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IASL School Librarianship Award

Professor Bernadete Campello has been awarded the IASL School Librarianship Award for her service in the development of school libraries in Brazil.

The award recognises outstanding contributions to the national development of school libraries and services within the recipients own country or internationally. Professor Campello has been noted as being influential in the position of her research and ongoing leadership of school libraries throughout Brazil.

In announcing the award, IASL President James Henri noted the importance that professional development for school librarians played in the development of school libraries.

Professor Carol Kuhlthau from Rutgers University, New Jersey, USA commented "She is a worthy recipient for the first award that exemplifies the significant impact that strong sustained leadership and informed professional training and insightful local language materials can have on improving school libraries for learning in this emerging country"

The International Association of School Librarianship, which promotes and administers this award, is committed to enabling young people to develop literary and cultural appreciation and to use information effectively through the improvement of school libraries and school library programs as a vital component of education.

Information about membership and the awards program is available from the IASL Secretariat:

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