



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 2018-19: September 20, 2018; November 29, 2018; January 31, 2019; April 11, 2019; and June 13, 2019. Reports should be submitted two weeks before each board meeting to the board liaison and the ILA office, 33 W. Grand Ave., Ste. 401, Chicago, IL 60654-6799; fax: 312-644-1899; email: [dfoote@ila.org](mailto:dfoote@ila.org).

Forum or Committee: ILA Reporter Advisory Committee

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#### Activities underway or completed since the last report:

The forthcoming June issue was the focus of this quarter. Due to a departure, the issue did not have a specific Committee member overseeing it. It will feature an article previously submitted by Kathy Ladell on the Haish Reception at Northern Illinois University's Founders Memorial Library, and several other pieces produced in-house at ILA.

#### Projected activities during the upcoming months:

Committee member Robin Helenthal is managing the development of the August issue. Topics are still being discussed but some possibilities include storywalks, DNA as a focus of library programming, HVAC systems, and programs to help patrons residing in group homes and dealing with memory loss. We also look forward to July's orientation and welcoming new Committee members.

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

The Committee does not have any at this time.