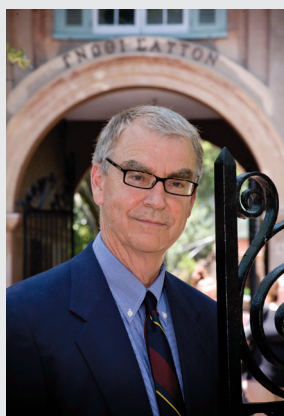


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David J. Cohen has served as the dean of the School of Languages, Cultures, and World Affairs at the College of Charleston since 2006 and is a dean emeritus of the library, where he served as dean from 1982 to 2012 overseeing the Marlene and Nathan Addlestone Library, the Marine Resources Library, the Avery Research Center for African American History and Culture, the John M. Rivers Communications Museum and the Lowcountry Graduate Center library.

With a background in library science and research interests in 18th- and 19th-century France, Cohen has presented his work at annual meetings of the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences and the American Library Association, and many of his articles have been published in academic journals such as *Journal of Interdisciplinary History*, *Journal of Academic Leadership*, *Library High Tech*, *The Serials Librarian* and *Library Trends*.

Cohen has consulted for the Pennsylvania Commission for the Humanities, the Philadelphia Club, Randolph Macon Woman's College, Johnson and Wales University, NetGen, Francis Marion University and more than 15 other universities.

Cohen is past-president and current member of the South Carolina Library Association and has served on the advisory board of the Gale Corporation and as chairperson of the Southeastern Library Network's board of directors, treasurer for the Jewish Historical Society of South Carolina, executive committee member for the Library Directors Forum and chair of the Council on Library and Information Resources' College Library Committee. He is a longstanding member of the American Library Association and currently serves as a board member for the Gibbes Museum of Art in Charleston.

At the College, Cohen has served on a long list of committees - including the curriculum committee as well as the Academic Affairs Organization Study Committee and the Ad Hoc Committee on Academic Computing Needs, both of which he chaired. In 2008, he led the effort to gain approval for a new bachelor of arts degree in international studies.

EDUCATION

1985: Ph.D. in Modern European History, University of Pennsylvania
1976: M.L.S., Drexel University
1972: M.A. in Modern European History, University of Pennsylvania
1970: B.A. in History, University of Pennsylvania

CAREER HIGHLIGHTS

2006-Present: Dean, School of Languages, Cultures, and World Affairs, College of Charleston
1986-Present: Assistant Professor (co-terminus appointment), Department of History, College of Charleston
1982-2012: Dean, Libraries and Academic Information Services, College of Charleston
1999-2006: Director, Academic Information Services, College of Charleston
1995-1999: Associate Provost, Academic Affairs, College of Charleston
1995: Acting Assistant Vice President, Academic Affairs, College of Charleston
1979-1981: Director, Acquisitions Department, M.D. Anderson Memorial Library, University of Houston
1977-1979: History and Social Science Librarian, General Reference Department, M.D. Anderson Memorial Library, University of Houston
1977: Librarian, Industrial Research Unit, Wharton School, University of Pennsylvania
1976-1977: Database Editor/Bibliographic Searcher, Institute for Scientific Information, Pennsylvania, Pa.

HONORS AND ACHIEVEMENTS

1986: President's Incentive Award, College of Charleston
1977: Beta Phi Mu Library Honor Society