



**American Library Association’s 2025 Class of Emerging Leaders**

No.	Last Name	First Name	State/Country	Library Type	UPDATE Sponsor
1	Allen	Tiara	Texas	Public	No Sponsor (NS)
2	Aultman	Kate	Georgia	Public	Georgia Library Association -New Members Round Table (GLA-NMRT)
3	Bailey	Sarah	Missouri	School	NS
4	Baker	Lindsey	New York	Academic	NS
5	Ballard	Robin	Tennessee	Public	Public Library Association (PLA)
6	Beg	Sara	Missouri	School	American Association of School Librarians (AASL)
7	Breen	Margaret	Minnesota	Public	Reference and User Services Association (RUSA)
8	Brickell	MC	Texas	Public	NS
9	Calhoun	Erin	Ontario, Canada	Academic	NS
10	Campbell	LaShonda	Arkansas	Academic	Core: Leadership, Infrastructure, Futures
11	Castillo	Natalie	New Jersey	Public	Public Library Association (PLA)
12	Caufman	Rebecca	Virginia	School	Virginia Library Association (VLA)
13	Coffman	Sara	Tennessee	Academic	NS
14	Draper	Tristan	Wisconsin	Academic	NS

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15	Earnest Spears	Kacy	Arkansas	Public	Arkansas Library Association (ArLA)
16	Faber	Ryne	West Virginia	Public	NS
17	Freeny	Victoria	Pennsylvania	Public	Pennsylvania Library Association (PaLA)
18	Garcia	CJ	Arizona	Academic	Association of College and Research Libraries - Instruction Section (ACRL-IS)
19	George	Maggie	Tennessee	School	NS
20	Goldberg	Matthew	Kentucky	Academic	NS
21	Grider	Jessica	Missouri	Academic	Young Adult Library Services Association (YALSA)
22	Harper	Arthur	Pennsylvania	Academic	NS
23	Harris Cobbinah	Aliyanda	Washington	Public	Urban Librarians Unite (ULU)
24	Hunt	Alexus	Indiana	Public	Asian Pacific American Librarians Association (APALA)
25	Ison	Rebecca	Colorado	Public	Public Library Association (PLA)
26	Jones	Esther	Minnesota	Public	NS
27	Kelley	Claire	Colorado	Public	Social Responsibilities Round Table (SRRT)
28	Kolk	Kylle	Vermont	School	Vermont School Library Association (VSLA)
29	Kulp	Nicole	Maryland	Academic	NS
30	Lake	Savannah	North Carolina	Academic	Core: Leadership, Infrastructure, Futures
31	McPherson	Shabrina	North Carolina	Academic	Black Caucus American Library Association (BCALA)

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32	Murray	Dawn	Missouri	School	Missouri Association of School Librarians (MASL)
33	Ryan	Julie	Missouri	School	NS
34	Salas	Magaly	California	Academic	Association of College and Research Libraries – Distance Online Learning Section & University Libraries Section (ACRL-DOLS & ULS)
35	Satomi	Keiko	Minnesota	Public	Asian Pacific American Librarians Association (APALA)
36	Seay	Bethie	Oklahoma	Academic	NS
37	Slater	Kailyn	Illinois	Public	Core: Leadership, Infrastructure, Futures
38	Smith	Krystal	Missouri	Public	NS
39	Somers	Ameriki	North Carolina	School	NS
40	Sondreal	Kirbie	North Dakota	Public	Association for Library Service to Children (ALSC)
41	Streeter	Samantha	Texas	Academic	NS
42	Sweeting	Lana	Oregon	Public	Black Caucus American Library Association (BCALA)
43	Tang	Angel	Wisconsin	Academic	Chinese American Librarians Association (CALA)
44	Tanna	Hannah	Ontario, Canada	Academic	New Members Round Table (NMRT)
45	Thirion	Emily	Ohio	Public	Ohio Library Council (OLC)
46	Wilson	Aaron	Maryland	Academic	Government Documents Round Table (GODORT)