2022 LIRT Librarian Recognition Award

**Call for Nominations:**

We are pleased to invite nominations for the 2022 LIRT Librarian Recognition Award. The Librarian Recognition Award is given in acknowledgement of a practicing librarian’s contribution to the development, advancement, and support of information literacy and instruction in any type of library. Self-nominations are welcome.

The award will be judged based on the following:

• Contributions to library literature on topics related to instruction/information literacy. These

contributions can consist of both formal and informal publications (peer-reviewed articles and book chapters, blog postings, newsletter contributions, etc.). Non-traditional forms of publishing will be considered.

• Key role in the creation of an instruction/information literacy program or project that has shown

potential for wide-spread sharing and replication.

• Impactful participation within local, regional, national, and/or international level professional

organizations that are devoted to the support and promotion of library instruction and information literacy in any type of library.

**Nomination Materials:**

To nominate a librarian for the LIRT Librarian Recognition Award, please submit a nomination packet that includes:

• Completed nomination sheet (available on LIRT Awards website)

• Letter from the nominator addressing the award criteria (see rubric on LIRT Awards website),

providing concrete examples

• 3 letters of support

• Resume or CV for the individual being nominated

Other supporting materials that show the individual’s contributions to information literacy and

instruction are welcome. Electronic submission of nomination materials is expected. Further information regarding the award and the selection process can be found on the LIRT Awards website: <http://www.ala.org/rt/lirt/awards>

**Deadline**

Send all LIRT Librarian Recognition Award nomination materials by January 15, 2022 to:

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The award winner will be notified following ALA LibLearnX, no later than February 15, 2022.

The award will be presented at the 2022 ALA Annual Conference. Award winners will receive a $1,000 cash award, a plaque, and a $500 travel stipend to be used toward attending the ALA Annual Conference. Awards are sponsored by the Library Instruction Round Table.

If you have any questions, please contact the LIRT Awards Committee Chair, Rebecca Davis (rebecca.davis@simmons.edu).