

Awards Nominations—General Information

Nominations for awards can be made by any member of the North Carolina Public Library Director's Association. The Awards Committee may only submit nominations for the Elinor Swaim Distinguished Service and the Library Champion Awards.

Library Directors refer to the chief executive officer of any public library system in North Carolina including the State Library. A multi-county regional library is considered as one system with one chief executive officer.

Members of Regional, County and Municipal library boards but not entire boards, whether governing or advising, are eligible for the Trustee Award. North Carolina State Library Commission members are also eligible to receive the Trustee Award.

Program awards are given only to programs occurring within the fiscal year (July 1–June 30) prior to the Awards Banquet in December.

Personal awards will be given based on the definition of each award and including for a distinguished length of service, for a single outstanding project, for a brilliant short-term effort, or any combination of the above. Such service may be at the local, state or national level.

Only one nomination per award category may be submitted.