

## **Nominations for Chapter Awards**

### **Karen Goddard, Awards Chair**

The Awards Committee is seeking nominations for two Chapter awards:

Elizabeth Owens Award

St. Louis Metro Area Chapter/SLA Leadership Award

The deadline for submitting nominations is November 11, 2009.

Please read on for more information about these awards.

The Elizabeth Owens Award recognizes a St. Louis Metro Area Chapter member for distinguished service to the Chapter and the library profession. The criteria for receiving this award are:

1. This award is conferred upon a member once during his/her SLA membership.
2. Award is limited to one member per year.
3. The award is not necessarily presented each year.
4. Nominee must be a dues-paying member for at least 5 years.
5. Nominee has maintained membership in SLA for 10 years or more.

The Leadership Award recognizes a member whose ability to lead and inspire others has furthered the Chapter's goals and objectives. The criteria for receiving this award are:

1. The award is conferred upon a member once during his/her SLA membership.
2. Award is limited to one member per year.
3. The award is not necessarily presented each year.
4. Nominee must be a dues-paying member of the St. Louis Metro Area Chapter.
5. Nominee has maintained membership in SLA for 5 years or more.

Nominee must have served as an officer or chairperson of the Chapter's various committees.

Please think about the many talented and dedicated members that we are lucky enough to have in our chapter, and consider making a nomination. Below is a nomination form, which should be sent to my attention by November 11, 2009. I hope to hear from you soon.

Here is a list of past recipients of these awards:

2008 Marianne Cavanaugh (Elizabeth Owens award)

2007 Erin Lanham (Leadership award)

2006 Chris Tigh (Leadership award) and Bryan Young (Elizabeth Owens award)

2005 No nominations

2004 Patrick Hendershot (Leadership) and Maribeth Slebodnik (Elizabeth Owens award)

2003 Mary Ann Walton (Elizabeth Owens award)

2002 Carol Thaxton (Elizabeth Owens award)

2001 No nominations

2000 Anne Lauenstein (Leadership award)

1998 Larry Walton (Elizabeth Owens award)

1997 Stephanie Tolson (Elizabeth Owens award)

**ST. LOUIS METROPOLITAN AREA CHAPTER  
SPECIAL LIBRARIES ASSOCIATION  
AWARDS NOMINATION FORM**

The St. Louis Metropolitan Area Chapter of the Special Libraries Association recognizes members with two awards. The Elizabeth Owens Award honors a member for distinguished service to the Chapter and Library profession. The Leadership Award recognizes a member whose ability to lead and inspire others has furthered the Chapter's goals and objectives.

This form is provided for you to complete and submit to the Awards Committee. Feel free to submit extra names if necessary. Please read the criteria for nominations. Nominations must be submitted by November 11, 2009.

Name of nominee: \_\_\_\_\_

Nominated for:

\_\_\_\_\_ Elizabeth Owens Award  
\_\_\_\_\_ Leadership Award

Nominee has been a member of the Chapter since: 19 \_\_\_\_\_

Chapter Achievements: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
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Offices/Committee Assignments held: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Special contributions to the Chapter: \_\_\_\_\_  
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