The AALL Awards Program was established to publicly recognize the achievements of legal information professionals for service to the profession and for contributions to legal literature and materials.

**AALL AWARD RECIPIENTS**

**MARIAN GOULD GALLAGHER DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD**

The Distinguished Service Award, established in 1984, recognizes extended and sustained service to law librarianship, exemplary service to the Association, and/or contributions to the professional literature. The award was renamed for Marian Gould Gallagher in 1990. Gallagher Award recipients are additionally recognized with induction into the AALL Hall of Fame.

- **Steven P. Anderson, Retired**
  Director
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  Baltimore, Maryland

- **Barbara A. Bintliff, Retired**
  Joseph C. Hutcheson Professor Emeritus and Director
  Tarlton Law Library and Jamail Center for Legal Research
  The University of Texas at Austin School of Law
  Austin, Texas

- **Carol Bredemeyer**
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  Northern Kentucky University
  Highland Heights, Kentucky

- **Michael G. Chiorazzi**
  Associate Dean for Information Services; Dean’s Distinguished Director; Librarian Professor
  University of Miami Law School
  Coral Gables, Florida

**JOSEPH L. ANDREWS LEGAL LITERATURE AWARD**

Established in 1967 in honor of Joseph L. Andrews, reference librarian at the Association of the Bar of the City of New York, the Joseph L. Andrews Legal Literature Award recognizes significant textual contributions to legal literature.

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*Introduction to Law Librarianship*

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Camden, New Jersey

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Rutgers Law School
Camden, New Jersey

*Bremer-Kovacs Collection: Historic Documents Related to the Administrative Procedure Act of 1946*
**HALL OF FAME AWARD**

The Hall of Fame Award, established in 2009, recognizes significant, substantial, and long-standing contributions to the profession and service to the Association. *

**Camille Broussard**  
Associate Dean and Library Director  
New York Law School  
Mendik Library  
New York, New York  

**Steven Antonio Lastres, Retired**  
Director of Knowledge Management Services  
Debevoise & Plimpton LLP  
New York, New York  

**Anne C. Matthewman**  
Chief Law Librarian  
Sir James Dunn Law Library  
Dalhousie Libraries  
Halifax, Nova Scotia, Canada  

**Kent C. Olson, Retired**  
Head of Research Services  
University of Virginia School of Law  
Arthur J. Morris Law Library  
Charlottesville, Virginia  

*Marian Gould Gallagher Distinguished Service Award recipients are automatically inducted into the Hall of Fame if not already a member.

**NEW MEMBER DIVISION**

**Olivia R. Smith Schlinck**  
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Benjamin N. Cardozo School of Law  
Yeshiva University  
New York, New York  

“Ok, Zoomer: Teaching Legal Research to Gen Z”

**OPEN DIVISION**

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Brooklyn Law School  
Brooklyn, New York  

"Increasing Access to Justice by Improving Usability of Statutory Code Websites"

**STUDENT DIVISION**

**Julie Marie Wooldridge**  
Research Services Librarian  
J. Michael Goodson Law Library  
Duke University School of Law  
Durham, North Carolina  

“Survey of Reference Services to Incarcerated Persons by Academic Law Libraries”

**AALL SPECTRUM ARTICLE OF THE YEAR AWARD**

The AALL Spectrum Article of the Year Award honors outstanding achievement in writing on topics relating to librarianship, law librarianship, and practical applications for library work; the understanding of legal materials, legal systems, or legal information; or professional development and staff training.

**CO-AUTHORS**

**Pablo D. Arredondo**  
Co-Founder and Chief Innovation Officer  
Casetext  
Palo Alto, California  

**Javed Qadrud-Din**  
Machine Learning Engineer  
Meta Platforms, Inc.  
Union City, California  

EMERGING LEADER AWARD

The Emerging Leader Award recognizes the contributions of newer members to the Association and/or to the profession who demonstrate the potential for leadership and continuing service.

Sabrina Davis
Associate Law Librarian for Digital and Educational Services
Harris County Robert W. Hainsworth Law Library
Houston, Texas

Alyson Drake
Instructional Services Librarian
Fordham University Law School
The Maloney Library
New York, New York

Taryn Marks
Associate Director of Research and Instructional Services
Stanford University
Robert Crown Law Library
Stanford, California

EXCELLENCE IN COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT AWARD

The Excellence in Community Engagement Award honors outstanding achievement in public relations activities by an AALL member, special interest section, chapter, library, or any other group affiliated with the Association. Community engagement is a critical responsibility of every member of the library profession. It is important to recognize and acknowledge outstanding contributions achieved by the Association’s members in raising the visibility of the profession and its Association.

Minnesota State Law Library
St. Paul, Minnesota

Appeals Self-Help Videos

AND

Greater Philadelphia Law Library Association (GPLLA)
Law Library Association of Maryland (LLAM)
Law Librarians’ Society of Washington, DC (LLSDC)

Project 20/20: From Transition to Transformation

INNOVATIONS IN TECHNOLOGY AWARD

The Innovations in Technology Award, established in 2009, recognizes an AALL member, special interest section, chapter, or library for innovative use of technology in the development and creation of an application or resource for law librarians or legal professionals.

Avi Bauer
Digital Initiatives & Scholarly Communication Specialist
Boston College Law Library
Newton, Massachusetts

Mary Sarah Bilder
Founders Professor of Law
Boston College Law Library
Newton, Massachusetts

Laurel Davis
Legal Information Librarian & Lecturer in Law and Curator of Special Collections
Boston College Law Library
Newton, Massachusetts

Nick Szydlowski
Scholarly Communications & Digital Scholarship Librarian
San José State University
San José, California

Robert Morris: Civil Rights Lawyer & Antislavery Activist
LAW LIBRARY JOURNAL ARTICLE OF THE YEAR AWARD
Established in 1989, the Law Library Journal Article of the Year Award honors outstanding achievement in research and writing for articles published in the Journal.

Rebecca Chapman
Undergraduate Law Outreach Librarian & Indigenous Outreach Librarian
University at Buffalo School of Law
State University of New York
Buffalo, New York


MINORITY LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT AWARD
The Minority Leadership Development Award, created in 2001, nurtures minority law librarians whose professional interests, goals, and education demonstrate leadership potential in the Association and profession.

Ana Rosa Ramirez Toft-Nielsen
Professional Development Innovation Manager
Greenberg Traurig
Miami, Florida

PUBLIC ACCESS TO GOVERNMENT INFORMATION AWARD
Established in 1998, the Public Access to Government Information Award recognizes individuals or organizations that have made significant contributions to protect and promote greater public access to government information to ensure an informed citizenry and promote a just and democratic society.

Deborah Hamilton
Strategic Services Librarian - Law Collection
Pikes Peak Library District
Colorado Springs, Colorado

Understanding Eviction and How Libraries Can Help

ROBERT L. OAKLEY ADVOCACY AWARD
Established in 2008, the Robert L. Oakley Advocacy Award recognizes an AALL member or group that has been an outstanding advocate with significant contributions to the AALL policy agenda at the local, state, federal, or international level. The award honors the memory of Robert L. Oakley, AALL’s first Washington affairs representative who served in the position from 1989-2007.

Lewis M. Giles
Assistant Director of Library Services
UNT Dallas College of Law
Dallas, Texas

Expansion of Dallas Public Library Card Access

VOLUNTEERS SERVICE AWARD
The Volunteer Service Award, established in 2009, honors volunteers who have made significant contributions to the work of AALL.

Joseph D. Lawson
Director
Harris County Robert W. Hainsworth Law Library
Houston, Texas

Understanding Eviction and How Libraries Can Help
The AALL Scholarship Program helps support the educational needs of aspiring law librarians.

AALL EDUCATIONAL SCHOLARSHIP
AALL Educational Scholarships assist individuals studying to become law librarians with their educational expenses. Qualified candidates may apply for, and are eligible to receive, more than one scholarship.

LAW SCHOOL GRADUATE SEEKING LIBRARY DEGREE
Stephanie Falcon
Tampa, Florida
Anjelica Violi
Indianapolis, Indiana

LIBRARY SCHOOL GRADUATE SEEKING LAW DEGREE
Shelby M. Nivitanont
Laramie, Wyoming

LEXISNEXIS/JOHN R. JOHNSON MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP
The LexisNexis/John R. Johnson Memorial Scholarship, established in 1994 with a $100,000 endowment from LexisNexis, honors the memory of John R. Johnson. Mr. Johnson, who died in January 1994, was the director of the law librarian segment of LexisNexis and a longtime law library supporter. He believed that librarians are "the only ones who know how real users use real information."

LAW SCHOOL GRADUATE SEEKING LIBRARY DEGREE
Genesis M. Agosto
St. Cloud, Florida
Julia Elina
Houston, Texas
Rachel M. Shields
St. Petersburg, Florida

LIBRARY SCHOOL GRADUATE SEEKING LAW DEGREE
Kelsey Renz
Miami, Florida

COLLEGE GRADUATE SEEKING LIBRARY DEGREE
Mia McGee
Santa Clarita, California

GEORGE A. STRAIT MINORITY SCHOLARSHIP & FELLOWSHIP
Established by AALL in 1990 and generously endowed with $150,000 from Thomson Reuters and an additional endowment of $100,000 from AALL, the scholarship and fellowship are awarded annually to minority (defined by current U.S. government guidelines) students in honor of longtime AALL member and distinguished law librarian George A. Strait (1914-1989).

SCHOLARSHIP & FELLOWSHIP RECIPIENTS
Margo Nguyen
Seattle, Washington
Jeanine Xochitl Vasquez
Austin, Texas

SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS
Diona Eberhart Layden
Nashville, Tennessee
Janisha Musco
Shreveport, Louisiana
Christian A. Wilson
Takoma Park, Maryland
The AALL Grants Program was established in 1952 and is one of the oldest and most successful AALL programs. More than 1,000 librarians have received funding to attend AALL educational activities or conduct research.

AALL ANNUAL MEETING GRANT

AALL Annual Meeting Grants provide members and graduate students who are active in AALL or who show promise for future involvement with complimentary registrations to attend the AALL Annual Meeting & Conference.

STUDENT/NEW MEMBERS

Jennifer Bedier
University of Arizona
James E. Rogers College of Law
Tucson, Arizona

Rebecca Dent
Reference and Instructional Services Librarian
New York Law School
New York, New York

Savannah Mary-Grace Long
Digital Services & Reference Librarian
University of Baltimore Law Library
Baltimore, Maryland

Ashley Russell
Assistant Director of Zimmerman Law Library Public Services
University of Dayton School of Law
Dayton, Ohio

EXPERIENCED MEMBERS

Karen Wry
Research Manager
Holland & Knight LLP
Boston, Massachusetts

Marguerita T. Young
Research Analyst, Library & Research Services
K&L Gates LLP
Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

AALL ANNUAL MEETING CHAPTER REGISTRATION GRANTS

AALL Annual Meeting Chapter Registration Grants provide 10 chapters, on a rotating basis, with one complimentary AALL Annual Meeting & Conference registration each to help fund newer member attendance. Additional eligibility requirements for the grants are determined by individual chapters.

Leslie Strauss
Chicago Association of Law Libraries (CALL)

Shannon Erb
Law Librarians Association of Wisconsin (LLAW)

Rena Johnson
Minnesota Association of Law Libraries (MALL)

Belle Teesdale
Michigan Association of Law Libraries (MichALL)

Alexandra Mary Bertrand
New Orleans Association of Law Librarians (NOALL)

John Lewis Moreland
Ohio Regional Association of Law Libraries (ORALL)

Havilah Steinman Bakken
San Diego Area Law Libraries (SANDALL)

LexisNexis Research Fund Grant

Established in July 2000 with a $100,000 endowment from LexisNexis, LexisNexis Research Fund Grants enable the AALL Research Committee to fund research to help fulfill the Association’s Research Agenda.

FALL 2021 RECIPIENTS

Cas Laskowski
Head of Research, Data & Instruction
University of Arizona College of Law Library
Tucson, Arizona

Andrew Christensen
Head of Digital Initiatives and Outreach
Washington & Lee University School of Law Library
Lexington, Virginia

Building Data Infrastructures for Bespoke Faculty Services

SPRING 2022 RECIPIENT

Erin Gow
Associate Professor of Legal Bibliography
University of Louisville Law Library
Louisville, Kentucky

An Investigation of Law Librarianship Degree Requirements
More AALL members reach their educational goals thanks to LexisNexis-endowed grants and scholarships. The LexisNexis/John R. Johnson Memorial Scholarship is named for a LexisNexis visionary who strongly believed in the potential and value of law librarians.

LEXISNEXIS/JOHN R. JOHNSON MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS:

Genesis M. Agosto
Julia Elina
Rachel M. Shields
Kelsey Renz
Mia McGee

LEXISNEXIS RESEARCH GRANT RECIPIENTS:

FALL 2021 RECIPIENTS
Cas Laskowski
Andrew Christensen

SPRING 2022 RECIPIENT
Erin Gow
AALL Special Interest Section (SIS) Awards acknowledge outstanding contributions to AALL, SISs, and the profession.

**ACADEMIC LAW LIBRARIES SIS (ALL-SIS) AWARD RECIPIENTS**

**OUTSTANDING ARTICLE AWARD**

The ALL-SIS Outstanding Article Award honors an ALL-SIS member for contributions to the enhancement of academic law librarianship through publishing.

**SHORT FORM**

Nicole P. Dyszlewski  
Head of Reference, Instruction, and Engagement  
Roger Williams University School of Law  
Bristol, Rhode Island  
"Integrating Diversity into the 1L Curriculum, One Librarian at a Time," 25 *UC Davis Social Justice Law Review* 64 (Summer 2021)

**LONG FORM**

Bonnie Shucha  
Associate Dean of Library & Information Services & Director of the Law Library  
University of Wisconsin Law Library  
Madison, Wisconsin  
"Representing Law Faculty Scholarly Impact: Strategies for Improving Citation Metrics Accuracy and Promoting Scholarly Visibility," 40 *Legal Reference Services Quarterly* 81 (October 2021)

**DIGITAL PUBLICATION AWARD**

The ALL-SIS Digital Publication Award recognizes a significant contribution to legal literature that is born and remains digital. A non-exhaustive list of formats which might be considered for the award include exhibition catalog, library catalog, users guide, blog post, bibliography, web page, or research guide.

Olivia R. Smith Schlinck  
Instructional & Legal Technologies Librarian  
Cardozo School of Law  
New York, New York  
"Academic Law Librarians Are Paid 47% Less Than Their Faculty Counterparts," *RIPS Law Librarian Blog* (February 2022)

**BOOK AWARD**

The ALL-SIS Book Award recognizes a significant textual contribution to legal literature. The textual work may be a book or an edited work. Nominations for the Book Award shall be measured by the creative, evaluative elements, and the extent to which originality and judgment were factors in the formation of the work. The term book is meant to be broadly defined and includes works that: 1) are bibliographical in nature, listing the works of a particular author, printer, country, or a particular theme; or 2) contribute to advancing legal research or law librarianship.

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University of Arizona College of Law  
Tucson, Arizona

Zanada Joyner  
Senior Reference Librarian  
North Carolina Central University School of Law Library  
Durham, North Carolina  
*Introduction to Law Librarianship*

**FREDERICK CHARLES HICKS AWARD FOR OUTSTANDING CONTRIBUTIONS TO ACADEMIC LAW LIBRARIANSHIP**

The Frederick Charles Hicks Award for Outstanding Contributions to Academic Law Librarianship recognizes distinguished, sustained service to academic law librarianship in honor of Frederick Charles Hicks, the first great American law librarian/scholar and first academic law librarian to serve as president of AALL.

Joyce Manna Janto  
Director of Public and Instructional Services  
University of Richmond School of Law  
Richmond, Virginia
FOREIGN, COMPARATIVE & INTERNATIONAL LAW SIS (FCIL-SIS) AWARD RECIPIENTS

DANIEL L. WADE FCIL-SIS OUTSTANDING SERVICE AWARD
The Daniel L. Wade FCIL-SIS Outstanding Service Award honors a FCIL-SIS member who has made outstanding contributions to the FCIL-SIS in the areas of section activity and professional service throughout their career.

Yemisi Dina
Chief Law Librarian
York University
Osgoode Hall Law School
Toronto, Ontario, Canada

THOMAS H. REYNOLDS AND ARTURO A. FLORES FCIL-SIS PUBLICATION AWARD
The Thomas H. Reynolds & Arturo A. Flores FCIL-SIS Publication Award honors a FCIL-SIS member who has contributed to the professional development of their AALL colleagues during any given year. The winning “publications” may be print, digital, or electronic initiatives.

Alex Zhang
Archibald C. and Frances Fulk Rufty Research Professor of Law
Associate Dean of Information Services
Director, J. Michael Goodson Law Library
Duke University Law School
Durham, North Carolina

Katherine Siler
Head of Reference Services
Stanford Law School
Robert Crown Law Library
Stanford, California


SPIRIT OF THE FCIL-SIS AWARD
The Spirit of the FCIL-SIS Award is presented each year to members whose work furthers our mission, serves the entire FCIL-SIS, and inspires others to act.

Meredith Capps
Foreign and International Law Librarian/Lecturer in Law
Vanderbilt University Law School
Nashville, Tennessee

David Isom
Faculty Services Librarian
University of San Diego School of Law
San Diego, California

Janet Kearney
Foreign & International Law Librarian
Fordham University School of Law
New York, New York

BLOG POST OF THE YEAR AWARD
The Blog Post of the Year Award honors an AALL member who contributes an outstanding blog post for the FCIL-SIS blog, DipLawMatic Dialogues during the previous year.

Jonathan Pratter
Foreign and International Law Librarian
Tarlton Law Library
University of Texas at Austin
Austin, Texas

"From the Reference Desk Series"

NEWSLETTER ARTICLE OF THE YEAR AWARD
The Newsletter Article of the Year Award honors a FCIL-SIS member who contributes an outstanding article for the FCIL-SIS Newsletter during the previous year.

Janet Kearney
Foreign & International Law Librarian
Fordham University School of Law
New York, New York

"Work-in-Progress: A Research Framework in FCIL Teaching?"
INTEREST GROUP/COMMITTEE PROJECT OF THE YEAR AWARD

The Interest Group/Committee Project of the Year Award honors the FCIL-SIS Interest Group and/or Committee that produces an outstanding project for the benefit of FCIL-SIS and/or AALL members during the previous year.

Customary and Religious Law Interest Group (CARLIG)

Canon Law 101 and Get Refusal & Domestic Violence in the Jewish Community

THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE SPECIAL AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE

This Executive Committee Special Award for Excellence honors an individual or group that has made a significant contribution to the FCIL-SIS within the last year.

FCIL-SIS DIVERSITY COMMITTEE TASK FORCE

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Reference & Scholarly Services Librarian
Maurice A. Deane School of Law
Hofstra University
Hempstead, New York

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Reference Librarian
Rutgers University Law School Library
Newark, New Jersey

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Melissa Abernathy
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University of San Diego
Pardee Legal Research Center
San Diego, California

Erin Gow
Associate Professor of Legal Bibliography
University of Louisville Law Library
Louisville, Kentucky

GOVERNMENT LAW LIBRARIES SIS (GLL-SIS) AWARD RECIPIENTS

BETHANY J. OCHAL AWARD FOR DISTINGUISHED SERVICE TO THE PROFESSION

The Bethany J. Ochal Award honors members who have made significant contributions to law librarianship and are nearing the end of their library careers or have recently retired.

Kathy Carlson, Retired
Director
Wyoming State Law Library
Cheyenne, Wyoming

Sarah Galligan, Retired
Law Librarian
Ramsey County Law Library
St. Paul, Minnesota

DR. JOEL FISHMAN PROFESSIONAL PUBLICATION AWARD

This award recognizes a Government Law Libraries Special Interest Section member’s contribution to the field of government law librarianship through a professional publication that promotes government law libraries, law librarianship, legal research, or public access to legal information.

CO-AUTHORS

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Maine State Law & Legislative Reference Library
Augusta, Maine

Jessica Lundgren
Senior Law Librarian
Maine State Law & Legislative Reference Library
Augusta, Maine

“Working with the Legislature,” Chapter 19, Introduction to Law Librarianship, Pressbooks (August 1, 2021)

AUTHOR

Ryan Metheny
Senior Librarian, Reference, Research & Legal Education
LA Law Library
Los Angeles, California

O. JAMES WERNER AWARD FOR DISTINGUISHED SERVICE TO PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES
The Award honors a member who has made a significant contribution to either serving directly or arranging for services to be provided to persons with disabilities or for distinctive service by a person with a disability.

Harris County Robert W. Hainsworth Law Library
STAN, Synchronous Touchless Remote
Node, Robot

Provides extended remote access to justice

LEGAL INNOVATION & TECHNOLOGY SIS (LIT-SIS) AWARD RECIPIENT

KENNETH J. HIRSH DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD
The Kenneth J. Hirsh Distinguished Service Award honors a LIT-SIS member who has made outstanding contributions to the SIS, to AALL, and who is well regarded for his or her service to the profession.

The award was named in honor of its first recipient, Kenneth J. Hirsh, who is a long-standing and distinguished member of the section.

Kincaid C. Brown
Director of the Law Library
University of Michigan Law Library
Ann Arbor, Michigan

PRIVATE LAW LIBRARIANS & INFORMATION PROFESSIONAL SIS (PLLIP-SIS) AWARD RECIPIENTS

ADVOCATE OF THE YEAR AWARD
The Advocate of the Year Award recognizes a member who has been a strong advocate of private law librarianship through service to the SIS, their organization, or the larger legal community and demonstrates outstanding potential for continued service and leadership within the profession.

Shari Berkowitz Duff
Research Librarian
Jones Day
Chicago, Illinois

BEST BLOGGER/WRITER OF THE YEAR AWARD
The Best Blogger/Writer of the Year Award recognizes a member who has made significant blogging/writing contributions to the private law library profession, their organization, or the PLLIP-SIS and who demonstrates outstanding potential for continued service and leadership within the SIS or the profession.

Kevin Miles
Manager of Library Services
Norton Rose Fulbright
Dallas, Texas

DISTINGUISHED LIBRARIAN OF THE YEAR AWARD
Designed to recognize a longtime active member whose contributions to the profession, their organization, and service to the Private Law Librarians SIS have been significant, substantial, and long-standing.

Jennifer Berman
Research Manager
McDermott Will & Emery LLP
Los Angeles, California

EMERGING LEADER OF THE YEAR AWARD
The Emerging Leader of the Year Award recognizes a member in the early stages of their career who has made significant contributions to the law library profession, their organization, and the PLLIP-SIS and demonstrates outstanding potential for continued service and leadership within the SIS and the profession.

Alexis Branham
Legal Content Specialist
BakerHostetler
Cleveland, Ohio

HALL OF FAME AWARD
The Hall of Fame Award recognizes a retiring member who has over the course of their career made significant contributions to the private law library profession, their organization, and the PLLIP-SIS.

Steven Antonio Lastres, Retired
Director of Knowledge Management Services
Debevoise & Plimpton LLP
New York, New York
INNOVATIVE PROFESSIONAL OF THE YEAR AWARD
The Innovative Professional of the Year Award recognizes a member who has demonstrated significant innovation to the private law library profession, their organization, or the PLLIP-SIS and demonstrates outstanding potential for continued service and leadership within the profession.

Catherine Monte
Chief Knowledge & Innovation Officer
Fox Rothschild LLP
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Bonnie Shucha
Associate Dean of Library & Information Services & Director of the Law Library
University of Wisconsin Law Library
Madison, Wisconsin

“Representing Law Faculty Scholarly Impact: Strategies for Improving Citation Metrics Accuracy and Promoting Scholarly Visibility,” 40 Legal Reference Services Quarterly 81 (October 2021)

VENDOR/OUTSIDE CHAMPION AWARD
The Vendor/Outside Champion Award recognizes activities or initiatives by outside vendors that promote the value of information professionals to the broader legal community. Initiatives could include advertising campaigns, surveys, or articles that highlight or demonstrate the value of information professionals.

Jane Lippmann
Information Management Advisor
Thomson Reuters
Woodbury, Minnesota

Blythe McCoy
Information Management Advisor
Thomson Reuters
Cypress, Texas

Westlaw Information Management Advisor Team
Thomson Reuters
New York, New York

Executive Board member Paul Gatz, who passed away after a battle with cancer. Gatz was the first person ever nominated for this award.

RENEE D. CHAPMAN MEMORIAL AWARD FOR OUTSTANDING CONTRIBUTIONS IN TECHNICAL SERVICES LAW LIBRARIANSHIP
The Renee D. Chapman Memorial Award recognizes extended and sustained distinguished service to technical services law librarianship and to AALL, in memory of Renee D. Chapman, former head of technical services at the Charles B. Sears Law Library at the State University of New York at Buffalo and chair of the TS-SIS from 1988-1989.

Melissa Beck, Retired
Head, Cataloging Section, Bibliographic Services
Hugh & Hazel Darling Law Library
University of California, Los Angeles
Los Angeles, California

RIPS-SIS SERVICE AWARD
The RIPS-SIS Service award honors a RIPS-SIS member who has made outstanding contributions to RIPS-SIS in areas of section activity and professional service.

Laura Ax-Fultz
Associate Dean for Library and Information Services
Dickinson Law
Carlisle, Pennsylvania

TECHNICAL SERVICES SIS (TS-SIS) AWARD RECIPIENT

RESEARCH INSTRUCTION & PATRON SERVICES (RIPS-SIS) AWARD RECIPIENTS

PAUL GATZ RIPS-SIS PUBLICATION AWARD
The Paul Gatz RIPS-SIS Publication Award honors RIPS-SIS members for contributions to law librarianship through publication, particularly in the area of research instruction and patron services. The RIPS-SIS Publication Award was renamed last year for law librarian and former
AALL Special Interest Section (SIS) Grants support member education, professional growth, and special interests.

**ACADEMIC LAW LIBRARIES SIS (ALL-SIS) GRANT RECIPIENTS**

**CONELL GRANT**
The CONELL Grant provides newer law librarians with assistance to attend the AALL Conference of Newer Law Librarians (CONELL) with complimentary registration and one night’s accommodations.

- **Adam Z. Harness**
  Charleston, South Carolina
- **Laura B. Wilcoxon**
  Columbia, Missouri

**STIMULUS GRANT**
The Stimulus Grant provides members with financial assistance to attend the AALL Annual Meeting & Conference.

- **Karen Selden**
  Boulder, Colorado
- **Dan Baker-Jones**
  Columbus, Ohio

**GOVERNMENT LAW LIBRARIES (GLL-SIS) GRANTS**
The Annual Meeting Grant provides assistance to attend the AALL Annual Meeting & Conference.

- **Thomas Baer**
  Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
- **Sarah Mauldin**
  Decatur, Georgia
- **Amy Small**
  Austin, Texas
- **Kaden Taylor**
  Salt Lake City, Utah

**LEGAL INFORMATION SERVICES TO THE PUBLIC (LISP-SIS) GRANT**

**KATHY GARNER GRANT**
The Kathy Garner Grant provides full registration to attend the AALL Annual Meeting & Conference in memory of Kathy Garner, esteemed member, and past chair of the Legal Information Services to the Public Special Interest Section and emerita associate professor at Southern Illinois University School of Law Library.

- **Catherine McGuire**
  Annapolis, Maryland
- **Serena Rodholm**
  Victorville, California

**RESEARCH INSTRUCTION & PATRON SERVICE (RIPS-SIS) GRANTS**

**ANNUAL MEETING GRANT**
The Annual Meeting Grant provides assistance to attend the AALL Annual Meeting & Conference.

- **Rebecca Dent**
  New York, New York
- **Nick Harrell**
  Denver, Colorado
- **Chelsey McKimmy**
  Knoxville, Tennessee

**DIVERSITY, EQUITY, AND INCLUSION ANNUAL MEETING GRANT**
Established in 2022, the RIPS-SIS Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Grant recognizes a librarian belonging to a traditionally underrepresented group who is committed to diversity, equity, and inclusion within the profession. Additionally, this grant provides assistance to attend the AALL Annual Meeting & Conference.

- **Mari Cheney**
  Portland, Oregon

**SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITIES SIS (SR-SIS) GRANT RECIPIENT**

**ALAN HOLOCH MEMORIAL GRANT**
The Alan Holoch Memorial Grant recognizes an SR-SIS member who has demonstrated potential in law librarianship through his or her work with the section’s Standing Committee on Gay and Lesbian Issues.

- **Rebecca Dent**
  New York, New York
AALL congradulates our members with milestone anniversaries in 2022.
Members receive an AALL Anniversary Pin to commemorate their achievement and dedication.

10 YEARS
Bianca Anderson
Jennifer Argueta
Paige Asmann
Katherine Baer
Youngwoo Ban
Claudia A. Banks
Cynthia Barrilleaux
Melody Barron
Rob Beharriell
Artie W. Berens
Eliza E. Boles
George Anthony Booth
Karen R. Botkin
Christine Bowersox
Caroline M. Bracco
Daniel A. Brackmann
Alexander Burnett
Patrick H. Butler
Brian Edward Cassidy
Xin Chen
Gilda G. Chiu
Cattleya Concepcion
Sydney Cuccaro
Shamika Dalton
Lisa H. Dang
Montell Davenport
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