LSTA Grant

Guadalajara International Book Fair (FIL)

Deborah Gitlitz (Wilsonville) and Barratt Miller (Oregon City) will be taking lead on grant application. LINCC is most likely fiscal agent for LSTA grant. Other participants in the initial conversation are Angelica Novoa de Cordeiro (Canby), Steven Engelfried (Wilsonville), and Martín Blasco (WCCLS).

# Year 1: Planning

Paid part time staff member (possibly Deborah Gitlitz at Wilsonville) will develop implementation plan, with assistance from successful FIL book purchasing cooperative in northern California, WCCLS, and Multnomah County Library

# Year 2: Implementation

Up to 10 libraries (preference given to small, rural libraries) may apply to have $500 of Spanish books for any age group purchased on their behalf

Accepted libraries will attend an Oregon specific training on Latin@ outreach and complete an outreach plan detailing how they plan to engage members of their local Latin@ community

1 volunteer will coordinate selection lists and distribute materials, 1 volunteer will attend FIL to purchase materials

Volunteer or LIS grad student will create a list of Top 50 Spanish-language books the group purchased at FIL (with purchasing information) to distribute as a collection development resource for all Oregon libraries

# Post-LSTA Funding

ALA scholarship covers registration ($30), hotel, most meals, and $100 of airfare

Could OLA provide approximately $500 to cover remaining airfare, a WiFi hotspot, and possibly shipping costs?

Could CSD, OYAN, and PLD offer scholarships?

Could Outreach Round Table and REFORMA provide training and support for volunteers and participating libraries?

Could International Relations Round Table, Social Responsibilities Round Table, and/or OLA Board support in some way?