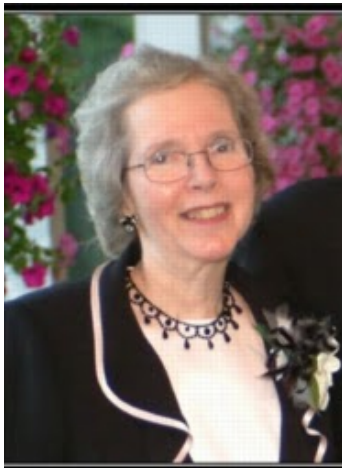


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1965 AB (Boston University)  
1966 MLS (Simmons College)  
1972 B.Ed (University of Toronto)  
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## Positions:

1966–1969 Librarian, Brookline High School, Massachusetts  
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Auster, Ethel. Downsizing in academic libraries: the Canadian experience. Toronto: University of Toronto Press, c2004.

Auster, Ethel and Choo, Chun Wei, eds. Managing information for the competitive edge. New York: Neal-Schumann Publishers, 1996.

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