

ALA Executive Board
Election 2014

Candidate: Gail A. Schlachter

Current Position: President, Reference Service Press
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Education: University of Minnesota, Ph.D., Library Science, 1971
University of Southern California, M.P.A., Public Administration, 1976
University of Wisconsin, M.A., Library Science, 1967
University of Wisconsin, M.A., American Colonial History, 1966
University of Wisconsin, M.A., Education, 1966
University of California, Berkeley, B.A., American History, 1964

ALA Activities: Member continuously since 1974

ALA Council Activities

COUNCILOR-AT-LARGE (elected to 5 terms; current term: 2012-15)
COUNCIL FORUM CO-CONVENOR (served 2 terms: 2005-9)
DIVISION COUNCILOR, RUSA (elected by RUSA members, 1990)
MEMBER, Committee on Committees (elected by Council), 2007-8
MEMBER, Council Rep to the Planning and Budget Assembly (elected), 2012-14
MEMBER, Committee on Research and Statistics (CORS), 2013-15
MEMBER, Council Resolutions Committee

ALA Committee Activities (selected)

CHAIR, ALA Publishing Committee (appointed, 2 terms, 2010-12)
CHAIR, American Libraries Advisory Committee
MEMBER, ALA Membership Committee

ALA Divisions/Units (selected)

PRESIDENT, Reference and User Services (RUSA) 1988-89
EDITOR-IN-CHIEF, Reference and User Services Quarterly (RUSQ), 1997-2000
REFERENCE REVIEW EDITOR, RUSQ (formerly RQ): 1977-88
DIRECTOR, RUSA Board of Directors
CHAIR, Publishing Committee, LAAMA (appointed, 2 terms)
TREASURER, Ethnic Materials Information Round Table (EMIERT), elected 2 terms
PRESIDENT, Chapter of Academic & Research Librarians (CARL), ACRL
MEMBER (current): RUSA, PLA, ACRL, IFRT, SRRT, EMIERT
DONOR: Reference Service Press Award (\$2,500 per year), RUSA, 1985- present.

Other Library
Activities:

TREASURER, REFORMA California Gold Chapter
DIRECTOR, Board of Directors, California Library Association (CLA)
REPRESENTATIVE-AT-LARGE, CLA Assembly
CHAIR, Professional Standards Committee, CLA
PRESIDENT, Chapter of Academic & Research Librarians (CARL), CLA (now part of ACRL)
NEWSLETTER EDITOR, CARL Newsletter
CHAIR, Librarians, Publishers, and Vendors Committee, CLA
CHAIR, Awards and Scholarship Committee, CLA
DONOR: Reference Service Press Fellowship (\$3,000 per year), CLA, 1993- present.

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Awards: "Distinguished Alumna of the Year," University of Wisconsin School of Library and Information Studies, 2007

"Resolution of Appreciation for Gail A. Schlachter, RUSQ Editor, 1997-2000." Reference and