ALA Scholarships and Grants Committee Report

Approved two new scholarships

- **Julia J. Brody Description**
  Established to honor Julia Jussim Brody who began her distinguished career at the New York Public Library as a children’s librarian and, even while being an administrator, always retained her joy in children’s books and her concern with encouraging young readers.
  Amount - $4000

- **Regina U. Minudri Young Adult Scholarship**
  Provides financial assistance for the professional education of individuals who intend to pursue a master's degree in library and information studies from an ALA-accredited program, or for a master's degree with a specialty in school librarianship that meets the ALA curriculum guidelines for a Council for the Accreditation of Educator Preparation (CAEP) accredited unit and who plan to work in Young Adult librarianship.
  Amount - $3000

Jury Selection

- Filled vacancies for the five scholarships that fall under the ALA Scholarships and grants committee

Marketing

- To help promote scholarships the committee recommended that correspondence be sent to LIS program deans across the country.
- We also reviewed and are in the process of potentially updating letter that promotes the scholarship as well