

**D. Glenn Hilts Scholarship**  
**REVISED April 2008**  
**Deadline for receipt of scholarship application: *July 15, 2009***

The Association of Seventh-day Adventists Librarians (ASDAL) Scholarship and Awards Committee proudly announces that the application process for the 2008 D. Glenn Hilts Scholarship has begun and will be awarded in time for the 2008-2009 academic year.

This scholarship comes from a dedicated fund initially established by Dr. Margarete Ambs Hilts in honor of her husband D. Glenn Hilts who was the first Seventh-day Adventist to acquire a professional library degree. After serving as librarian of Union College and La Sierra College, he retired in 1972. The scholarship is now an endowed fund replenished through donations and fundraising activities.

**Eligibility Requirements**

- Applicant must be a Seventh-day Adventist in good standing.
- Applicant must be accepted to a graduate library science program in an ALA-accredited institution.
- Recipient must be enrolled as a full-time student and use the scholarship only for tuition and books.

**Submission Requirements**

- Completed application form, including GPA and GRE scores.
- College transcripts. Include library school transcripts, if currently enrolled.
- Copy of the official letter of acceptance from ALA-accredited library school.
- Personal statement in an essay of 600 words.
- Resume.
- Three letters of reference (one should be a character reference from your Seventh-day Adventist pastor) to be sent under separate cover by the deadline specified above.
- Submit to *Cynthia Mae Helms, Chair, ASDAL Scholarship and Awards Committee, James White Library, Andrews University, Berrien Springs, MI 49104-1400. Email: [helmsc@andrews.edu](mailto:helmsc@andrews.edu)*

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The D. Glenn Hilts Scholarship is offered by the Association of Seventh-day Adventist Librarians. The scholarship was established by Dr. Margarete Hilts in memory of her husband D. Glenn Hilts. It was first awarded in 1985, to recognize excellence in scholarship and to encourage individuals with leadership potential to seek employment in a Seventh-day Adventist library.

To qualify, applicants must be Seventh-day Adventists in good standing who have been accepted into a library school accredited by the [American Library Association](#), and expect to study at least one full academic year on a full-time basis. Applicants not attending a library school in the United States or Canada must be accepted into an overseas graduate library school recognized by the International Federation of Library Associations.

**A. Personal Information**

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First Middle

**Permanent Address:**

Street \_\_\_\_\_ Apt. No. \_\_\_\_\_

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

Home phone \_\_\_\_\_ Cell phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email address \_\_\_\_\_

**Address at School:**

Street \_\_\_\_\_ Apt. No. \_\_\_\_\_

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

Home phone \_\_\_\_\_

Student ID \_\_\_\_\_ OR Last 4 digits of Social Security Number \_\_\_\_\_

**Religious affiliation:**

SDA  Yes  No Membership location: \_\_\_\_\_

**B. Academic Information**

What is your GPA for your last bachelor's degree (based on 4.0)? \_\_\_\_\_

What are your GRE scores? Verbal : \_\_\_\_\_ Quantitative: \_\_\_\_\_ Total: \_\_\_\_\_

**Library School you Plan to Attend with this Scholarship:**

School: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Expected date of graduation: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact at Financial Aid: \_\_\_\_\_

Financial Aid Contact Information: \_\_\_\_\_

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**C. Transcripts**

Please attach your college transcripts. Include library school transcripts, if currently enrolled.

**D. Official Letter of Acceptance**

Please attach a copy of the official letter of your acceptance to library school.

**E. Personal Statement**

In a separate sheet of paper, please write a 600-word essay describing your interest in librarianship, your professional goals, contributions you feel you might make to Seventh-day Adventist libraries and information centers.

**F. Resume**

Please attach your resume showing your academic background, work experiences, scholastic honors and awards, leadership positions, extracurricular activities, community service, etc.

**G. References**

Ask three references (one must be from your church pastor) to send letters of recommendation to:

*Cynthia Mae Helms, Chair  
ASDAL Scholarship and Awards Committee  
James White Library, Andrews University  
Berrien Springs, MI 49104-1400.*

Only completed application packages will be considered. Successful applicant must become a member of ASDAL and must be willing to seek employment in a Seventh-day Adventist library or information center. ASDAL will grant a one-year membership in the association to the successful applicant.

I certify that I have provided accurate information on this application form. I agree that if, in the judgment of the Association of Seventh-day Adventist Librarians, information has been misrepresented in this application, the application will be considered void; if a scholarship offer has been made, the offer may be withdrawn. I agree to notify the Chair of the Association of Seventh-day Adventist Librarians Scholarship and Awards Committee of any changes in academic status that could bear on this application or scholarship award. I understand that my personal information will be kept confidential and that records associated with the application will be destroyed or disassociated with my name after the award period

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name \_\_\_\_\_