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For immediate release

Elinor Yungmeyer has been appointed Accreditation Officer of the American Library Association, it was announced by Robert Wedgeworth, Executive Director of the ALA.

Ms. Yungmeyer received her B.A. in history from the University of Chicago, along with B.L.S., M.A. and C.A.S. degrees in Library Science. Her professional positions have included Junior High School Librarian, Battle Creek, Michigan Public Schools; Elementary School Librarian, Phoenix (Arizona) Elementary Schools; School Library Consultant, State Library of Michigan; and Coordinator, Instructional Media, Oak Park (Illinois) Elementary Schools. She has also spent several summers as visiting lecturer at such institutions as the University of Saskatchewan, Pennsylvania State University, University of Chicago, and Rutgers University.

Elinor Yungmeyer has been a frequent contributor to the professional journals of librarianship and education, and she has been a continually active member of the ALA, National Education Association, Illinois Library Association, Association for Educational Communication and Technology, and the International Association of School Librarians.

She received a Delta Kappa Gamma International Fellowship in 1968, and a HEA Title II Fellowship for Post-Masters study in 1969. Since 1972 Ms. Yungmeyer has served as a team member on Committee on Accreditation site visits for

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evaluation of graduate library education programs.

As ALA Accreditation Officer, Ms. Yungmeyer will coordinate the work of the accreditation program of the association which involves the development of standards of education for librarianship, and the review of graduate library education programs at the Master's degree level. She will join the staff on June 29, 1975.

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