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Applications are now being accepted for the 1978 David H. Clift Scholarship and the 1978 Louise Giles Minority Scholarship, sponsored by the American Library Association.

The \$3,000 scholarships are awarded to individuals pursuing a master's degree in library education in an ALA accredited program. Academic excellence, leadership, and evidence of a commitment to a career in librarianship are major factors considered in awarding the scholarships.

The applicants should be U.S. or Canadian citizens. In addition, Louise Giles Minority Scholarship applicants should be members of a principal minority group: American Indian or Alaskan Native, Asian or Pacific Islander, Black, Hispanic.

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Applications must be postmarked no later than January 9 or received at ALA on or before January 13, 1978. For further information contact: Staff Liaison, David H. Clift Scholarship Committee or Louise Giles Minority Committee, American Library Association, 50 East Huron Street, Chicago, IL 60611.