Announcements

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The purpose of this endowment is to award a scholarship of $3,000 in the form of a study

BACKGROUND:

Since 1982, he has served on the Board of the Law Library of Congress, a position that he has

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director of the Law Library at George Mason University, the fourth largest in the country,
during his tenure.

Robert I. Oakley endowed fund.

To approve the acceptance of funds for the establishment of the

DRAFT OF MOTION:

To establish the Robert I. Oakley endowed fund

ACTION REQUESTED BY:

ALA Endowment Trustees

ACTION REQUESTED/INFORMATION REPORTED:

New - Robert I. Oakley Endowment

REF:

ALA Executive Board

TO:


Robert Louis Oakley, a German law resident, was born in New York City and raised in Lufkin and on Long Island. He was a 1966 graduate of the University of New England and a 1976 graduate of its law school. He received a master’s degree in Library Science from Syracuse University in 1972.

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4. Selection of Jury of Review Committee

Selection of jury to fund to support the scholarships will be awarded at A.L.A. Annual Conference following such time as is necessary to receive and review committees. May choose to award more than one scholarship each year. The scholarship committee will be made up of members selected by the Library Copyright Association, the Special Libraries Association, the American Library Association of Law Libraries, the Medical Library Association, and the Special Libraries Association, A.L.A. Washington Office will oversee jury.

3. Number and Frequency of Scholarships or Study Grants

The intent of this endowment scholarship is to encourage and expand interest in and knowledge of these aspects of librarianship as well as bringing the next generation of advocates, educators, and practitioners.

Funds may be used for equipment, expendable supplies, travel, research, conferences, release from library duties or other reasonable and appropriate research.

In general, priority is given to an individual or teams of individuals who are interested in intellectual property, public policy, and the ways librarians serve their communities.

Library Copyright Aliance/Robert L. Oakley Memorial Scholarship in Copyright Research (aka LCA/Robert L. Oakley Memorial Scholarship in Copyright Research)

1. Name of the Scholarship or Study Grant

ALA Scholarship and Study Grant Scholarship Application Form
The standard scholarship amount will be $3,000. For individual applicants, a check for the full amount will be issued. For team applicants, the scholarship amount will be divided equally among the members or mutual agreement be designed as part of the application process and amount is not required to be presented at the ALA Annual Conference. However, if the awardee(s) does not require to be presented at the ALA Annual Conference. However, the awardee(s) should attend the ALA Annual Conference.

The scholarship will be announced and made at the ALA Annual Conference each year. The scholarship will be awarded to the awardee(s).

7. Presentation of the Scholarship or Study Grant

Majority vote of the Review committee will determine the awardee(s).

- Uniqueness and/or critical impact of the proposed research/use of funds.
- Likelihood that the research/included use of the funds will benefit the Library community.
- Likelihood that the research/included use of the funds will meet the applicant’s stated.
- Relevance and timeliness of proposed research/use of funds.

The Review Committee will screen all applications for the following:

6. Screening of Candidates/Review of Applications

The Office for Human Resource Development and Recruitment will administer this scholarship.

Meaningful scholarships that honor the Berek Family’s intentions.

Together, the scholarship shall have the authority to make decisions as need and/or to continue to make a decision to continue to make the award. The scholarship shall have the authority to make decisions as need and/or to continue to make the award. The scholarship shall have the authority to make decisions as need and/or to make a

If over time, it becomes necessary to adapt the forms to accommodate a

Applications may receive the scholarship up to two times in a lifetime.

Applications should be made online in Word document format. Applications should be received

included in their application.

By March 1,

Applications should provide a statement of interest for use of the scholarship funds. Such a

 Alla’s Annual Conference. Then special efforts will be made to
10. Contact person

Midwinter Meeting in Philadelphia.

Concept of Alizee, Alonzo. L. Oakley Memorial Scholarship Fund, established at the 2008 endowment fund.

The funds are to meet and discuss options regarding the future of the scholarship and the
principal amount has not been raised by July 2010. ARA LCA and the Robert Oakley family
approved. The fund has been developed by the ARA Development Office. If the required
interests of the endowed scholarships, principal and a two-year endowment plan seeking further
interests from the endowed scholarships from the

amount of $10,000 or more is required to annually award a $3,000 scholarship from the

review, take action and forward to the ARA Executive Board.