

Applications for SLA Continuing Education Grants Due February 15, 2019

Professional development activities can have a huge impact on your library career! SLA can help! Interested in attending a conference, workshop, or professional development opportunity? Have a great idea for a workshop for library staff? SLA offers Continuing Education (CE) grants to provide and support relevant educational opportunities for its members. Applications for CE category one, two, and three grants are now being accepted:

1. Grant to an individual for attendance to any continuing education opportunity (conference, workshop, etc.).
2. Grant to an individual or institution for organization and promotion of a continuing education opportunity (conference, workshop, etc.).
3. Grant for first time attendance at the Saskatchewan Libraries Conference.

Applications are due by February 15th, 2019. Details are available on the [website](#). Applications can be sent to the SLA Executive Director slaexdir@sasktel.net

Over the past few years many library workers in Saskatchewan have applied for and received grants to further their professional development. Here are some of their testimonials:

- “I would not have been able to attend this conference without the financial support from the SLA. I want to thank the SLA for providing me with this opportunity.”
- “I would first like to thank and acknowledge the SLA’s Continuing Education Committee and the SLA Executive for their support of my professional development. The opportunity provided by this grant has led to new insights and knowledge that will be helpful in my career as a librarian.”
- “These sessions gave me a lot of valuable information to bring back . . . and share with our Executive, staff, and branch libraries in the coming months.”
- “I would like to thank the SLA for their generosity in allowing me to attend the SLA Conference. It was my first time attending a large library conference in a professional context and I relished the opportunity to meet both my colleagues in the public library sphere as well as other working professionals from different library settings.”