

ALA ANNUAL CONFERENCE & EXHIBITION JUNE 20–25, 2019

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SATURDAY, JUNE 22

WASHINGTON D.C.

AMERICAN LIBRARY ASSOCIATION

Kiese Laymon, Laura Lippman, and Rebecca Makkai to Speak at Andrew Carnegie Medals for Excellence Event Tonight

Rebecca Makkai and Kiese Laymon, authors of the winning titles of the 2019 Andrew Carnegie Medals for Excellence in Fiction and Nonfiction, will join the celebratory 2019 event tonight from 8:00 – 10:00 p.m. at the Renaissance Washington, Grand Ballroom South. Laura Lippman, author of bestselling titles *Sunburn*, *After I'm Gone*, and *I'd Know You Anywhere*, will be the featured speaker. Makkai's novel *The Great Believers* won the fiction medal, and Laymon's memoir, *Heavy: An American Memoir*, won the nonfiction medal. Makkai and Laymon will each speak after accepting their medals. The winning titles were announced for the first time at the Midwinter Meeting & Exhibits in January.

A conference highlight now in its eighth year, this popular Andrew Carnegie Medals for Excellence event includes the program hosted by the current selection committee chair, Annie Bostrom, and a lively dessert

and drinks reception where attendees mingle with winning authors, speakers, colleagues, editors, and ALA leaders.

The 2019 shortlisted titles for nonfiction were *The Line Becomes a River: Dispatches from the Border* by Francisco Cantú and *Dopesick: Dealers, Doctors, and the Drug Company that Addicted America* by Beth Macy. The 2019 shortlisted titles for fiction were *Washington Black* by Esi Edugyan and *There There* by Tommy Orange.

The Andrew Carnegie Medals were established in 2012 by the American Library Association and Carnegie Corporation of New York to recognize the best fiction and nonfiction books written for adult readers and published in the U.S. in the previous year. They are the first single-book awards for adult titles given by ALA and are co-sponsored and administered by *Booklist* and RUSA. For more information and to see past longlists, shortlists, and winners, visit www.ala.org/awardsgrants.carnegieadult.



Author Jason Reynolds delivers his Opening General Session presentation.

Librarian of Congress Carla Hayden and Sociologist Eric Klinenberg Explore Unique Role of Libraries

Dr. Carla Hayden invites professor of Sociology and author of *Palaces of the People* Eric Klinenberg to discuss the important and unique role that libraries provide to the community. The session will include the mapping out of accessibility and adapting to the changing needs of the library users in person and online. This session will take place today from 3:00 – 4:00 p.m.

Hayden was sworn in as the 14th Librarian of Congress in September 2016. She is the first woman and the first African American to lead the national library. She was nominated to the position by President Barack Obama in February 2016 and her nomination was confirmed by the U.S. Senate, July 2016.

Hayden was president of the American Library Association from 2003 to 2004. In 1995, she was the first African American to receive *Library Journal's* Librarian of the Year Award in recognition of her outreach services at the Pratt Library, which included an after-school center for Baltimore teens

**Carla Hayden
& Eric Klinenberg**
Auditorium Speakers
Saturday 6/22, 3:00 – 4:00 p.m.
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offering homework assistance and college and career counseling. Hayden received a BA from Roosevelt University and an MA and PhD from the Graduate Library School of the University of Chicago.

Eric Klinenberg is professor of sociology and director of the Institute for Public Knowledge at New York University. His most recent book is *Palaces for the People: How Social Infrastructure Can Help Fight Inequality, Polarization, and the Decline of Civic Life*. The book argues that the future of democratic societies rests not simply on shared values but on shared spaces: the libraries, childcare centers, bookstores, churches,

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Attendees arrive for the ALA/ERT Exhibits Opening Reception.

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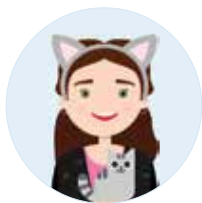
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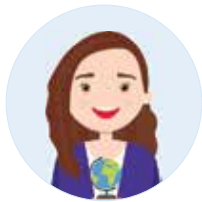
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Saturday, June 22

FUN FACT:

There are more public libraries than Starbucks in the U.S. – a total of 16,568 including branches.

SPEAKER

Journalist and Author Hoda Kotb

Hoda Kotb is the co-anchor of “NBC News’ Today” and co-host of the fourth hour of “NBC News’ Today.” She has served as a correspondent for “Dateline NBC” and covered a wide variety of domestic and international stories across all NBC News platforms, including numerous human-interest stories and features. Kotb has reported on the aftermath and one-year anniversary of Hurricane Katrina, a story personal to Kotb who lived in New Orleans for six years, the war in Iraq, the conflict in the West Bank and Gaza, and the war on terror in Afghanistan. She was also a part of the network’s extensive coverage of the 2012 Summer Olympics in London, 2016 Summer Olympics in Rio, and 2018 Winter Olympics in Pyeongchang.

11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.
Ballroom B/C
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Books



EXHIBITS

DIVERSITY IN PUBLISHING PAVILION

800 Aisle in the Exhibits

The **Diversity in Publishing Pavilion** is home to a wide range of titles, publications, and displays. One area of the pavilion features exhibits from diverse publishers offering attendees an opportunity to talk with editors, writers, and authors with different viewpoints. The pavilion is also home to a display celebrating 50 years of the Coretta Scott King Book Awards, a traveling exhibit developed by the NCCIL. A **Diverse Publication Showcase** will round out the area. The showcase will be live online during, and after the event too, allowing exhibitors to enter their books into a searchable database. Titles will then be displayed in the showcase for attendees to review and build a list of “most wanted” books for their own collections, using the MyBookTote mobile app.

The pavilion is sponsored by Gale Cengage Learning and the Combined Book Exhibit and is just one of the many Specialty Pavilions on the Exhibit Hall floor, giving librarians the chance to get an in-depth look at what’s new, including the latest publications, products, and technologies.

STAGES

The **What’s Cooking Stage** is heating up the Exhibit Hall with mouthwatering displays from the latest cookbooks, hottest chefs and best-in-the-business foodies. ALA President **Loida Garcia-Febo** will lead a cooking demo from 10:00 – 10:45 a.m., sharing simple but nutritious recipes that range from simple drinks to a quick-and-easy shrimp stir-fry. At 11:30 a.m. – 12:20 p.m., **Celebrate 20 Years of America’s Test Kitchen** with Julia Colin Davison. From 12:30 – 1:20 p.m., join “**East VS West, Why the Debate?**” as Pitmaster Matthew Register shares one of the South’s most divisive dishes by way of his new cookbook, *Southern Smoke: Barbecue, Traditions and Treasured Recipes Reimagined for Today*. At 1:30 – 2:20 p.m., **The Peached Tortilla: Modern Asian Comfort Food from Tokyo to Texas** and Eric Silverstein, is up. Then at 2:30 – 3:20 p.m. the **5-Ingredient Vegan** features vegan expert Nava Atlas who has created super simple plant-based recipes that incorporate fresh produce, good-quality canned and frozen foods, whole grains, and timesaving off-the-shelf prepared sauces. Planning for Sunday? See tomorrow’s stage schedule on page 14.



3900 Aisle in the Exhibits





Sunday Schedule

Located in the 1000
Aisle in the Exhibits

The Chapter One Stage will feature panels of new and emerging authors with each presentation focusing on a single genre. Hot topics will also be featured as a jumping off point for new issues impacting libraries and publishing.

9:00 a.m. – 9:50 a.m.

Meet Jill Criswell Author of Young Adult Historical Fantasy Debut *Beasts Of The Frozen Sun*

10:00 a.m. – 10:50 a.m.

How libraries are fighting censorship today

11:00 a.m. – 11:50 a.m.

A Child's Room to Choose: Encouraging Gender Identity and Expression in School and Public Libraries

12:00 p.m. – 12:50 p.m.

Change the Voice, Change the Narrative

1:00 p.m. – 1:50 p.m.

Why a Printed Map Matters in a Digital Age

2:00 p.m. – 2:50 p.m.

The Most Anticipated Young Adult Debut Authors of 2019

3:00 p.m. – 3:50 p.m.

Threat to Democracy - Join the Conversation



Frank Miller

Tom Wheeler

Graphic Creative Forces Frank Miller and Tom Wheeler

Graphic novelist Frank Miller is one of the most influential and awarded creators in comics and graphic novels. He is known for his intense, hard-boiled storytelling, and gritty noir aesthetic. Miller co-directed the movie "Sin City," based on his graphic novel by the same name, and executive produced the action film "300," based on his comic book series. His projects have been nominated for the Cannes Film Festival's highest prize award, the Palme d'Or, and have won the Harvey and Eisner Awards, including those for Best Writer/Artist, Best Graphic Novel Reprint, Best Cartoonist, Best Cover Artist, Best Limited Series, and Best Short Story. In 2015, Miller was inducted into the Will Eisner Award Hall of Fame for his lifetime contribution to the industry.

Screenwriter, producer, and comic book artist Tom Wheeler has worked on "Empire," "The Cape," "Daredevil," "The Dark Knight Returns," "300," and more. He is best known as the screenwriter of "Puss in Boots" and "The Lego Ninjago Movie" and he also wrote the story for the live-action feature "Dora the Explorer," scheduled for 2019 release. This session will take place

Frank Miller & Tom Wheeler
Auditorium Speaker
Sunday 6/23 10:30 – 11:30 a.m.
Sponsored by Simon & Schuster

Sunday from 10:30 – 11:30 a.m.

Together, Miller and Wheeler will create and executive-produce "Cursed," a 10-episode Netflix Original show based on the book of the same name. In "Cursed," the Red Paladins are a blood-soaked wind blowing across the British Isles, fanning the flames of a holy crusade led by the sinister Father Carden, who aims to wipe Druids from the map. Desperate for revenge against the group who destroyed her family and her village, budding Druid Nimue decides to team up with a mysterious, charming young man named Arthur and step into the power she's been running from her whole life. But what if, in her vengeance, she loses her way? What if she forgets herself?

Wheeler will write the companion book, with Miller providing the illustrations, available Fall 2019.



Visit the Diversity in Publishing booth in the Exhibit Hall.

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Improve Your Financial Resources for Patrons with Ready, Set, BankSM

Interested in using a ready-created financial well-being program to teach your patrons online banking skills? PLA and ALA are working with Capital One Financial Corporation to bring innovative financial well-being resources to public libraries across the U.S. Through this project, PLA and ALA will help public libraries nationwide learn about Capital One's Ready, Set, BankSM program, which teaches consumers basic mobile banking skills. This program has been piloted at Houston and Queens Public Libraries, with 80% of survey respondents saying they felt more comfortable using online banking as a result of the class.

Ready, Set, BankSM is designed specifically for older adults, and offers numerous, unbranded videos to guide learners through every step of the process, with overviews and step-by-step tutorials to help them manage their finances online – regardless of where they bank. The curriculum is also available

in Spanish, through Listos, Clic, Avance.SM

"Public libraries provide their patrons with the tools and information to make informed decisions about a wide range of critical issues such as health, employment and personal finance," said PLA President Monique le Conge Zieshenne, PhD. "By collaborating with Capital One, PLA supports libraries efforts to help people reach financial goals like saving for retirement, sending a child to college, or buying a first home."

The financial well-being resources on Ready, Set, BankSM will supplement the existing courses on PLA's DigitalLearn.org with helpful videos on online banking matters. ALA has also recognized Capital One for its financial support by naming the company as a Library Champion at the \$25,000 (Sustainer) level.

Don't Miss Ready, Set, BankSM @ Your Public Library on Sunday from 10:30 – 11:30 a.m. in WCC room 152B.

BOOTH

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5:00 - 8:00 PM

Meet the Librarian of Congress Carla Hayden

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Booth schedule and more: loc.gov/ala [f @libraryofcongress](#) [@libraryofcongress](#) loc.gov

SATURDAY EVENTS

9:30-10:00 AM
LC Trivia Game
Are you smarter than the Library of Congress? Trivia Game

10:00-10:30 AM
George Thuronyi
Copyright: The Engine of Free Expression

10:30-11 AM
Dianne Houghton and Emily E. Roberts
Enriching the Library Experience: A User-Centered Plan for the Library of Congress

11:00-11:30 AM
David Mandel
Visitor Experience Master Plan

11:30-12:30 PM
Minh Lê
Author Minh Lê discusses his book Drawn Together

12:30-1:00 PM
Erin Freas-Smith
Acquiring and cataloging foreign materials for the Library of Congress

1:00-1:30 PM
Lee Ann Potter
Learning and Innovation

1:30-2:00 PM
Caroline Saccucci
PrePub Book Link: Moving CIP into the Future for Publishers

2:00-2:30 PM
Lauren Algee
How to host a By the People transcribe-a-thon

2:30-3:00 PM
Megan Halsband
Connect with LOC: Reference Services for All

3:00-3:30 PM
David Mandel
Visitor Experience Master Plan

3:30-4:00 PM
Jason Yasner
Have you heard about NLS?

4:00-4:30 PM
LC Trivia Game
Are you smarter than the Library of Congress? Trivia Game

5:00 - 8:00 PM
Jefferson Building
Library of Congress Open House

7:00 - 9:00 PM
LOC Grounds
Architect of the Capitol Grounds Tours

9:00 PM
Jefferson Building
Outdoor Film: National Treasure 2

For more information about our programming, please visit us at loc.gov/ala.

LC PAVILION SCHEDULE

9 am-5 pm	Learning and Innovation Office
9 am-5 pm	National Library Service for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
9 am-5 pm	Veterans History Project
9 am-5 pm	Copyright Office
9 am-5 pm	BIBFRAME
9 am-3 pm	By the People
9 am-1 pm	Law Library
1 pm-5 pm	Cataloging-in-Publication
9 am-10 am	Asian and Middle Eastern Division
10 am-12 pm	Program for Cooperative Cataloging
12 pm-1 pm	Interlibrary Loan
1 pm-5 pm	Conservation



Dr. Carla Hayden

Eric Klinenberg

Hayden

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synagogues, and parks that help us form crucial, sometimes life-saving connections. These are places where people can gather and linger, strengthening personal ties and promoting interaction across group lines. They are vital parts of what he calls our “social infrastructure,” and they are necessary for rebuilding societies everywhere.

Klinenberg is also the coauthor, with

Aziz Ansari, of the #1 *New York Times* bestseller *Modern Romance*, and author of the acclaimed books *Going Solo: The Extraordinary Rise and Surprising Appeal of Living Alone*, *Heat Wave: A Social Autopsy of Disaster in Chicago*, and *Fighting for Air: The Battle to Control America's Media*. In addition to his scholarship, Klinenberg has contributed to *The New Yorker*, the *New York Times Magazine*, *Rolling Stone*, the *London Review of Books*, *Wired*, and *This American Life*.

Make Connections at the ALA JobLIST Placement & Career Development Center's Open House/Job Fair

As part of its continuing efforts to help job seekers and employers make real connections, the ALA JobLIST Placement & Career Development Center will host an Open House/Job Fair on Sunday from 10:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. in the center during the ALA 2019 Annual Conference in DC. The center is in the Marriott Marquis – Independence Ballroom.

Representatives from various libraries and library-related companies will have an opportunity to talk with conference attendees about their individual work environments. In addition to discussing employment opportunities, representatives will also converse about various aspects that make their institutions unique – such as work culture, facilities,

sports, music, arts, campus and community life, etc. They will showcase the activities available in and around their institutions that highlight the quality of life.

All conference attendees are welcome and encouraged to attend. There is no cost to participate in the open house. Registration for job seekers is not required. You don't have to be actively seeking employment to attend. Institutions/organizations interested in participating in the open house should contact the center's manager, Beatrice Calvin.

Be intentional about making meaningful connections. Attend the ALA JobLIST Placement & Career Development Center's Open House/Job Fair on Sunday.



★ ★ ★ Sunday Schedule

Located in the 500
Aisle in the Exhibits

Come hear the latest buzz about the newest titles – all in one easy-to-find location on the Exhibit Hall floor!

1:05 p.m. – 1:35 p.m.

The Quarto Group Children's Book Buzz

9:15 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.

Children's & YA Book Buzz with Amazon Publishing and Little Bee Books

1:45 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.

PRHPS Kid's Corner Book Buzz with *National Geographic* Author Kitson Jazyka

10:00 a.m. – 10:40 a.m.

Books that Bring The World to Readers

2:40 p.m. – 3:10 p.m.

FACTS, FUN & FICTION from National Geographic Kids Books!

10:50 a.m. – 11:20 a.m.

The Creative Process Behind Visual Storytelling with Thao Lam

3:20 p.m. – 3:50 p.m.

Enjoy a Midday Break with Holiday House: Learn All About Our New Fall Books

11:30 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.

Buzz about Children's Books

4:00 p.m. – 4:45 p.m.

Fall for great books at the Hachette Book Group and Ingram Content Group Book Buzz

12:25 p.m. – 12:55 p.m.

Penguin Young Readers and Random House Children's Books Buzz!

Live from the 25

Saturday's Podcast Recording Schedule

Time Slot	Podcast Title
9:30 a.m. – 9:45 a.m.	America's Got Talent Winner Landau Eugene Murphy, Jr.: From Washing Cars to Hollywood Star
9:45 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	Political Thrillers from First-Hand Experience
10:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.	Circulating Ideas
10:30 a.m. – 10:45 a.m.	My Time to Shine
10:45 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	Hopping to America
11:00 a.m. – 11:15 a.m.	Urbantasm
11:15 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.	My Journey to Ephphatha: Discovering Ways God Guides Us to Our Purpose – Bonnie Vokits
11:30 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.	The Children's Book Podcast
12:00 p.m. – 12:15 p.m.	Traci Meet Frane. Frane Meet Traci.
12:30 p.m. – 12:45 p.m.	To The Stars Through Difficulties
12:45 p.m. – 1:00 p.m.	Klaus Revelation
1:00 p.m. – 1:15 p.m.	Lean & Luscious
1:15 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.	Creating Art Dolls for Self-Discovery, Awareness and Transformation – Barbara Kobe
1:30 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.	The Library Love Fest Podcast
2:15 p.m. – 2:45 p.m.	Stackless
3:00 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.	Permission to Roar – Marni Freedman
3:15 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.	Children's Book Author Kat Socks
3:30 p.m. – 3:45 p.m.	Understanding How Special it is to Grow Up Human
4:00 p.m. – 4:15 p.m.	Wonderfully Wild Ones
4:15 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.	Pentagon Experience Leads to Award Winning Novels
4:30 p.m. – 4:45 p.m.	Selling Through Your Heart – Shirlene Reeves
4:45 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Faithful Servants – Marc Curtis Little



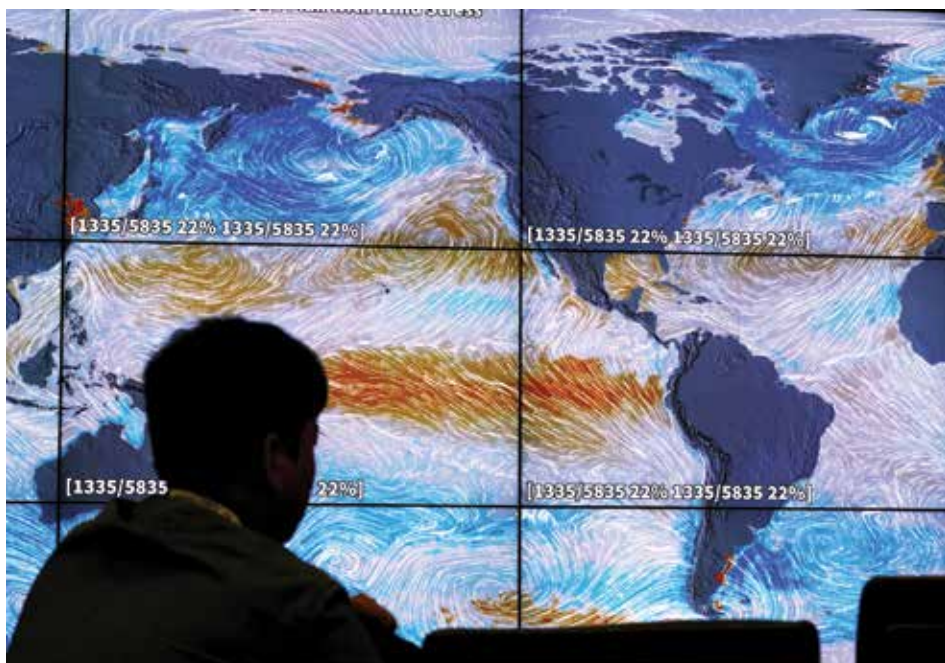
Sionna Hartigan (from left), Olivia Gorecke, Mary Ecklund, and Johanna Boyle take part in the ALA Lounge House Cup Tournament.



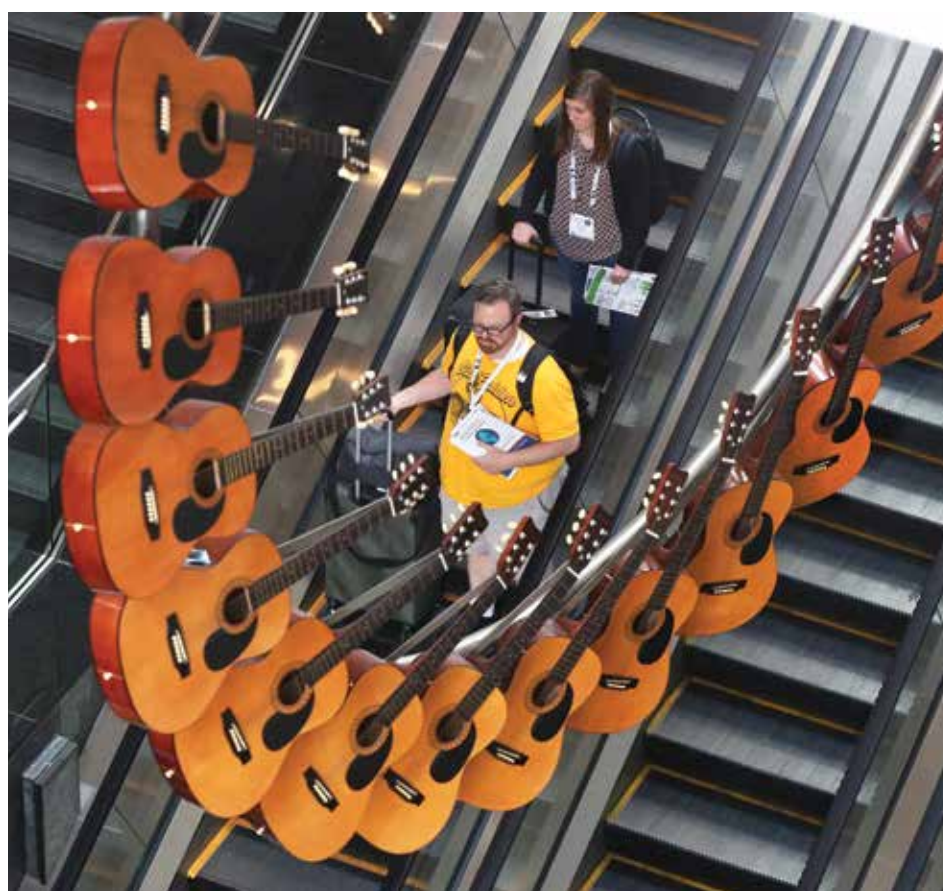
*Bobbi Patham takes a closer look at artistic work named *Two Tales of a City* featuring Democratic representation by Leni Stern and Republican representation by Louise Sagalyn in the Walter E. Washington Convention Center.*



ALA scholarship winners gather for a group photo.



Estimates of ocean surface CO2 flux with wind stress are modeled at the NASA booth in the Exhibit Hall.



*ALA attendees pass below some of the mixed media work *Five Easy Pieces* by artist Donald Lipski hanging inside the Walter E. Washington Convention Center.*



Ingrid Hellstrom (from left), Natalie Molnar, and Karen Berry put crayons to work during coloring hour in the ALA Networking Uncommons.



ALA past presidents (from left), Jim Rettig 2008-09, Barbara Ford 1997-98, Molly Raphael 2011-12, Barbara Stripling 2013-14, Maureen Sullivan 2012-13, Ann Symons 1998-99, Roberta Stevens 2010-11, Loriene Roy 2007-08, pose with ALA President Loida A. Garcia-Febo.



The Landscape of Refugees and Library Action

The Sub-Committee on Refugees, Immigrants and Displaced Persons (SRIDP - ALA ODLOS) will provide updates on current regulations and legislation related to refugees and asylum seekers in the U.S. and discuss library action in the Networking Uncommons on Sunday from 9:00 – 10:00 a.m.

How to Hug a Porcupine: Relationship Building with Lawmakers and Why It's Important

United for Libraries will host its President's Program on Sunday from 1:00 – 2:00 p.m. in WCC room 147B. This year's program, sponsored by the ALA Public Policy and Advocacy Office, will focus on building relationships with lawmakers. Brad Fitch, president and CEO of the Congressional Management Foundation, will discuss how to build relationships with elected officials and effective communication tactics. United for Libraries board member Libby Post will moderate.

Building relationships with elected officials can sometimes be difficult and uncomfortable. It forces you and your key stakeholders to get close to politicians in ways that may feel "prickly" – like hugging a porcupine. This program will help participants overcome that discomfort,

revealing the methods and benefits for building relationships with elected officials. Participants will learn: who members of Congress and state legislators listen to; what congressional staffers believe are the most effective communications tactics for influencing undecided Members of Congress; and how to conduct effective in-person meetings, influence legislators at town hall meetings, as well as effective advocacy in the state/district.

Fitch received his BA degree in political science from Johns Hopkins University and his MA degree in journalism and public affairs from American University. He has spent 25 years in Washington as a journalist, congressional aide, consultant, college instructor, Internet entrepreneur, and writer/researcher.

ALA Executive Director Opportunity

Libraries are an iconic feature of American life. In study after study, libraries are ranked among the public's most trusted sources of information. They have introduced users to the joy of learning and the magic of books; have offered a safe and productive haven for study, research and reflection; and have transformed users' lives through educational programs and community resources. Not only have America's libraries changed the lives of many of their users, they themselves have transformed as societal needs, technology, and other forces in the economy have dramatically reshaped their role and nature. Libraries of all types have adapted to the digital age and are committed to meeting the evolving needs of their communities.

In July 2017, Executive Director Keith Michael Fiels retired after serving the American Library Association (ALA) for 15 years. His tenure was marked by important developments in the field and the association. Mary Ghikas, formerly senior associate executive director, is now serving as the executive

director. Ghikas will serve as the executive director through ALA's midwinter meeting, in January 2020. Upon the start of a new executive director, Ghikas will become the deputy executive director and she will work to support the orientation and transition of the new executive director through ALA's annual conference in June 2020.

ALA seeks a dynamic, innovative, entrepreneurial, and experienced leader as its next executive director. Founded in 1876, ALA is the world's oldest and largest library association and promotes the work of libraries and the value of professional library and information science education. It advocates for issues and values that are important to the field and to a free and open information society. ALA achieves these goals through its programs, publications, conferences, professional development, and outreach work. The Association, headquartered in Chicago, Ill. represents over 58,000 members, has a staff of 260, and an annual budget of \$52 million. The ALA also has an office in Washington, DC.

The position of executive director of the American Library Association offers an extraordinary and exciting opportunity to champion, represent, and support one of the most trusted and valuable institutions in American society. The next executive director will be able to leverage the organization's strong reputation and the passion and dedication of the Association's members, staff, and elected leaders to build even stronger support for libraries, those who work in them, and the millions of users who benefit from them.

ALA will offer a competitive salary based on experience. ALA offers a comprehensive and valuable benefits package that includes generous paid vacation and retirement annuity.

ALA has engaged Isaacson, Miller, a national executive search firm, to assist with this important search. On Saturday and Sunday, consultants from Isaacson, Miller will be at our Annual Conference & Exposition and available to meet, in confidence, with interested parties, to discuss this opportunity. To contact them, please email Marc St. Hilaire (msthilaire@IMSearch.com) or Pamela Pezzoli (ppezzoli@IMSearch.com). For additional information about this opportunity, please visit <https://www.imsearch.com/search-detail/S6-883>.

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Make Your Voice Heard by Running in ALA 2020 Election

ALA is looking for candidates to run on the 2020 ballot for president-elect and councilor-at-large. This is an opportunity for members to make a difference and have a say in the future of the association. Interested members should contact the Nominating Committee no later than July 10.

The committee will select two candi-

dates for president-elect and no fewer than 51 candidates for 34 at-large council seats in the 2020 spring election.

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Games & Gaming Round Table President's Program

Join GameRT today at 2:30 p.m. for the Games and Gaming Round Table President's Program. In two presentations, speakers will discuss the practical needs of managing game collections in libraries and using free gaming software to develop programming and teach coding skills.

In the first part of the session Sian Brannon, Erin DeWitt Miller, and Diane Robson of the University of North Texas will highlight the results of a nationwide census on games in libraries conducted in summer 2018. They surveyed libraries to find out what games are being collected, how they are cataloged, and what programming is offered, and collected the responses of nearly 600 school, academic, public, and special libraries. Their findings will assist interested libraries to advocate for creating or enhancing game collections and gaming programs with internal and grant funders. The presenters will also give practical insight into managing game collections from a library that has been gaming since 2009.

In the second half of the session speaker Nick Tanzi, will provide a tour of Kodu, free software that enables users to learn how to code their own video games and share them online. Attendees will learn how to get started, how to develop programs for children and teens, and some of the reasons why coding and games will help young library users develop the skills they will need in college and the job market.

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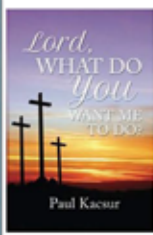
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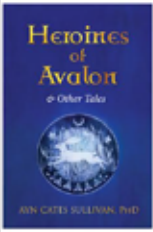


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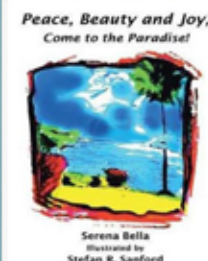


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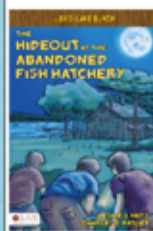


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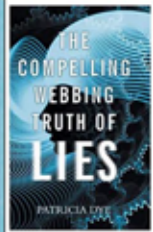
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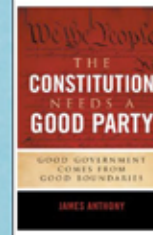
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8:00 – 9:45 a.m.

Ashes in the Snow

This is a coming-of-age tale of a young girl, who with her mother and younger brother is deported to a Soviet labor camp amid Stalin's reign of terror in the Baltic region during World War II. An aspiring artist, she secretly documents her harrowing journey with her drawings. In 1941, sixteen-year-old Lina is preparing for art school, first dates, and all that summer has to offer. But one night, the Soviet secret police barge violently into her home, deporting her along with her mother and younger brother. They are being sent to Siberia. Lina's father gets separated from the family and put in a prison camp. Lina fights for her life, fearless, vowing that if she survives, she will honor her family, and the thousands like her, by documenting the experience in her art and notes. She risks everything, hoping that her messages in art will make their way to her father's prison camp to let him know his family is still alive.

Run Time: 98 min.

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10:00 – 11:00 a.m.

Councilwoman

Councilwoman is the inspiring story of Carmen Castillo, an immigrant Dominican housekeeper in a Providence hotel who wins a seat in City Council, taking her advocacy for low-income workers from the margins to city politics. The film follows Castillo's first term as she balances her full-time day job as a housekeeper with her family life and the demands of public office. She faces skeptics who say she doesn't have the education to govern, the power of corporate interests who take a stand against her fight for a \$15 hourly wage, and a tough re-election against two contenders. As Castillo battles personal setbacks and deep-rooted notions of who is qualified to run for political office, she fiercely defends her vision of a society in which all people can earn enough to support themselves and their families. An eye-opening look at entrenched power in American democracy. An excellent resource for Latinx, Immigrant, Political Science, and Labor Studies courses.

Run Time: 57 min.

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11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

To a More Perfection Union:

U.S. v. Windsor

This film tells a story of love, marriage and a fight for equality. It chronicles two unlikely heroes, octogenarian Edie Windsor and her attorney, Roberta Kaplan, on their quest for justice: Edie had been forced to pay a huge estate tax bill upon the death of her spouse because the federal government denied federal benefits to same-sex couples ... and Edie's spouse was a woman. Deeply offended by this lack of recognition of her 40+ year relationship with the love of her life, Edie decided to sue the United States government – and won.

Beyond the story of this pivotal case in the marriage equality movement, the film also tells the story of our journey as a people, as a culture, and as citizens with equal rights. Windsor and Kaplan's legal and personal journeys are told in their own words, and

through interviews with others, including Lillian Faderman, a leading scholar on LGBTQ history, and Evan Wolfson, who first at Lambda Legal and later as founder of "Freedom to Marry" was the godfather of marriage equality in the U.S. and now worldwide. Legal observers, including Jeffrey Toobin from CNN and Nina Totenberg of National Public Radio also lend their insights.

Run Time: 63 min.

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1:00 – 3:00 p.m.

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Run Time: 28 min.

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4:00 – 5:45 p.m.

Invisible Hands

Produced by Oscar-winning filmmaker Charles Ferguson, *Invisible Hands* is the first feature documentary to expose child labor and trafficking within the supply chains of the world's biggest companies. Filmed in six countries including India, China, Hong Kong, Indonesia, and Ghana, it is a harrowing account of children as young as six years old making the products we use every day. *Invisible Hands* marks the directorial debut of journalist Shrayasi Tandon. Participants in the film include Nobel Peace Prize recipient Kailash Satyarthi; *New York Times* writer and two-time Pulitzer prize winner Nicholas Kristof; journalist/investigator Ben Skinner; author, activist, and expert on modern-day slavery and human trafficking Siddharth Kara; and Columbia Law School professor Mark Barenberg.

Run Time: 114 min.

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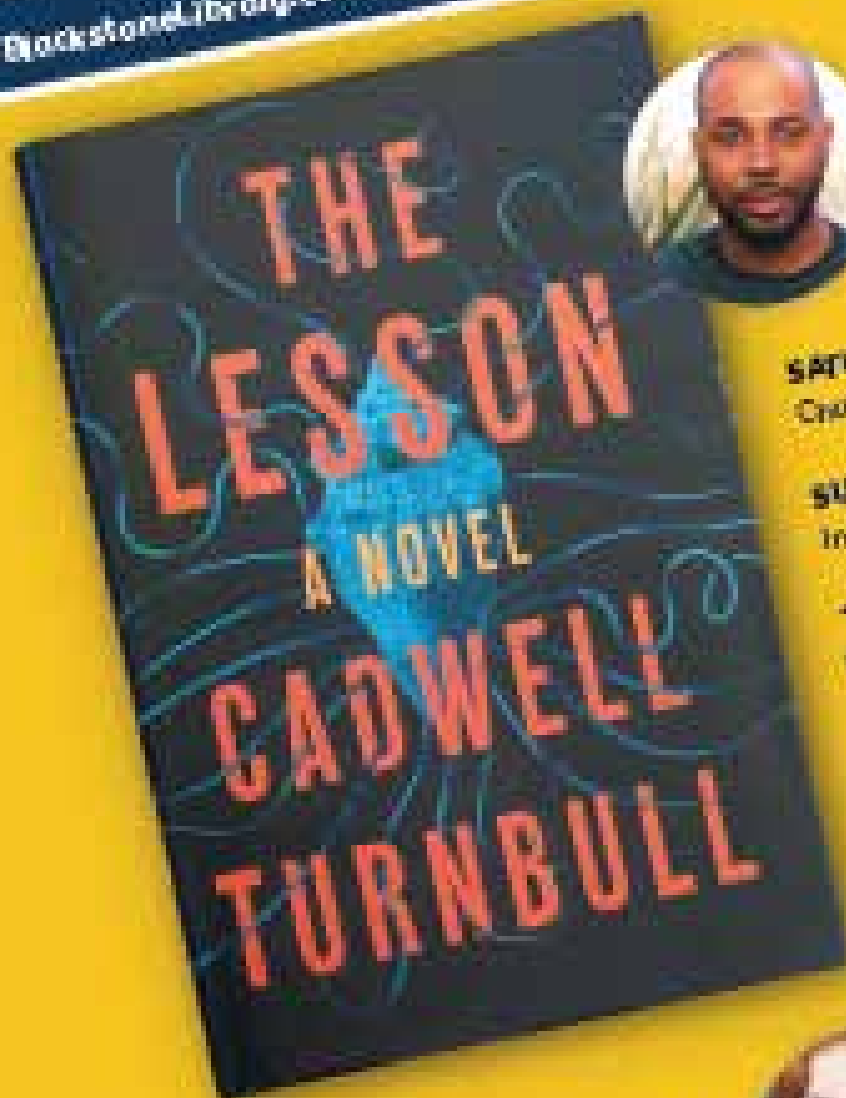
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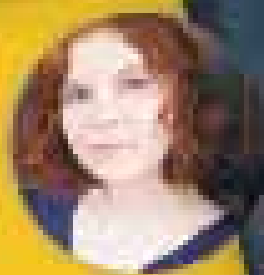
Meet Cadwell Turnbull
Author of One of the Most Talked-About
Debuts of the Summer

SATURDAY, June 23rd at 12 PM
Chapter One Stage - Diverse Voices in Science Fiction Panel

SUNDAY, June 25th at 1:50 PM
In-Booth Signing booth #2449

"Turnbull's debut is complex and enthralling. It's a must for all
readers, and the writer, who crafts speculative stories with black
characters on par with Octavia Butler, is definitely one to watch."
-LIBRARY JOURNAL (starred review)

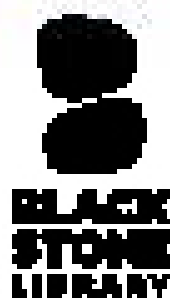
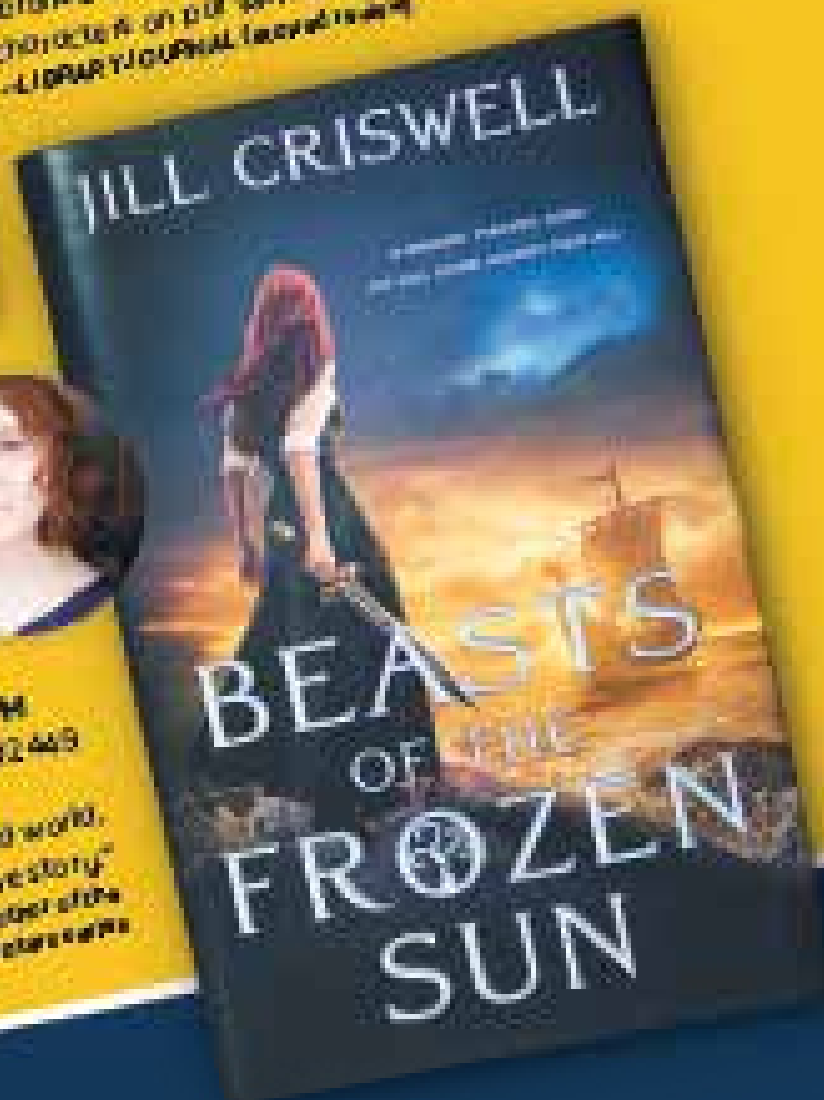
Meet Jill Criswell
Debut Young Adult Fantasy Author!



SUNDAY, June 25th at 9 AM
Chapter One Stage

SUNDAY, June 25th at 3 PM
In-Booth Signing, booth #2449

"A fast-paced, epic tale, a brilliantly imagined world,
unforgettable characters, and a wonderful love story."
-JULIE HARRIS, award-winning fantasy author of the
Darkness & Dawn and Summer Storm series



See you at booth #2449!

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Career Development Sessions at Annual

If you are ready to improve your job and career options, be sure to attend the career guidance workshops in the ALA JobLIST Placement and Career Development Center during the ALA Annual Conference. You'll discover how to master an interview, learn how to negotiate for a better salary, and determine what you need to do to move up in your career. There is no cost to attend. Registration is not required. The Center will be located in the Marriott Marquis Hotel – Independence Ballroom. Plan to attend the sessions listed below so that you can get your career moving forward.

Today

3:00 – 5:00 p.m.

AAUW Start Smart Salary Negotiations

This workshop is designed to empower you to successfully and confidently negotiate

your salary and benefits and to make sure your compensation is aligned with your worth and market value. Whether you are negotiating for a new job, a promotion, or a raise, we'll show you how to be a highly objective, persuasive, and strategic negotiator. Don't leave money on the table! Join us to gain valuable skills and strategies for successfully negotiating your salary throughout your career – not just your next job. There will be opportunities in session to practice what you learn.

Sunday

9:00 – 10:30 a.m.

How to Transition from Peer to Supervisor

Transitioning from peer to supervisor can be very difficult for most newly promoted supervisors. Many are not equipped with the tools to successfully transition. In this ses-

sion we will discuss what skills and abilities are needed to move into supervisory roles. Discover the tools and techniques needed to communicate more effectively, gain trust, set boundaries, provide constructive feedback, and motivate employees for results.

3:00 – 4:00 p.m.

Mastering the Interview: Visualizing Your Path Forward

Congratulations! You've got an interview... now what? During this interactive workshop, we will look at what to expect when interviewing at different types of libraries: academic, special, and public. We'll discuss both remote and in-person interviews, and talk about the importance of doing your research, preparing questions for your interviewers, and following up after the interview. We will practice introductions, answering questions,

and telling others about ourselves. We will discuss the benefits of building self-awareness and visualizing your destination. And finally, we will employ activities and prompts to help you cultivate your own professional practice, at any stage of your career.

4:00 – 5:00 p.m.

Soft Skills: What Library School Doesn't Teach You

I learned the basics of cataloging. I took classes on providing information services. I can mine databases for information. All of these things I learned in library school. But what about the soft skills you don't get from the classroom and can only learn on the job? In this session, you'll find out about the knowledge, skills and abilities they don't teach in school that can help prepare you to be an even better librarian.

Collective Reinvestment in Open Infrastructure Inclusion is Focus of SPARC-ACRL Forum

Libraries are increasingly considering scaling back their subscriptions or canceling big deals altogether. Yet, the question of how and where to reinvest the resources that become available is both far from settled and increasingly pressing. As we start to move away from the subscription model, we should be intentional about crafting the vision for open research communication we strive to

build and how we intend to build it.

This forum, "If I Had A Million Dollars: Collective Reinvestment in Open Infrastructure," will invite active participation throughout the session in a facilitated discussion with experts representing both libraries and research funders. The forum will be held from 2:30 – 3:30 p.m. today in room 151A of the Washington Convention Center.

Connect with Colleagues at ACRL Discussion and Interest Groups

ACRL discussion and interest groups provide a great way to meet and discuss hot topics with your academic and research library colleagues. Topics include assessment, cataloging issues, copyright, collection development, digital humanities, information commons, management, popular culture in libraries, residency, and more. Discussion group meetings are open to all conference attendees. Check the conference scheduler for location and time details.

Join us for a signing!

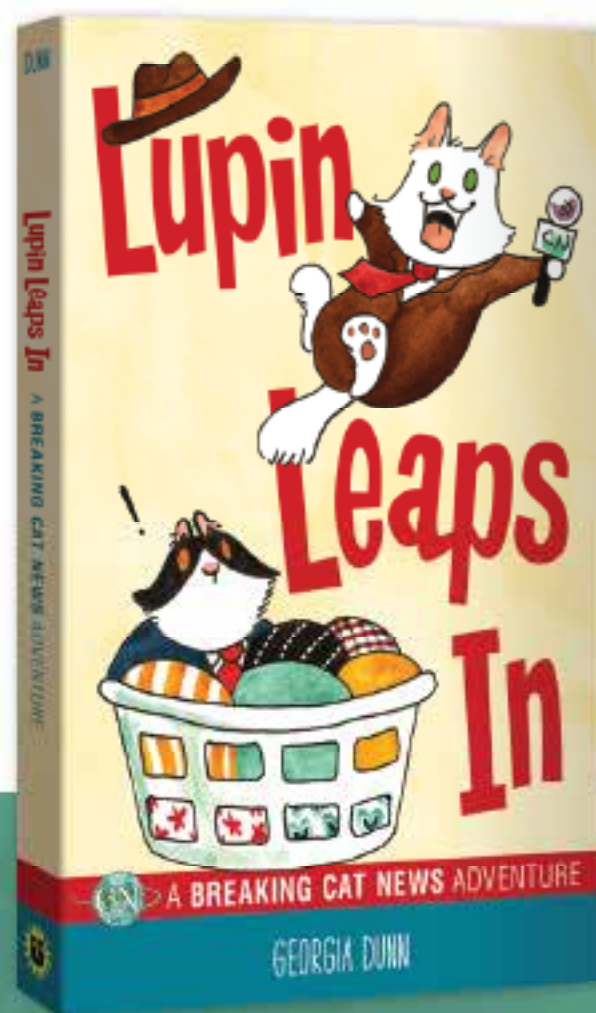
Saturday, June 22 | 2–3pm

**Andrews McMeel Publishing
Booth #1425**



Georgia Dunn, author of
Lupin Leaps In

NEW for middle grade! Based on author/illustrator Georgia Dunn's real-life pets, follow three hilarious felines as they report on the household news that matters to cats.



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"If anyone is going to explore a terrifying, future version of our high-tech, internet-obsessed culture, please let it be Megan Angelo!"

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"Megan Angelo has crafted an eerie masterpiece* about the world we live in and the world we don't want to live in. Followers will make you reconsider whether you really want your fifteen minutes of fame."

—Christina Dalcher, author of VOX



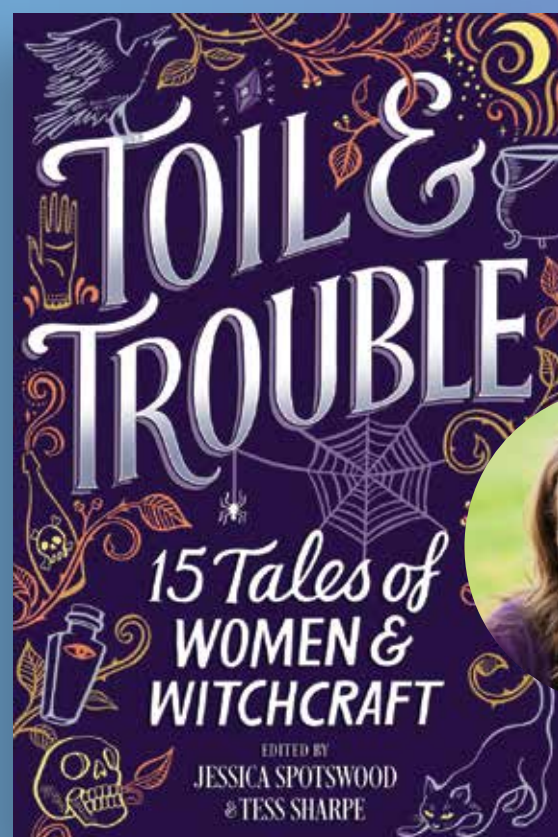
Meet JESSICA SPOTSWOOD

★ "[A] **provocative, eclectic** collection."
—PW, starred review

★ "This **powerful and diverse collection** is perfect for fans of female-led fantasy stories. No damsels in distress to be found here."
—Kirkus, starred review

★ "At the heart of each [story] is a girl (or girls) learning to discover her power...**The collective impact is undeniably resounding.**"
—Booklist, starred review

Signing: 9:00AM - 9:45AM



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★ ★ ★
**Sunday
 Schedule**
*Located at the end of
 the 2500 Aisle
 in the Exhibits*

Visit the PopTop Stage featuring your favorite topics with readings, discussions, panels, and tips.

9:00 a.m. – 9:50 a.m.

Newbery Honorees Kate DiCamillo, Shannon Hale, and Cece Bell on The Children's Book Podcast

10:00 a.m. – 10:50 a.m.

Fierce! Why We Can't Get Enough Empowering Female Characters in YA

11:00 a.m. – 11:50 a.m.

Spotlight on Science Fiction and Fantasy

12:00 p.m. – 12:50 p.m.

#ReadingRainbow: Teaching Kids about Pride and LGBTQ+ History Through Children's Books

1:00 p.m. – 1:50 p.m.

Bringing History to Life: Fascinating Nonfiction for Middle Grade Readers

2:00 p.m. – 2:50 p.m.

Middle Grade Graphic Novels: New Titles for Growing Readers!

3:00 p.m. – 3:50 p.m.

Authors in Conversation: Finding Identity

4:00 p.m. – 4:50 p.m.

What Makes a Hero or a Villain?

Newbery Award-Winning Author Matt de la Peña to Headline AASL President's Program

Award-winning author Matt de la Peña will headline the American Association of School Librarians (AASL) President's Program, taking place this morning at 9:30 a.m. in WCC room 146B.

Matt de la Peña is the *New York Times* bestselling author of six young adult novels including *Mexican WhiteBoy*, *We Were Here*, and *The Living* and four picture books including *Love* and the Newbery Award winning *Last Stop on Market Street*. His debut novel, *Ball Don't Lie*, was made into a major motion picture starring Ludacris, Nick Cannon, Emelie de Ravin, Grayson Boucher, and Rosanna Arquette.

"Last fall I had the great pleasure of hearing Matt de la Peña speak to both middle and high school learners about the journey that has influenced his writing," said AASL President Kathryn Roots Lewis. "As I watched these respective groups of learners, every child was listening intently. The phrase, 'you could have heard a pin drop' was certainly apropos! As learners asked thoughtful, deep questions, Matt shared passionately from his rich life experience. His powerful message of inclusiveness and equity is a must for all learners – children and adults – as Matt's works inspire readers of all ages everywhere. Please join me to hear the amazing Matt de la Peña!"



Matt de la Peña

In 2016, de la Peña was awarded the NCTE Intellectual Freedom Award. In 2012, his novel *Mexican WhiteBoy* was banned from the curriculum of Tucson, Ariz. schools. Scheduled to speak in a Tucson high school shortly after the banning, de la Peña donated his speaking fee in order to purchase copies of *Mexican WhiteBoy* for students. "I want to give back what was taken away," he said.

de la Peña received his MFA in creative writing from San Diego State University and his BA from the University of the Pacific where he attended school on a full basketball scholarship. He currently lives in Brooklyn, New York. He teaches creative writing and visits high schools and colleges throughout the country.

#ReadytoCode Hands-on Open Forum Meeting

For more than a year (2017-2018), 30 Libraries Ready to Code libraries curated resources, developed content, and piloted strategies for coding and computational thinking (CT) activities that are grounded in research, aligned with library core values and support broadening participation. As the Libraries Ready to Code program closes, task force members from AASL, ALSC and YALSA will host two hands-on forums to share their final work and recommendations. The program will be offered twice at the Grand Hyatt Washington, Declaration AB today from 10:00 – 11:00 a.m. and Sunday from 2:00 – 3:00 p.m.

Also, join other sessions sponsored by ALA's Public Policy and Advocacy Office:

"Ensuring Everyone Counts (and is Counted) in the 2020 Census" on Sunday from 9:00 – 10:00 a.m. WCC room 145B; "173 Days of Congress: An Examination" today from 10:30 – 11:30 a.m. WCC room 151A; and "The Who, What and Why of ALA's Policy Corps" on Monday from 10:30 – 11:30 a.m. WCC room 140A.

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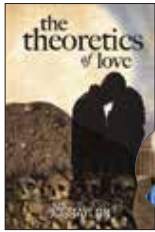
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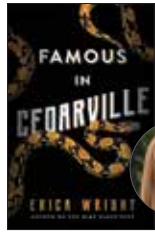
Peter Baker
Obama: The Call of History
Expanded ...
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Booth #2214 | 10:00 AM



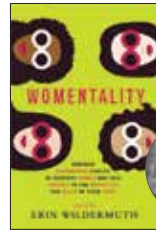
Joe Taylor
The Theoretics of Love: a Novel
9781588383303
NewSouth Books

Booth #2213 | 10:00 AM



Erica Wright
Famous in Cedarville
9781947993723
Polis Books

Booth #2314 | 10:00 AM



Erin Wildermuth
Womanality
9781941110843
Three Rooms Press

Booth #2314 | 10:00 AM



Rick Capaldi, PhD
21st Century Parenting:
9781949481006
Central Recovery

Booth #2111 | 10:30 AM



David Bowles
They Call Me Guero
9781947627062
Cinco Puntos Press

Booth #2110A | 10:30 AM



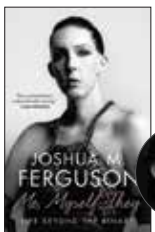
John Vercher
Three-Fifths
9781947993679
Agora Books

Booth #2314 | 11:00 AM



J.L. Powers
Under Water
9781947627031
Cinco Puntos Press

Booth #2110A | 11:00 AM



Joshua M. Ferguson
Me, Myself, They
9781487004774
House of Anansi Press

Booth #2307 | 11:00 AM



Laura Sicola
Speaking to Influence
9781948787307
Lifestyle Entrepreneur Press

Booth #2213 | 11:00 AM



Doug Cooper
Focus Lost
9781947856899
Rare Bird

Booth #2316 | 11:00 AM



Hayelin Choi
Bread Lab!
9780998436609
READERS to EATERS

Booth #2315 | 11:00 AM



June Jo Lee
Chef Roy Choi and the Street
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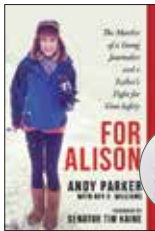
Pam Webber
Moon Water
9781631526756
She Writes Press

Booth #2211 | 11:00 AM



Kelsey Wroten
Cannonball
9781941250334
Uncivilized + ODOD Books

Booth #2106A | 11:00 AM



Andy Parker
For Alison
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Apollo Publishers

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Paul Downs
Urban Legendz
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Humanoids

Booth #2210 | 1:00 PM



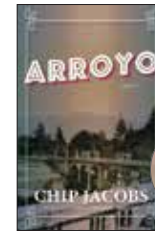
Nick Newlin
The 30-Minute Shakespeare
Anthology
9781935550372
Nicolo Whimsy Press

Booth #2108B | 1:00 PM



David Kirk
My Hugging Rules
9781732686106
Pipweasel

Booth #2315 | 1:00 PM



Chip Jacobs
Arroyo
9781644280287
Rare Bird

Booth #2316 | 1:00 PM



Gabrielle Bell
Inappropriate
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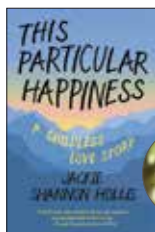
Melissa Glaser, MS. LPC
Healing a Community
9781942094906
Central Recovery

*Signing Cancelled



Vanessa Westgate
To Catch an Elephant
9781605374321
Clavis Publishing

Booth #2311 | 1:30 PM



Jackie Shannon Hollis
This Particular Happiness
9781942436393
Forest Avenue Press

Booth #2314 | 2:00 PM



Scott Thomas
Violet
9781947848368
Inkshares

Booth #2107 | 2:00 PM



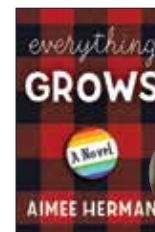
Steve O'Keefe
Set the Page on Fire
9781608686117
New World Library

Booth #2310A | 2:00 PM



Mary Lea Carroll
Saint Everywhere
9781945551567
Prospect Park Books

Booth #2112A | 2:00 PM



Aimee Herman
Everything Grows
9781941110683
Three Rooms Press

Booth #2314 | 2:00 PM



Peter Wartman
Stonebreaker
9781941250358
Uncivilized + ODOD Books

Booth #2106A | 2:00 PM



Thao Lam
My Cat Looks Like My Dad
9781771473514
Owlkids Books

Booth #2309 | 3:00 PM



Trevor Jones
Major: A Soldier Dog
9781644420003
Six Foot Press

Booth #2215 | 3:00 PM

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Congressman Ben Ray Luján Named REFORMA Legislator of the Year

On Friday morning, REFORMA – The National Association to Promote Library and Information Services to Latinos and the Spanish-Speaking – named Congressman Ben Ray Luján (D-NM-3) Legislator of the Year for his ongoing commitment to

improving library services at the national and local levels.

Luján gained the attention of the REFORMA Legislative Committee when he introduced U.S. House Bill H.R. 3496 (Public Library Innovation Space Act) to promote

the development of maker-spaces in public libraries. Although the bill did not become law, REFORMA and the library community acknowledged the work that Congressman Luján has done to improve library services for all, including the Latino and Spanish-Speaking communities in his area.

Luján also helped to secure and ship 1,500 titles from the Library of Congress after the La Farge Branch of the Santa Fe Public Library lost 2,000 children's and Spanish books due to floods. In addition, he was a co-sponsor of

the American Dream and Promise Act to keep the doors of opportunity open for DREAMers and to keep our families together; bringing stability to the 17,000 individuals across New Mexico and hundreds of thousands of people across the country.

"Libraries are the cornerstone of where learning should be taking place," said Luján. "My advocacy comes from librarians who made a difference in my life when I was young. Libraries, in my opinion, are the answer."



★ ★ ★ Sunday Schedule

*Located in the 3000
Aisle in the Exhibits*

Hear from authors, illustrators, and creators of the hottest games and graphic novels. Learn more about the art of graphic novels and illustration, how games and gaming inspire creativity and social interaction, and how comics in the library and in the classroom can help inspire and reach reluctant readers.

9:30 a.m. – 10:20 a.m.

Choosing Graphic Novels for Your Community

10:30 a.m. – 11:20 a.m.

European Comics: A Melting Pot

11:30 a.m. – 12:20 p.m.

Image Comics Summer Spectacular

12:30 p.m. – 1:20 p.m.

Wordy to Wordless: How Comics Writers Adapt to Different Genres, Ages, and Artists

1:30 p.m. – 2:20 p.m.

Coming of Age Stories for Every Reader

2:30 p.m. – 3:20 p.m.

Library Gaming with Wizards of the Coast

3:30 p.m. – 4:20 p.m.

The Many Paths to Comics



Nicki Troupe (from left) Marsha Stembridge, and Matthew Stembridge show off the shirts they purchased at the ALA Store.

MACMILLAN HAPPY HOUR BOOK BUZZ!

Join the Macmillan Library Marketing team (and a surprise guest author!)
as we highlight our favorite Adult + YA titles!

TODAY, 4:00-5:00 PM | WCC Room 207A

Beer and wine will be served.

#MLHappyHour





Today's Autograph Signing Schedule

Autographing Author(s).....StationExhibiting Company Name Booth Number

10:00 a.m. – 10:50 a.m.

Elizabeth Acevedo	A.....	HarperCollins Children's Books.....	1219
Grant Maloy Smith	B.....	Headline Books	927
Kwame Alexander.....	C	Houghton Mifflin Harcourt.....	1345
Sharon M. Draper	D.....	Simon & Schuster, Inc.....	1522-1523
Torben Kuhlmann.....	E.....	NorthSouth Books	1516

11:00 a.m. – 11:50 a.m.

Kevin Henkes.....	A.....	HarperCollins Children's Books.....	1219
Adriane Doherty	B.....	Cardinal Publishers Group.....	648
Stanley Nelson	C	Chickasaw Press.....	3933
Christian Robinson	D.....	Simon & Schuster.....	1522-1523

12:00 p.m. – 12:50 p.m.

Bob Carden, Alison Thoet, Barbara Noe Kennedy.....	A.....	Fodor's Travel.....	TBD
Glenn Leonard, Joe Coleman, Joe Blunt.....	B.....	Headline Books	957
Joan Waites	C	Schiffer Publishing.....	2848
Landau Eugene Murphy Jr	D.....	Headline Books	957
Rick Robinson	E.....	Headline Books	957

1:00 p.m. – 1:50 p.m.

Angie Thomas	A.....	HarperCollins Children's Books.....	1219
Anthony Fredericks	B.....	Cardinal Publishers Group.....	648
Diana Pishner Walker.....	C	Headline Books	927
Jan Spivey Gilchrist	D.....	Stallion Books.....	1065
Matthew Cordell	E.....	Macmillan Children's Publishing Group	1504

2:00 p.m. – 2:50 p.m.

Ashley Bryan	A.....	Simon & Schuster.....	1522-1523
Christopher Willard, PsyD	B.....	Sounds True Publishing	1614
Deborah Lee Rose	C	Baker & Taylor Publisher Services.....	2333
Jason Reynolds.....	D.....	Simon & Schuster.....	1522-1523
Margarete Rougier.....	E.....	Margarete Rougier	663

3:00 p.m. – 3:50 p.m.

Julie L. Seely.....	A.....	Skinny House Press.....	813M
Briana London	B.....	Cosworth Publishing	663
Katherine Paterson	C	Flyaway Books	2551
W. G. Griffiths	D.....	Headline Books	957
Wiley Barnes	E.....	Chickasaw Press.....	3933

4:00 p.m. – 4:50 p.m.

Dackeyia Q. Sterling	A.....	Entertainment Career Center: The Database.....	2923D
Yoon Ha Lee	C	Rebellion Publishing	3745
Chris DeCarlo.....	E.....	What Now? The Teen Handbook - Uncensored	746

SSRT 50th Anniversary Social

All are welcome to celebrate the 50th anniversary of the Social Responsibilities Round Table tonight from 7:00 – 10:00 p.m. at Busboys & Poets, 450 K Street NW.

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AASL Honors Award and Grant Recipients

The 2019 AASL award recipients will be honored during the AASL Awards Ceremony held from 5:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. tonight in the Embassy Suites Convention Center, Capital AB. All are welcome to celebrate the accomplishments of their peers during this recognition event.

The 2019 AASL award recipients are:

- **National School Library of the Year Award**

Awarded to: High School District 214, Arlington Heights, Ill.

Sponsored by Follett, the award annually honors a single school or district-wide school library that exemplifies implementation of AASL's "National School Library Standards for Learners, School Librarians, and School Libraries." High School District 214 will receive a crystal obelisk – the symbol of school library excellence – and \$10,000 toward its school libraries.

- **Distinguished Service Award**

Awarded to: Joyce Valenza, assistant teaching professor of library and information science, Rutgers University

Sponsored by The Rosen Publishing Group, the \$3,000 award recognizes an individual member of the library profession who has, over a significant period, made an outstanding national contribution to school librarianship and school library development.

- **ABC-CLIO Leadership Grant**

Awarded to: South Carolina Association of School Librarians (SCASL)

Sponsored by ABC-CLIO, the up to \$1,750 grant is awarded to school library associations that are AASL affiliates for planning and implementing leadership programs at the state, regional, or local levels.

- **Affiliate of the Year Award**

Awarded to: Pennsylvania School Librarians Association (PSLA)

Sponsored by AASL, the \$1,000 stipend recognizes the AASL Affiliate most active and dynamic in achieving the goals of AASL at the state and local level. AASL established the Affiliate of the Year Award to acknowledge the important contributions Affiliates make to the national organization and to the profession.

- **Collaborative School Library Award**

Awarded to: Carolyn Foote, school librarian, and Melinda Darrow, teacher, Westlake High School

Sponsored by Upstart, the \$2,500 award recognizes school librarian and teacher collaboration during the development and implementation of a curriculum-supporting program using school library resources.

- **Distinguished School Administrator Award**

Awarded to: Shirley Simmons, assistant superintendent of educational services, Norman (Okla.) Public Schools

Sponsored by ProQuest, the \$2,000 award recognizes and honors a school administrator who has made worthy contributions to the operations of an exemplary school library and to advancing the role of the school library in the educational program.

- **Frances Henne Award**

Awarded to: Holly Schwarzmans, school librarian, Largo Middle School

Sponsored by ABC-CLIO, the \$1,250 award recognizes a school librarian with five years or less experience who demonstrates leadership qualities with students, teachers, and administrators. The award will enable Schwarzmans to attend an AASL National Conference for the first time.

- **Innovative Reading Grant**

Awarded to: Susan Gauthier, director of library services, East Baton Rouge Parish Schools

Sponsored by Capstone, the \$2,500 award supports the planning and implementation of a unique and innovative program for children that motivates and encourages reading, especially with struggling readers.

- **Inspire Collection Development Grant**

Awarded to: Sean Casey, Northeast Middle School; Melissa Iamónico, Sprain Brook Academy; Lauren Mabry, Andrew Lewis Middle School; Holly Schwarzmans, Largo Middle School; Ness Shortley, Horton Middle School; Mae-Lynn Smith, Great Oaks Charter School Wilmington

Sponsored by Marina "Marney" Welmers, the grant assists an existing public middle or high school to extend, update, and diversify the book, online, subscription and/or software collections in their library in order to realize sustainable improvement in student achievement at their school. \$20,000 in funding is available annually. The direct assistance grant is capped at \$5,000.

- **Inspire Disaster Recovery Grant**

Awarded to: Jones County Schools, North Carolina

Sponsored by Marina "Marney" Welmers, the grant program supports public middle or high school libraries that incurred damage or hardship due to a natural disaster, fire, or an act recognized by the federal government as terrorism. \$30,000 in funding is available annually.

- **Inspire Special Event Grants**

Awarded to: Wendy Carrington, Northeast Bradford Jr./Sr. High School; Melissa

Cortese, Buffalo Academy of Science Charter School; Amanda Jones, Live Oaks Middle School; Lori Quintana, Griffin Middle School; Anne Reis, Homewood Center

Sponsored by Marina "Marney" Welmers, the grant supports a special event so that an existing public middle or high school library can create new or enhance its extracurricular activities in order to increase student academic achievement at their school. \$10,000 in funding is available annually. The direct assistance grant is capped at \$2,000.

- **Past-Presidents Planning Grant for National School Library Standards**

Awarded to: Pennsylvania School Librarians Association (PSLA) is the recipient of the grant awarded in the honor of E. Blanche Woolls and sponsored by Roger and Susan D. Ballard; the Virginia Association of School Librarians (VASL) is the recipient of the grant in honor of David Loertscher and sponsored by Roger and Susan D. Ballard; and the New Jersey Association of School Librarians (NJASL) is the recipient of the planning grant awarded in the honor of Helen R. Adams and sponsored by Cassandra Barnett

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- **Roald Dahl's Miss Honey Social Justice Award**

Awarded to: Joquetta Johnson, school librarian, Randallstown High School

Sponsored by Penguin Random House, the award recognizes and encourages collaboration and partnerships between school librarians and teachers in teaching social justice through joint planning of a program, unit or event in support of social justice using school library resources. The award includes \$2,000 to the librarian, up to \$1,000 in reimbursement towards travel and housing to attend the AASL awards presentation at the ALA Annual Conference, and a \$5,000 book donation by Penguin Random House.

- **The Ruth Toor Grant for Strong Public School Libraries**

Awarded to: Jennifer Sturge, specialist for school libraries and digital learning, Calvert County Public Schools

Sponsored by Jay Toor in honor of Ruth Toor, the award provides funding support on a competitive basis to public school libraries for the creation and implementation of a local public awareness/marketing campaign that promotes and positions their school library as a necessary resource in the community. The grant includes \$3,000 to create and implement a project, and \$2,000 for both the school librarian and school official to attend the AASL National Conference or the ALA Annual Conference.

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