

MEMORIAL RESOLUTION HONORING ELLEN GREENBLATT

Whereas the American Library Association (ALA) and the broader academic library community lost a valued member and colleague with the untimely death of Ellen Greenblatt on July 4, 2011 in Arvada, Colorado

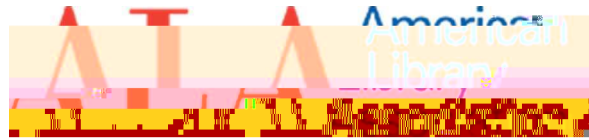
Whereas Ellen Greenblatt received a BA from the University of Colorado, a MA in History from the University of Denver, and a PhD from the University of Denver

Whereas she held positions at academic libraries in the United States, including Princeton University, State University of New York at Buffalo, and culminating her career as Associate Dean for Access, Collections, and Technical Services at the Auraria Library in Denver, Colorado

Whereas Ellen Greenblatt was a pioneer of the first LGBTQ professional organization in the US and having served as one of the first co-chairs of the Gay and Lesbian Task Force (now Rainbow Round Table), and later as a longtime member and chair of the Gay and Lesbian 100 Award (now Stonewall 100 Award) committees

Whereas she co-edited (with Hal Gough) the groundbreaking book "The Gay and Lesbian Book Project" (New York: Columbia University Press, 1985) and subsequently edited the book "The Gay and Lesbian Book Project: A Bibliography" (New York: Columbia University Press, 1988)

Whereas Ellen Greenblatt co-completed the thesaurus for the "The Gay and Lesbian Book Project" database and a revision of the



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distinguished career\$and

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