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The Young Adult Services Division of the American Library Association is issuing a call for papers reporting research relating to materials and services for young adults. Papers will be presented at the ALA 1980 Annual Conference in New York City.

Paper topics may discuss all areas of young adult literature, library services, and informational needs. Research projects completed as requirements for Master's and Ph.D. degrees as well as faculty/practitioner research are appropriate for submission. However, papers must be original and unpublished.

A proposal of not more than 800 words outlining the topics, research procedures, and conclusions must be submitted by Dec. 15, 1979.

Papers will be selected by the YASD Research Committee at the ALA Midwinter Meeting in January 1980. Authors of chosen papers will be notified by February 1980. A copy of the finished paper plus an abstract will be due May 1, 1980.

Proposals should be sent to Dr. Shirley Fitzgibbons, Chairperson, YASD Research Committee, College of Library and Information Services, University of Maryland, College Park, MD 20704.