

# Nominate a Library Worker for an Award!

Have you received exemplary service or help at your library? Have you noticed a library staff member going above and beyond? If so, there is a formal way to ensure their dedication is recognized, and that's by nominating them for an Illinois Library Association (ILA) Award.

Every year, ILA accepts nominations for fifteen awards available to libraries, librarians, and staff who exemplify dedication and commitment to the libraries they work in, the communities they serve, and the profession.

If the library staff member you nominate is selected for an award, they will be honored at a special awards luncheon held during the ILA Annual Conference.

Please refer to the flyer on the other side for a complete listing of ILA awards.

The nomination deadline is May 15th of every year.



# ILA Awards

The complete list of awards is below and award descriptions are available at <https://www.ila.org/about/awards-and-scholarships>.

## ILA Awards

- **Hugh C. Atkinson Memorial Award for Interlibrary Cooperation**
- **Crosman Memorial Award for New Library Workers'**
- **Illinois Academic Librarian of the Year Award**
- **Innovative Programs and Services Award**
- **Intellectual Freedom Award**
- **Librarian of the Year Award**
- **Robert R. McClarren Legislative Development Award**
- **Deborah Dowley Preiser Marketing Award**
- **Reference Services Award**
- **Alexander J. Skrzypek Award for Exceptional Service to People with Disabilities**
- **TBS, Inc. Technical Services Award**
- **Trustee of the Year Award**
- **Young Adult Library Professional of the Year Award**
- **Youth Services Achievement Award**
- **Youth Services Librarian of the Year Award**



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