



# October Letter from Andersen Library

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University of Wisconsin - Whitewater

## Staff Changes

**Myrna McCallister** will be retiring as Director of Andersen Library this fall. Associate Prof. **Barbara Bren** will be serving as the Interim Director starting on October 1. During Myrna's seven years at the Library's helm, she led efforts to create a learning commons model in the Library. This involved creating two quiet floors (first and third) and the learning commons space on the second floor. These flexible study and learning spaces have proved to be very popular with students and faculty alike.

The Purple Room on the third floor, the first floor Library Classroom and expanded Special Collections area, the re-vamped Children's collection space, the group study area adjacent to it and the increasing emphasis on events and programs are just some of the contributions Myrna made to Andersen Library. Thank you, Myrna!

**Branden McCready** is the new Library Systems Assistant in Systems and Access Services and will be working with Patty Fragola on developing and maintaining Library systems and software. You'll recognize Branden from his earlier role as the Universal Borrowing and Interlibrary Loan Assistant.

**Heather Rasmussen** is the new Reserves Assistant in Systems and Access Services and will also work as the Periodicals and Cataloging Assistant in Technical Services. Heather is a UW-Whitewater graduate and had worked as an LTE in Technical Services earlier this year.



## Citation Manager Workshops

**Z** Streamline your research and writing by getting started with *EndNote Web* or *Zotero*, web-based citation management services. Create an account, import citations from databases or Google Scholar, organize references, create bibliographies in numerous style formats, collaborate on research with others, and insert citations into your literature reviews.

Reference Librarians, [Amanda Howell](#), [Ellen Latorraca](#) and [Diana Shull](#) will lead these interactive sessions. Register at the UWW Training & Event page: <https://my.uww.edu/signup/>.

If you'd like to arrange a session for your classes, or if you can't make the scheduled times, please contact a librarian to set up a session.



## Fall Library Hours

Monday - Thursday	7:30 am - 2 am
Friday	7:30 am - 6 pm
Saturday	10 am - 6 pm
Sunday	11 am - 2 am

See [library.uww.edu/hours](http://library.uww.edu/hours) for holiday, exam and intercession hours.



## Tune In to the Library on YouTube

Andersen Library offers a number of tutorials on our YouTube channel to get your students up-to-speed on using a variety of research tools.

If your students need help with citation styles, citation managers or other research-related activities, there are tutorials available on YouTube to make that happen.

ILLiad, Zotero, Endnote, APA style citations, Harvard Bluebook citations, and introductions to searching various databases are some of the topics covered in the tutorials.

Tune in and learn today! <https://www.youtube.com/uwwlibrary>



## Unmasking Reference Books

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