public/membernet/storypage_2.cfm?announcement=2&ci=March_2006
- UT College of Natural Sciences Outreach Innovation Award, (shared) for First Bytes, a summer CS camp for high school girls, 2006.
- Girl Scouts Lone Star Council Award for Outstanding Community Service (for Expanding Your Horizons) (1997, 2004).
- YWCA Austin Leadership Award, Outstanding Achievement, Science and Technology (for Expanding Your Horizons) 1993.
- Elected Fellow, Association for the Advancement of Artificial Intelligence (AAAI), 1991.
- ACM UT Student Chapter, Teaching Excellence Award at the Graduate Level, Fall, 1984.
- ACM UT Student Chapter, Teaching Excellence Award, Spring, 1984.

Service

Departmental

- Web Design Committee (2010-2011). Redesigned the undergrad program section of the site.
- Turing Scholars Committee (2001-5, 2009-present).
- Turing Scholars Design and Creation Committee (2001).
- Women in Computer Science (WICS), worked with the students in various ways (2005-present).
- Elements of Computing Committee (2009-present).
- Academic Integrity Committee (2005-2007).
- UT Student Web Developers organization, faculty advisor (2005-2006).
- CS Admissions and Retention Committee (2001-2002, 2007-2010).

- Associate Chair for Academics (2000-2002).
- Undergraduate Studies Committee (chair) (2000-2002).
- First Bytes (CS summer camp for high school girls): Created and got it funded (2002). Organizing committee and/or presenter (2002-2004, 2009).
- Faculty Evaluation Committee (2001-2002).

Community

- Expanding Your Horizons (EYH), a program to encourage middle-school girls to maintain their interest in math and science. Participant (1994); General Chair (1995-2005), UT Faculty sponsor (2001-present)
- TWIST (Tomorrow's Women in Science and Technology), a 501(c) 3 corporation, Founder and President (1996-2003), Board Member (2004-2005).
- Ann Richards School for Young Women Leaders, various activities including working with WICS to organize activities (2006-present).

College/University

- UGS Faculty Committee on the Writing Flag (2011- present)
- Faculty Greivance Committee (2010 – 2012).
- Center for Women's and Gender Studies, various roles on Steering Committee, Executive Committee, Curriculum Committee, and organizing committee for Gender and Technology Research Cluster (2003-present).
- Bridging Disciplines Program, Digital Arts and Media, Faculty Panel (2001-present).
- CNS Course and Curriculum Committee (2000-2002)
- Outreach/orientation activities including presenting at the Junior Honors Colloquium and Camp Texas (2000-present).

Journal Editing and Editorial Boards

- Editor, *The AI Magazine* (1991 - 1993)
- Associate Editor, *The AI Magazine* (1990 - 1991)
- Editorial Board, *Artificial Intelligence Review* (1988 - 1995)
- Editorial Board, *The Knowledge Engineering Review* (1986 - 1995)
- Editorial Board, *User Modeling and User-Adapted Interaction* (1989 - 1995)
- Editorial Board, *Applied Intelligence* (1990 - 1995)

Program Committees

- Program Committee, Innovative Applications of Artificial Intelligence (IAAI) (2005 - 2008)
- Cochair, AI Nectar Track, AAAI (2006 – 2007)

Other Service

- Member, External Advisory Board, Language and Technologies Institute, CMU (2006, 2012)
- AAAI Councilor (1988 - 1991)
- Advisory Committee, NSF CISE, Div. of Information, Robotics and Intelligent Systems (1988-90)
- Advisory Committee, NSF CISE Directorate, Office of Cross Disciplinary Activities (1990-92)
- Discipline Advisory Committee, Council for International Exchange of Scholars (the Fulbright Program) (1991 - 94)
- Japanese Technology Evaluation Center (JTEC) Panel on Machine Translation (Editor of Final Report) (1990)
- Chair, Industrial Advisory Board, IEEE Educational Activities (1991)
- Tutorials Chair, AAAI (1989 - 1990)
- Local arrangements chair, AAAI conference in Austin, 1984