

The Library Technology Excellence Award is a special recognition, sponsored by the Library Technology Collaborative (LTC), given annually to an individual (or group) whose commendable effort and exemplary commitment to the utilization and understanding of technological resources within the academic and research communities has proven fundamental to the advancement of their respective community, society, and/or institution.

Please submit a 3-10 page document outlining key issues involved in the understanding and promotion of any innovative technological programs or systems that have proven critical to the successful integration, implementation and diffusion of e-resources within the academic library community. These best practices will be shared with through the LTC website and in online symposia.

SUBMISSION DEADLINE: April 15, 2010

Please forward all submissions to jtweet@igi-global.com

All submissions should contain following items:

1. Name
2. Date
3. Affiliation
4. Personal Research Interests/Areas of Expertise
5. Describe in detail one successful project that specifically illustrates innovative use of e-resources within your university community

Subsequent issues to consider for inclusion in your submission:

1. Describe your institution's plan for successful transition from print to electronic resources
2. Describe any causal issues that led to the implementation/integration of e-resources
3. Overall goals and/or purpose of integration plan
4. Strategic/organizational methods used to plan and execute the integration process
5. Socio-technical considerations
6. Project timeline
7. Information technology security issues
8. A description of the e-resources being implemented
9. Describe any barriers to success that were encountered in the implementation/integration process
10. Describe any failed attempts at integration
11. Lessons learned through implementation
12. Methods used to evaluate the overall success of e-resources
13. Overall outcome of the project (positive value of e-resources being used)

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