Appointments

Ivy Anderson has been appointed interim executive director of the California Digital Library (CDL) at the University of California. In this role, Anderson will provide leadership to CDL and oversee its strategic direction. She is responsible for the organization’s overall management, including planning, policy development, and resource allocation.

Sara Baron has been named university librarian at Duquesne University. Baron comes to Duquesne from Regent University, where she was dean of the university library since 2005. Baron held previous positions at the Texas Christian University and the University of Massachusetts. She has been actively involved with the Catholic Library Association (CLA) since 2001, including her time as president of CLA from 2013-15 and her current role as past-president. She has also served in various capacities for the Library Administration and Management Association and regional library associations.

Nick Graham is now university archivist, based in the Wilson Special Collection Library, at the University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill Library.

Ida Jones has joined the Morgan State University as university archivist.

Glenn McGuigan has accepted the position of head librarian at Penn State-Harrisburg.

Paul Sharpe has been appointed the first university librarian for the newly created University of Texas-Rio Grande Valley.

Jeff Steely has been appointed dean of libraries at Georgia State University. Steely previously served as associate dean and director of central libraries at Baylor University. Steely oversees library resources at Georgia State, which include more than 1.5 million volumes, more than 7 million graphic materials, archival materials, and the Collaborative University Research and Visualization Environment. Steely was at Baylor since 1999, starting as outreach services librarian. He has been assistant director for client services, director of central libraries, assistant dean, and associate dean. Prior to his career at Baylor, Steely was a serials librarian in the Library of the U.S. Courts in Chicago.

James Teliha has been appointed director of the library and learning commons at Utica College. Teliha will oversee the operations for the library, which includes Utica College’s physical collection of more than 100,000 books, 800 print journals and magazines, and the library’s digital resources of more than 100 online databases and 5,000 electronic journals. He will also manage the library’s other student and faculty services, including the writing and math and science centers that provide walk-in tutoring to students. He previously worked as a senior consultant for the Clairmaxine Group, advising institutions of higher education on libraries, higher education administration, and issues of intellectual freedom and privacy.

Bing Wang is now director of the Intellectual Property Advisory Office at the Georgia Tech Library.

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Megan Austin has been appointed law instruction librarian at the John E. Jaqua Law Library at the University of Oregon Libraries.

David R. Benjamin has joined the staff at the University of Central Florida as the department head for Special Collections and University Archives.

Mohamed Berray, social sciences librarian at Florida State University (FSU), is now the liaison to the Department of Political Science, the International Studies Program, and the Askew School of Public Administration and Policy in the College of Social Sciences and Public Policy at FSU.

Joel Burkholder is now reference and instruction librarian at Penn State-York.

Kristin Cangialosi is now reference and instruction librarian at the Penn State-Worthington Scranton campus.

Xiaoli Cheng has been appointed associate director for technical services at Morgan State University.

Carmen Cole is now evening reference and instruction librarian in Penn State University Libraries’ Knowledge Commons.

Lori Critz has been appointed assistant dean for collections strategy at the Georgia Tech Library.

Lindsay Cronk is now coordinator of online resources and collections at the University of Houston Libraries.

Miriam DesHarnais has been named research and instruction librarian at Towson University’s Albert S. Cook Library.

Sara M. DeWaay has been appointed Art and Architecture Librarian at the University of Oregon Libraries’ Architecture and Allied Arts Library in Eugene, Oregon.

Stephanie Diaz is now reference and instruction librarian at Penn State-Behrend.

Rachael Dreyer is now head of research services at Penn State University Libraries’ Eberly Family Special Collections Library.

Ameet Doshi has been named director of service experience and program design at the Georgia Tech Library.

Karen Estlund is associate dean for technology and digital strategies at Penn State University Libraries.

Joshua Finnell has been named scholarly communications librarian at the Los Alamos National Laboratory.

Wayne Graham is now technical director at the Council on Library and Information Resources.

Rory Grennan is now manuscript and instruction archivist at the Florida State University Libraries.

William Helman has been appointed information technology librarian at Towson University’s Albert S. Cook Library.

Jennifer Hunter is now reference and instruction librarian at Penn State-Abington.

Chemera (C. J.) Ivory is now business librarian in Research and Information Services at the University of Central Florida Libraries.

Chris Iweha has been named information literacy librarian at the Morgan State University Library.

Holli Kubly has been appointed web services librarian at the University of Oregon Libraries.

Anne Langley is associate dean for research, collections, and scholarly communications at Penn State University Libraries.

David Lowe has been named data librarian at the Florida Institute of Technology’s Evans Library.

Michael Meth has been appointed associate dean for research and learning services for the Florida State University Libraries.

Rebecca Miller has joined Penn State University Libraries as head of library learning services.

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Research
Alyse Minter has joined the Albert S. Cook Library at Towson University for a two year appointment as residency librarian.

Brian Moynihan is now head of Health Information Technology Initiatives at the University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill Health Sciences Library.

Robert Olendorf has joined the Penn State University Libraries as the inaugural holder of the Eric N. and Bonnie S. Prystowsky Science Libraries Early Career Librarian.

Felicia Poe has been named interim deputy director for operations of the California Digital Library at the University of California.

Julie Porterfield joined Penn State University Libraries’ Eberly Family Special Collections Library as the instruction and outreach archivist.

Victoria Raish is now Penn State University Libraries’ online learning librarian.

Jennifer Roach has been appointed distance learning and resource sharing librarian at Towson University’s Albert S. Cook Library.

Julie Rudder is now repository librarian at the University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill’s University Library.

John Russell has been named Penn State University Libraries’ new associate director of the Center for Humanities and Information

Bethany Scott is coordinator of digital projects in Special Collections at the University of Houston Libraries.

Devin Soper is now scholarly communications librarian at the Florida State University Libraries.

Chelsea C. Stripling has been appointed instruction librarian at the Florida Institute of Technology’s Evans Library.

Anne Wells is now audiovisual archivist at the University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill.

**Retirements**

Rosann Bazirjian, dean of university libraries at University of North Carolina-Greensboro (UNCG) for the past 11 years, has announced her retirement, effective April 1, 2016. Bazirjian first became dean in August 2004 when she came to UNCG from Penn State. Among her many accomplishments were the dramatic enhancement of the library’s spaces; creation of new collaborative learning spaces, including the Learning Commons and Digital Media Commons; and renovated space for Special Collections and University Archives, Electronic Resources and Information Technology, and the Music Library. Bazirjian also has strong commitment to diversity, including the creation of the ACE Scholars Program, the naming of Gerald Holmes as diversity librarian, the creation of the Diversity Residency position, and the development of a strategic plan for diversity. Bazirjian was committed to making research broadly available to the scholarly community and to the public, which led her to secure membership for the University Libraries in leading professional associations working toward the goal of open access such as SPARC (Scholarly Publishing and Academic Resources Coalition) and CNI (Coalition for Networked Information).

Laine Farley, executive director of the California Digital Library (CDL) at the University of California, has retired after leading the CDL for nine years. As CDL’s longest serving executive director, Farley presided over many of CDL’s most significant accomplishments: expanding initiatives in library publishing and data management, developing policies and tools for UC’s open access initiatives, overseeing the large scale digitization of University of California’s (UC) library holdings in partnership with Google and the Internet Archive, and establishing UC libraries as founding members of the HathiTrust.