

PATTERSON LIBRARY

TRUSTEE EDUCATION

Every trustee will complete at least two hours of trustee education each calendar year, starting January 2023, pursuant to Section 260(d) of the New York State Education Law. Trustees will send completion certificates or self-assurance forms to the Board President and the Library Director. The Director, on behalf of the Board President, will keep a record of the Board's education activities. Modest and reasonable costs incurred by trustees may be charged/reimbursed by the library, which must be approved by the Board.

Should a Trustee fail to submit evidence of completion by December 31 of each year, the Trustee will be suspended from duty until evidence of completion is filed. Should a Trustee in suspension fail to provide evidence of completion within 90 days, they will be assumed to have resigned from the board.