

ARSL Conference Scholarships for 2010

ARSL is offering three annual conference scholarships to promote the organization and the conference. They are the Dr. Bernard Vavrek Scholarship, the Founders Scholarship and the Ken Davenport Scholarship.

The Dr. Bernard Vavrek Scholarship will go to a current LIS student. It includes conference registration, hotel, \$500 stipend and a free one-year membership in ARSL.

The Founders Scholarship and the Ken Davenport scholarship will go to a current library professional. They include conference registration, hotel, a \$500 stipend and a free one-year membership in ARSL. The definition of a "Library Professional" is a library staff member working in a small and/or rural library. A degree or certification is not required.

Candidates do not need to be members of ARSL.

The committee is asking candidates for either scholarship type for a briefly worded essay - "*Why I Want To Go!*" - and an application form.

The winners should have not attended the ARSL conference before and will be required to write a short blog entry on the www.arsl.info blog to talk about the conference experience.

Applications are available on www.arsl.info or can be obtained by contacting the scholarship committee chair, Shirley Vonderhaar at svonderhaar@dyersville.lib.ia.us

Application deadline is July 1, 2010. Scholarships will be announced on July 28th. Send completed applications by email, fax or mail to:

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