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Nominations for the 1979 Isadore Gilbert Mudge Citation are now being accepted. They should be submitted by March 15, 1979 to: Robert Klassen, Office of Libraries and Learning Resources, U.S. Office of Education, 7th and D Streets, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20202.

The Isadore Gilbert Mudge Citation is presented annually by the Reference and Adult Services Division to a person who has made a distinguished contribution to reference librarianship. This contribution may take the form of an imaginative and constructive program in a particular library, the writing of a significant book or article in the reference field, creative and inspirational teaching in reference services, active participation in professional associations devoted to reference services, or other noteworthy activities which stimulate reference librarians to more distinguished service.

Names of persons previously nominated but not chosen may be resubmitted. The letter of nomination should include a resume of the nominee's achievement.

The Award was established in 1958 in recognition of the late Ms. Mudge's contributions to the development of reference service. The Award will be presented at ALA's Annual Conference in Dallas, June 24 - 30, 1979.