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# Community Call for the New Publishing Practice Awards

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Background: On the work of the Publication Award Task Force

- The LPC Strategic Plan
- Landscape Survey

Goals: What we hope to achieve with these awards

- Recognize good work
- Help spur progress in these areas

Submission Details

# The LPC Strategic Plan

- **Objective 1.1:** Model high standards and celebrate excellence in library publishing
- Action 1.1.2: Draw attention to effective and sustainable practices by member institutions
- Action 1.1.3: Identify opportunities to highlight and promote member publications
- **Objective 3.2:** Represent library publishers in the wider scholarly communications community
- Action 3.2.2: Raise awareness about library publishing through writing, presenting, and other professional engagements

[LPC Strategic Plan 2018-2023](#)

## Survey of the landscape

# Categories for the awards

- Accessibility
- Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion
- Innovation
- Privacy

## LPC's Values statement

## An Ethical Framework for Library Publishing

Strategic goal: Objective 1.1: Model high standards and celebrate excellence in library publishing

# Goals for the Awards

- Recognize progress in these categories, not perfection.
- Recognize different challenges with different approaches: Accessibility, diversity, equity, and inclusion can all represent very different challenges in different contexts and settings.
- Recognize the work of library publishers; within and external to LPC.
- Encourage growth and development in these categories.
- Encourage development of better practices in library publishing

# Submission details

Applications are due on **Jan. 11, 2021**.

[LPC Publishing Practice Awards application form](#)

- Information about the publishing program and the applicant.
- Information about a representative publication. (Published between 2016-2020. Quality of the publication's content is not being judged.)
- Choose one of the two categories and write a 500-1,000 word narrative essay describing the **process** of publishing the work.

LPC Publishing Practice Awards website for more information. [bit.ly/lpc-ppa20](https://bit.ly/lpc-ppa20)

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