



Distinguished Service Award | Past Recipients

Selection criteria for this award (begun in 1960) include demonstrated leadership and continuing service in one or more areas of the library profession. *Years not included indicate that no award was made at that time.*

2025: Karina Quilantan-Garza
2024: Debbie Hall
2023: Virginia Bigler
2022: Marty Rossi
2021: Ana Cleveland
2021: Ted Wanner
2020: Julie Todaro
2018: Maribel Castro
2016: Carlyn Gray
2015: Jeanette Larson
2014: Suzanne Sears
2013: Steve Brown
2012: Patricia Touhy
2011: Susan Mann
2010: Beverley Shirley
2009: Dana Rooks
2008: Tish Mulkey
2006: Jerilynn Williams; & Herman Totten
2005: James Stewart
2004: Bonnie Juergens
2003: JoAnne Moore
2002: Robert Martin
2001: S. Joe McCrod
1999: George E. Huffman
1998: June Kahler Berry
1995: Lowell L. Lindsey
1994: Patricia H. Smith
1993: David M. Henington
1991: James O. Wallace
1990 Margaret Irby Nichols
1989: Elizabeth Crabb
1988: Frank D. Hankins
1987: Heartsill H. Young
1986: Sam G. Whitten

1985: Mary D. Lankford
1978: Catheryn S. Franklin
1975: Lillian Moore Bradshaw
1972: Jerre Hetherington
1971: Thelma Andrews
1964: Robert R. Douglass
1960: Edwin Sue Goree