

# Library Innovation Award

*Purpose:*

To recognize a Florida library that has displayed innovative methods, projects, products, or organizational enhancements, such as using current and emerging technologies for library processes or information service delivery.

*Eligibility:*

Any creative or innovative program, activity or service will be considered. Both nominator(s) and nominee must be current members of the Florida Library Association.

*Criteria:*

Program or initiative that breaks new ground in library service, programming, etc.  
 Significantly benefits employees, library patrons, library operations, or the community-at-large, or the campus served.  
 Program or initiative can be replicated in other libraries.

## Rubric: Library Innovation Award

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<b>Program or initiative that is an innovation in library service, programming, etc.</b>	Program or initiative that is a significant innovation in library service, programming, etc., including virtual services. Has received awards or recognition nationally or locally multiple times (news, journals, grants, conference, announcements, etc.)	Program or initiative is an innovation in library service, programming, etc. Has received local or national recognition once or twice.	Program or initiative is an innovation in library service, programming, etc., but may have received no recognition.	Unclear whether program or initiative is an innovation in library service, programming, etc., because there is not enough evidence to determine.
<b>Significant benefits employees, library patrons, library operations, the community-at-large, or the campus served</b>	Program or initiative significantly benefits employees, library patrons, library operations, the community-at-large, or the campus served; includes personal thankyou documents and/or statistics and assessments that analyze the program’s success in the submission package.	Program or initiative benefits employees, library patrons, library operations, the community-at-large, or the campus served. Some evidence in the submission package.	Program or initiative somewhat benefits employees, library patrons, library operations, the community-at-large, or the campus served. Limited evidence in the submission package.	Program or initiative may benefit employees, library patrons, library operations, the community-at-large, or the campus served. No evidence in the submission package.
<b>Program or initiative can be replicated in other libraries</b>	Project can be easily replicated for use in other locations.	Project can be replicated for use in other locations, but only with significant modification.	Project cannot be easily replicated or modified for use in other locations due to resource requirements (e.g. financial, staff, space, etc.).	Project cannot be replicated or modified for use in other locations.

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