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David Quigley is Provost and Dean of Faculties at Boston College where he is also Professor of History. A historian of the nineteenth-century American city, Quigley received his B.A. in American Studies from Amherst College and his M.A. and Ph.D. in History from New York University. Quigley's research explores the history of race and democracy in the urban United States between the Revolution and Reconstruction with a particular focus on New York City. Between 2008 and 2014, he served as Dean of the College and Graduate School of Arts and Sciences at Boston College, during which time he oversaw the hiring of 160 new faculty colleagues, helped lead the design and construction of a new 180,000-square-foot humanities building, and initiated a multi-year Core Renewal project focused on the university's extensive undergraduate core curriculum.