

Mississippi Library Association  
Terry Lajaunie Memorial Conference Scholarship Recommendation Form

***Please Note: All recommendations must be sent by  
August 31<sup>st</sup>.***

The candidate listed below has asked for your recommendation for the Terry Lajaunie Memorial Conference Scholarship. You may either use this recommendation form or write a letter of recommendation.

Candidate's name \_\_\_\_\_

In what capacity do you know the candidate? \_\_\_\_\_

How long have you known the candidate? \_\_\_\_\_

The Terry Lajaunie Memorial Conference Scholarship is awarded for academic or work excellence, leadership capabilities and a commitment to a career in librarianship in the state of Mississippi. On a scale of 1 to 5 please rate the candidate in the following areas:

Academic/work excellence	5	4	3	2	1
	Strong				Weak

Leadership capabilities	5	4	3	2	1
	Strong				Weak

Commitment to a career in librarianship in Mississippi	5	4	3	2	1
	Very committed				Not committed at all

Why do you believe that the candidate should be considered for this award (include strengths and/or weaknesses of the candidate)? (limit 300 words)

\_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Name (please print) \_\_\_\_\_

Title \_\_\_\_\_

Institution \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Thank you for taking the time to fill out this recommendation form. Please email your recommendation to the MLA Scholarship Committee Chair, Justin Easterday, [justin.easterday@usm.edu](mailto:justin.easterday@usm.edu). In order for the scholarship application to be considered, your recommendation form or letter must be sent no later than **August 31<sup>st</sup>**.