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Grand and Gold
Postal History of Salem, Mass: Domestic Mail through Sept. 1883; Foreign Mail up to UPU
Mark S. Schwartz
also
American Philatelic Society Pre-1900 Medal of Excellence

Reserve Grand and Gold
French Activities in the Arctic 1828-1939
Serge Kahn
also
American Society of Polar Philatelists Grand Award for Best Polar Exhibit

Court of Honor
"I'll Be Seein' Ya" - Five Years as a P.O.W. in Stalag VIII-B
Janet Klug

Military Mail from Manila Bay, Dec 1941 to May 1942
Robert D. Rawlins

"Wilkes Antarctic Expedition": Its Many (often unfavorable) Facets
Hal Vogel

Ireland: Postal History: 1657 through the 1900s
Patricia Stilwell-Walker

Gold
Plague: The Story of the Most Infamous Bacterial Disease
Dr. Edwin J. Andrews
The 5c Garfield Memorial Stamp of 1882  
Dr. Edwin J. Andrews  
also  
American Association of Philatelic Exhibitors Creativity Award

Irish Coil Stamps 1922 to 1970  
Robert M. Benninghoff  
also  
American Philatelic Congress Award  
Baltimore Philatelic Society Rimma Sklarevski Award for Best Stamp Exhibit  
Eire Philatelic Association Joseph E. Foley Memorial Medal for Best Irish Exhibit

The Use of U.S. Postage Due Stamps, 1894 to 1986  
Norman E. Cohen  
also  
Baltimore Philatelic Society Award for Best Exhibit by a Member

Usages of the 15c James Buchanan Prexie  
Bill DiPaolo  
also  
American Philatelic Society 1940-1980 Medal of Excellence

The Use of British WWII Prisoner-of-War Stationery  
Michael Dixon

American Victory Mail, World War II V-Mail 1942-1945  
Kathryn Johnson  
also  
Theo Van Dam Military Postal History Society Grand Award

American Intervention in Caribbean 1898-1934  
Alfred F. Kugel  
also  
Baltimore Philatelic Society Ed Ruckle Memorial Award for Excellence in U.S. Postal History  
Postal History Society Award

Submarine Arctic Operations  
Robert D. Rawlins  
also
Lighthouse Stamp Society Award
Universal Ship Cancellation Society Andy Fernandez Award for Best Exhibit of Naval Covers

*From Smyrna to Izmir: Everyday Life*
  Smyrniot
  also
American Philatelic Society 1900-1940 Medal of Excellence

*U.S. Byrd Antarctic Stamp: The Perforated Issues*
  Alan Warren
  also
American Society of Polar Philatelists Reserve Grand Award for Second Best Polar Exhibit
United States Stamp Society Statue of Freedom Award

**Vermeil**

*Telegraph Stamps and Forms Used in Ireland and Great Britain*
  David J. Brennan

*Greco-Roman Sculpture, Historical Development*
  George Constantourakis

*Saxony: An Independent German Kingdom 1851-1868*
  Richard M. Drought

*Spitsbergen: Postal History of the North Pole: 1896-1914*
  Gregory M. Frantz

*Transcontinental Flights Between Russia and Antarctica*
  Ross Marshall

*Jamaican Censorship in WW II - Keeping the Lid On!*
  Raymond H. Murphy

*Henry Stinemetts: Naval Cachetmaker and Cover Decorator Extraordinaire*
  Christine C. & W. Eugene Sanders, Jr.
  also
Universal Ship Cancellation Society Best Illustrated Mail Class

*Mail To and From the U.S. Navy via U.S. Airmail, 1918-1941*
  Steve Shay

*The China Martyrs Stamps 1932 to 1949*
  William P. Winter
  also
American Philatelic Society Research Medal

*BEAR - The Legendary Polar Ice Ship*

*John P. Young*

also

Universal Ship Cancellation Society Best Display Class

Silver

*The Postal History of the U.S. Antarctic Development Project "Operation High Jump"*

*D. J. Larson, Jr.*

*The Postage Due Stamps of Ireland: 1922-1993*

*Liam Malone*

also

American Association of Philatelic Exhibitors Award of Honor

Eire Philatelic Association Celtic Cross New Exhibit Award

Eire Philatelic Association Mercer Bowers Multi-Frame Award

*The Often Forgotten Role of the Union Navy in the Civil War*

*The Pollock Family - Chris, Harrison & Louise*

American Association of Philatelic Exhibitors Novice Award

Women Exhibitors Sterling Achievement Award

*Hand Drawn Covers of Eugene L. Mueller*

*Donald R. Tjossem*

*Operation Crossroads - Bikini Atoll*

*Roger A. Waivio*

*The Discovery and Exploration of Antarctica: The Quest for the South Pole*

*William P. Winter*

also

American Association of Philatelic Exhibitors Award of Honor

*Atomic Icebreaker Lenin*

*John P. Young*

Silver Bronze

*The Destroyers That Helped to Save an Empire*

*David Bernstein*

*First Overprints of the Free State of Ireland 1922-1935*
Albert G. Dewey, Jr.
also
Eire Philatelic Association Celtic Cross New Exhibit Award

Union of South Africa: War Effort Stamps 1941-1945
Kalman V. Illyefalvi

Australian Mails 1940-1945, the War Years
Robert E. Shoemaker

Philatelic Covers From the Japanese Occupation of the Philippines
Robert E. Shoemaker

From Pollywog to Shellback
Jim Smith

Single Frame

Grand and Gold

Registered Mail of the American Expeditionary Forces, 1917-1923
Alfred F. Kugel

Gold

Purser's Markings, United Fruit Company - Six Sisters 1931-41
Elizabeth Hisey
also
Universal Ship Cancellation Society Best One-Frame Exhibit
Universal Ship Cancellation Society Jesse Burgess Thomas Award for
Best Exhibit of Maritime or Naval History Covers

The Merchant Submarine Deutschland in Picture Postcards
David A. Kent
also
Universal Ship Cancellation Society Best Postcard Class

Vermeil

Around the World in 26 Days - The Dustin Trans-Polar Flight
David S. Ball
"Taffy 3", Two Hours of Gallantry, Guts and Gumption
David Bernstein

The Postal History of the Ronne Antarctic Research Expeditions
D. J. Larson, Jr.

Irish Official Mail Logos: Predecessors and First Series
Raymond H. Murphy
also
Eire Philatelic Association Best Single Frame Award

Silver

Japan's Philatelic Commemoration of the Attack on Pearl Harbor
and Anniversary of the Beginning of the Greater Asian War
David Bernstein

Silver Bronze

Eskimo
Fran Adams

Of Ice and Men, Byrd Antarctic Expeditions I-V
David S. Ball

Water Conservation; Save Water, Save Life
Brian Harmon
also
Eire Philatelic Association Mercer Bowers Single Frame Award

Ireland on the Stamps of Eire
Brian Harmon
also
Eire Philatelic Association Best Exhibit of Irish Material by a Novice
Eire Philatelic Association Celtic Cross New Exhibit Award

The Life and Death of the USS St. Lo (CVE-63)
Jim Smith

Non-Competitive

Postage Due Labels of Great Britain Used in Ireland 1914 to 1925
Robert M. Benninghoff