Travel Grants to New Orleans Awarded

Five $850 travel grants have been awarded to help our members attend the AALL meeting in New Orleans.

It seems that every year our members procrastinate about applying for grants, but due to the appeal of our President, Catherine Lemann, we received an overwhelming 16 applications from 3% of SCCLL members and even gained one new SIS member welcome ☺ Crystal Sherman.

The Grants Committee selection process was very difficult as there were so many enthusiastic, dedicated, and deserving people to choose from.

The original recipients were:
Betty Agin, Middlesex County Law Library, NJ
Gina Catalano, San Diego County Public Library ,
Meg Martin, Wyoming State Law Library
Mary Pinard, Sacramento County Public Law Library
Jean-Paul Vivian, Elmira Supreme Court Law Library, NY

After selection, Meg Martin notified the committee, just right before the Newsletters' article submission deadline, that she received grant from a different organization. She graciously returned the SCCLL grant and the fifth grant went to Anne McDonald, RI Department of Attorney General, Providence RI

I would like to thank everyone who supported the silent auction in St. Louis and the matching grant challenge. The next silent auction will be starting in early June and I hope you will continue to support this great initiative.. Remember you don't need to attend in order to bid on an item.

I also would like to thank you my committee members for their hard work and words of wisdom. I had pleasure of working with an excellent TEAM:

Sharon E. Borbon, Fresno County Law Library

Jane Colwin, Wisconsin State Law Library

Karen M. Lutke, San Mateo County Law Library

Tammy A. Hinderman State Law Library of Montana

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