



Outstanding Paraprofessional Award

SPONSOR: Louisiana Support Staff Association of Libraries (LaSSAL)

FREQUENCY: Annual, if merited

DEADLINE: December 1 of the calendar year prior to that in which the award is given.

PURPOSE: To recognize an individual who has made a significant contribution to Further the development of paraprofessionals in Louisiana.

DESCRIPTION: Trophy or Engraved Plaque (Committee's choice)

SELECTION CRITERIA:

1. Must be a member of LLA and LaSSAL.
2. Advances and strengthens the image of paraprofessionals.
3. Actively participates in organizations dedicated to promoting paraprofessionals.
4. Made an outstanding contribution to his/her library in field of experience.
5. Demonstrates through action and philosophy a dedication to the mission and goals of LaSSAL.

NOMINATION:

1. Nominations must be submitted to the Chair of the Award Committee in the form of a letter.
2. Letters of nomination should include:
 - A. The nominee's full name, work address, telephone number, e-mail address And fax number.
 - B. An outline of the nominee's contributions and/or accomplishments that led To his/her nomination.

COMMITTEE COMPOSITION:

1. The Award Committee consists of three members of LaSSAL appointed by the section chair.