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**H. W. Wilson Library Staff Development Grant recipient named**

The DeKalb (Ga.) County Public Library is the 1993 recipient of the American Library Association (ALA) H.W. Wilson Library Staff Development Grant.

The award, \$2,500 donated by The H.W. Wilson Company, is given to a library organization for a program to further its goals and objectives.

In order to meet the needs of their changing community, the DeKalb County Library plans to undertake a staff development program that will set the standards for the highest quality of service to the children of DeKalb County. They plan to develop and implement a comprehensive two-day training program, including modules on child development, on meeting the needs of adults who serve children and on program evaluation.

"This forward looking proposal underscores both the importance of high level professional services to youth and the critical role of creative planning in meeting the needs of the changing community," said Jennifer Weil Arns, chair of The H.W. Wilson Library Staff Development Grant Committee.

Martha Goodson, staff development coordinator at DeKalb County Public Library, will oversee the program.

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Goodson has worked as audio visual librarian, outreach librarian and automation trainer, at the DeKalb Library. She served as president of the Georgia Library Video Association (1990-91) and as a member of the Georgia Library Association, Southeastern Library Association, American Library Association and Beta Phi Mu.

She has a bachelor's degree from Auburn University and a master's degree in librarianship from Emory University.

The award will be presented during the ALA Annual Conference in New Orleans, June 23-July 1.