



Illinois Library Association

ILA Forum and Committee Reports

This form is to be completed by committee chairs/forum managers in collaboration with board liaisons. The ILA Executive Board will have meetings on the following dates in 2022-23: 9/22/22, 11/17/22, 1/12/23 (mid-year “mini meeting;” no report necessary unless you are requesting board action), 3/9/23, 5/25/23. Reports should be submitted two weeks before each board meeting to the board liaison, the ILA staff liaison, and emailed to ila@ila.org.

Forum or Committee: ILA Reporter Advisory Committee

Report completed by: Jennifer Robertson, Committee Chair

Date: 11/04/22

Activities underway or completed since the last report:

The committee has finished the December issue and is focusing attention on the March & June issues. The committee met on 10/13.

The articles being worked on for the March issue include:

- SLA Midwest Symposium/ Q&A with Special Libraries by Dan Bostrom
- Misinformation by Jennifer Robertson
- Title Unknown by Joshua Short
- Textbook Affordability Program/OER (Wendell Johnson is soliciting)
- RAILS New Director Q&A (Becky Spratford is soliciting)

The articles being worked on for the June issue include:

- Trustee article (Becky Spratford is soliciting)
- EDI Training Cohort article (Becky Spratford is soliciting)
- SCORE by John Amundsen
- Sensory Inclusive Story Time (submitted by the Diversity Committee)

The committee chair will be checking on the article progress for the March issue as the deadline approaches. The public deadline for the March issue is 1/20/23 and the committee deadline is 2/2/23.

Projected activities during the upcoming months:

The committee chair will be checking on the article progress for the March issue as the deadline approaches. The public deadline for the March issue is 1/20/23 and the committee deadline is 2/2/23. Members will be writing or soliciting articles for March & June. The committee plans to have articles slated for September, so ideas and submissions are needed.

Questions or concerns that need to be addressed by the ILA Board:

None currently. Thank you!