The AALL Awards Committee reviewed nominations and selected recipients for the Marian Gould Gallagher Distinguished Service Award, the Joseph L. Andrews Bibliographical Award, the Hall of Fame Award, the Chapter Professional Development Award, the Law Library Publications Award, the Innovations in Technology Award, and the Volunteer Service Award.

The Committee chair worked with other committees that present awards to congratulate award recipients and publicize their accomplishments by sending letters to award winners and the individuals they requested to be notified about their achievements. The Committee chair also invited award recipients attending the Annual Meeting in Boston to be photographed with AALL President Darcy Kirk during the Opening Reception on July 21.

The Awards Committee worked with other AALL committees charged with selecting awards, including the AALL LexisNexis Call for Papers Committee (which selects the four Call for Papers awards); the Public Relations Committee (which selects up to five Excellence in Marketing awards); the Law Library Journal and AALL Spectrum Committee (which selects the Law Library Journal Article of the Year Award and the AALL Spectrum Article of the Year Award); the Committee on Relations with Information Vendors (which selects the Best New Product Award); the Diversity Committee (which selects the Minority Leadership Development Award); the Leadership Development Committee (which selects the Emerging Leader Award); the Research and Publications Committee (which selects the Distinguished Lectureship Award); and the Government Relations Committee (which selects the Public Access to Government Information (PAGI) Award and the Robert L. Oakley Advocacy Award).

The Awards Committee chair sent official notification to all award recipients by email. Official notification of recognition was also sent to the recipient’s dean, library director, managing partner, or other individuals as requested. AALL Headquarters staff prepared the Awards and Acknowledgments Brochure, created the registration area AALL Awards display sign, and generated award plaques to be presented at the Annual Meeting.

Following the completion of the awards nomination and selection cycle, the Awards Committee reviewed the selection criteria and nomination forms for each of the seven awards for which it is responsible. The committee submitted a proposal to the Executive Board to revise the selection criteria for the Andrews Award, and the Board approved the proposal at its meeting on July 20, 2012. The committee also developed new nomination forms for each award, with consistent language to indicate that nominations may be submitted electronically as well as by mail. The new forms will be implemented for the 2012/2013 awards cycle.

The 2011/2012 Awards Committee completed its work at a joint meeting with the 2012/2013 committee at the Annual Meeting in Boston on July 21. Elizabeth Moore will serve as chair of the 2012/2013 committee and Heidi Frostestad Kuehl will serve as vice chair.

Information on all awards and lists of recipients is available under Member Resources, Awards on AALLNET at http://www.aallnet.org/main-menu/Member-Resources/AALLawards.
The 2012 Awards were presented to the following recipients:

**Marian Gould Gallagher Distinguished Service Award:** Nancy P. Johnson, Georgia State University College of Law Library; Harry S. Martin III, University of Texas School of Law and School of Information, and Emeritus, Harvard Law School.

**Joseph L. Andrews Bibliographical Award:** Richard A. Danner, Duke Law School, and Jules Winterton, Institute of Advanced Legal Studies, University of London, for *IALL International Handbook of Legal Information Management*; Michael J. Hannon, University of Minnesota Law Library, for *The Clarence Darrow Digital Collection*.

**Hall of Fame Award:** Barbara A. Bintliff, University of Texas School of Law, Tarlton Law Library; Michael Chiorazzi, University of Arizona Rogers College of Law, Cracchiolo Law Library; William S. Hein, Jr., William S. Hein & Co., Inc.; Erwin Surrency, Emeritus, University of Georgia School of Law.

**Chapter Professional Development Award:** Northern California Association of Law Libraries (NOCALL) for one-time program “Winds of Change: Where the Legal Industry is Going and How to Harness the Power of Opportunity.”

**Law Library Publications Award—Non-Print Division:** Library of the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Sixth Circuit, Cincinnati, Ohio, for “They Were Soldiers Once …”

**Law Library Publications Award—Print Division:** Library of the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Sixth Circuit, Cincinnati, Ohio, for “Portraits of Justice: Judges of the United States Court of Appeals for the Sixth Circuit.”

**Innovations in Technology Award:** Mississippi College Law Library, for “Judicial Data for Mississippi’s Appellate Case: At the Fingertips of the Practitioner and Public, [http://judicial.mc.edu/](http://judicial.mc.edu/).”

**Volunteer Service Award:** Jean Willis, Sacramento County Public Law Library.

**AALL LexisNexis Call for Papers**

- **Open Division:** Linda K. Tesar, College of William & Mary Law Library, “Forensic Bibliography: Reconstructing the Library of George Wythe.”

- **New Member Division:** Yasmin Sokkar Harker, CUNY Law Library, “Information is Cheap, Meaning is Expensive: Building Analytical Skill into Legal Research Instruction.”


- **Student Division:** Neel Kant Agrawal, University of Washington Information School, “Training in FCIL Librarianship for Tomorrow’s World.”

**Best New Product Award:** Bloomberg Law, Bloomberg Law.

**Distinguished Lectureship Award:** Anne Klinefelter, University of North Carolina School of Law, Everett Law Library, “Should Librarians Retire the Privacy Ethic?”

**Emerging Leader Award:** Margaret (Meg) Butler, Georgia State University College of Law Library.

**Excellence in Marketing Awards:**

- **Best Brochure:** Lillian Goldman Law Library, Yale Law School, for *Lillian Goldman Law Library Annual Report 2010-2011*.
- **Best Campaign:** Lillian Goldman Law Library, Yale Law School, for *Therapy Dog Program*.
- **Best Newsletter:** Harvard Law School Library, for *Harvard Law School Library Bathroom Reader*.
- **Best PR Toolkit:** Harris Beach PLLC, for *Just Ask – Harris Beach Libraries and Research Services*.
- **Best Use of Technology:** New York Law School Mendik Library, for *New York Law School Mendik Library – Mendik Mobile*.


**Minority Leadership Development Award:** Eugenia J. Charles-Newton, Texas Tech University School of Law.

**Public Access to Government Information (PAGI) Award:** Michele Timmons, Minnesota Office of the Revisor of Statutes.

**Robert L. Oakley Advocacy Award:** Barbara A. Bintliff, University of Texas School of Law, Tarlton Law Library.

**2011/2012 Committee Members:** Margaret K. Maes, Chair; Elizabeth L. Moore, Vice Chair; Lucy Curci-Gonzalez, Executive Board Liaison. Members: Joseph Hinger, Heidi Frostestad Kuehl, Judith Meadows, Leslie Pardo, Alvin Podboy, Michael Whiteman.

Respectfully submitted,

Margaret K. Maes
Chair, 2011-2012