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Grand and Gold  
(Claude C. Ries Chapter Award)

_U.S. Sesquicentennial Exposition_  
Charles J. O’Brien, III  
also  
American First Day Cover Society - Best First Day Cover Exhibit  
United States Stamp Society Statue of Freedom Award

Reserve Grand and Gold  
(Richard B. Thomas Award)

_New York World's Fair 1939_  
Charles J. O’Brien, III  
also  
American First Day Cover Society - Best First Day Cover Exhibit

Gold

_Baseball Centennial_  
Jeff Bennett  
also  
American Association of Philatelic Exhibitors Award of Excellence (Title Page)  
American Philatelic Society 1900-1940 Medal of Excellence

_The 3 Cent Connecticut Tercentenary Issue of 1935 and Its First Days_  
Anthony F. Dewey  
also  
American Philatelic Congress Award

**LUCK-OF-THE-DRAW - Legends of the West, Bill Pickett, The Errors, Revisions & Lottery**  
Gregg A. Hopkins, Sr.
American First Day Cover Society Herman Franz Fluegel Award for Best Cacheted FDC's 1945 and Later, Emphasis on Color
American Philatelic Society Post 1980 Medal of Excellence

The Franklin Delano Roosevelt Memorial Series of 1945-46 and its FDC's
Eliot A. Landau
also

American First Day Cover Society Winfred M. Grandy Award for Best of Cacheted FDC's, Non-Grand Emphasis on Cachet Research

Eliot A. Landau

First Days of the 1929 George Rogers Clark Commemorative
Andrew McFarlane
also

American First Day Cover Society Lawrence S. Fisher Award for Best Research Exhibit 1847-1931

The 3 Cent 1936 Oregon Territory Issue
Ralph H. Nafziger

Great Britain's Winston Churchill Centenary Stamps and First Day Covers
Todd Ronnei
also

American First Day Cover Society Best Foreign FDC Award
American Philatelic Society 1940-1980 Medal of Excellence

Vermeil

Wildlife Conservation Series: The 3 Cent King Salman 1956
R. Timothy Bartshe

The Walt Disney Postal Commemoration of 1968
Edward Bergen

The Children's Friendship Commemorative of 1956
Kerry L. Heffner

The Magnificent Covers of Ejgil J.S. Halvorsen
Robert S. Lewin
also
American Philatelic Society Research Medal
The 1973 U.S. "Posting of a Broadside" Commemorative
Andrew McFarlane
also
American Association of Philatelic Exhibitors Award of Honor

Silver

Australian First Day Covers by Geerlings
Noel Almeida

A Tribute to Dogs, Especially the Beagle!
Marilyn J. Bearr
American First Day Cover Society Leo and Samuel August Memorial Award
for Best Topical Exhibit
Women Exhibitors Sterling Achievement Award

Canadian Scout and Guide Cancellations
J. Alex Hadden

Silver Bronze

Springfield USA
Jay Bigalke
also
American Association of Philatelic Exhibitors Award of Honor

Ritz Cachets Complete
Edward Mendlowitz

Bronze

Alaska History in Cachet Covers
Duane M. Heverling

USPS Scrambled Indicia Issues 1997-2004
Tom Peluso
also
American Association of Philatelic Exhibitors Creativity Award

Single Frame
Grand and Gold

The 1909 Lincoln Commemoratives Issues: Early Uses and First Day Covers
Eliot A. Landau
also
American First Day Cover Society - Best Single Frame Exhibit Award

Vermeil

First Day Covers of the 3-Cent Lincoln Fourth Bureau Issues
Eliot A. Landau