MINNESOTA STAMP EXPO PALMARES
July 21-23, 2017

Grand and Large Gold

Swedish - The Medallion Series, 1910-1919
Ross Olson
and also
American Philatelic Congress Award

Reserve Grand and Large Gold

Postal History Featuring the 1861 United States 24-cent Adhesive
Robert J. Faux
and also
American Philatelic Society Ward of Excellence, Pre 1900,
American Association of Philatelic Exhibitors Award of Excellence for Plan and Headings,
United States Stamp Society Statue of Freedom Award,
Postal History Society Award

Single Frame Grand

The Collection of Postage Due Fees in Ireland 1914 to 1925
Robert M. Benninghoff

Most Popular and Large Vermeil

Forest Conservation Issue of 1958
Rick Gibson
and also
American Association for Philatelic Exhibitors Gold Award of Honor

Multiframe
Large Gold

St. Louis Street Car Mail 1892-1915
Gary Hendren
The Evolution of French Sudan & Niger 1887-1951
Paul A. Larsen

Burma - The Post War Issues of 1945 to 1947
Michael Ley

America's Membership Libraries 1731-1920
Larry T. Nix
and also
American Association of Philatelic Exhibitors Creativity Award

The Murder of Lidice
Philip K. Rhoade
and also
American Philatelic Society Award of Excellence 1940-1980,
American Topical Association First Award,
Collectors Club of Chicago Award

Use of U.S. Parcel Post Stamps, 1913-1926
Gregory S. Ward
and also
American Philatelic Society Award of Excellence, 1900-1940

Gold

The 1924 Eagle in Wreath Issue: The First Gold Currency Stamps of Poland
Dr. Edwin J. Andrews

State and Federal Taxation in Support of Marketing Farm Products Cauliflower

Great Britain Uses of the King George VI Definitive Series
Kathryn Johnson

Lund, Postal History to 1935
Steve Lund
The 3¢ 1936 Susan B. Anthony Issue
Kristine McIntosh
and also
American First Day Cover Society Best FDC Exhibit Award

U.S. Vended Postal Insurance (1965-85), A Failed Experiment
Alan L. Moll
and also
American Philatelic Society Award for Research

Hiram E. Deats - Philatelist & Collector Extraordinaire
Larry T. Nix

The Saga of the Icelandic Horse
Mike Schumacher
and also
American Topical Association Second Award

Large Vermeil

Foreign Volunteers with German during World War II
Philipp Mueller

United States Official Joint Issue First Day Covers of the 20th Century
Ross Olson
and also
American Philatelic Society Award of Excellence Post 1980,
The Minnesota Stamp Dealers Association- Incentive to Collect Award

CIPEX & Its Souvenir Sheet
Philip K. Rhoade
and also
American Association of Philatelic Exhibitors Gold Award of Honor

Todd Ronnei

Vermeil

Sweden: The Large Official Stamps 1874-1889
C. Norman Andrews

**Single Frame**

Large Gold

*The e Watermark Definitive Coil Stamps of Ireland 1940 to 1970*

Robert M. Benninghoff

*Evolution of Air Mail Between Bermuda and the U.S., 1925-1939*

John Pare

*The National Bank Note Company’s One Cent Issue of 1870*

Jon Schoonmaker

**Gold**

*The Rectified Spirits Tax on Rum Bottled in Puerto Rico for American Consumption: The Boutwell Stamp Era, 1942-1961*

Don Facundo Bacardi Masso

*The 1940 Bermuda 1/2d. On 1d. Provisional Overprint & Its Postal Uses*

John Pare

**Large Vermeil**

*The German Afrika Korps During World War II*

Philipp Mueller

*The 1936 Swedish-Icelandic Vatnajokull Expedition/Mail*

Michael Schumacher

**Vermeil**

*Japan Commemorates Pearl Harbor*

Philip K. Rhoade

and also

American Topical Association One-Frame Award
Iceland's Commemorative Stamps & Block Issue of 1937 Honoring the Silver Jubilee of King Christian X's Reign

Mike Schumacher

Silver

Luxembourg Precanceled Postage Stamps
Leon G. Stadtherr
and also
Womens Exhibitors Sterling Achievement Award

Silver-Bronze

Overprints of Ireland 1922-1935
Albert Dewey, Jr

Bronze

Jesus
Tammy Moll

A Philatelic Kalevala
Gary Reiter