

Dean Runyan

Founder



Dean has over 40 years of experience completing research and planning projects for organizations involved in recreation, travel, or tourism. Prior to founding Dean Runyan Associates in 1984, he was the Associate Professor and Department Head of the Department of Planning, Public Policy, and Management at the University of Oregon. Dean holds a PHD in urban and regional planning and a master's degree in engineering from the University of Michigan.



Project Experience

Economic Impact Analysis

- Travel in California State
- Travel in Colorado State
- Travel in Washington State
- Outdoor Recreation in the State of Oregon
- Bicycle Tourism in the State of Oregon
- Wildfires on Oregon's Travel and Tourism Industry

Feasibility and Planning

- Hakone Japanese Garden Master Plan
- Buffalo Olmstead Arboretum Master Plan
- Shawnee Twin Lakes
- Sonoma Botanical Garden

Past Work Experience

University of Oregon

Associate Professor and
Department Head
1978 - 1986

University of Hawaii

Assistant Professor
1973-1978

Education

University of Michigan

PhD, Urban and Regional Planning
(1973)
M.S. Engineering, Systems
Engineering (1968)

University of California

B.S. of Engineering (1966)