

**YALSA Board of Directors Meeting
ALA Annual Conference, Chicago
June 23 – 27, 2017**

Topic: Board Liaisons for 2017 - 2018

Background: Each year the President-Elect assigns Board members to a Standing Board Committee as well as specific committees, juries, taskforces and advisory boards to liaise with. A list for the coming year is provided below. It is current as of 6/15/17. Information and resources about the role of Board Liaisons is provided in the Board Wiki.

Action Required: Information

Standing Board Committees for 2017 - 2018

Advocacy

Diane Colson
Sarah Hill
Derek Ivie
Kate McNair (chair)
Heather Sparks

Fund & Partner

Clara Bohrer
Kate Denier
Franklin Escobedo
Jane Gov
Todd Krueger (chair)
Mega Subramaniam

Leading the Transformation of Teen Services

Kathy Ishizuka
Kafi Kumasi
Crystle Martin
Melissa McBride
Jess Snow (chair)

Additional Resources

- Resources for Your Board Liaison Role, <http://ow.ly/m5iJ9>
- Role of Liaisons, <http://ow.ly/m5iKP> (.pdf)
- YALSA Chairs & Liaisons, www.ala.org/yalsa/workingwithyalsa/committees/committeechair

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YALSA Chairs & Board Liaisons 2017 - 2018						
Group	Chair	Chair Email	Board Liaison	Board Liaison Email	Staff/Contractor Liaison	Strategic Goal
Alex Award Committee	Mara Cota	cota@smcl.org	Oversight Cmte		Nichole	advocacy
ALSC/YALSA Odyssey Award Committee	Joan Schroeder Kindig	jskreader@earthlink.net	Oversight Cmte		Nichole	
Annual Conference Marketing & Local Arrangements Taskforce	Abigail Phillips	abigail.leighphillips@gmail.com	Derek	derek@suffolknet.org	Nichole	leading the transformation
Annual Conference Scholarships Jury			Heather	sparksh@freelibrary.org	Letitia	advocacy
Award & Selection Committee Oversight	Shelly McNerney	shelly.mcnerney@gmail.com	Sarah	gsarahthelibrarian@gmail.com	Nichole	
Board Development Committee			Crystle	crystle.martin@gmail.com	Beth	leading the transformation
BWI Award Jury			Kathy	kishizuka@mediasourceinc.com	Letitia	leading the transformation
District Days Taskforce	Denise M. Tabscott	denise.tabscott@mnps.org	Kate McNair	katepmcnair@gmail.com	Beth	advocacy
Division & Membership Promotion Committee	Colleen Seisser	cseisser@gmail.com	Melissa	mcbride.melissa@gmail.com	Letitia	fund & partner development
Executive Committee	Sandra Hughes-Hassell	smhughes@email.unc.edu	Sandra	smhughes@email.unc.edu	Beth	all
Financial Advancement Committee	Kate Denier	Kate.Denier@cincinnati.library.org	Clara	bohrercn@wblib.org	Beth	fund & partner development
Frances Henne Jury			Kate Denier	kate.denier@cincinnati.library.org	Letitia	leading the transformation
Great Books Giveaway Jury			Kate Denier	kate.denier@cincinnati.library.org	Letitia	

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Greenwood Outstanding Achievement Jury			Heather	sparksh@freelibrary.org	Letitia	leading the transformation
Interest Groups	N/A	N/A	Diane	dmcolson2@gmail.com		all
JRLYA Advisory Board	Vanessa Irvin	rvinv@hawaii.edu	Kafi	ak4901@wayne.edu	Anna	leading the transformation
Leadership Initiatives Fundraising Taskforce	Samantha Helmick	shelmick@burlington.lib.ia.us	Clara	bohrrcn@wblib.org	Beth	fund & partner development
MAE Award Jury			Kafi	ak4901@wayne.edu	Letitia	leading the transformation
Margaret Edwards Committee	Jonathan Hunt	jonathan.hunt@sdcoe.net	Oversight Cmte		Nichole	
Mentoring Task Force	Carla Land	landc@lvccld.org	Mega	mmsubram@umd.edu	Linda	leading the transformation
Michael L. Printz Award	Angela Carstensen	arcarstensen@gmail.com	Oversight Cmte		Nichole	
Midwinter Marketing & Local Arrangements Taskforce			Kathy	kishizuka@mediasourceinc.com	Nichole	leading the transformation
Midwinter Paper Presentation Committee	Cindy Welch	cwelch2@gmail.com	Mega	mmsubram@umd.edu	Nichole	leading the transformation
Morris Award Committee	Sarah Julsonnet	sarahjulsonnet@gmail.com	Oversight Cmte		Nichole	
National Library Legislative Day Taskforce			Kate McNair	katepmcnair@gmail.com	Beth	advocacy
Nominating Governance	Sarah Sogigian	sarah@masslibsystem.org	Sarah	gsarahthelibrarian@gmail.com		all
Nonfiction Award	Wendy Stephens	wendysstephens@hotmail.com	Oversight Cmte		Nichole	
Organization and Bylaws Committee	Melissa McBride	mcbride.melissa@gmail.com	Melissa	mcbride.melissa@gmail.com	Beth	all
President's Planning Taskforce	Julie Stivers	jstivers@wcpss.net	Sandra	smhughes@email.unc.edu	Nichole	leading the transformation

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Research Committee	Robin Moeller	moellerra@appstate.edu	Todd	toddbcpl@gmail.com	Linda	leading the transformation
School & Public Library Cooperation (AASL/ALSC/YALSA)	Anna Brannin	abrannin@ststan.com	Kathy	kishizuka@mediasourceinc.com	Linda	all
Summer Learning Taskforce	Robin Sofge	rsofge@pwcgov.org	Jane	jgov@cityofpasadena.net	Taylor	leading the transformation
Teen Programming HQ	Angela Veizaga	veizaga.angela@gmail.com	Franklin	adrithian@gmail.com		leading the transformation
Teen Read Week Taskforce	Dora Ho	dora4ala@yahoo.com	Jess	jsnow@bpl.org	Taylor	leading the transformation
Teen Tech Week Taskforce	Dawn Abron	dabron@zlibrary.org	Jess	jsnow@bpl.org	Anna	leading the transformation
Teens' Top Ten Committee	Stephanie Charlefour	scharlefour@gmail.com	Franklin	adrithian@gmail.com	Nichole	
The Hub Advisory Board	Molly Wetta	mwetta@lawrence.lib.ks.us	Crystle	crystle.martin@gmail.com	Anna	leading the transformation
Volunteer of the Year Award Jury			Todd	toddbcpl@gmail.com	Nichole	leading the transformation
Writing Award Jury			Jane	jgov@cityofpasadena.net	Letitia	leading the transformation
YA Services Symposium Taskforce	Dawn McMillan	dawn.mcmillan@cincinnati.library	Derek	derek@suffolknet.org	Nichole	leading the transformation
YALS/YALSAblog Editorial Advisory Board	Allison Renner/Crystle Martin	yalsablogmanager@gmail.com	Mega	mmsubram@umd.edu	Anna	leading the transformation