

AALL RESEARCH FUND AN ENDOWMENT ESTABLISHED BY LEXISNEXIS®

PURPOSE

- The grant will fund one or more projects of value to those professions that create, disseminate, or use legal and law-related information. The AALL Research Grant program aims to stimulate a diverse range of scholarship in a range of format types.
- One or more grants may be awarded by the AALL LexisNexis Research Grant Jury provided the application(s) is (are) judged worthy of support by the jury under the rules and guidelines established. The total amount that may be awarded (not to exceed \$10,000) will be determined before the application deadline.
- Areas for potential research may include, but are not limited to topics relevant to legal information services, law library collections, legal research, the profession of law librarianship, and law library administration.

ELIGIBILITY

- Applicants should have experience with research projects, and an understanding of the creation, dissemination and/or use of legal and law related information. Applicants may be individuals or partnerships.
- Preference will be given to members of AALL, working individually or in partnership with others.
- Applicant(s) must provide a resume and statement of their qualifications for carrying out this project. AALL reserves the right to request additional supporting documents.
- Applicant(s) currently working on an AALL Research Grant of any type is not eligible to apply for another research grant until the previously awarded grant is judged completed by the respective AALL LexisNexis Research Grant Jury.
- Participation in this AALL research project shall not be denied to any applicant or abridged on account of race, color, religion, gender, age, national origin, disability or sexual orientation.
- Prior to applying, applicant(s) must check with their institutions to confirm the procedures for establishing accounts to accept grant funds and disburse them for approved expenses.

DEADLINE

The American Association of Law Libraries will award research grants once a year. **The next application deadline is April 1, 2026. Incomplete or late applications will not be considered.**

APPLICATION MUST INCLUDE

1. A completed application.
2. A current resume.
3. **In one page or less**, describe the abstract of the proposed research project.
4. **In graphic form**, the tasks and estimated completion dates.
5. Include detailed information specifying all sources of funding, and a detailed description of how funds will be spent.

PROJECT INFORMATION

Project Title: _____

PRIMARY CONTACT INFORMATION

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ **State:** _____ **Zip Code:** _____

Phone: _____ **Email:** _____

SECONDARY CONTACT INFORMATION (IF APPLICABLE)

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ **State:** _____ **Zip Code:** _____

Phone: _____ **Email:** _____

SUBMISSION

By checking this box, I accept and will abide by the terms of the AALL Research Grants program. I understand that, if awarded an AALL Research Grant, I must finish the research project within the agreed-upon time period and file progress reports as described in the Reporting Guidelines. I further understand that my failure to adhere to the terms of the Research Grants program may result in no further disbursement of funds and/or the reimbursement to AALL of monies awarded, as determined by the LexisNexis Research Grant Jury.

Today's Date: _____

Please submit all documents together to help ensure the application is complete by the deadline. Please save the application and email all documents to Christopher Siwa at csiwa@aall.org.