2021 ALSC Virtual

MEMBERSHIP MEETING

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Be cognizant of who the chat message is going to. If you’d like your comment to be viewed by all, be sure to select “panelists and attendees” from the dropdown menu on the chat box.
WELCOME

Kirby McCurtis
ALSC President
July 2020 – June 2021

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ALSC Community Agreements

- Speak for yourself.
- Embrace multiple perspectives to engage in curiosity-driven dialogue (not debate or argument).
- Be aware of the privilege, oppressions, and life experiences you carry and how they might impact your discussion process.
- Share the air.
- Interrupt attempts to derail.
- Acknowledge intent while addressing impact.
- Interrupt bias and take feedback.
- Remember that we all have opportunities to grow.

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Moment of Silence
AGENDA

Welcome/Agenda Overview – 5 minutes
2021 ALSC Distinguished Service Award Introduction and Speech – 10 minutes
ALSC News and Updates – 10 minutes
Spotlight on ALSC Committees – 5 minutes
Strategizing Youth Services in Time of Transition (Member Led Discussion) – 30 minutes
Questions and Comments from Membership – 15 minutes

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2020-2021 ALSC Professional Recognition and Scholarships Committee

Bina Williams, Co-Chair
Megan Egbert, Co-Chair
Kathleen Campana
Rachel Fryd
Robin J. Howe
Kathy Jarombek
Emily Mroczek
Elizabeth Saxton

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ALSC 2021 Distinguished Service Award Recipient

Liz McChesney
Outreach and Partnership Consultant, LMcc Consulting

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ALSC Updates

2020-2023 Strategic Plan

• September 2020 – August 2023
  
  • Equity, Diversity & Inclusion
    • ALSC will become more diverse and inclusive, acting to promote these values in all aspects of library service to children.
  
  • Advocacy
    • ALSC will champion the value of library service to children and the resources necessary to deliver on our vision.
  
  • Learning & Development
    • ALSC will actively develop new generations of leaders.

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ALSC Updates

Research Grants

• Amount available: up to $4000 for one award.

• Funds may be used for both practitioner and academic research as well as dissertation research.

• Eligible applicants must be personal members of ALSC.

• Application deadline is July 20, 2021

Learn more: http://bit.ly/alscresearchagenda

Questions? Reach out to Research Agenda Task Force Chair, Melody Frese, mfrese@ladueschools.net
ALSC Updates
#Newbery100

New items (for children and adults) available on the ALA Gift Shop featuring artwork from select award winning illustrators!

Shop:
https://bit.ly/specialnewbery100merch

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ALSC Updates

ALSC Competencies Updated

- Recently updated by ALSC’s Education Committee utilizing member input
- New online course offering: Utilizing Competencies to Boost Skills and Services
- New columns in ALSC Matters! putting Competencies to Action

Learn more: https://bit.ly/alsccompetencies

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ALSC Updates

2021 Summer Reading Lists and Graphic Novels List

Summer lists now include a Digital Experiences section that highlight apps, websites, and podcasts for children!

Download our lists: https://bit.ly/alscbooklists

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ALSC Updates

Book and Media Awards Shelf

One-stop destination, delivering almost **2,000** ALSC award-winning titles, representing **100 years of awards history**!

Visit The Shelf: [https://alsc-awards-shelf.org/](https://alsc-awards-shelf.org/)

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Professional Awards

2021 Recipients

Baker & Taylor Summer Reading Program Grant
New Brunswick Free Public Library (NJ)

Candlewick Light the Way Grant
Madison (OH) Public Library

Maureen Hayes Author/Illustrator Award
Virginia Beach Library Foundation

Penguin Random House Young Readers Group Award
4 recipients will be announced later this year and will receive stipends to attend ALA’s LibLearnX in January!
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ALSC Charlemae Rollins President’s Program

The POW(!)er of Graphic Novels to Support Youth Literacy: Creators Speak

Nidhi Chanani
Jukebox, Macmillan, 2021

Jerry Craft
Class Act. Quill Tree Books and HarperAlley, 2020

Varian Johnson
Tweens. Illus. Shannon Wright Scholastic, 2020

Nadia Shammas

Tuesday, July 20, 2021 | 11:00am CST

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SPOTLIGHT: Managing Children’s Services Committee
Some Resources from ALSC

Recorded Webinars:
1. Smart Scheduling and Planning in Youth Services Part 1 and 2
2. Advocating for K-12 Resources during COVID-19
3. Virtual Programming Development
4. Giving Storytime a Tune-Up

Children & Libraries Articles:
What Will Summer Look Like? Summer Learning Loss and COVID-19 Learning Gaps

Library Service to Underserved Children and Their Caregivers Committee: It Takes Two (Or More): Developing Partnerships to Serve Marginalized Populations

Lockdowns and Lobby Service: Partnering in Time of Pandemic

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