

CBHL Charles Robert Long Award of Extraordinary Merit to Susan Eubank

May 27, 2022– Denver – Susan Eubank, Arboretum Librarian, Emeritus at the Los Angeles County Arboretum and Botanic Gardens, was presented with the Charles Robert Long Award of Extraordinary Merit on May 27, 2022 by the Council on Botanical and Horticultural Libraries (CBHL). This presentation was made during CBHL's 54th Annual Meeting hosted by the Denver Botanic Gardens.

The Charles Robert Long Award of Extraordinary Merit is the highest honor presented by CBHL. This honor was established to recognize outstanding service to CBHL and/or to the field of botanical and horticultural literature, information services and research.

Susan Eubank earned an M.L.I.S. from the University of California, Berkeley, and has shared her knowledge and expertise within library communities at Strybing Arboretum (now San Francisco Botanical Garden at Strybing Arboretum), Denver Botanic Gardens, American Alpine Club, Grand Canyon National Park, and the Los Angeles County Arboretum and Botanic Gardens. An active CBHL member since 1988, her contributions to CBHL have included service as a board member including President, membership and leadership of numerous committees, editor of the CBHL Newsletter, manager of the CBHL listserv, and host of annual meetings in Denver and Los Angeles. A collaborative colleague and partner, she is an advocate and inspiration for the importance of plant libraries and their value for lifelong learning. This award recognizes Susan Eubank's exceptional commitment to professional development, her interest in the collaborative efforts of libraries, her continued search for professionalism, and her extraordinary service to CBHL.

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