

## **GLMA Awards**

- Media Specialist of the Year Award
- Freed of Information Award
- William E. Patterson Service Award
- Mini-grants

## **GLMA Membership Benefits**

- The Media News Leader Online, the GLMA quarterly newsletter
- Opportunity to serve on committees and task forces that reflect the special interests of school library media specialists
- Annual Summer Camp for professional development
- Discounted attendance at COMO

## **GLMA Affiliations**

- American Library Association (ALA)
- American Association of School Librarians (AASL)
- International Society for Technology in Education (ISTE)
- Georgia Association of Educators
- Georgia Council of Media Organizations

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City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Place of Employment (Name of School, etc) \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Employment Address \_\_\_\_\_

GLMA District \_\_\_\_\_  
 Affiliate Memberships: ALA/AASL \_\_\_\_\_ NEA/GAE \_\_\_\_\_  
 AECT/GAIT \_\_\_\_\_ AFT/GFT \_\_\_\_\_ GLA \_\_\_\_\_  
 Membership Type: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Regular (\$30.00) \_\_\_\_\_ Retired (\$15.00) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Student (\$12.50) \_\_\_\_\_ Additional Donation \_\_\_\_\_  
 School System \_\_\_\_\_ County \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Work Telephone \_\_\_\_\_ Fax \_\_\_\_\_

### What does GLMA do for members?

GLMA represents your interests in an active liaison and advisory role with other state library media organizations and with national and regional professional organizations.

GLMA gives school library media specialists a voice in the Georgia Legislature and the State Board of Education through the Governmental Relations Committee, the GLMA home office, and through the networking of other GLMA members.

GLMA supports your professional development by keeping you in touch with current trends and issues in the profession.

GLMA is an integral partner in the production of COMO, an annual conference that provides quality programs and outstanding speakers.

GLMA publishes an online newsletter and blog to keep you informed about the issues of our organization, your profession, and library services.

GLMA provides an opportunity for you to be directly involved in your professional organization through holding office, serving on committees or task forces, presenting at conferences, district meetings, and workshops.



GLMA sponsors the Helen Ruffin Reading Bowl at the building system, district, and state levels.

GLMA recognizes professional excellence by presenting awards for outstanding service.

GLMA provides grants to its members to facilitate the development of new and innovative programs within their schools.

### What is GLMA?

GLMA is a professional organization serving school library media professionals in Georgia. Its members are dedicated to the advancement and empowerment of school library media specialists and to quality education in Georgia's schools.

### Who are GLMA members?

- School library media specialists
- Coordinators of school library media services
- School library media paraprofessionals
- Library media educators
- Students in state Library Media Programs
- Representatives of library media related companies
- Other persons interested in promoting excellence in school library services

GLMA should be YOUR professional organization! The more involved you are, the more you benefit. GLMA needs your ideas and expertise as it continues to grow and develop. Join now and take an active role in making Georgia's school libraries a top educational priority!