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Staff News

Carolyn Walters, who has served as executive associate dean of the Indiana University Bloomington Libraries since June 2005, has been named interim dean of the IU Libraries, Provost and Executive Vice President Karen Hanson announced. Walters will assume the duties of former dean Patricia Steele, who will begin a position as dean of the University of Maryland Libraries on Sept. 1.

The University Libraries are central to the institution's mission, and the resources they offer are vital to IU's faculty, students, and staff," said Hanson. Carolyn's long association with the IU Libraries and her strong skills as an administrator will serve the libraries and the university well. She is both an effective steward of our great traditions and a leader committed to keeping IU at the forefront of the innovations that are transforming research libraries in the twenty-first century."

"I feel privileged to lead the IU Bloomington Libraries as we prepare for a new dean," Walters said. "During this transitional period we will continue to move forward, and we will do so because of our exceptional staff and our shared belief in the value of libraries to the academic community."

Submitted by: *Jenny Kelly, Libraries Human Resources*

Library News and Events

DRET Top Ten Report

The Digital Reference & Emerging Technologies Team(DRET) at Indiana University Bloomington invites you to review the DRET Top Ten Report to stay current on the latest library technology trends and learn about possible technologies your library or department should consider exploring.

The report begins with a brief description of technologies that have been implemented in the IU Bloomington Libraries or reviewed by DRET in 2008-2009. It also includes a review of emerging or new technologies that have the potential to be useful to Public Services Staff or transform the work of libraries in innovative ways.

The team will have a presentation to discuss and demonstrate some of the technologies later this year.

The report can be accessed at <http://elmo.libraries.iub.edu/intranet/materials.php?mt=newsletter&id=495>.

Submitted by: *Chanitra Bishop, Instruction and Emerging Technologies Librarian, IUB*

InULA Membership Reminder

Don't forget that the InULA membership runs from July 1 to June 30 so it's time to renew your membership! Just fill out the form at <http://www.indiana.edu/~inula/members/index.html> .

Submitted by: *Sherri Michaels, InULA President*