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Myers Named Interim Library Dean

R. David Myers was named Interim Dean of the University Library effective July 1, 1999, by Executive Vice President John Owens. Myers has served as the Library's Associate Dean since 1994. Previously the director of the library at the State Historical Society of Wisconsin in Madison, he has also worked at the Library of Congress, the Colorado State Library, and the Colorado Legislative Council.

Myers earned a Master of Arts in Librarianship from the University of Denver in 1979 and an M.A. in history from the University of Northern Colorado in 1975. He undertook post-master's study in history at the University of Michigan at Ann Arbor.

Myers has organized several Wisconsin State Historical Society conferences. His scholarly interests include modern American and labor history. His publications include several articles in dictionaries, books, and encyclopedias, and editorship of *Toward a History of the New Left: Essays From Within the Movement*.

Vice President Owens has asked the Library faculty and staff to join him in assisting Interim Dean Myers in every possible way as he works in this key interim position.

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