**SLA Competitive Intelligence Division Student Awards**

**Two** student registration awards ($205 each) are available for the SLA conference. This can include an award for the SLA student membership fee ($40) if the person is not yet a SLA member. We will also cover the $35 cost of the CID networking event. To be eligible for the award, the person must [meet the criteria](https://hq.sla.org/cvweb_sla/cgi-bin/memberdll.dll/info?wrp=membershipapp.htm) for the SLA student registration rate.

“Student Member status shall be granted to an applicant enrolled in a curriculum of library or information science at least part time (two or more courses).”

Students will have the responsibility of assisting the SLA CID conference chair during the SLA CID conference sessions, which are:

1. Sunday June 14
   1. 12:30-1:00 pm. What to do when they say “Give me everything you have on…” and not freak out because they want it in an hour
   2. 1:30-3:00 pm. New roles for librarians and info pros: developing a CI function from beginner to expert
   3. 2:00-2:15 pm. Research private companies: tips and techniques for solving one of your biggest information challenges
2. Monday June 15
   1. 10:00 – 11:30 am. Designing aggregation and knowledge sharing systems
   2. 12:00 – 1:30 pm. Analytical tools that deliver value: war gaming (not the revolutionary kind)
   3. 4:00-5:00 pm. Global talent management: a key to producing superior results
   4. 7:00 – 9:30 pm. (**optional**) CID networking party at the Chart House – an opportunity to meet the CID board members, volunteers and members
3. Tuesday June 16
   1. 8:00-9:30 am. Careers in prospect research: the basics
   2. 11:00-noon. (*2 sessions*) Be bold, be brief and be gone: secrets on how to successfully navigate the C-suite; CI resources: the good, the bad, and the ugly; and The role of information professionals in supporting business development: the potential of information partnerships
4. Saturday June 13 (**optional**) Continuing Education Courses:
   1. 8:00 – 5:00 pm. Using the Internet as an investigative research tool
   2. 1:00 – 5:00 pm. Going Beyond Basics: Strategic and Tactical Competitive Intelligence for Decision Support

One student is required at each session to:

1. Move the projector (we have one we borrow) and secure it at the end of each day.
2. Hand out evaluations and greet people.
3. Tweet during the session (optional).
4. Generally being at the session to help out as needed.

The SLA CID conference chair, Katie Cuyler from Bennet Jones LLP, will meet with the students, set the schedule, and be their main contact during the conference. You would work with her to determine who will work when.

Send your basic information (name, number, etc.), what classes you are taking, and a brief paragraph on why you want to attend the conference to Bonnie Hohhof at [bhohhof1@gmail.com](mailto:bhohhof1@gmail.com) by **April 20.** A decision will be made by April 23.