

RUSA BRASS GALE CENGAGE LEARNING STUDENT TRAVEL AWARD NOMINATION FORM

Established in 1992 and sponsored by Gale Cengage Learning, this \$1,000 cash award is given to a student enrolled in an ALA accredited master's degree program to fund travel to and attendance at the ALA Annual Conference and a one-year membership in the Business Reference and Services Section (BRASS) of RUSA. Applicants should have demonstrated interest in a career as a business reference librarian, and a potential to be a leader in the profession as demonstrated by activities that may include (but are not limited to) coursework, internships, jobs, special projects, and publications.

In addition to attending the conference, the winner is required to participate in BRASS activities at ALA conference and to write a brief statement about conference experiences for *RUSA Update*. The winner may not accept a concurrent ALA-sponsored travel award.

Date _____

NOMINEE INFORMATION

Name _____

Title & Organization (if applicable) _____

Mailing Address _____

E-mail Address _____ Preferred Phone No. _____

SUBMISSION GUIDELINES:

Submit the following materials with this form:

- Personal statement (1-2 pages) summarizing your academic and professional achievements, your interest in this award, and reasons for choosing business librarianship as a profession
- A copy of your current resume
- A copy of your library school transcript
- Two letters of reference

DEADLINE:

Submissions must be received by December 15.

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Questions?

Contact Christy Donaldson, chairperson for the award committee, at christy.donaldson@uvu.edu, or Liz Markel, RUSA Marketing Specialist, at (312) 280-4398 or lmarkel@ala.org