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Nominations for the 1977 Margaret Mann Citation are now being accepted. They should be submitted by December 15 to: Carolyn McMillen, Michigan State University Library, East Lansing, MI 48824.

The Margaret Mann Citation is awarded annually for outstanding achievement in cataloging or classification through:

--publication of significant professional literature,

-- contributions to activities of professional cataloging organizations,

--technical improvements and/or introduction of new techniques of recognized importance,

--distinguished teaching in the area of cataloging or classification.

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

The citation has been awarded annually since 1951 by the Cataloging and Classification Section, Resources and Technical Services Division of the American Library Association in honor of Margaret Mann.

Ms. Mann served as head of the catalog departments of the Carnegie Library in Pittsburgh, the Engineering Societies Library, and the University of Illinois Library. From 1926-1938 she served in the Univ. of Michigan School of Library Science.

Her Introduction to Cataloging and the Classification of Books is a classic in the field.

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