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Devin Scott Selected as 2024 Recipient of the Illinois Library Association Small and Rural Libraries Forum Annual Conference Grant

The Illinois Library Association (ILA) announces Devin Scott, Programming Coordinator at the Salem Township Public Library District in Yates City, Illinois as one of two recipients of the 2024 Illinois Library Association Small and Rural Libraries Forum (SARL) Annual Conference Grant. Sponsored by Fast Forward Libraries and in its inaugural year, the grant has been established to offset the registration cost for small and rural library workers who would not otherwise be able to attend the ILA Annual Conference.

Devin Scott has been with the Salem Township Public Library (STPL) for six years where she serves as Programming Coordinator. STPL is, in Scott's own words, "a small but mighty library!" that serves 1,000 people. Scott states that STPL has a "wonderful and supportive community" and thinks this is a great opportunity for professional development and the library. As a first-time attendee, she's excited to have been selected and can't wait to experience the ILA Annual Conference.

Scott will be recognized at an awards ceremony during the 2024 Illinois Library Association Annual Conference. The conference will take place October 8-10 in Peoria, Illinois.

For more information, contact the Illinois Library Association.

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About the Illinois Library Association

The Illinois Library Association (ILA) is a professional membership organization that represents Illinois libraries and the millions who depend on them. Founded in 1896, it is the third-largest state library association and serves as a chapter within the American Library Association. ILA is comprised of 2,000 personal and more than 500 institutional members, made up of public, academic, school, and special libraries, as well as librarians, library staff, trustees, students, and library vendors