



## MARGARET HODGES SCHOLARSHIP

### I. Intent of Scholarship

The Margaret Hodges Scholarship was established in 1989 to honor (Sara) Margaret Hodges, as Professor Emerita of the Department of Library and Information Science, where she taught literature for children and young adults and storytelling. A graduate of the Carnegie Library School, she is a former member of the staff of the Carnegie Library of Pittsburgh and is the author of many books for children, including *St. George and the Dragon*, awarded the 1985 Caldecott Medal for its illustrations.

The Margaret Hodges Scholarship is a \$1,000 one-time award for an individual demonstrating high academic achievement and an interest in working with children in a public library setting.

### II. Guidelines for Selection

The Financial Aid Committee reviews applications for the Margaret Hodges Scholarship and makes its recommendations to the Chair of the Department. The scholarship for a given year is not granted if the Financial Aid Committee determines that there is no eligible candidate.

Qualifications:

- Be a U.S. citizen or a permanent resident;
- Be accepted into the MLIS program;
- Demonstrate high academic achievement; and
- Demonstrate an interest in working with children in a public library.

Applications for the Margaret Hodges Scholarship should include:

- A completed Departmental Financial Aid application form;
- The Margaret Hodges Scholarship form;
- A current resume citing education, work experience, publications, etc.; and
- A short essay that addresses career goals.

Send forms to:

Admissions Coordinator  
School of Information Sciences  
University of Pittsburgh  
Room 505 IS Building  
135 N. Bellefield Avenue  
Pittsburgh, PA 15260



## MARGARET HODGES SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM

Date of submission:     \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of attached pages: \_\_\_\_\_

Degree Program (specify degree) \_\_\_\_\_

1. Please attach a current resume.
2. Please describe your career goals for working with children in a public library. If additional space is required, please staple pages to this application form.

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