

YALSA Board of Directors
Virtual Zoom Meeting
June 27, 2020

Topic: Board Liaisons for 2020 - 2021

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 6/11/20. Information and resources about the role of Board Liaisons is provided in the Board Wiki.

Action Required: Information

2020-2021 Standing Board Committees

Advocacy

Josie Watanabe (Chair)
Kelly Czarnecki
Karen Lemmons
Abby Phillips
Stacey Shapiro

Fund and Partner Development

Todd Krueger (Chair)
Kate Denier
Traci Glass
Melissa McBride
Dawn McMillan

Leading the Transformation of Teen Services

Charli Osborne (Chair)
Rebecca Dunham
Franklin Escobedo
Susannah Goldstein
Colleen Seisser
Valerie Tagoe

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

YALSA Chairs & Board Liaisons 2020- 2021					
Group	Chair	Chair Email	Board Liaison	Staff Liaison	Strategic Goal
22x20 Taskforce	Yvette Garcia	yleigh@chipublib.org	Karen	Tammy	Advocacy
Addressing Institution Bias and Racism in Libraries Taskforce	Eric Schoenbaechler	schoenba@wblib.org	Todd	Tammy	
Alex Award Committee	Karen Perry	perrykm5@yahoo.com	Kim Dare	Nichole	
ALSC/YALSA Odyssey Award Committee	Maryanne Olson	maryanne.olson@gmail.com	Kim Dare	Nichole	
Annual Conference Marketing & Local Arrangements Taskforce	Heather Beverley	HeatherLoveBeverley@gmail.com	Colleen	Nichole/Tammy	
Best Literacies Program Award Jury	will appoint in September	-	Colleen	Letitia	LTTS
Board Development Committee	Gail Tobin/Ritchie Momon	gtobin@stdl.org ; rmomon@mymcpl.org	Todd	Tammy	
Book Awards Oversight Committee	Kim Dare	kjdare1@fcps.edu	Charli	Tammy	
BWI Award Jury	will appoint in September	-	Susannah	Letitia	
Conference Scholarships Jury	will appoint in September	-	Traci	Letitia	
District Days Taskforce	will appoint in December	-	Josie	Tammy	Advocacy
Division & Membership Promotion Committee	Ruby Smart	RSmart@crcpl.org	Kelly	Letitia	F&PD
Education Advisory Committee	TBD in June		Karen	Tammy	
Encouraging LIS and iSchools to include EDI Plan Taskforce	KE Hones	kayhones@yahoo.com	Todd	Tammy	
Executive Committee	Amanda Barnhart	amandabarnhart@kclibrary.org	Amanda	Tammy	All
Financial Advancement Committee	Traci Glass	xlibrarianx@gmail.com	Kate	Tammy	
Frances Henne Jury	will appoint in September	-	Abby	Letitia	

Great Books Giveaway Jury	will appoint in September	-	Kate	Letitia	
Innovation Award Jury	will appoint in September		Dawn	Nichole	
Joann Sweetland Lum Memorial Grant Jury	Gregory Lum	yalsa.lum@gmail.com	Kelly	TBD	
Margaret Edwards Committee	Rebecca Baldwin	rbaldwin@cuyahogalibrary.org	Oversight Com.	Nichole/Tammy	
Michael L. Printz Award Committee	Ellen Spring	espring@roadrunner.com	Oversight Com.	Nichole/Tammy	
Midwinter Marketing & Local Arrangements Taskforce	will appoint in September	-	Melissa	Nichole/Tammy	
Midwinter Paper Presentation Committee		-	Abby	Nichole/Tammy	
Modeling Services and Programs to Include EDI Plan Elements Taskforce	Sarah Ryan	ryansa@marylcook.com	Todd	Tammy	
Morris Award Committee	Melissa Malanuk	mmalanuk@gmail.com	Oversight Cmte	Nichole/Tammy	
Morris Award Manual Taskforce	Kim Dare	kjdare1@fcps.edu	Kate	Nichole	
National Library Legislative Day Taskforce	will appoint in December	-	Josie	Tammy	Advocacy
Nonfiction Award Committee	Adrienne Gillespie	adrienne_gillespie@beaverton.k12.or.us	Oversight Com.	Nichole/Tammy	
Organization and Bylaws Committee	Franklin Escobedo	adrithian@gmail.com	Valerie	Tammy	
Outstanding Achievement Jury	will appoint in September	-	Susannah	Letitia	
Outstanding Books for the College Bound Selected List	Yolanda Hood	yhood@uwyo.edu	Todd	Nichole	
President's Planning Taskforce	Amanda Barnhart	amandabarnhart@kclibrary.org	Amanda	Nichole/Tammy	LTTS
Promoting Professional Success for Underrepresented Groups with YALSA Taskforce	David Wang	dwang1211@gmail.com	Amanda	Tammy	
Research Committee	Adrienne Strock	adrienne.strock@colorado.edu	Abby	Tammy	
Research Journal Advisory Board	Charlie Gluck	cegbird@gmail.com	Josie		LTTS
Re-imagining Alex Awards Task Force	Kali Olson	kalinewstromolson@gmail.com	Todd	Nichole	

School & Public Library Cooperation (AASL/ALSC/YALSA)	(ALSC)		Melissa	Tammy	
Teen Programming HQ	Dawn Abron	dabron@zblibrary.org	Colleen	Anna	LTTS
Teens' Top Ten Committee	Jessica Smith	jessica.lorentzsmith@bend.k12.or.us	Colleen	Nichole	
The Hub Advisory Board	Stephen Ashley/term ends in August 2020	sashley10@gmail.com	Charli	Anna	LTTS
Volunteer of the Year Award Jury	will appoint in September		Valerie	Nichole	LTTS
Writing Award Jury	will appoint in September		Melissa	Anna	LTTS
YA Symposium Planning Taskforce	Scott Smith	ssmith40@utk.edu	Dawn	Nichole	
YALS/YALSAblog Editorial Advisory Board	Tess Wilson/Yolanda Hood	tesskwilson@gmail.com ; yhood@uwo.edu	Kelly	Anna	
Amazing Audiobooks Blogging Team	Danielle Jones	jones.danielle.jones@gmail.com	Stephen Ashley	Ni'Shele/Nichole	
BFYA Blogging Team	Allison Stevens	calcolib@gmail.com	Stephen Ashley	Ni'Shele/Nichole	
Graphic Novels Blogging Team	Crystal Chen	crystalchen@nypl.org	Stephen Ashley	Ni'Shele/Nichole	
Quick Picks Blogging Team	Molly Dettman	mdettmann@norman.k12.ok.us	Stephen Ashley	Ni'Shele/Nichole	