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# Frances Henne Award

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## Overview

The AASL Frances Henne Award recognizes a school librarian with five years or less experience who demonstrates leadership qualities with learners, educators, and administrators. The award provides a stipend for the recipient's first-time attendance at an AASL National Conference or ALA Annual Conference.

## Eligibility

1. The applicant shall be a current AASL personal member.
2. The applicant shall be currently employed as a school librarian at the building-level and have from 1-5 years experience as a school librarian. School library experience should not exceed 5 years.
3. The applicant shall have no previous attendance at an ALA Annual Conference or an AASL National Conference.

## Criteria

All applications for the grant will be judged against the following criteria:

1. Quality of purpose statement.
2. Content of professional statement.
3. Professional statement style.
4. Potential for future leadership.

## Rating

1. AASL Member (5 points)
2. School Library Practitioner (5 points)
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