

Law Library Association of Greater New York

AALL Annual Conference, PLLIP Summit,
ILTACON, and Other Conference Grants

Grant Information:

- Each year, LLAGNY awards grants to its members to provide opportunities for enriching career development experiences. We work to enhance the value of LLAGNY members and of law librarianship as a learned profession.
- During the 2021 Grant Year, the following AALL Annual Conference participation grants are available to be awarded to deserving and accomplished LLAGNY members:
 - **AALL Conference Grant:** Up to \$2,300.00
 - *Event takes place in July in Cleveland.*
 - **AALL & PLLIP Conference Grant:** Up to \$2,600.00
 - *Event takes place in July; the PLLIP Summit precedes the AALL Conference.*
 - **ILTACON Conference Grant:** Up to \$3,500.00
 - *Event takes place in August in Las Vegas.*
 - **Other conference or event grant as approved:** Up to \$2,300.00
 - *Suggested conferences include ARK Group Law Firm Libraries or Knowledge Management events, SLA conference, ALA conference, Artificial Lawyer conference, Legalweek(year), Technical Services SIS Conference, or others.*
- One member may receive a grant to cover the costs of attending the AALL Conference. One member may receive a grant to cover the costs of attending both the AALL Conference and the PLLIP Summit. One member may receive a grant to cover the costs of attending ILTACON. Upon LLAGNY Board discretion, one or more additional members may receive a grant to cover the cost of attendance at a relevant industry conference or event.
- The grant funds may be used to reimburse only the following expenses: Conference registration fees; expenses for travel to and from the Conference; and hotel expenses incurred during conference attendance.
- Once awarded, proof of registration for the Conference must be submitted to the Committee Chair no later than 30 days after notification of the grant to be in compliance.
- Each grant recipient is required to write a Law Lines article regarding their conference or event participation.
- All LLAGNY grant recipients will be honored at the June 2021 Dinner and Annual Meeting and are invited and expected to attend as honored guests of LLAGNY.

Application Process:

- Applicants should use this application to apply for a grant to attend any of the listed grants available. Applicants can apply for AALL Conference grants, the ILTACON grant, and other Conference grants. Applicants will be considered for all events and conferences for which they apply. However, applicants cannot be awarded more than one conference or event grant in any given Grant Year.
- We will begin accepting applications on November 10, 2020. Please email your completed application to grantsandscholarships@llagny.org no later than 5:00 pm on April 15, 2021, our deadline. If your requested conference takes place before April 15, 2021, please submit your application two months in advance of the conference. We will consider the application early.
- All applications should be sent to grantsandscholarships@llagny.org.
- Grant recipients will be notified no later than May 1, 2021. The grant recipient must confirm event attendance within 5 business days of grant notification.
- LLAGNY has a strong commitment to diversity & inclusion in its membership and in the law librarian profession. We strongly encourage LBGTQIA+, women, disabled members (includes hidden & visible), and members of all other under-represented groups to apply.

Grant Criteria:

1. Applicant must be a Regular or Student LLAGNY member. Applicant must also be a Regular or Student AALL member. All other classes of membership are ineligible.
2. Applicants must have demonstrated a commitment to librarianship, based on employment history, membership in LLAGNY, involvement in LLAGNY and/or AALL, and attendance at LLAGNY functions.
3. In the essay part of the application, the applicant should demonstrate why this grant will benefit the applicant professionally, and how attendance at the professional event(s) or conference(s) will prepare the applicant to contribute to the LLAGNY community and the law librarianship profession throughout their career.
4. Preference will be given to those not receiving employment contributions or matching funds.
5. Consideration will be given to whether or not the applicant has previously attended the AALL Conference and/or the PLLIP Summit.
6. Previous grant and scholarship recipients are eligible to apply. Although consideration will be given to whether or not the applicant has previously received a LLAGNY grant or scholarship, it will not preclude an applicant from receiving any of these grants.
7. If you receive funds from your employer to attend the AALL meeting and/or the PLLIP Summit, you must provide a letter stating the amount of the employer contribution.

Please inform the Committee of the grants for which you would like to be considered. You may select more than one, and you may select all of them. Please be sure to address each conference or event for which you apply in the essay portion of this application.

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- Other conference or event grant as approved:** Up to \$2,300.00

Personal Information

Name

Business or
Mailing
Address

Telephone

Email
Address

Will your employer pay any or all of your expenses for attendance at the AALL Annual Conference, PLLIP Summit, ILTACON or other conference?

Check One:

Yes

If yes, what dollar amount:

No

Unemployed

Unknown

If unknown, please explain:

Have you previously attended the AALL Annual Conference, PLLIP Summit, ILTACON, or other conference?

Yes If yes, state which & when:

No

Have you ever received a LLAGNY grant or scholarship?

Yes If yes, state the year received and the name of the grant:

No

Employment and Relevant Experience

Beginning first with your current employer, list recent employment in library-related fields. If you are new to law librarianship (less than five years experience), please list your library school, and include internships/externships if applicable.

1st. Institution or Employer:	
Employment Dates:	
Name and Title of Supervisor:	
Title of Position:	
Please state the nature of your duties:	

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Employment and Relevant Experience (Continued)

2nd. Institution or Employer:	
Employment Dates:	
Name and Title of Supervisor:	
Title of Position:	
Please state the nature of your duties:	
3rd. Institution or Employer:	
Employment Dates:	
Name and Title of Supervisor:	
Title of Position:	
Please state the nature of your duties:	

Employment and Relevant Experience

4th. Institution or Employer:	
Employment Dates:	
Name and Title of Supervisor:	
Title of Position:	
Please state the nature of your duties:	
5th. Institution or Employer:	
Employment Dates:	
Name and Title of Supervisor:	
Title of Position:	
Please state the nature of your duties:	

Organization Activities:

List membership in any national or local library or information-related organizations (including LLAGNY and AALL.) Please provide the name(s) and the month and year you joined.

Name of Organization:	Month and Year Joined:	Member Level:
LLAGNY		
AALL		
Other:		
Other:		
Other:		

Professional Activities

Describe all involvement in committees, program panels, and workshops; attendance at LLAGNY events; or other professional contributions, i.e. publications, starting with the most recent. Please provide dates of involvement. If you cannot describe all your professional activities here, please provide further detail in your essay.

Organization:	Description of Involvement:

Personal Statement

Please write a short personal statement about why this grant will benefit you professionally, and how you believe attendance at the AALL Annual Conference, PLLIP Summit, ILTACON, or other conference will prepare you to contribute to the LLAGNY community and the law librarianship profession throughout your career.

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Personal Statement (continued)

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