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ALSC publishes directory for youth program grant seekers

"Grant-Funded Projects for Library Youth Services, 1985-1990" has been published by the Association for Library Service to Children (ALSC), a division of the American Library Association (ALA).

The directory is designed for children's librarians considering projects for which they will need outside funding. It was compiled by the ALSC Grants Committee from information submitted in response to notices in the ALSC Newsletter, the Journal of Youth Services in Libraries and direct inquiries to state libraries.

It indexes more than 300 grant-funded projects for 1985-1990 ranging in scope from \$1,500 to \$283,000. Many of the projects were funded through state library agencies by Library Services and Construction Act (LSCA) grants. Projects funded by foundations, local safety and cultural councils, banks, endowments and departments of education are also included.

Projects are not limited by geographical setting. Topics include collection development, arts and humanities programming, literacy and outreach service development.

Entries are arranged alphabetically by grant title with additional access through the three indexes -- granting agency, state and major subjects. A listing of subject headings is included.

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