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Annual Meeting Grant Application Information

Overview

The **Midwest Chapter/MLA Annual Meeting Grant** Supports the attendance of librarians and library staff at the Chapter's Annual Meeting. This grant includes a free full conference registration and travel costs up to \$500.

Eligibility/Applicant Criteria

- Member of the Midwest Chapter/MLA
- Not eligible for the Student Annual Meeting Grant (library school students) or the First-Time Attendee Grant (first-time attendees)
- Have not received a Midwest Chapter award supporting meeting attendance within the past three years
- Application letter describing financial need and what the applicant expects to gain professionally and personally from attending the meeting

Priority consideration criteria (desired, not required):

- Currently employed in a health sciences library
- Rural/isolated librarian
- Solo librarian
- Applicant is presenting (or has submitted) a paper or a poster at the meeting
- Applicant has committee assignments

Application Requirements

Applications must include:

- A completed application form
- A current resume or vitae
- An application letter describing why the applicant is interested in and hopes to gain by attending the Chapter meeting

Applications must be received by August 18, 2023.

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Selection Process

The Midwest Chapter/MLA Awards and Scholarships Committee will select the recipient based solely on evaluation of the application materials received. The Committee reserves the right not to award a stipend if no applicants meet the requirements or none are deemed qualified.

Acceptance Criteria

Recipients will be asked to write a short article about their conference experience for *MIDLINE* , the Midwest Chapter newsletter.

For More Information

For additional information, please contact Awards and Scholarships Committee, Midwest Chapter/MLA Email: amber.burtis@siu.edu

Thank You!

Thank you for your interest in the Midwest Chapter/ MLA! *https://mcmla45.wildapricot.org/*