



Illinois Library Association

ILA Committee and Forum Reports

This form is to be completed by committee chairs/forum managers in collaboration with board liaisons. The ILA Executive Board will meet on the following dates in 2020-21: 9/24/20, 12/3/20, 3/25/21, and 5/20/21. Reports should be submitted **two weeks before each board meeting** to the board and staff liaison (liaisons are listed on rosters at <http://www.ila.org/about/committees> or <http://www.ila.org/forums>) and the ILA office (email: ila@ila.org).

Committee or Forum: Fundraising

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Activities underway or completed since the last report:

- Committee met August 18, 2020
- Diversity Committee to discuss opportunities for long-term or recurring Fundraising support, perhaps with ongoing support for the Sylvia Murphy Williams Award. TBD after conference.

Projected activities/initiatives during the upcoming months:

1. Review proposal for an individual recognition fundraising platform.
2. Review of Luminaries promotional and supportive materials.

Intended outcome/goals of project(s):

1. Possible expansion of fundraising activities and opportunities to give.
2. Increase inclusivity of Luminaries program.

Anticipated timeline(s) and completion date(s) for each project:

1. Complete proposal review prior to October 6 meeting.
2. Luminaries TBD.

Activities should be designed to advance the ILA Strategic Plan. Which strategic goal areas are best addressed by the activities above? Check all that apply and describe briefly how the activities will advance the goal(s). View the full plan at <http://www.ila.org/about/strategic-plan>.

Goal area: A Culture of Diversity and Inclusion—In the Profession
Potential partnership with Diversity Committee to provide supportive funding for their efforts.

Goal area: A Culture of Diversity and Inclusion—In the Association
Review of Luminaries program to increase inclusivity.

Questions or concerns that need to be addressed by the ILA Executive Board (**please discuss with your board or staff liaison first. Board liaisons can help with strategic, programmatic, policy-related and content-related questions; staff liaisons can help with procedural or business-related questions**):

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