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Current Employment

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Education

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Work History

- 📖 1998-2001: Principal researcher for the History of Print Culture Project
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Career Highlights

- 📖 Member of the Humanities and Law Panel, PBRF
- 📖 Member of the Marsden Fund Council
- 📖 Chair of the Writers and Readers Committee, International Festival of the Arts 2004, 2006
- 📖 Member of the Advisory Committee, Online Encyclopaedia of New Zealand
- 📖 Member of the Arts Board, Creative New Zealand 2001-2006
- 📖 Chair of the Guardians/Kaitiaki of the Alexander Turnbull Library
- 📖 Vice president, New Zealand Book Council 1995-2001
- 📖 Chair, Wellington Girls College Board of Trustees 1995-2000

Selected Bibliography

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Links

- <http://www.bookcouncil.org.nz/writers/weverslydia.html>
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