WESTPEX 2019 Palmares

April 27, 2019

WESTPEX Grand Award
Alfredo Frohlich  Delaware, Postal History to 1847

Collectors Club of San Francisco - Reserve Grand Award
Santiago Cruz  The 1910 Centenary Issue of Colombia

WESTPEX Grand Award - Single Frame Exhibit
David McNamee  Conquest of the Zulu Kingdom 1876-1897

AAPE Youth Grand Award
Madison Gordon  Canine Kindness

Chairmans Award
Behruz Nassre-Esfahani  Persia, Qajar Postal Stationery Issued 1876-1925

MULTI-FRAME EXHIBITS

Large Gold
Juri Kraus  Finding Antarctica - Then Finding More of It
Louis Fiset  Gum Breakers on BEP Stamp Production, 1919-1981
Dr. Sam Chiu  Development of Chinese Imperial Post Office 1897-99, Transformation From Customs Post Office
Dr. Paul J. Phillips  The Coronation Year of King George V
Daniel Bringer  Swedish Scientific Expeditions to the Antarctic Region
Gary B. Weiss  Early Okinawa Stamps, Stationery and Postal History
Behruz Nassre-Esfahani  Persia, Qajar Postal Stationery Issued 1876-1925
Santiago Cruz  The 1910 Centenary Issue of Colombia
Dr. Akthem Al-Manaseer  The Forgotten War - IEF’D’ and the War in Mesopotamia 1914-1918
Douglas N. and Nancy B. Clark  The Massachusetts Island Counties. Postal history before 1890.
Roger Brody  Jamestown 1907
Serge Kahn  French Activities in the Arctic 1828-1939
Phillip J. Stager  The Coconut Palm - Palm of Life & Palm of Commerce
Gregory Shoults  Washington and Franklin Coils Third Bureau Perforated Issues 1908-1922
David McNamee  The Natal Rebellion of 1906
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Behruz Nassre-Esfani Censors of British Forces in North West Persia, 1918-1920
Robert G. Rufe The "Special" Booklet Paper Printings of 1928

Large Vermeil
Joseph Bock Development and Deployment of the U.S. Atomic Bomb 1942-1945

Vermeil
Gary B. Weiss 2c Ryukyu Islands Currency Conversion Issue of 1958

Silver
David A. Kent More Letters From the Sand
Thomas Richards U. S. Naval Mission to Brazil Postal History - 1922-1977

Silver Bronze
Ross Marshall Soviet Antarctic Expeditions in International Geophysical Year - Incidents and Accidents 1956-1958

YOUTH MULTI-FRAME EXHIBITS

Silver Bronze
Josiah Brown Candid Philately

YOUTH SINGLE FRAME EXHIBITS

Silver
Madison Gordon Canine Kindness

Silver Bronze
Alaina Beedle Cacti Covers and other Succulent Stamps

SPONSORED AWARDS

American Society of Polar Philatelists Grand Award - Best Polar Exhibit
Serge Kahn French Activities in the Arctic 1828-1939

American Society of Polar Philatelists Reserve Grand Award
Juri Kraus Finding Antarctica - Then Finding More of It

Hugh M. Southgate Award - Best Multi-Frame Exhibit by USSS Member
Roger Brody Jamestown 1907

W. Wallace Cleland Award - Best Single-Frame Exhibit by USSS Member
Dickson Preston U.S. Army Post Offices in Greenland 1941-1945
Theo Van Dam Award - Best Military Postal History Exhibit
Dr. Akthem Al-Manaseer
The Forgotten War - IEF'D' and the War in Mesopotamia 1914-1918

Anthony Fernandez Award - Best Multi-Frame Naval Cover Exhibit
Lloyd Ferrell
Little Known Pearl Harbor Ships without postal facilities

Francis E. Locy Award - Best Multi-Frame Study of Locy System Postmarks
John Young
U.S. Navy Machine Cancels (1919-79)

Jesse Burgess Thomas Memorial Award - Most Outstanding Exhibit of Maritime or Naval History
Steve Shay
The U.S. Navy in the Tokyo Bay Area, August-September, 1945

Capt. Herbert F. Rommel Award - Best Single-Frame Exhibit of Naval Covers
Thomas Richards
U. S. Naval Mission to Brazil Postal History - 1922-1977

Best Ryukyu Islands Exhibit
Gary B. Weiss
Early Okinawa Stamps, Stationery and Postal History

Best Researched Ryukyu Islands Exhibit
Jon Kawaguchi
Ryukyu Election Cards

Best Ryukyu Islands Postal Stationery Exhibit
Jon Kawaguchi
Ryukyu Election Cards

Ryukyu Philatelic Specialist Society - Exhibitor Award
Marv Claudio
Study of the Ryukyu 10 Yen Provisional Issue January - August 1952

Ryukyu Philatelic Specialist Society - Exhibitor Award
Gary B. Weiss
2c Ryukyu Islands Currency Conversion Issue of 1958

Ryukyu Philatelic Specialist Society - Exhibitor Award
Gary B. Weiss
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Jon Kawaguchi
Ryukyu Election Cards

Ryukyu Philatelic Specialist Society - Exhibitor Award
Ronald R. Cassel
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San Francisco Pacific Philatelic Society - Margaret Munda Memorial Award of Merit
Gregory Shoults
Washington and Franklin Coils Third Bureau Perforated Issues 1908-1922

Postal History Society Medal - Best Postal History
Alfredo Frohlich
Delaware, Postal History to 1847
U.S. Philatelic Classics Society - Best U.S. up to 1894
Alfredo Frohlich Delaware, Postal History to 1847

United Postal Stationery Society Marcus White Medal - Best Postal Stationery
Behruz Persia, Qajar Postal Stationery Issued 1876-1925
Nassre-Esfahani

Collectors Club of Chicago Philatelic Exhibitors Award - Award of Merit
Dr. Sam Chiu Development of Chinese Imperial Post Office 1897-99, Transformation From Customs Post Office

USPPS Best Multi-Frame Exhibit
Gary B. Weiss Early Okinawa Stamps, Stationery and Postal History

American Philatelic Society Award of Excellence: Pre 1900
Douglas N. and Nancy The Massachusetts Island Counties. Postal history before 1890.
B. Clark

American Philatelic Society Award of Excellence: 1900 - 1940
Roger Brody Jamestown 1907

American Philatelic Society Award of Excellence: 1940 - 1980
Eric Knapp Alaska at War

American Philatelic Society Research Medal
Dr. Sam Chiu Development of Chinese Imperial Post Office 1897-99, Transformation From Customs Post Office

ROSSICA Best Russian Exhibit
Ross Marshall USA <> USSR Scientist Exchange Programme in Antarctica

Steve & Cathy Schumann Award of Merit
Juri Kraus Finding Antarctica - Then Finding More of It

Al Van Dahl Memorial Award - Best Scandinavia
Daniel Bringer Swedish Scientific Expeditions to the Antarctic Region

Donald Dretzke Memorial Award - Best Used Stamps
BJ Gowtham Mysore Postal System (until 1901)

O'Neill Award - Best Thematic
Phillip J. Stager The Coconut Palm - Palm of Life & Palm of Commerce

California Collectors Club Award for Best 20th Century
Santiago Cruz The 1910 Centenary Issue of Colombia
SESCAL Award of Merit
David McNamee  The Natal Rebellion of 1906

United States Stamp Society - Statue of Freedom Award
Gregory Shoults  Washington and Franklin Coils Third Bureau Perforated Issues 1908-1922

American Philatelic Congress - Excellence of Written Text
Louis Fiset  1871 Commune of Paris Prisoner's Mail

COLOMPHIL - Outstanding Study of South & Central American Philately
Santiago Cruz  The 1910 Centenary Issue of Colombia

Lighthouse Stamp Society - Best Exhibit With a Nautical Theme
Lloyd Ferrell  Little Known Pearl Harbor Ships without postal facilities

American Association of Philatelic Exhibitors: Award of Honor
John Young  U.S. Navy Machine Cancels (1919-79)

American Association of Philatelic Exhibitors: Award of Honor
Yu Zhen Wu  Foreign Concessions in Shanghai 1845-1943

American Association of Philatelic Exhibitors: Creativity Award
Dr. Paul J. Phillips  The Coronation Year of King George V

American Association of Philatelic Exhibitors: Novice Award
Jon Kawaguchi  Ryukyu Election Cards

American Association of Philatelic Exhibitors: Epilogue Award
Alfredo Frohlich  Delaware, Postal History to 1847

American Topical Association - First Award
Phillip J. Stager  The Coconut Palm - Palm of Life & Palm of Commerce

American Topical Association - Second Award
Lan Qing Zhang  A History of the North American Indians

American Topical Association - Third Award
Jean C. Stout  Christmas in the Southern Hemisphere - Penguin Style!

American Topical Association - Youth Award
Madison Gordon  Canine Kindness

Collectors Club Award of Merit
Daniel Bringer  Scottish National Antarctic Expedition (1902-1904)

Women Exhibitors - Sterling Achievement Award
Jack A. Elder  The Red Cross in WWI (1912-1923)
British North America Philatelic Society - Best BNA Exhibit
John P. Wynns CANADA: Rates & Usages of the 1927 Confederation and Historical Issues

Auxiliary Markings Merit Award
Behruz Nassre-Esfani Censors of British Forces in North West Persia, 1918-1920

US Cancellation Club – US Cancellation Club Award
John Young U.S. Navy Machine Cancels (1919-79)

It's Not Just Stamps - Professional Stamp Experts Award
Dr. Paul J. Phillips The Coronation Year of King George V

AAPE Youth 1st Place Award
Madison Gordon Canine Kindness

AAPE Youth 2nd Place Award
Josiah Brown Candid Philately

AAPE Youth 3rd Place Award
Alaina Beedle Cacti Covers and other Succulent Stamps

NON-COMPETITIVE EXHIBITS
Ravi Vora WW1 - Versailles Peace Treaty: Role of Diplomatic and Military Mail

WESTPEX 2020 Jury Members:
Dr. Peter P. McCann, Jury Chairman University Park, FL
Hal Vogel, Judge Willingboro, NJ
Michael D. Dixon, Judge Portland, OR
Stephen L. Suffet, Judge Sunnyside, NY
Ed Kroft, Judge CANADA
Stephen Rose, Apprentice Judge Virginia Beach, VA