CATALOGING/ACQUISITIONS UNIT ACTION PLAN

From *UWSP Library Strategic Plan*

**Goal 1: Develop, advance and support innovative collection development initiatives and strategies.**

1.2 Assess collections for support of curriculum, currency and coverage.

1.3 Enhance access to collections with the use of technology.

1.4 Promote and increase the accessibility and inclusivity of collections such as videos/DVDs, government documents, special collections, reference resources, etc.

**Action:**

- Support initiatives in collection development, organization, and maintenance by continuing to accomplish ordering, receiving, cataloging, and processing functions.
- Assist in collection analysis and assessment of library materials in all formats; including relocating materials to other areas of the building (special collections in Govt. Docs. area), identifying high and low use resources, and weeding.
- Explore and implementing new cataloging standards—Resource Description and Access (RDA)—to enhance access to collection.

**Goal 6: Create a forward thinking, dynamic organization that is responsive and flexible.**

6.2 Foster an organizational culture that promotes fluid staffing that is responsive to changing library trends and services.

**Action:**

- Assess current workflow patterns by engaging the WiLS workflow analysis team during the spring 2009/10 semester.

**Goal 8: Improve access to information through the creative use of technology.**

8.1 Provide convenient, seamless access to resources through the use of technology.

**Action:**

- Improve catalog access to materials in all formats as new opportunities arise.

8.2 Provide new technologies that respond to changing user needs.

**Action:**

- Link online sources with print in the catalog when appropriate.