

YALSA Board of Directors Meeting
ALA Midwinter Meeting, Boston
January 8 – 12, 2016

Topic: Slate for 2016 Election

Background: The Award and Governance Nominating Committees have finalized the slate for the 2016 election. The slate is provided below and is also posted online. Voting begins March 15th and ends April 22nd. The results will be announced April 29th. The Governance Nominating Committee is hosting a Coffee with the Candidates event at Midwinter, working with Crystle Martin to set up interviews for candidates for the blog and creating a sample ballot to post online for members.

Action Required: Consent

Nominating Committees' Slate:

President-Elect

Sandra Hughes Hassell

Secretary

Crystle Martin

Board Member-at-Large (3 yr. term)

Franklin Escobedo

Kafi Kumasi

Robin Kurz

Mega Subramaniam

Board Member-at-Large (3 yr. term)

Jessica Snow

2018 Edwards Award Committee

Kim Herrington

Jonathan Hunt

Vanessa Irvin

Deborah Parrott

Jennie Rothschild

2018 Nonfiction Award Committee

Jan Chapman

Michael Fleming

Sarah Okner

Candace Reeder

Wendy Stephens

Dorcas Wong

2018 Printz Award Committee

Julie Benolken

Kathy Burnette

Edi Campbell

Jenna Friebe

Traci Glass

Cathie Mercier

Scot Smith

Petition Candidates

No individual completed a petition by the Dec. 1st deadline. Any individual interested in being added to the slate as a petition candidate can do so by submitting a completed Petition Candidate Form.