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Welcome from the CJCLS Chair

By CJCLS Chair, Jacquelyn A. Bryant

Greetings!

It is my pleasure to greet you for the first time as Section Chair. I can hardly believe we are now approaching mid-October. It was great to meet our new Section leaders at the ALA Annual Conference in June. Everyone is now busy working on behalf of their committees and our new task force. For those of you that may not be aware of the activities of the Executive Committee, here is a peek at some of the things that are happening. The Awards Committee is seeking nominees for the EBSCO Community College Learning Resources Leadership Award and the EBSCO Community College Learning Resources Program Award, the Nominating Committee has put forth candidates for next year's executive committee, the 2018 Conference Program Planning committee has submitted program proposals to ACRL, and we have recently assembled a new OER Task Force.

In case you missed it, our very own Vice-Chair, Peter Hepburn is running for ALA President (2019-2020)! As for me, I have the pleasure of being a member of the ACRL Academic/Research Librarian of the Year Award committee. Please nominate yourself, or a colleague, for this prestigious award. We're off to a good start for an exciting year. I look forward to meeting many of you at the ALA Midwinter Conference in Denver, and in New Orleans at the 2018 Annual Conference. Have a great semester.

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Jacquelyn A. Bryant CJCLS Chair

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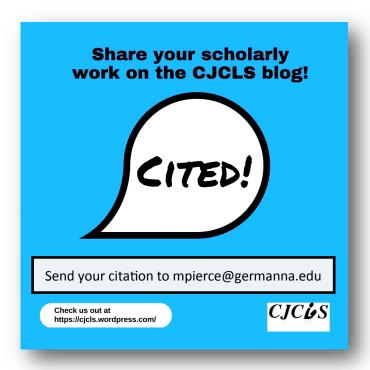
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Community Colleges Receive IMLS Grant!

Northern Virginia Community College (Annandale) has secured an IMLS grant through the Laura Bush 21st Century Librarian Program. Find out more about the details of the project at https://www.imls.gov/grants/awarded/

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Planning for 2018 ALA Annual

The CJCLS Conference Program Planning Committee (2018) is eagerly awaiting word regarding acceptance of its program proposal that was submitted in late July. If accepted, the program will feature a panel titled "Making the Framework Work: Adapting the ACRL Framework for Information Literacy in Community College Library Instruction."

Our hope is that a "panel of community college librarians will share their practical methods for creating effective, student-focused instructional strategies based on the ACRL Framework for Information Literacy. Panel participants will discuss their original, field-tested ideas that have not been widely published. Attendees will be offered hands-on, practical solutions to the application of the Framework in community college library instruction, especially one-shots. Key takeaways will include examples of the successful utilization of the Framework's frames and threshold concepts in active learning scenarios, which attendees can adopt and modify as needed to fit the learning objectives in their own instruction."

Questions or comments should be directed to committee chair Andrea Kingston, Digital Scholarship Librarian, Monroe Community College, akingston4@monroecc.edu, 585-292-2313.

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Community College Learning Resources Leadership and Program Award

winners

CJCLS/EBSCO COMMUNITY COLLEGE LEARNING RESOURCES PROGRAM AND LEADERSHIP AWARDS

These two annual awards recognize significant achievement in the areas of programs and leadership.

Nominees for the program award should demonstrate significant achievement in development of a unique and innovative learning resources/library program.

Nominees for the leadership award should demonstrate significant achievement in advocacy of learning resources/library programs or services, or leadership in professional organizations that are associated with the mission of community, junior, or technical colleges.

Individuals or groups from two-year institutions, as well as the twoyear institutions themselves, are eligible to receive awards. Nominations will be kept on file for three consecutive years.

Each Award: \$750 and plaque sponsored by EBSCO Information Services



Nominations due December 1, 2017

See details in the Awards & Scholarships section of the ACRL Web site: www.ala.org/acrl

