

ACRL candidates for 2014

A look at who's running for office



Ann Campion Riley



Rickey D. Best

Ann Campion Riley is the associate director for access, collections, and technical services at the University of Missouri, a position she has held since 2007. Prior to this, Riley served as director of technical and access services at Southern Illinois University-Edwardsville (2004–2007), library director at Saint Louis Community College-Meramec (1996–2004), and collection development librarian at Maryville University (1988–1996).

She has been a member of ACRL for 17 total years, beginning in 1986. During her membership with ACRL, she has served on the ACRL Board of Directors as Director-at-Large (2009–2013), the ACRL Membership Committee (2004–2006), the ACRL Chapter's Council (2003–2005), and the ACRL Library Advocacy Institute as Regional Advocacy Trainer (2003–2005). She has also held roles in ACRL sections, including the Distance Learning Section as member-at-large (2001–2003) and Membership Committee chair (2004–2006), and in the Community and Junior College Library Section as secretary (1999–2001) and Resources Review Committee chair (1996–1999).

Riley's ALA activities include serving on the ALA Committee on Organization (2005–2007), and being a member of the

Intellectual Freedom Round Table. She has also been a member of the Library Leadership and Management Association, having served in the Library Organization and Management Section (2007–2009) and the Systems and Services Section (2007–2009), as well as a member of the Association for Library Collections and Technical Services (1980–1986, 1989–2007) and the Library Information Technology Association (1999–2002). Riley has also served in the MARC Format for Holdings Data Working Group (1989–1992) and in the Collection Development and Management Section (1990–2001).

Riley's work with state and regional associations includes serving as a member of the Great Western Library Alliance (GWLA) Collection Development Committee (2009–present), member of the Great Plains Network and GWLA Advisory Council on the Management of the Lifecycle of Research Data Project (2012–present), member of the GWLA Digital Collections Committee (2007–2010), member of the Missouri Library Association as president (2005), Awards Committee chair (2007–2009) and By-laws Committee chair (2006–2008), member of the MOBIUS (Missouri state consortium) Task Force on New Discovery Tools (2007–2008), chair of the CARLI (Illinois state consortium) Statewide Serials Task Force (2006–2007), member of the CARLI Collections Working Group (2005–2007), member of the CARLI I-Share Acquisitions and Serials Team (2005–2007), president of the Missouri Association of College and Research Libraries (2003), chair of the MOBIUS Task Force on Cooperative Collection Development (2002–2003), secretary of the Missouri Public Academic Library Administrators (1999–2002), Board member

of the Saint Louis Regional Library Network (1999–2002), and chair of the Missouri Library Network OCLC Users' Group (1990–1991).

Riley has been honored as a Research Library Leadership Fellow with the Association of Research Libraries (2011–2012), and as a Global Scholar with the University of Missouri (2010). She has been awarded the "You Make a Difference Award" (Saint Louis Community College, 2004). She has also been honored with participation in Leadership Chesterfield (2001), LEADERS 1999, National Institute of Leadership Development, and Beta Phi Mu.

Her publications include "The Community of Libraries," column MOinfo: Newsletter of the Missouri Library Association, 2005; co-author of "Caution! Hazardous Substances: Recognizing and Deflecting Toxic Personalities in the Workplace," presented at the ACRL Conference in Baltimore, 2007; and coauthor of "Using Staff Focus Groups to Help in Services Assessment," Proceedings of the North Central Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, 2001.

Rickey D. Best is collection development librarian at Auburn University-Montgomery (AUM), a position he has held since 2010. Prior to this, Best served in a number of positions at AUM, including dean (1997–2010), head of technical services (1996–1997), and archivist/special collections librarian (1986–1997).

He has been a member of ACRL since 1988, during which time his activities have included serving as a member of the ACRL Government Relations Committee (2005–2010), the ACRL Standards and Accreditation Committee (2010–2012), the ACRL Leadership Recruitment and Nominating Committee (2010–2011), the ACRL Standards and Accreditation Committee (2010–2012), and the ACRL Excellence in Academic Libraries Awards Committee (2012–2013). Best has also served on the ACRL Chapter's Council as secretary (2010), vice-chair/chair-elect (2011–2012), and past chair (2012–2013), as well as vice-chair of the ACRL Intellectual Freedom Committee (2012).

Best has been a member of ALA since 1986, during which time he has served as a member of the ALA Chapter Relations Council (2011–2012). He has also served as a member of the Association for Library Collections and Technical Services (1997–present), including on the committee for the Esther J. Percy Award (2008–2009), as well as a member of the Library Administration and Management Association (2002–present), including on the Measurement, Assessment, and Evaluation Section Committee on Using Measurement Data for Library Planning and Assessment (2010–present).

Best's work with state and regional associations includes serving as a member of the Alabama Library Association (2003–present), in which he has served as a member of the Intellectual Freedom Committee (1989), cochair of the Intellectual Freedom Committee (2008–2011), and member-at-large for Organization and By-Laws (2012–present). Best has also been a member of the Alabama ACRL Chapter since 1986, in which he has served as vice president/president-elect (2008–2009), president (2009–2010), and past president (2010–2011). He has also served as member of the Alabama ACRL Legislative Committee (2010–present), and as chair of the Alabama ACRL Membership Committee (2012–present). His work with the Network of Alabama Academic Libraries (NAAL) includes serving as a member since 1997 and as vice-chair (2008–2009), as well as serving as a member of the NAAL representative to the State Historic Records Board (2006–present), member of the State Historic Records Board Grant Review Committee (2008–present), member of the State Historic Records Board Strategic Planning Committee (2008–present), member of the NAAL Task-Force on State Government Electronic Records (2006–2008), member of the NAAL Board of Directors (1997–2010), member (2001–2010) and chair of the NAAL Budget Committee, member (1998–1999) and chair (2003–2010) of the NAAL Committee on Continuing Education, member of the NAAL Committee on Membership (2003, 2008–2009), member of

the NAAL Committee on Online Resources (2010–2012), member of the NAAL Recruitment for Academic Librarians Task Force Committee (2003–2010), and member (1997–2002) and chair (1998–2000) of the NAAL Committee on Resource Sharing.

Best has been recipient to the Beta Kappa Chapter of Beta Phi Mu Librarian of the Year Award (2010), the Alabama Library Association Humanitarian Award (2003), membership in Phi Kappa Phi (May 2003–present), membership in Omnicon Delta Kappa (November 1997–present), and was the first faculty winner of the Friends of the AUM Library Faculty and Staff Service Award (June 1996, won a second time in June 2010).

His publications include “Library School Programs and the Successful Training of Academic Librarians to Meet Promotion and Tenure Requirements in the Academy,” *College & Research Libraries*, 2010; “The University of Pittsburgh Study in an Electronic Environment: Have E-books Changed Usage Patterns of Monographs?,” *The Acquisitions Librarian*, 2007; and coauthor of “E-Book Usage and the Choice Outstanding Academic Book List: Is There a Correlation?,” *Journal of Academic Librarianship*, 2006.

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Instruction Section

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Secretary: *Nancy Fawley*, Head of Library Liaison Program, University of Nevada-Las Vegas; *Jackie Belanger*, Research and Instruction Librarian and Assessment Coordinator, University of Washington-Bothell.

Member-at-Large: *Elana Karshmer*, Instruction Program and Information Literacy Librarian, Saint Leo University; *Sara Holder*, Interim Head Librarian, McGill University; *Amy E. Gibson*, Head of Instruction, Information Literacy Librarian and Professor, University of Mississippi.

Law and Political Science Section

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Women and Gender Studies Section

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