

**American Library Association
Committee on Accreditation**

Actions Taken – Fall 2009 Meeting

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At its Fall 2009 Meeting, the ALA Committee on Accreditation (COA) took the following actions:

Reports

Discussed and voted to:

- Accept special reports from six programs.
- Accept a revised special report from one program.
- Accept an update letter from one program.
- Accept a revised biennial narrative report from one program.
- Not accept a revised biennial narrative report from one program.
- Accept a revised annual conditional status report from one program.

Committee Matters

- Met with one program in candidacy status.
- Approved adjustment to policies I.4.3(a) and I.4.3(b) of the *Accreditation Process, Policies, and Procedures*, adjusting the proportion of affirmative votes needed for accreditation decisions.
- Approved adjustment to the *Accreditation Process, Policies, and Procedures*, implementing a confidentiality agreement policy.