

This memorial resolution was adopted by the ALA Council on Tuesday, January 24, 2017

A Memorial Resolution Honoring Robert (Bob) Alan (1946-2016)

Whereas Robert Alan was an active presenter and well respected author on topics in acquisitions and serials during his over twenty-year long career;

Whereas Robert Alan had several leadership roles in the Serials Section of the Association for Library Collections and Technical Services (ALCTS) including the Acquisitions Committee, and the Publications Committee;

Whereas Robert Alan was an outstanding leader in the Acquisitions Section chairing the Nominating Committee, serving as a member of the Policy and Planning Committee, and acting as Chair of the Section; and

Whereas Robert Alan was a thoughtful and collaborative member of the ALCTS Board of Directors; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, that the American Library Association (ALA), on behalf of its members:

1. honors the life and leadership of our friend and colleague, Bob Alan, and thanks him for his dedication and excellent service; and
2. extends its deepest sympathy to the daughters of Bob Alan on the loss of their dear father.

Adopted by the Council of the American Library Association
Tuesday, January 24, 2017, in Atlanta, Georgia



Keith Michael Fiels
Executive Director and Secretary of the ALA Council