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# Minor Myers, Jr. Honors Collection



BATES & MERWIN READING ROOM



# Collection History



When Ames Library opened in 2002 the Bates - Merwin Room was empty. Everyone kept asking – What were we going to put in it? It needed something special for this very special space.

A call for proposals went out early in 2003 to Illinois Wesleyan faculty to submit ideas of what the collection should entail. Jim Plath, English department faculty member, submitted the winning proposal that called for the pinnacle of Ames Library to host books that had received honors in their respective disciplines from around the world.

Professor Plath's reasoning for proposing the Honors Collection is as follows:

- Illinois Wesleyan espouses the value that our students, faculty, staff, and alumni should aspire to be the best at what they do, and an honors collection celebrates both the best books in all fields and that important institutional value.
- A collection of this nature gives people access to the best books so neophytes to a field or discipline can steer automatically to books worth reading.
- Because an honors collection will span a huge number of topics and disciplines but also include international, popular, and small press materials, it will feature many books that should invite reading for pleasure.
- An honors collection featuring recent books will change from year to year and as a result the reading room will always have important potential to expose readers to new finds and discoveries through a never ending built in freshness.
- Such a collection celebrates and promotes the kind of multi-talented, multi-interested individuals that the liberal arts and this university tout.

## Collection History (cont.)



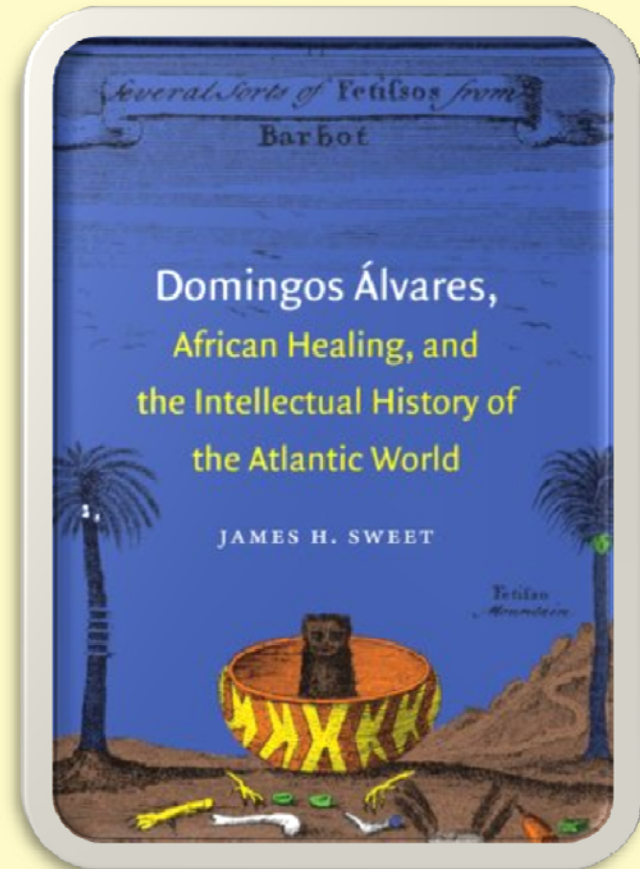
Once the collection was conceived a name for it was needed. Given his central role in visioning The Ames Library and his high standards and passions for the IWU community, the collection housed here is named in honor of President Minor Myers, jr., 17<sup>th</sup> president of Illinois Wesleyan, 1989 – 2003.

The awards included in *The Minor Myers, jr. Honors Collection* celebrate fiction, poetry, cookbooks, short story, history, biography, science, business, economics, nature, the art of the book, and many other categories from the world's best authors. The pages in the guide book and on the slide show include an alphabetized list of award titles and their descriptions. The collection is arranged alphabetically by award title and year awarded. There are no books in the collection representing awards earlier than 1988, the year Minor Myers began his term as president of the university.

# Atlantic History Prize

The Prize in Atlantic History was created in 1998 in accordance with the terms of a gift from James A. Rawley, Carl Adolph Happold Professor of History Emeritus at the University of Nebraska at Lincoln. It is offered annually to recognize outstanding historical writing that explores aspects of integration of Atlantic worlds before the twentieth century.

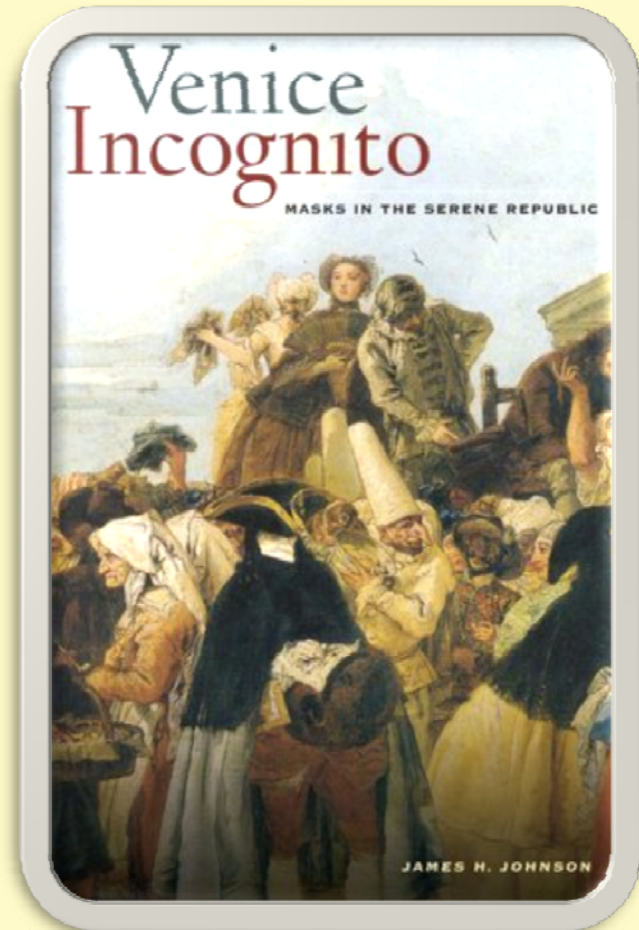
## 2011 Award Winner



# George L. Mosse Prize

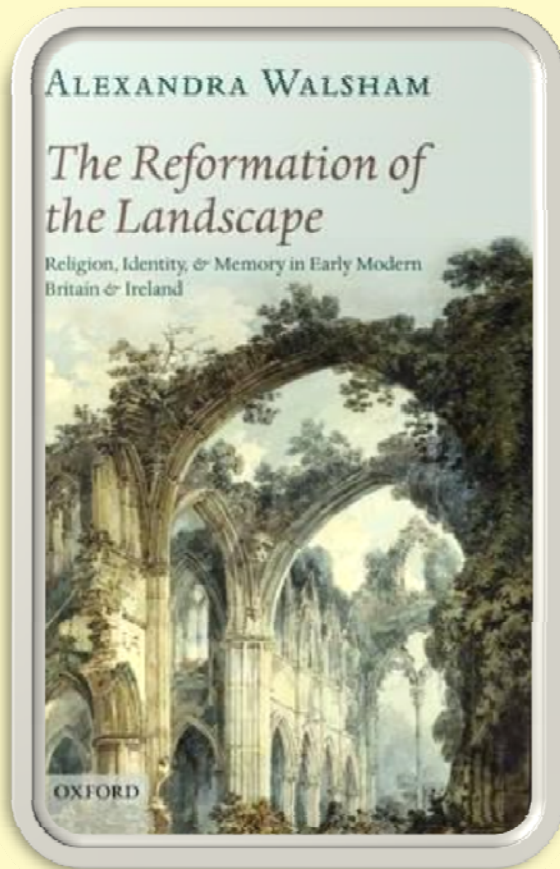
The Mosse Prize was established in 2000 with funds donated by former students, colleagues, and friends of Professor George L. Mosse, eminent scholar of European history. The prize is awarded annually for an outstanding major work of extraordinary scholarly distinction, creativity, and originality in the intellectual and cultural history of Europe since the Renaissance.

## 2011 Award Winner



# Leo Gershoy Award

## 2011 Award Winner

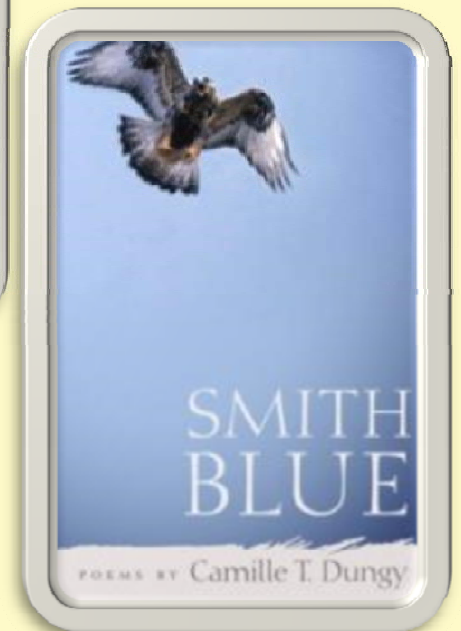
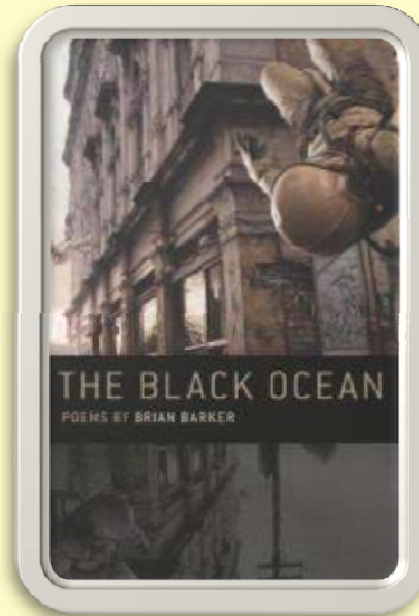


In recognition of outstanding historical writing, the American Historical Association offers the Leo Gershoy Award in seventeenth- and eighteenth-century western European history. This award was established in 1975 by a gift from Mrs. Ida Gershoy in memory of her late husband, a specialist in European history. Professor Gershoy was associated with the graduate faculty of New York University for more than twenty-five years.

# Crab Orchard Award Series

The Crab Orchard Award Series in Poetry began in 1998 as a co-publishing venture of Crab Orchard Review and Southern Illinois University Press. In 2004, the Crab Orchard Award Series in Poetry changed its name to the Crab Orchard Series in Poetry to reflect a new direction in publishing some of the best new work by established and new voices in American poetry.

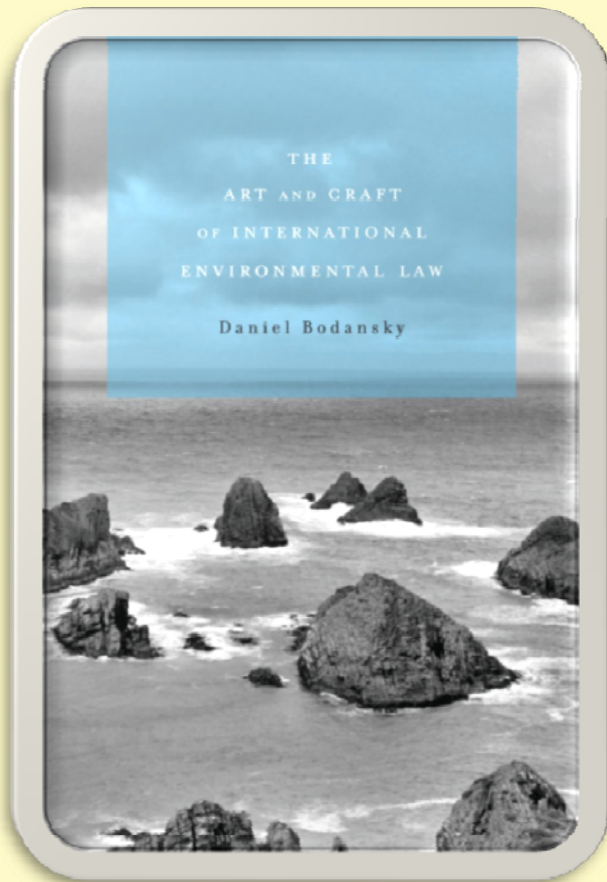
## 2010 Award Winners





# Sprout Award

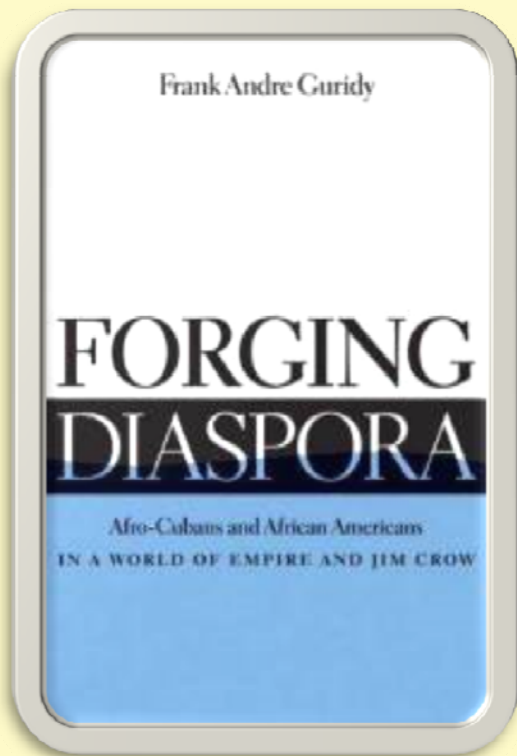
## 2011 Award Winner



The Harold and Margaret Sprout Award was established in 1972 and named in honor of two pioneers in the study of international environmental problems. The award is given annually to the best book in the field - one that makes a contribution to theory and interdisciplinary, shows rigor and coherence in research and writing, and offers accessibility and practical relevance.

# Wesley-Logan Prize

## 2011 Award Winner

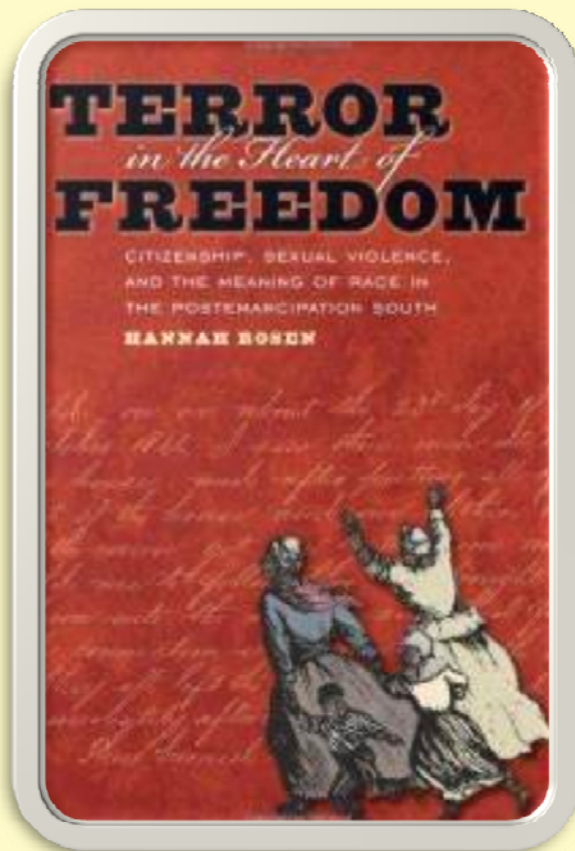


The Wesley-Logan Prize jointly sponsored by the AHA and the ASALH for an outstanding book on some aspect of the history of the dispersion, settlement, and adjustment, and the return of peoples originally from Africa. This award was established in 1993 and is awarded annually.



# Avery O. Craven Award

## 2010 Award Winner

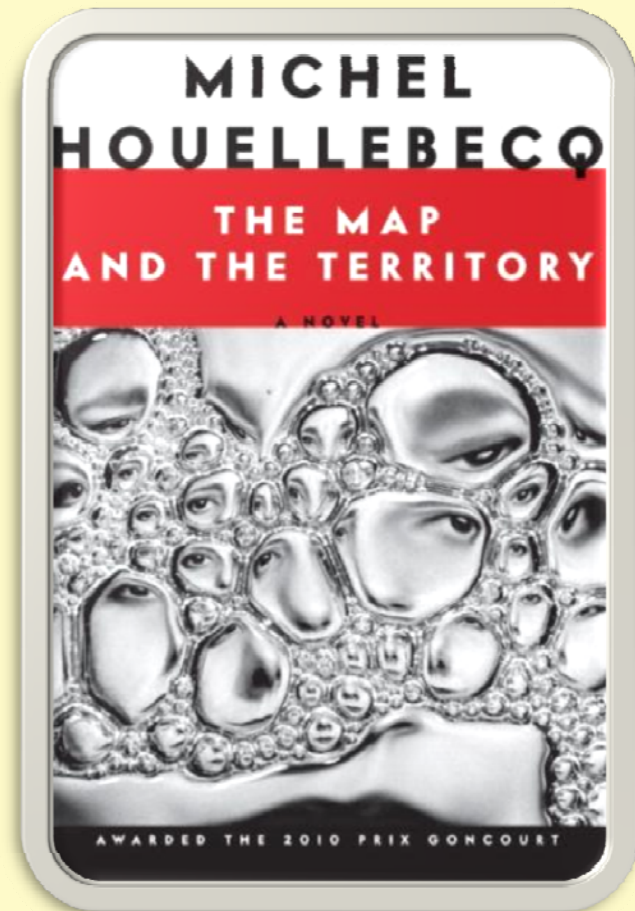


The Avery O. Craven Award, first given in 1985, is awarded annually by the Organization of American Historians for the most original book on the coming of the Civil War, the Civil War years, or the Era of Reconstruction, with the exception of works of purely military history. The exception recognizes and reflects the Quaker convictions of Craven, President of the Organization of American Historians 1963-1964.

# Prix Goncourt

The Prix Goncourt is the most prestigious prize in French language literature, given to the author of "the best imaginary prose work of the year". Edmond de Goncourt, a successful author, critic, and publisher, bequeathed his entire estate for the foundation and maintenance of the Académie Goncourt. In honor of his brother and collaborator, Jules Alfred Huot de Goncourt, (1830-1870), the Académie has awarded the Prix Goncourt every December since 1903.

## 2010 Award Winner



# Pulitzer Prize

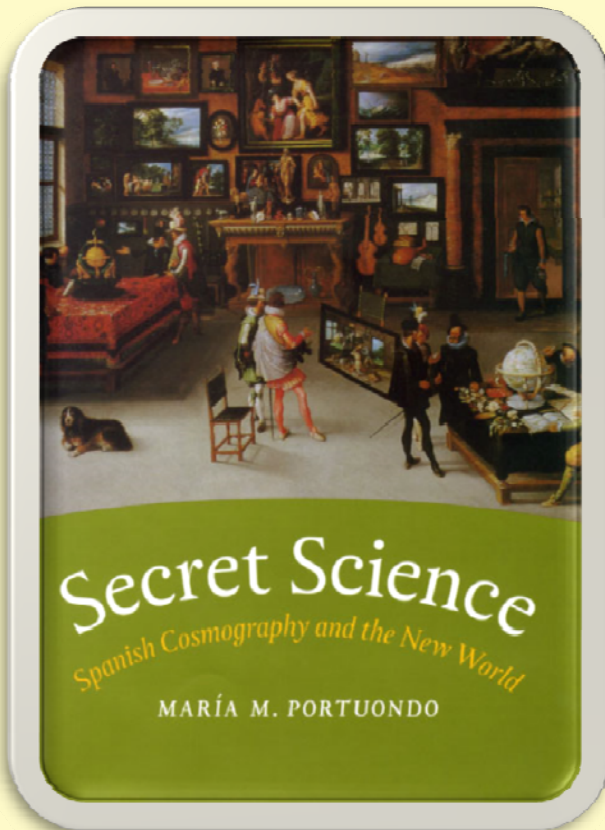
The Pulitzer Prize is awarded for achievements in journalism, literature, and composition. The award was established in 1917 by American publisher Joseph Pulitzer and is administered annually by Columbia University. Pulitzer gave money in his will to the university to launch a journalism school and establish the prize. He specified "four awards in journalism, four in letters and drama, one in education, and four traveling scholarships." After his death, the first Pulitzer Prizes were awarded June 4, 1917; they are now announced each April.

## 2011 Award Winners



# John E. Fagg Prize

2010 Award Winner

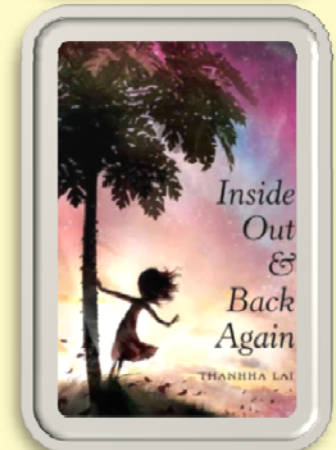
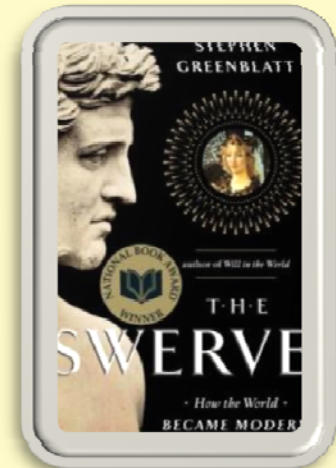
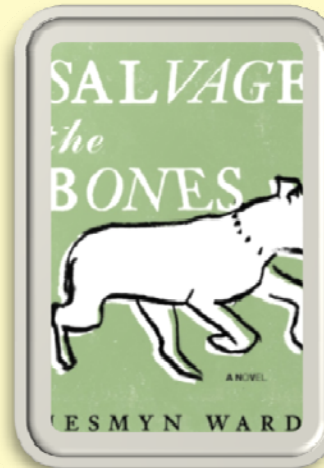


The American Historical Association offers the John Edwin Fagg Prize for the best publication in the history of Spain, Portugal, or Latin America. The prize was awarded annually for a period of 10 years beginning in 2001. The award honors John E. Fagg, who taught Latin American history at New York University from 1945 to 1981. He also served as chair of the department from 1961 to 1969 and director of the Center for Latin American and Caribbean Studies from 1961 to 1965 and 1977 to 1979.

# National Book Award

The National Book Award is an award given by writers to writers. Established in 1950, the first annual awards honored the year's outstanding literary work in fiction, nonfiction, and poetry. The National Book Award later expanded to recognize works in eleven other categories, but the NBA Board decided that too many categories diffused the impact of the award, so since 1996, independent panels of five writers have chosen the National Book Award Winners in four categories: Fiction, Nonfiction, Poetry, and Young People's Literature.

## 2011 Award Winners

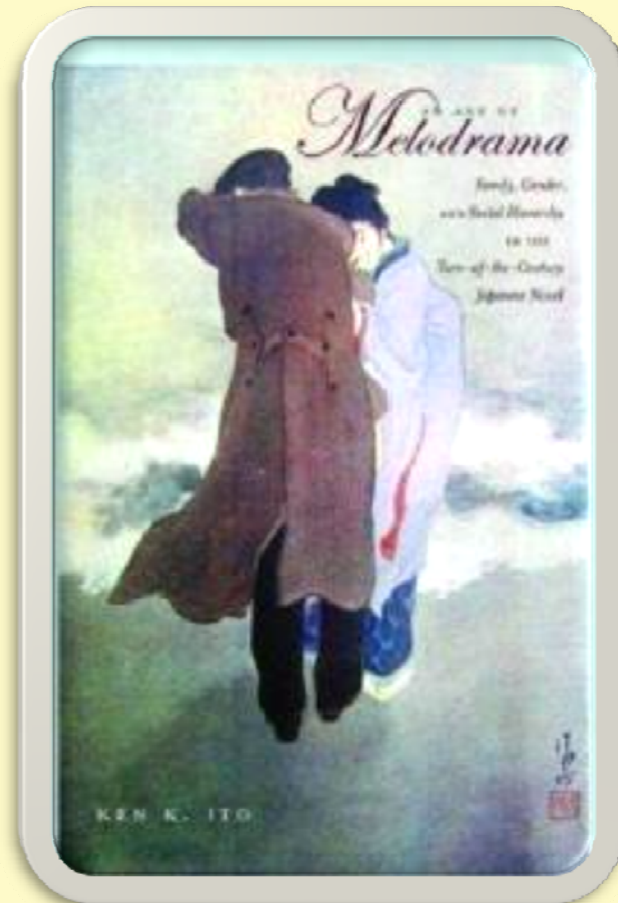




# Herbert Feis Award

Established in 1984, this prize is offered annually to recognize distinguished contributions to public history over the past ten years. The prize is named in memory of Herbert Feis (1893-1972), public servant and historian of recent American foreign policy, with an initial endowment from the Rockefeller Foundation. The prize was given for books produced by historians working outside of academe until 2006, when the scope was widened to include other types of public history works.

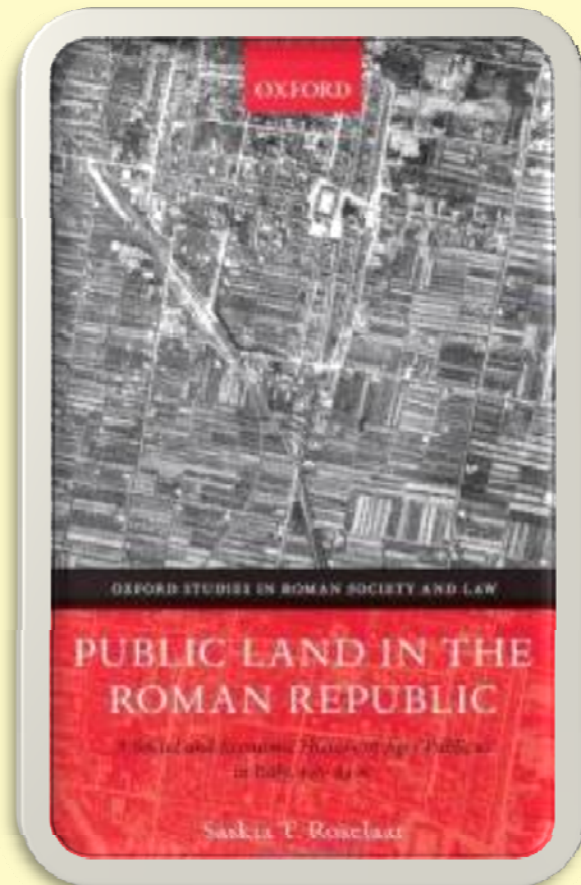
## 2011 Award Winner



# James Henry Breasted Prize

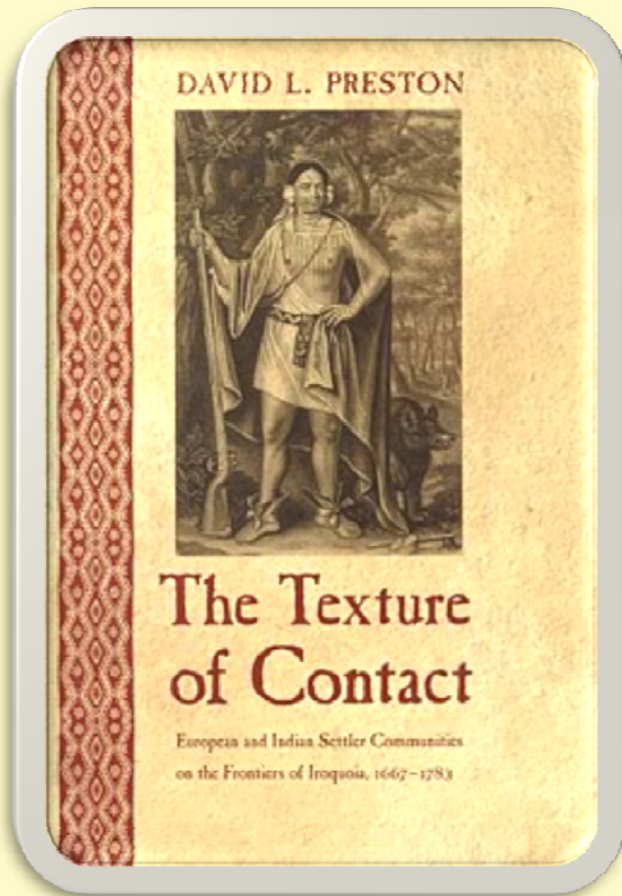
Established in 1985, this prize, named in honor of James Henry Breasted, a pioneer in ancient Egyptian and Near Eastern history and president of the American Historical Association in 1928, is offered for the best book in English in any field of history prior to 1000 A.D. The prize has been endowed by Joseph O. Losos, a longtime member of the Association. Research accuracy, originality, and literary merit are important factors. The prize was first awarded in 1985 and rotates annually among the following geographical areas: Near East and Egypt; Far East and South Asia; Africa, North America, and Latin America; and Europe.

## 2011 Award Winner



# Albert B. Corey Prize

2010 Award Winner

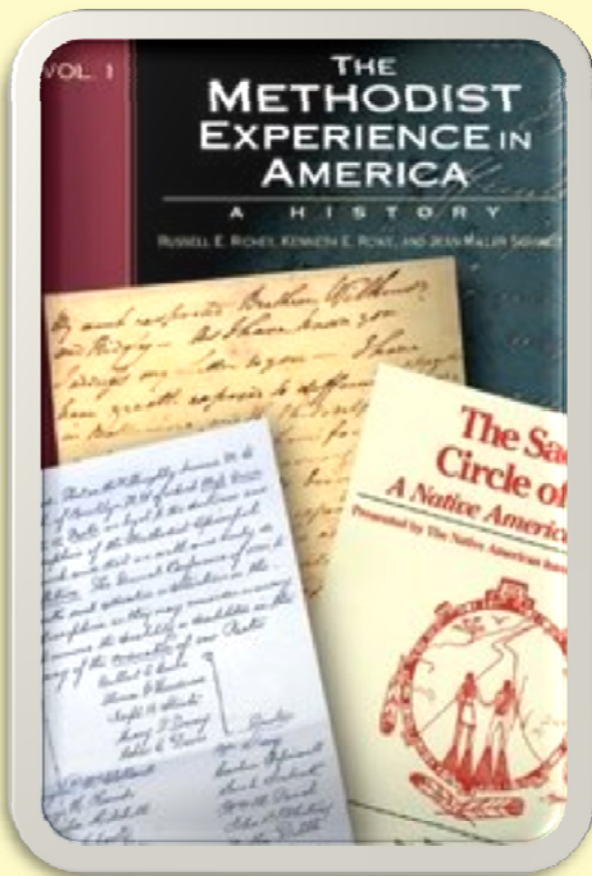


The Corey Prize, awarded for the first time in 1967, is sponsored jointly by the American Historical Association and the Canadian Historical Association. This biennial prize is awarded in even numbered years for the best book on Canadian-American relations or on the history of both countries. The prize was approved in 1963 by the Councils of both Associations in honor of Albert B. Corey (1898--1963), one-time chair of the American section of the AHA-CHA Joint Committee, who first proposed such an award to encourage the study of Canadian-U.S. relations.



# Saddlebag Selection Award

## 2010 Award Winner



In 2005, the Historical Society of the United Methodist Church began awarding the Saddlebag Selection, a designation honoring the best book on United Methodist history, biography, polity, theology or a related subject published during a given calendar year. **The first Saddlebag Selection was awarded to Illinois Wesleyan University English Professor Robert Bray for his work *Peter Cartwright: Legendary Frontier Preacher*.**

# Walt Whitman Award

The Walt Whitman Award brings first-book publication and a one-month residency at the Vermont Studio Center to an American who has never before published a book of poetry. The winning manuscript, chosen by an eminent poet, is published by Louisiana State University Press. The Academy purchases copies of the book for distribution to its members. The award was established in 1975 to encourage the work of emerging poets and to enable the publication of a poet's first book.

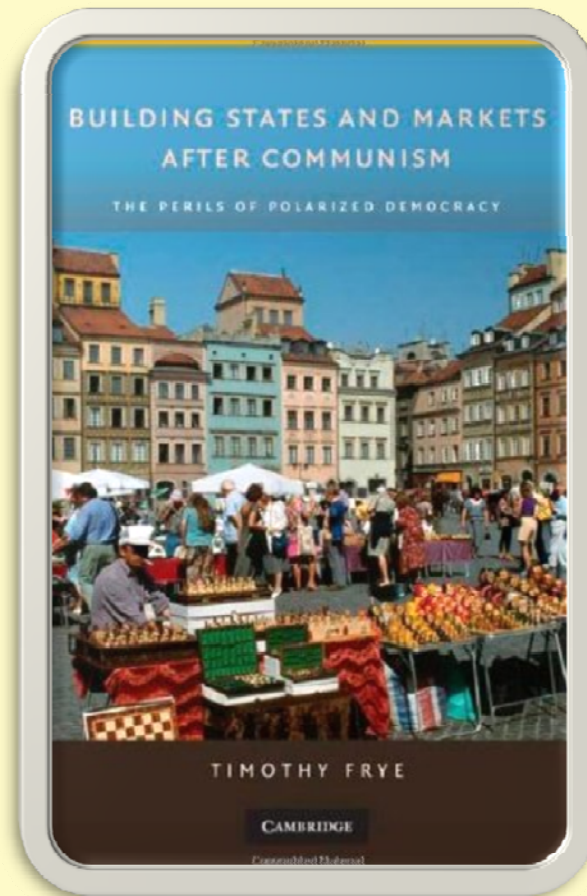
## 2011 Award Winner



# Ed. A Hewett Book Prize

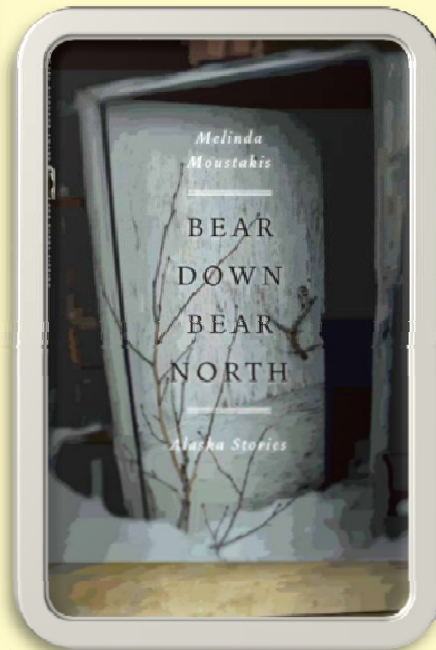
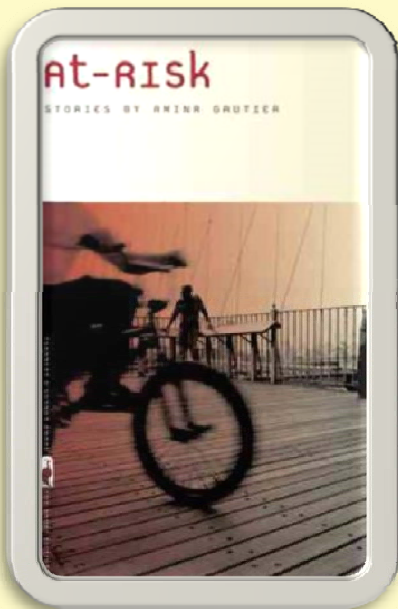
The Ed A. Hewett Book Prize, sponsored by the National Council for Eurasian and East European Research (NCEEER), is awarded annually by the American Association for the Advancement of Slavic Studies (AAASS) for an outstanding publication on the political economy or the centrally planned economies of the former Soviet Union and East Central Europe and their transitional successors.

## 2011 Award Winner



# Flannery O'Connor Award for Short Fiction

## 2011 Award Winners

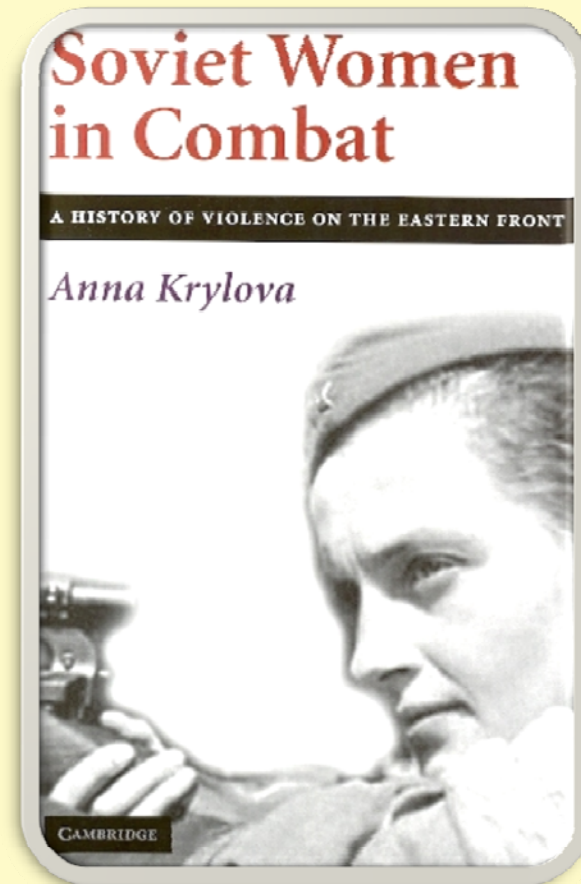


Each year the University of Georgia Press selects two winners of the Flannery O'Connor Award for Short Fiction. Authors of winning manuscripts receive a cash award of \$1,000, and their collections are subsequently published by The Press under a standard book contract. The Press may occasionally select more than two winners. To be eligible a book must be written in English, and have not been published in any mass form previous to the nomination.

# Herbert Baxter Adams Prize

The Adams Prize is awarded annually for a distinguished first book by a young scholar in the field of European history. The prize was established in 1905 in memory of the first secretary of the American Historical Association, Herbert Baxter Adams of Johns Hopkins University, who was also one of the founders of the Association.

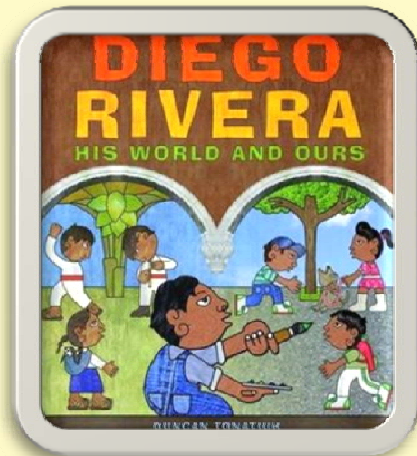
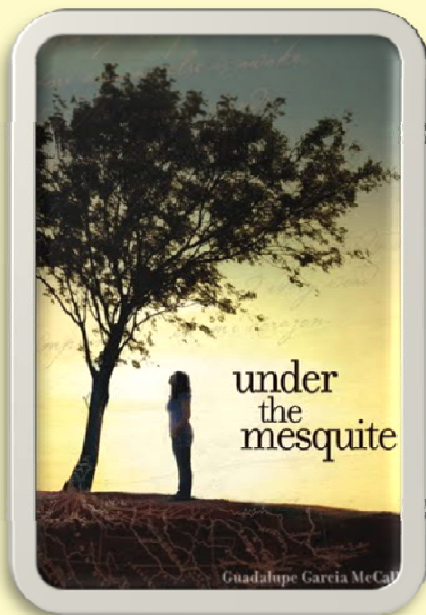
## 2011 Award Winner





# Pura Belpre Award

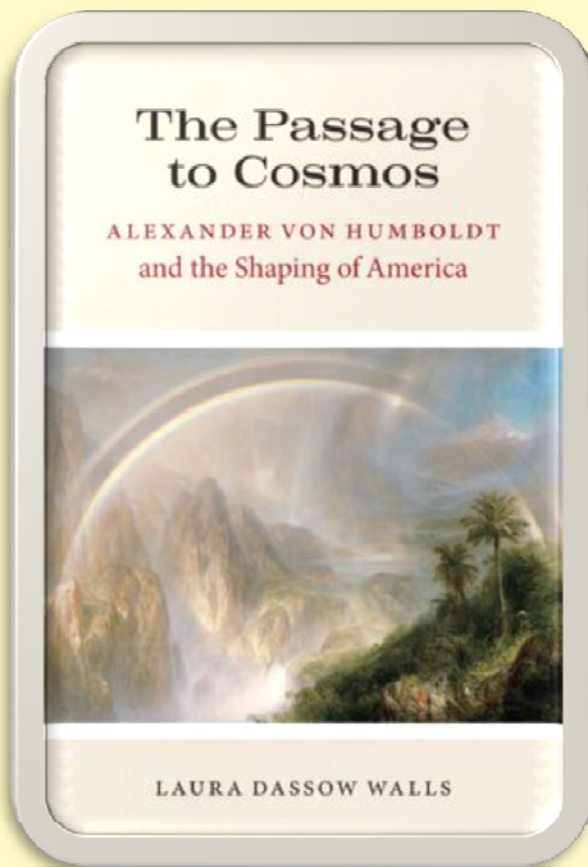
## 2012 Award Winners



Two medals are awarded each year at the annual conference of the American Library Association, one to a Latino author and one to a Latino illustrator, for creating outstanding original children's books that portray, affirm, and celebrate the Latino cultural experience.

# Merle Curti Award

## 2010 Award Winner

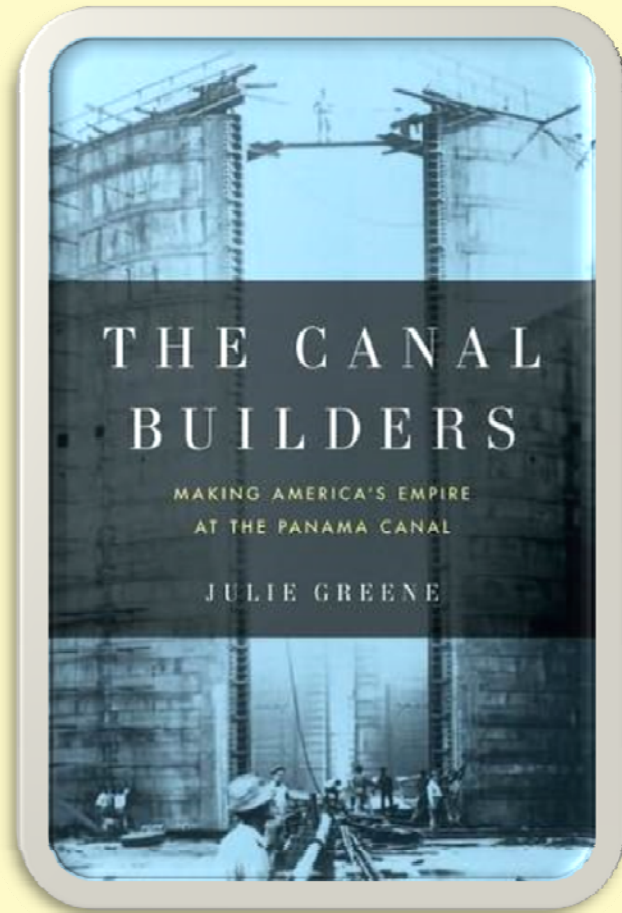


The Merle Curti Award is given annually for the best book in social, intellectual, and/or cultural history. The committee may decide to award two books, one in social and/or cultural history and one in intellectual and/or cultural history.

# James A. Rawley Prize

The James A. Rawley Prize, given for the first time in 1990, is awarded annually for a book dealing with the history of race relations in the United States. The prize is given in honor of Professor James A. Rawley, Carl Adolph Happold Professor of History Emeritus at the University of Nebraska, Lincoln.

## 2010 Award Winner

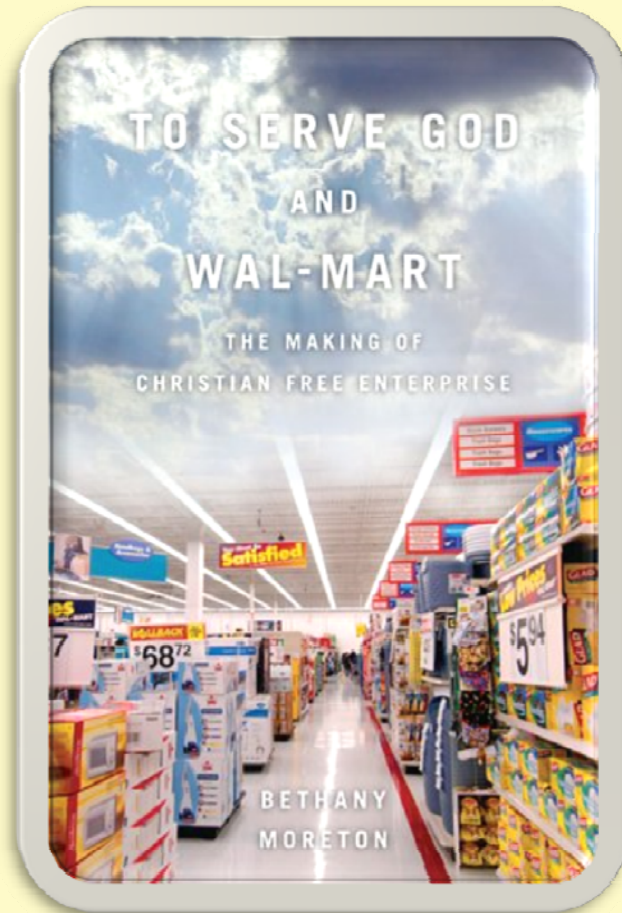




# Frederick Jackson Turner Award

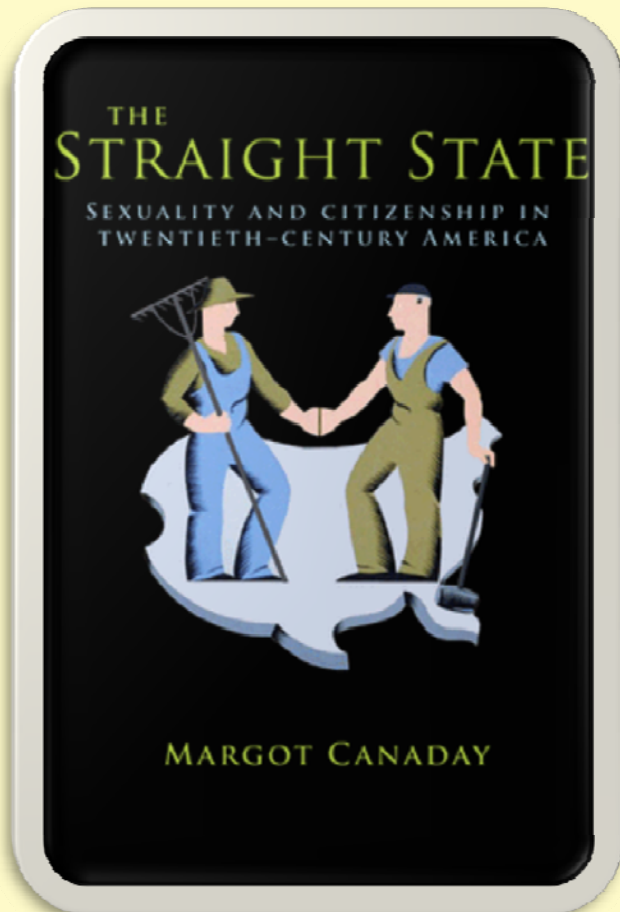
The Frederick Jackson Turner Award, first given in 1959 as the Prize Studies Award of the Mississippi Valley Historical Association, has been given each year by the Organization of American Historians for an author's first book on some significant phase of American history and also to the press that submits and publishes it.

## 2010 Award Winner



# Ellis W. Hawley Prize

## 2010 Award Winner



The Ellis W. Hawley Prize, given for the first time in 1997, is awarded annually for the best book-length historical study of the political economy, politics, or institutions of the United States, in its domestic or international affairs, from the Civil War to the present. The prize is given in honor of Ellis W. Hawley, Emeritus Professor of History, University of Iowa, an outstanding historian of these subjects.

# Stonewall Book Awards

The Stonewall Book Awards are given annually for the best fiction and non-fiction book of the previous year relating to the gay/lesbian/bisexual/transgendered experience. The awards are sponsored by the American Library Association (ALA) Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual, and Transgendered Round Table.

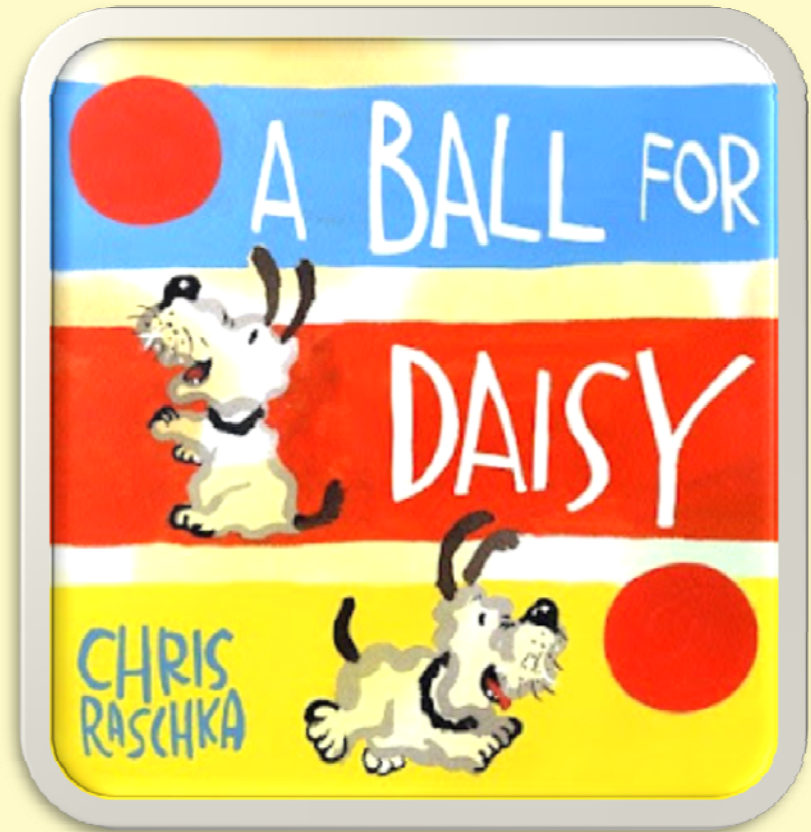
## 2011 Award Winners



# Caldecott Medal

The Caldecott Medal was named in honor of nineteenth-century English illustrator Randolph Caldecott. It is awarded annually by the Association for Library Service to Children, a division of the American Library Association, to the artist of the most distinguished American picture book for children.

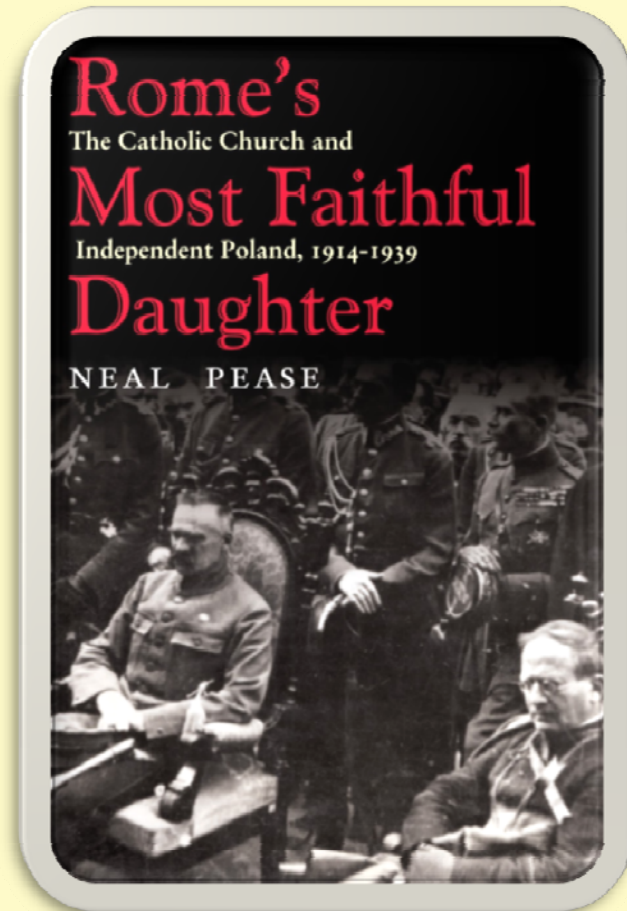
2012 Award Winner



# AAASS/Orbis Book Prize for Polish Studies

The AAASS/Orbis Books Prize for Polish Studies, sponsored by Mr. and Mrs. Kulczycki, owners of the Orbis Books Ltd. of London, England, is awarded annually by the American Association for the Advancement of Slavic Studies (AAASS), for the best book in any discipline, on any aspect of Polish affairs. The Prize began in 1996.

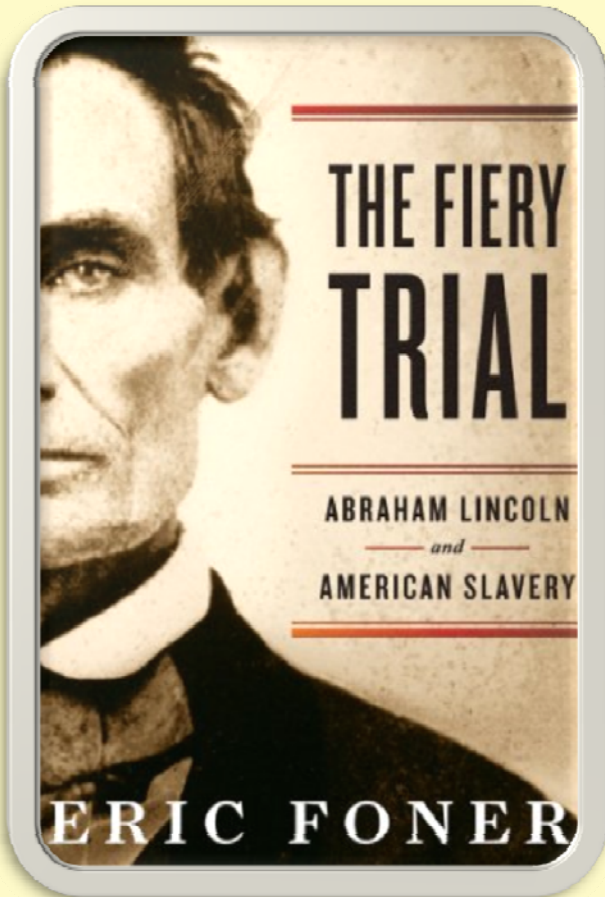
## 2010 Award Winner





# Lincoln Prize

## 2011 Award Winner



The Lincoln Prize at Gettysburg College is awarded annually by the Lincoln and Soldiers Institute for the finest scholarly work in English on Abraham Lincoln, or the American Civil War soldier, or a subject relating to their era. In rare instances the Prize may go to a work or works of fiction, poetry, the theatre, the arts, or a film – provided they are true to history. As many as two prizes may be awarded each year. The Prize is intended chiefly to encourage outstanding new scholarship, but a lifetime contribution to the study of Lincoln, or the American Civil War soldier, may qualify for the award.

# Kulp-Wright Award

## 2011 Award Winner



The Kulp-Wright Book Award is presented annually by the American Risk and Insurance Association, Inc. to the author of the book considered to be the most influential text published on the economics of risk management and insurance. The author of the winning publication is presented with the award at the annual meeting of the Association.

# Brittingham Prize in Poetry

## 2011 Award Winner



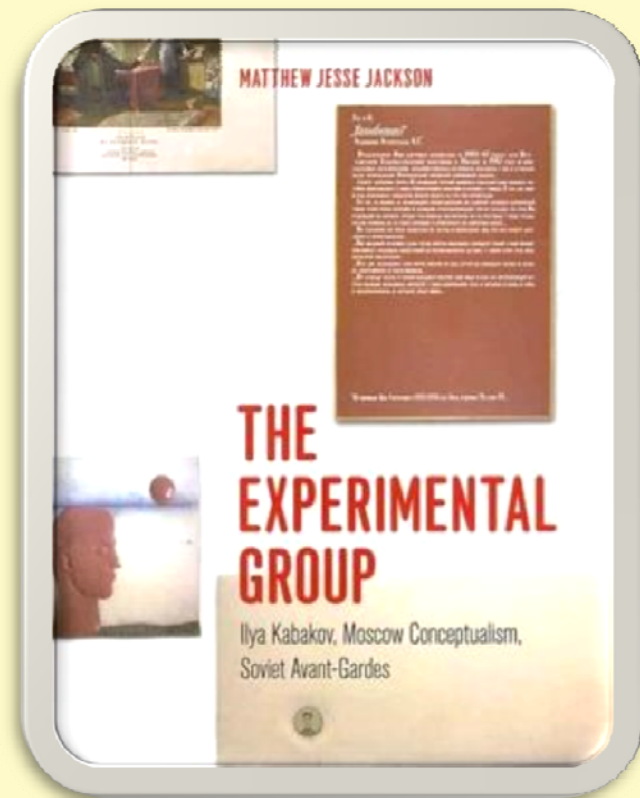
The Brittingham Prize in Poetry is awarded annually to the best book-length manuscript of original poetry submitted in an open competition. The award is administered by the University of Wisconsin–Madison English Department, and the winner is chosen by a nationally recognized poet. The Brittingham Prize, awarded annually since 1985, is made possible by the foundation established in the late 1920s with a grant from Thomas E. Brittingham.



# Wayne S. Vucinich Book Prize

The Wayne S. Vucinich Prize, sponsored by the American Association for the Advancement of Slavic Studies (AAASS) and the Stanford University Center for Russian and East European Studies, is awarded annually by the AAASS for the most important contribution to Russian, Eurasian, and East European studies in any discipline of the humanities or social sciences published English in the United States in the previous calendar year.

## 2011 Award Winner



# Society of Midland Authors Awards

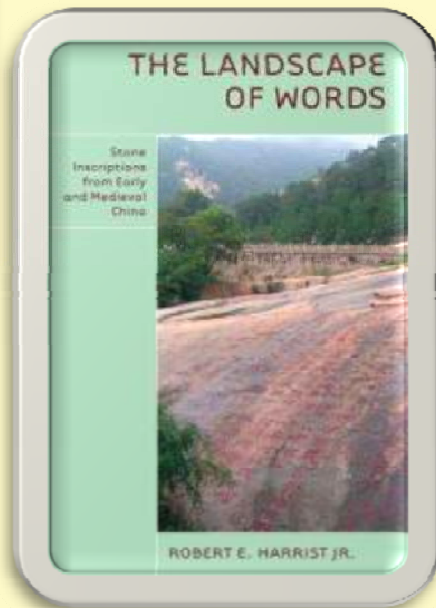
## 2011 Award Winners



Each year since its inception in 1915, the Society has presented awards for excellence to authors and poets. Currently the Society presents awards to winners in the categories of adult fiction and nonfiction, biography, poetry, and children's fiction and nonfiction published in the previous year. The juried competition is open to authors and poets who reside in the twelve-state Midwestern Heartland.

# AAS CIAC Levenson Book Prize

## 2010 Award Winners



The AAS China and Inner Asia Council offer two prizes for nonfiction scholarly books on China, one for works whose main focus is on China before 1900 and the other for works on post-1900 China. The prizes are awarded to the English-language books that make the greatest contribution to increasing understanding of the history, culture, society, politics, or economy of China. In keeping with the broad scholarly interests of Joseph Levenson, special consideration is given to books that, through comparative insights or groundbreaking research, promote the relevance of scholarship on China to the wider world of intellectual discourse.

# Coretta Scott King Award

In 1982, the American Library Association recognized the Coretta Scott King Award as an association award. The award was designed to commemorate the life and work of the late Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., and to honor Mrs. Coretta Scott King for her courage and determination in continuing to work for peace and world brotherhood. It is presented annually to an African American author and an African American illustrator for an outstandingly inspirational and educational contribution published.

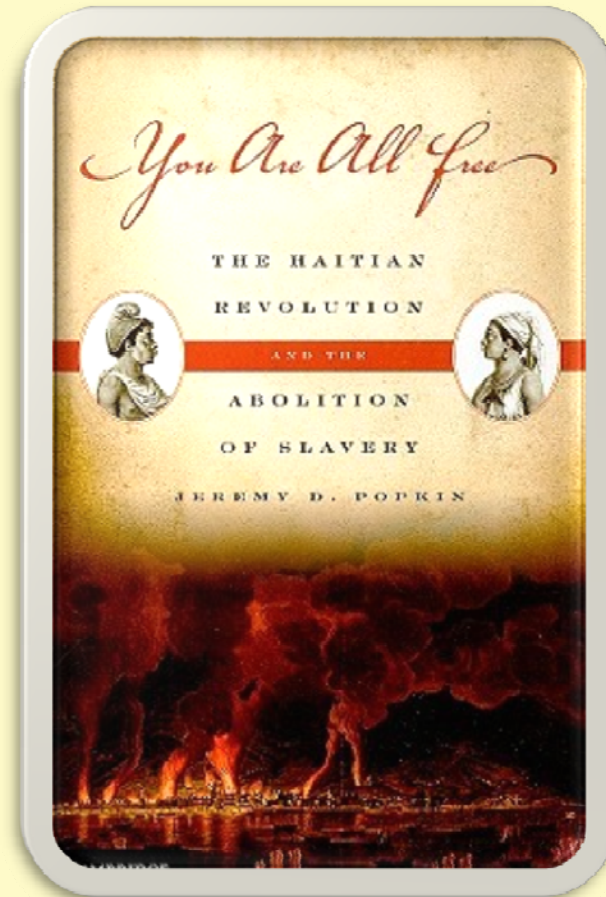
## 2012 Award Winners



# J. Russell Major Prize

The American Historical Association established the J. Russell Major Prize to be awarded annually for the best work in English on any aspect of French history. The prize was established in memory of J. Russell Major, the distinguished scholar of French history who died on December 12, 1998 at the age of 77. Major served on the history faculty at Emory University from 1949 until his retirement in 1990, and wrote 10 books, including *Representative Government in Early Modern France* and *From Renaissance Monarchy to Absolute Monarchy: French Kings, Nobles and Estates*.

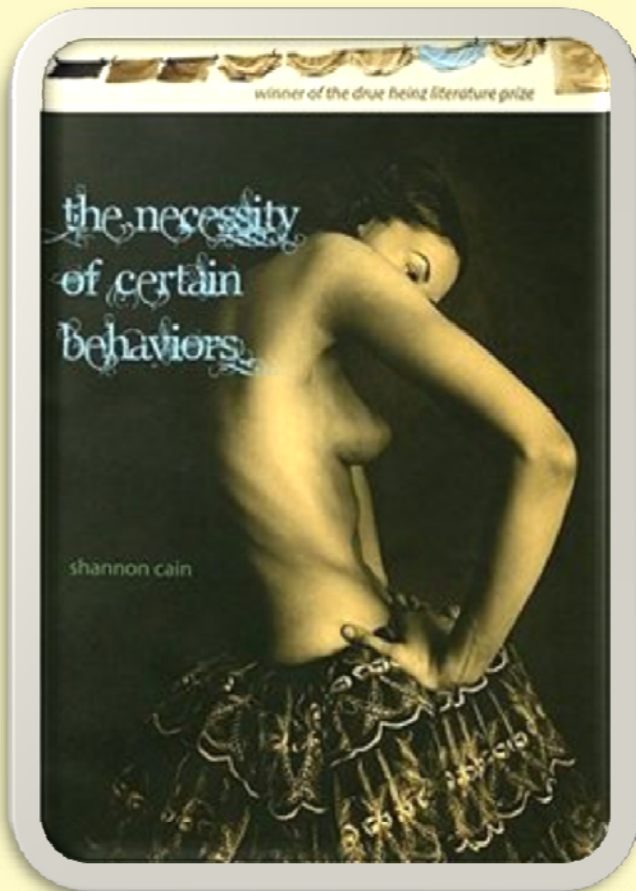
## 2011 Award Winner





# Drue Heinz Literature Prize

## 2011 Award Winner

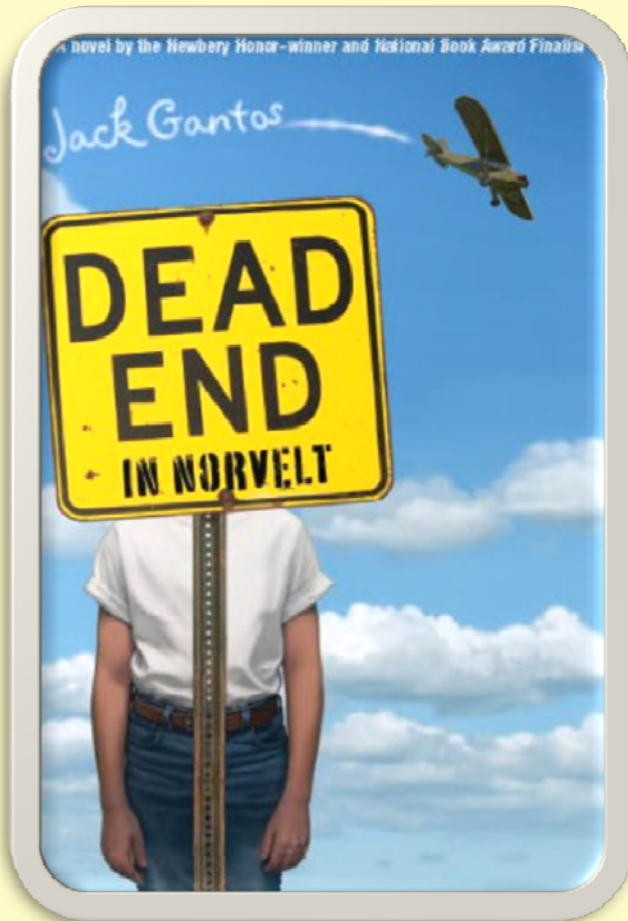


For more than twenty years the Drue Heinz Literature Prize has recognized and supported writers of short fiction and made their work available to readers around the world. The award is open to writers who have published a book-length collection of fiction or at least three short stories or novellas in commercial magazines or literary journals.



# Newberry Medal

## 2012 Award Winner

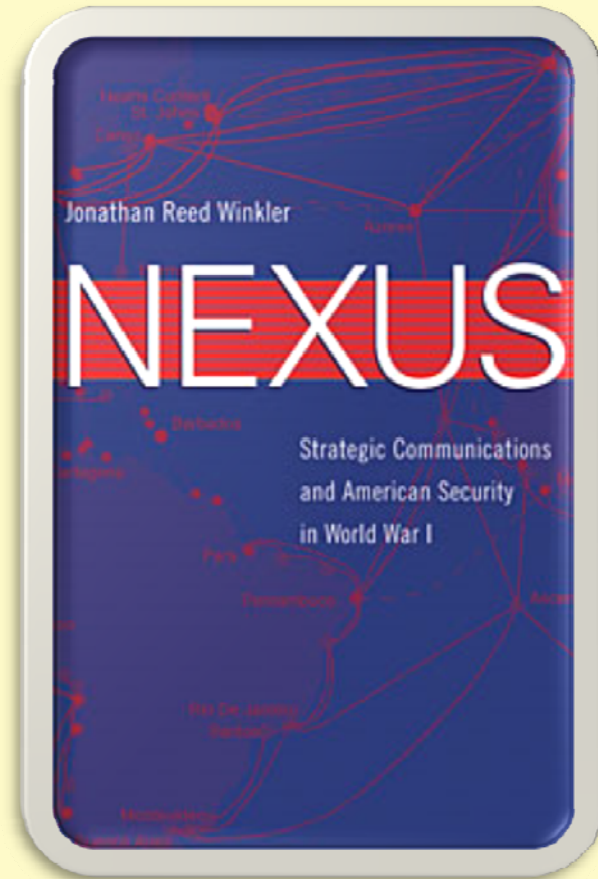


The Newbery Medal is awarded annually by the American Library Association for the most distinguished American children's book published the previous year. In 1921, Frederic G. Melcher proposed the award to the American Library Association meeting of the Children's Librarians' Section and suggested that it be named for the eighteenth-century English bookseller John Newbery. The Newbery Award thus became the first children's book award in the world. Its terms, as well as its long history, continue to make it the best known and most discussed children's book award in this country.

# Paul Birdsall Prize

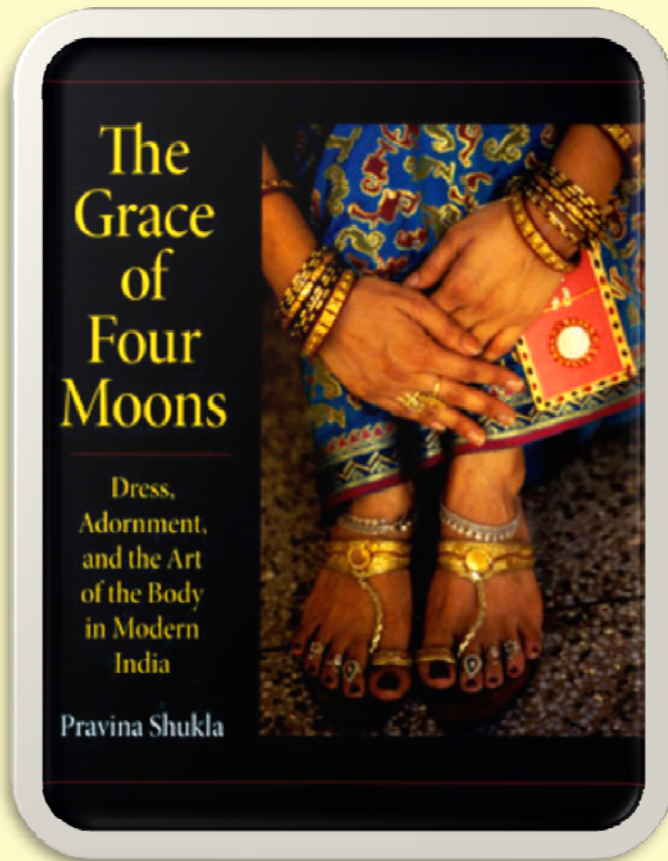
Commencing in 1986 this prize, endowed by Hans Gatzke, Yale University and named in honor of the late Paul Birdsall of Williams College (d. 1970), is offered biennially for a major work in European military and strategic history since 1870. Preference is given to the international aspects of military history (military/diplomatic) but the impact of technological developments, strategic planning, and military events on society--political, economic, social--also qualify.

## 2010 Award Winner



# Ananda Kentish Coomaraswamy Book Prize

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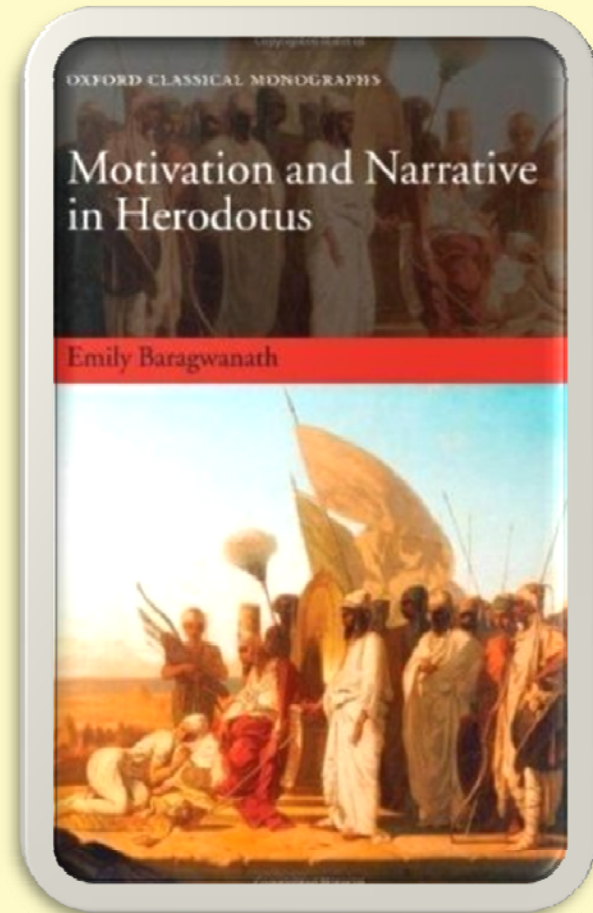


The South Asia Council of the AAS created the Ananda Kentish Coomaraswamy Book Prize in 1992, which honors the author of the best English-language work in South Asian studies. Nominated books must be original, scholarly, nonfiction works and must be the first publication of this text in English anywhere in the world. The book's subject matter must deal with South Asia (India, Pakistan, Nepal, Sri Lanka, and Bangladesh) and may concern any topic in any discipline, or it may cross disciplinary lines. The award is usually presented at the National Conference of AAS the following spring.

# CAMWS Award

The CAMWS Award for Outstanding Publication recognizes a distinguished first book published by a member of CAMWS during the past four years. The award was presented for the first time at their convention in Austin, Texas in April 2002. Both monographs and textbooks are eligible for submission for the prize; the single criterion is excellence as judged by the committee appointed by the President for this purpose. Nominations (including self-nominations) are strongly encouraged. The committee aims to consider all eligible books, and so wants to know about every member of CAMWS who has published his or her first book within the last three years.

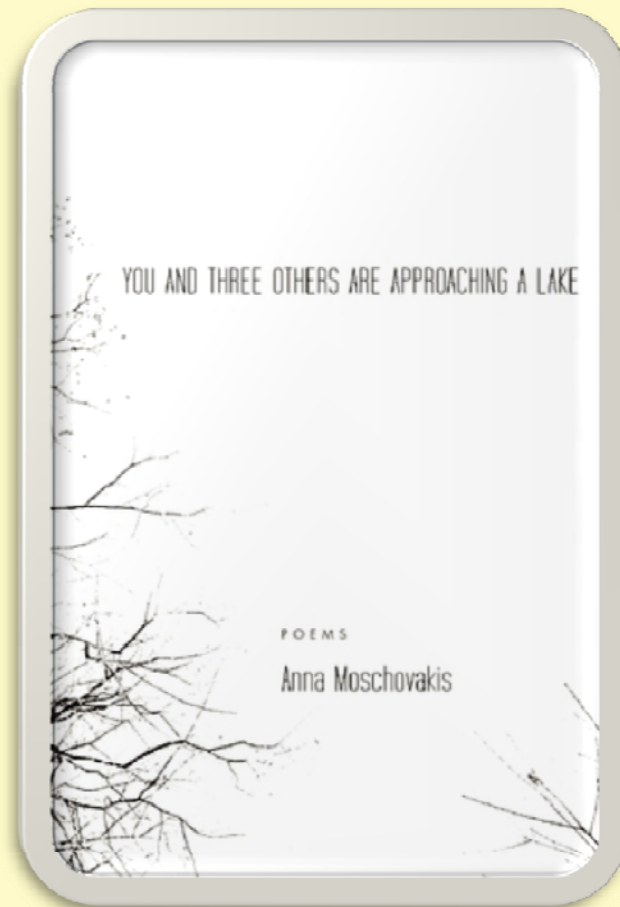
## 2010 Award Winner



# James Laughlin Award

The James Laughlin Award is given to recognize and support a poet's second book. It is the only second-book award for poetry in the United States. Offered since 1954, the award was endowed in 1995 by a gift to the Academy from the Drue Heinz Trust. It is named for the poet and publisher James Laughlin (1914-1997), who founded New Directions in 1936.

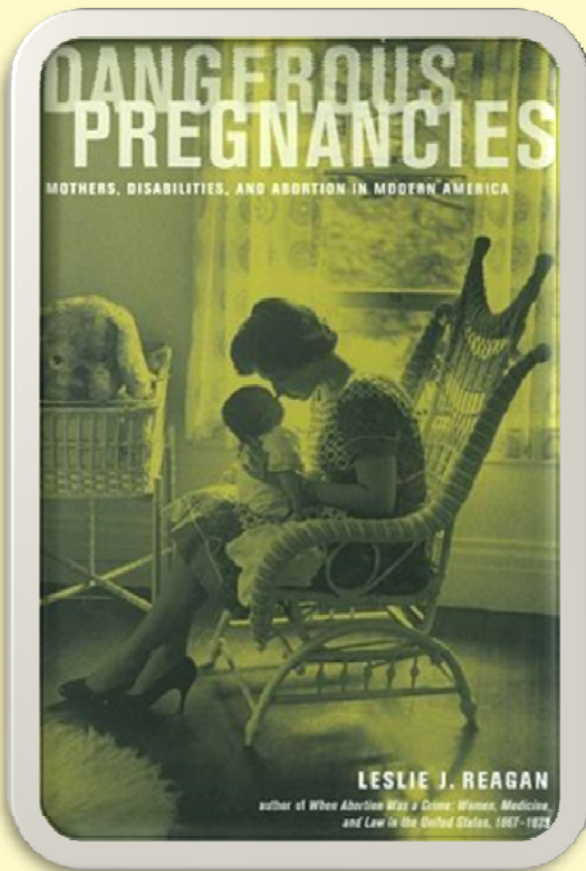
## 2011 Award Winner





# Joan Kelly Memorial Prize in Women's History

## 2011 Award Winner

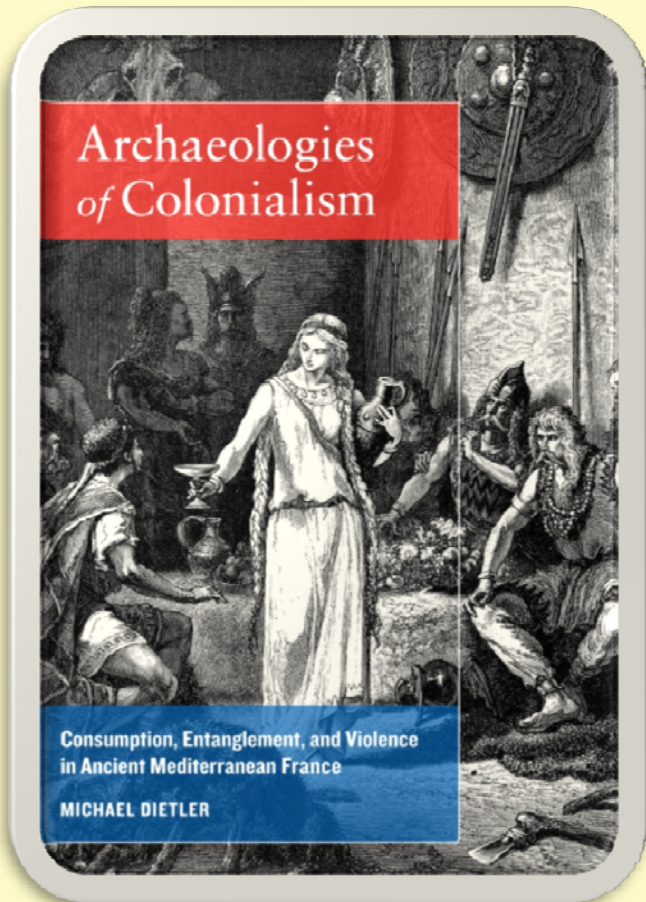


Established in 1984, this prize, named in memory of Joan Kelly (1928-1982), is awarded annually for the book in women's history and/or feminist theory that best reflects the high intellectual and scholarly ideals exemplified by the life and work of Joan Kelly. The prize was established by the Coordinating Committee on Women in the Historical Profession and the Conference Group on Women's History (now the Coordinating Council for Women in History), and is administered by the American Historical Association.



# James R. Wiseman Award

## 2012 Award Winner

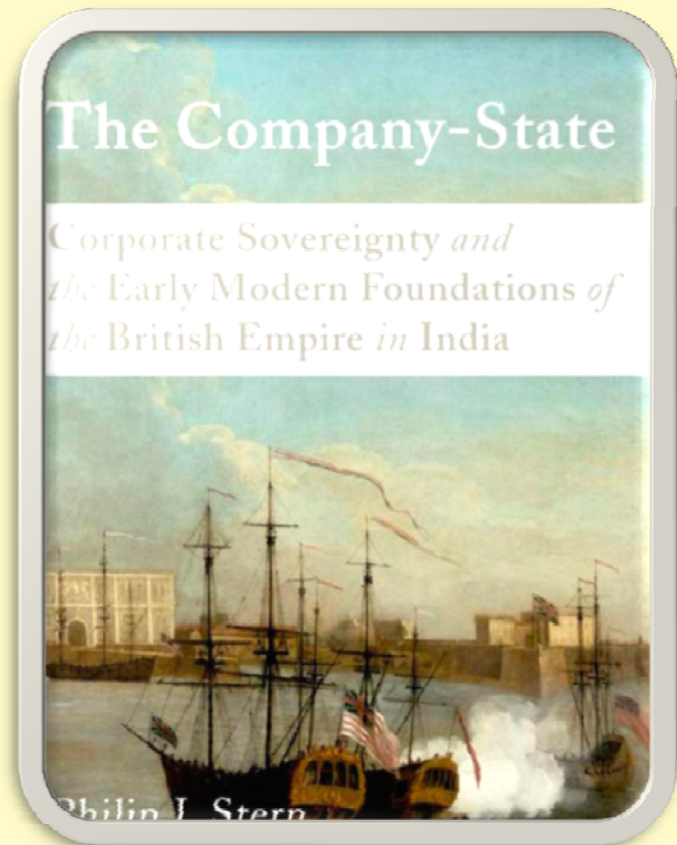


Each year the James R. Wiseman Book Award Committee will recommend, in time for presentation of the award at the Annual Meeting of the Archaeological Institute of America, the work it deems most worthy of recognition in that year. Books and monographs bearing a date of publication within the four calendar years prior to (not including) the year of the Annual Meeting at which the award is made will be eligible for consideration.

# Morris D. Forkosch Prize

The American Historical Association offers the Morris D. Forkosch Prize annually in recognition of the best book in English in the field of British, British Imperial, or British Commonwealth history since 1485. It replaces the Robert Livingston Schuyler Prize covering the same fields. Submission of books relating to the shared common law heritage of the English-speaking world are particularly encouraged in memory of the late Professor Forkosch's contributions to the field of legal studies and legal history.

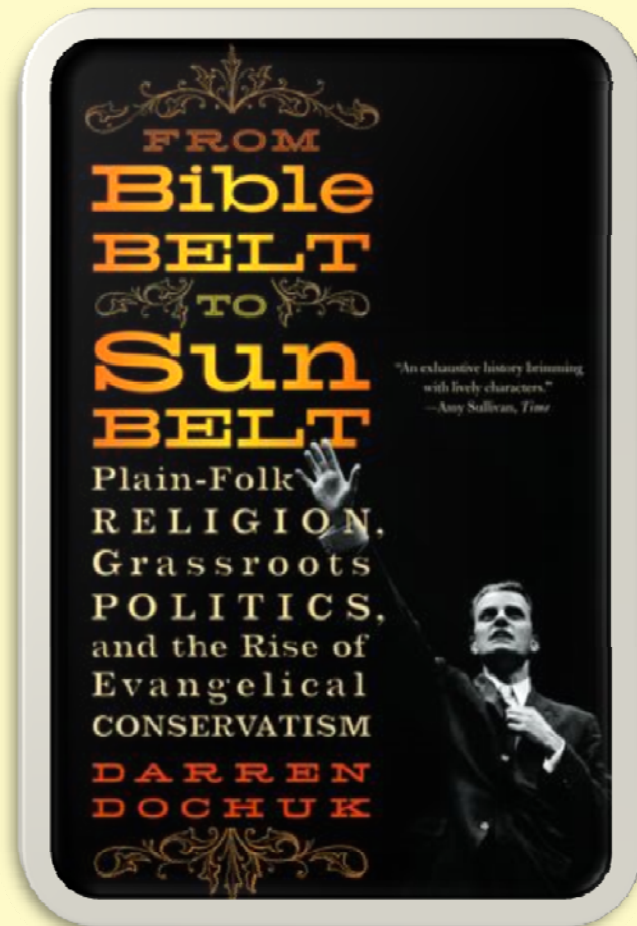
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# John H. Dunning Prize

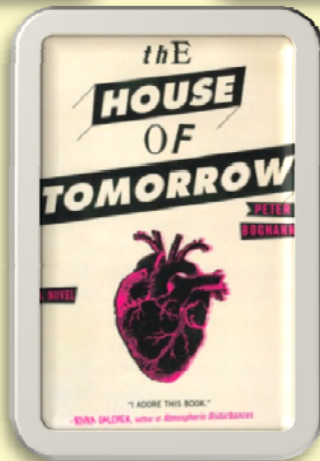
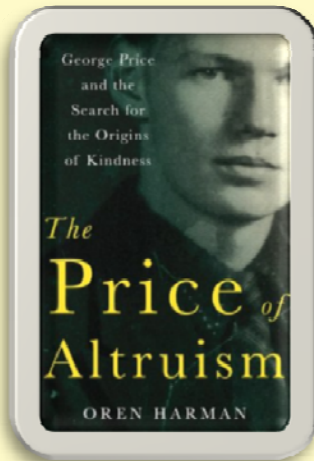
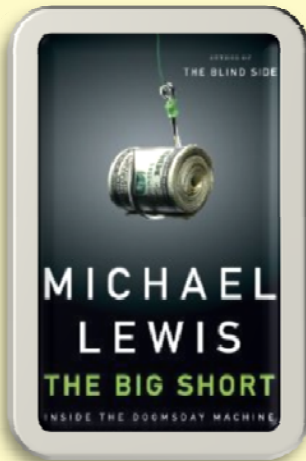
The Dunning Prize was created in 1927 by a bequest from Miss Mathilda M. Dunning, stipulating that a prize in American history be established in the name of her father, John H. Dunning. This biennial prize was first awarded in 1929, and was awarded in even-numbered years from 1938. It became annual in 1986. The prize is offered for the best book on any subject pertaining to the history of the United States.

## 2011 Award Winner



# Los Angeles Times Book Prizes

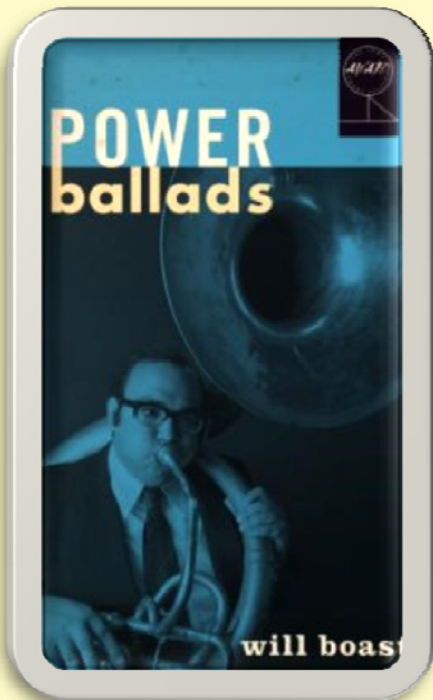
## 2010 Award Winners



The Los Angeles Times has awarded a set of book prizes annually since 1980. The Los Angeles Times Book Prizes now have nine single-title categories. The Minor Myers Jr. Honors Collection currently collects the awards for biography, current interest, fiction, history, science and technology, poetry, Art Seidenbaum first fiction, and young adult.

# John Simmons Short Fiction Award

## 2011 Award Winners

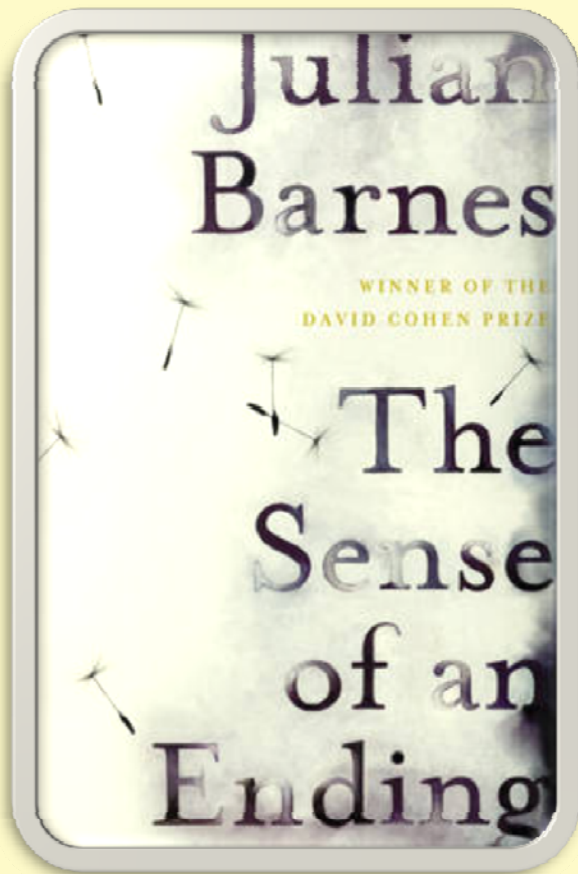


Any writer who has not previously published a volume of prose fiction is eligible to enter the competition. Writers are still eligible if they have published a volume of poetry or any work in a language other than English or if they have self-published any work. Writers are still eligible if they are living abroad or are non-US citizens writing in English.



# Man Booker Prize

## 2011 Award Winner

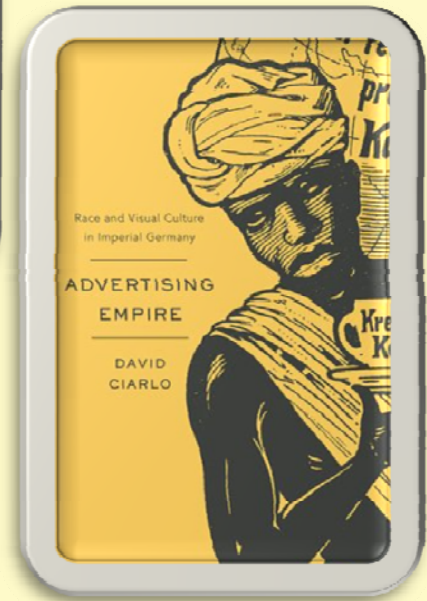
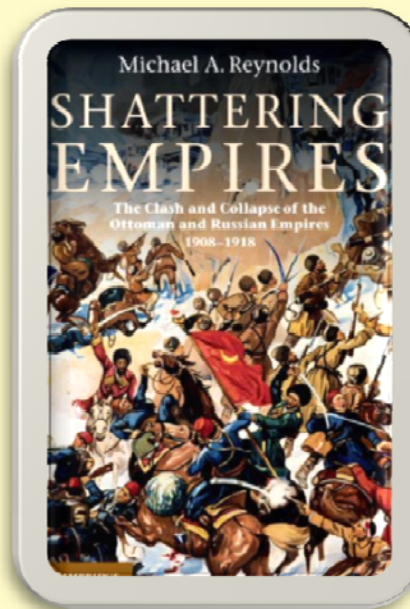


- The Man Booker Prize for Fiction, first awarded in 1969, represents the very best in contemporary fiction. The prize aims to reward the best novel of the year written by a citizen of the Commonwealth or the Republic of Ireland. This award was created to encourage the wider reading of the very best in fiction. At the 40th anniversary it was said “it is testimony to that aim being achieved - whether you judge the prize by numbers of books sold, the number of films it has helped generate or the way it has opened our eyes to a range and quality of writing that might otherwise have been ignored.”

# George Louis Beer Prize

The George Louis Beer Prize is offered in recognition of outstanding historical writing on any phase of European international history since 1895. Awarded annually since its inception in 1923, this prize was established in accordance with the terms of a bequest by George Louis Beer (1872--1920), a historian of the British colonial system before 1765.

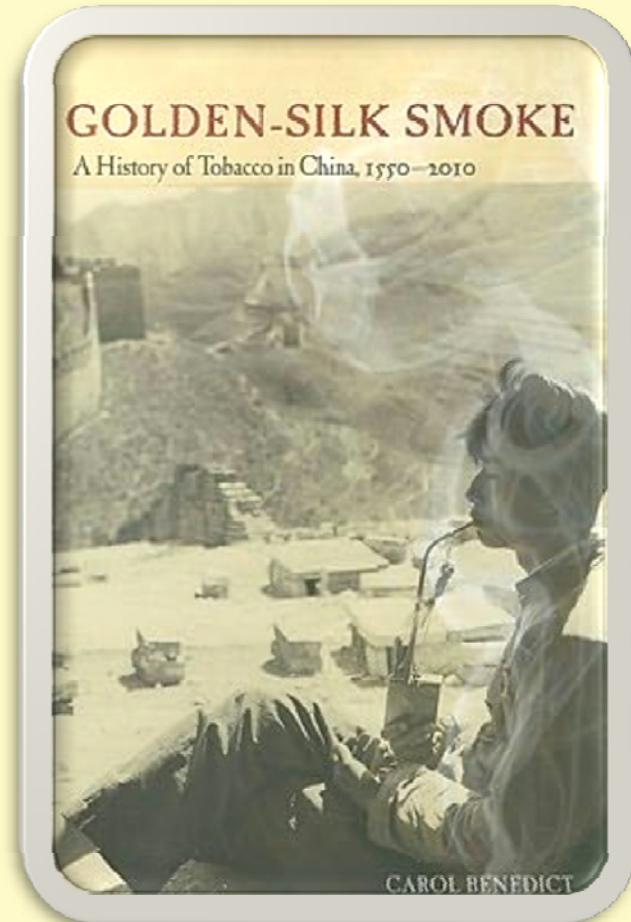
## 2011 Award Winners



# John K. Fairbank Prize in East Asian History

Established by a gift to the Association from the friends of the prominent historian of China and East Asia at Harvard and President of the Association in 1968, the Fairbank Prize is awarded for the best work on the history of China proper, Vietnam, Chinese Central Asia, Mongolia, Manchuria, Korea, or Japan since the year 1800.

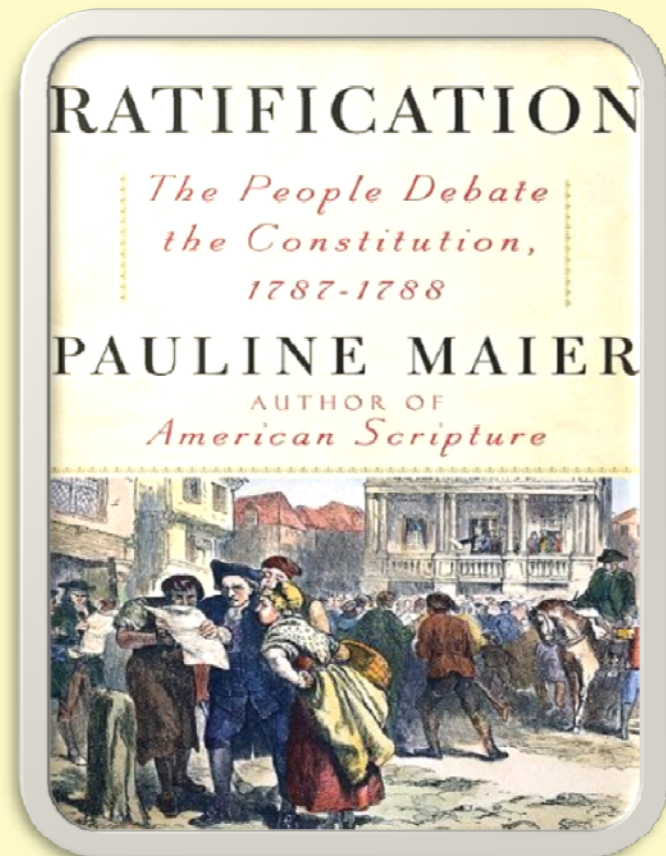
## 2011 Award Winner



# Littleton-Griswold Prize

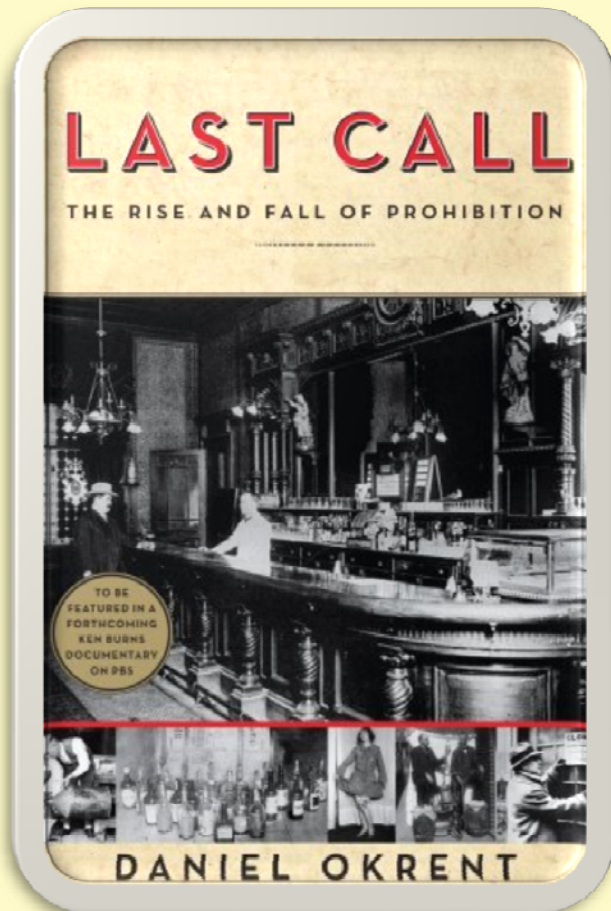
In 1960, the Littleton-Griswold Fund Committee discussed the initiation of a prize to be awarded biennially for the best article on legal history. A year later the Committee created the Littleton-Griswold Prize for studies in the legal history of the American colonies and of the United States prior to 1900. The prize is administered by a joint committee of the American Historical Association and the American Society for Legal History.

## 2011 Award Winner



# Albert J. Beveridge Award

## 2011 Award Winner

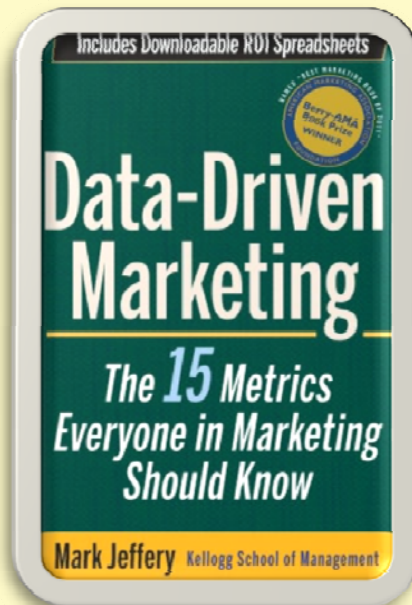
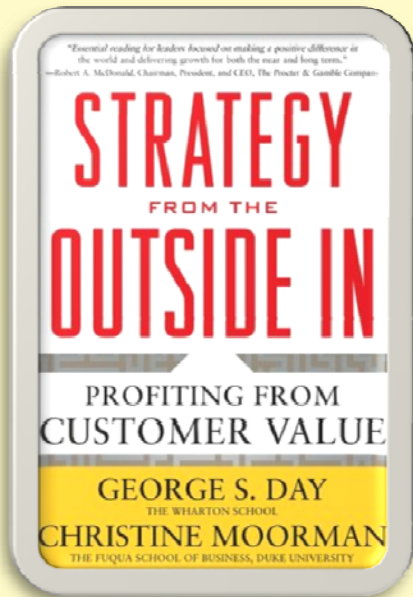


The Beveridge Award is given annually for the best book in English on the history of the United States, Latin America, or Canada from 1492 to the present. The award was established on a biennial basis in 1939 and has been awarded annually since 1945. It honors U.S. Senator Albert J. Beveridge (Indiana, 1899–1911), a longtime member of the Association and an active supporter of history as both a lawyer and a senator.



# Berry-AMA Book Prize

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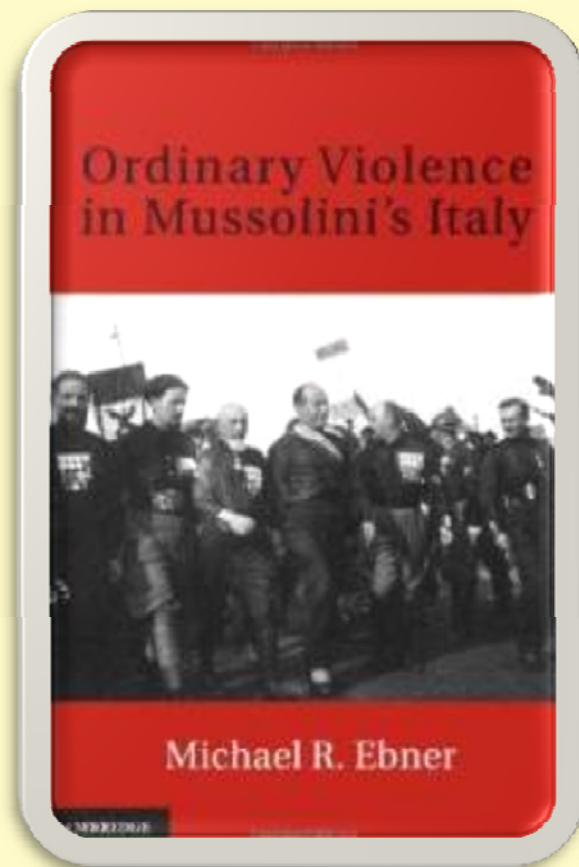


The Berry-AMA Book Prize for the Best Book in Marketing recognizes books whose innovative ideas have had significant impact on marketing and related fields. Created by distinguished author and Professor Leonard L. Berry and his wife Nancy F. Berry through generous contributions to the AMA Foundation, the Prize was awarded for the first time in fall 2002.

# Howard R. Marraro Prize

The American Historical Association's Marraro Prize is one of three annual awards for the best book or article on Italy established by Howard R. Marraro, a historian of Italian culture. Marraro made bequests to the American Historical Association, the American Catholic Historical Association, and the Society for Italian Historical Studies to allow each association to award a prize in Italian history in any epoch, in Italian cultural history, or in Italian American relations.

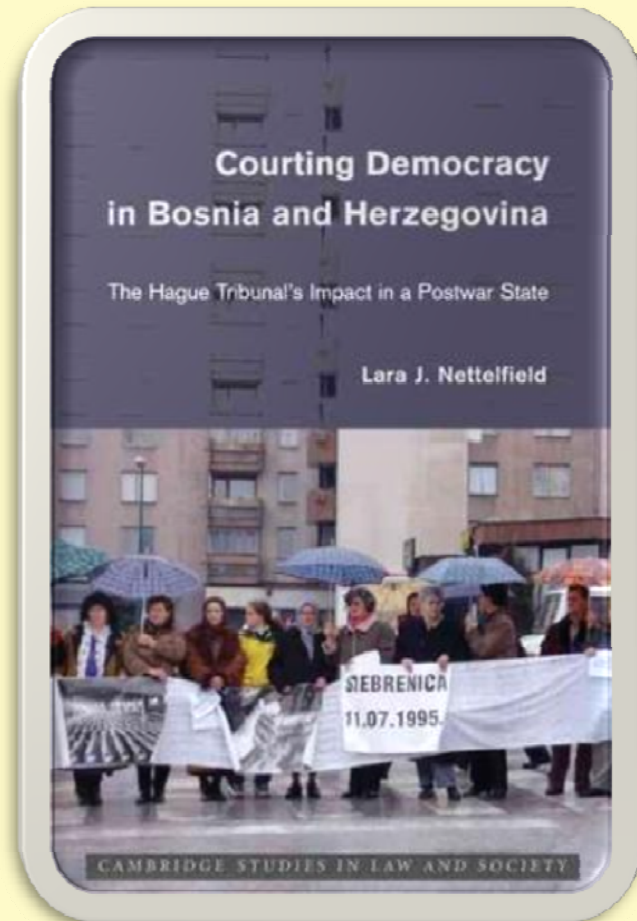
## 2011 Award Winner



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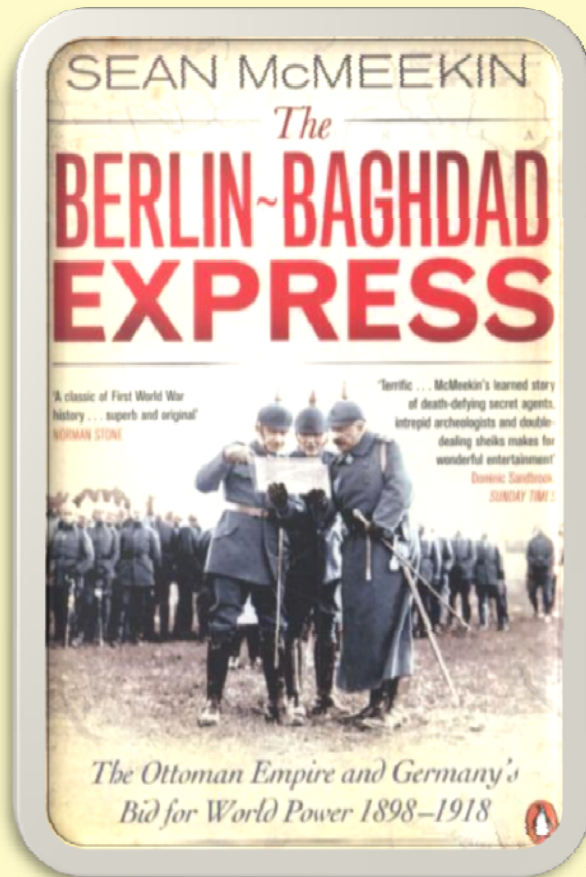
The Marshall Shulman Prize, sponsored by the Harriman Institute of Columbia University, is awarded annually by the American Association for the Advancement of Slavic Studies (AAASS), for an outstanding monograph dealing with the international relations, foreign policy, or foreign-policy decision-making of any of the states of the former Soviet Union or Eastern Europe. The prize is dedicated to the encouragement of high quality studies of the international behavior of the countries of the former Communist Bloc.

## 2011 Award Winner



# Barbara Jelavich Book Prize

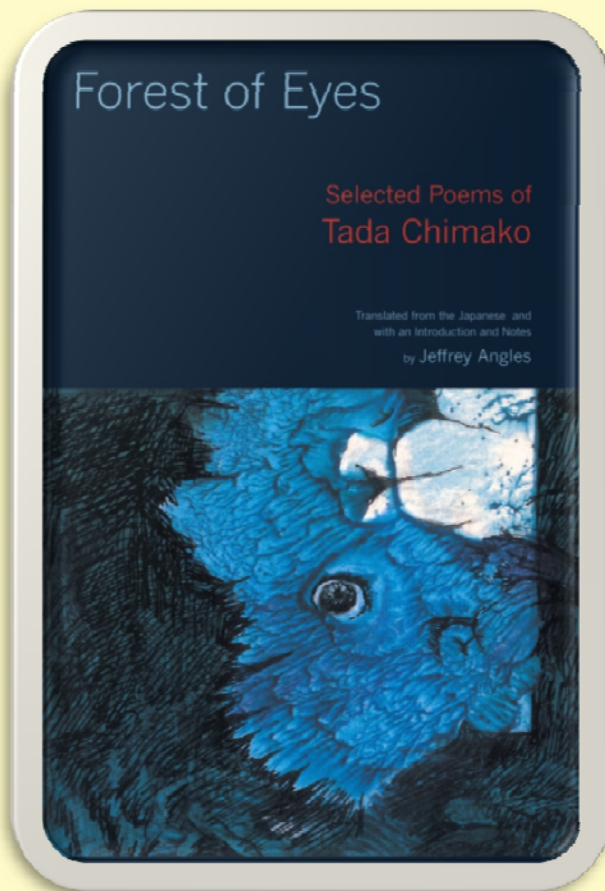
## 2011 Award Winner



The Barbara Jelavich Book Prize, sponsored by Charles Jelavich, is awarded annually by the American Association for the Advancement of Slavic Studies (AAASS) for a distinguished monograph published on any aspect of Southeast European or Habsburg studies since 1600, or nineteenth- and twentieth-century Ottoman or Russian diplomatic history.

# Harold Morton Landon Translation Award

## 2011 Award Winner



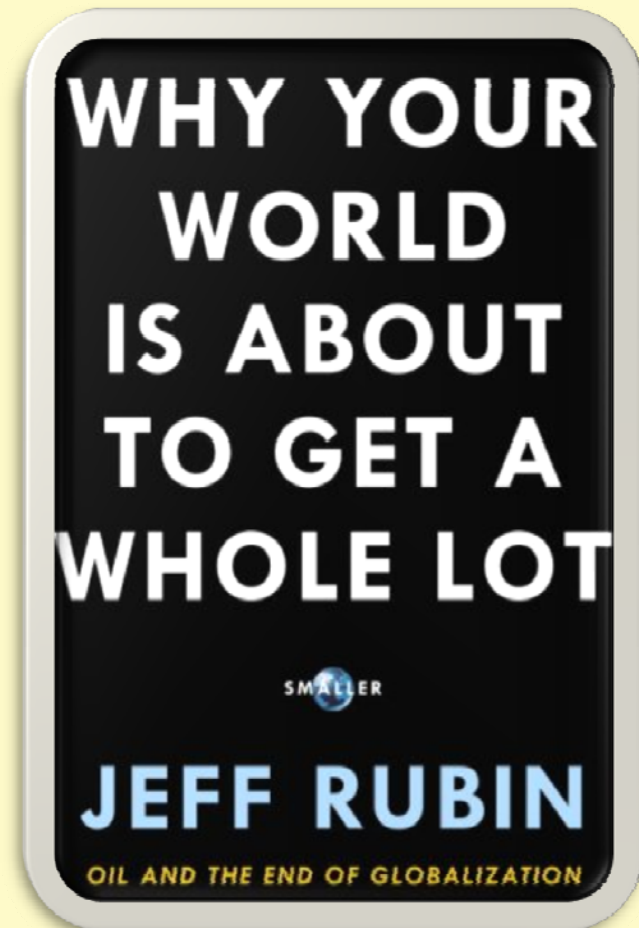
This award recognizes a published translation of poetry from any language into English. Founded in 1976, the award was originally biennial. It has been given annually since 1984. A noted translator chooses the winning book. Books must be submitted by December 31 of the year that they are published.



# National Business Book Award

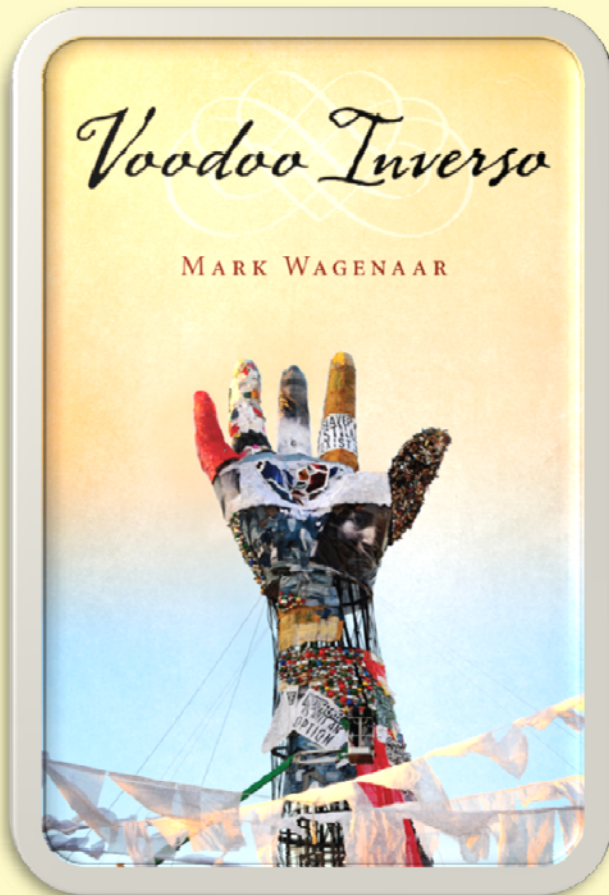
The National Business Book Award, co-sponsored by PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP and BMO Financial Group, is one of Canada's most prestigious literary awards. The prize is presented annually to recognize the author of an outstanding business-related book published in Canada.

2010 Award Winner



# Felix Pollak Prize in Poetry

## 2012 Award Winner

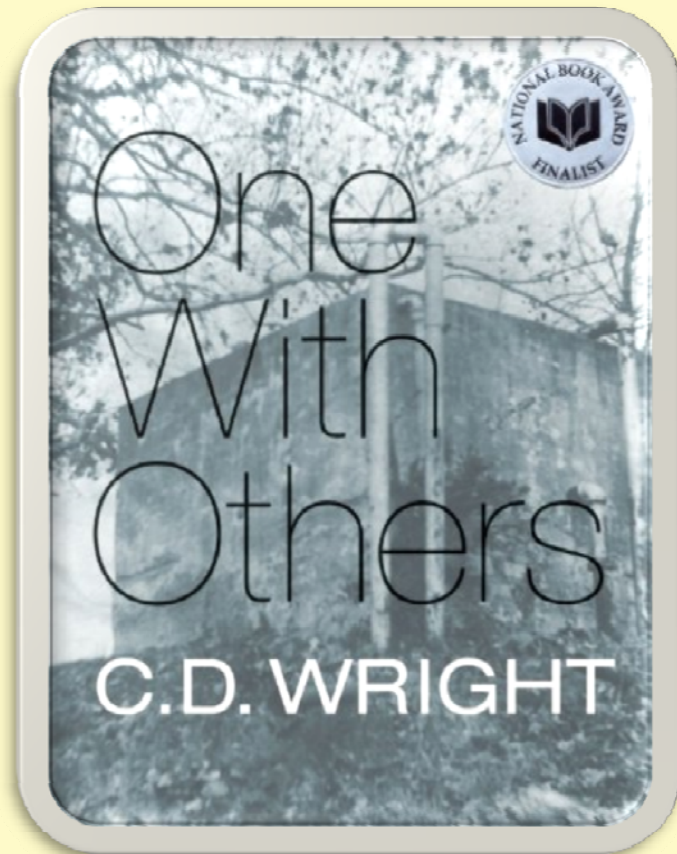


The Felix Pollak Prize in Poetry is awarded annually to the best book-length manuscript of original poetry submitted in an open competition. The award is administered by the University of Wisconsin–Madison English department, and the winner is chosen by a nationally recognized poet. The prize was founded in 1994 and honors Felix Pollak, a popular Wisconsin poet and former curator of the Rare Book Room and Little Magazine Collection at the University of Wisconsin–Madison Memorial Library.

# Lenore Marshall Poetry Prize

The Lenore Marshall Poetry Prize was established in 1975 by the New Hope Foundation in memory of Lenore Marshall, a poet, novelist, essayist, and political activist. Lenore Marshall was the author of three novels, three books of poetry, a collection of short stories, and selections from her notebooks.

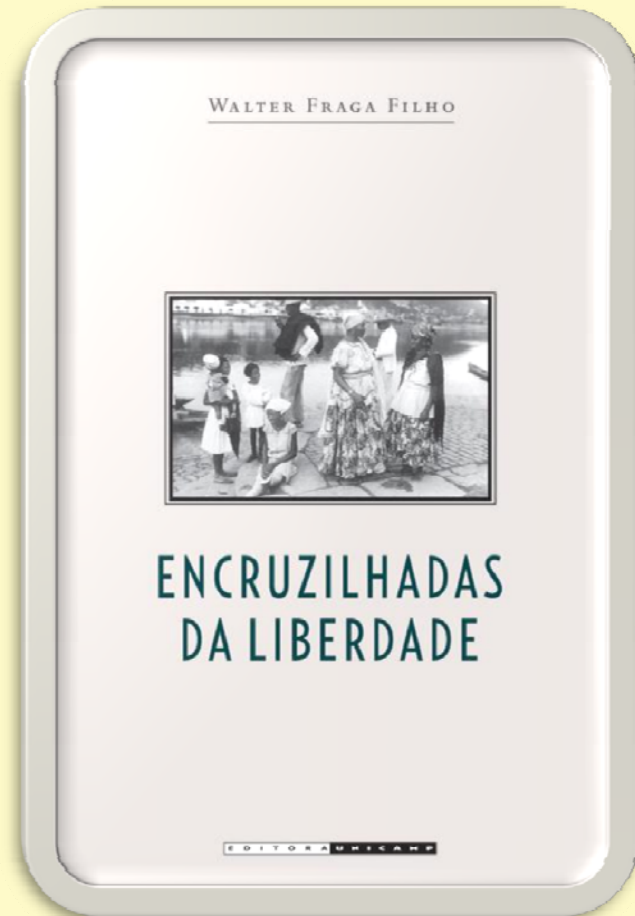
2011 Award Winner



# Clarence H. Haring Prize

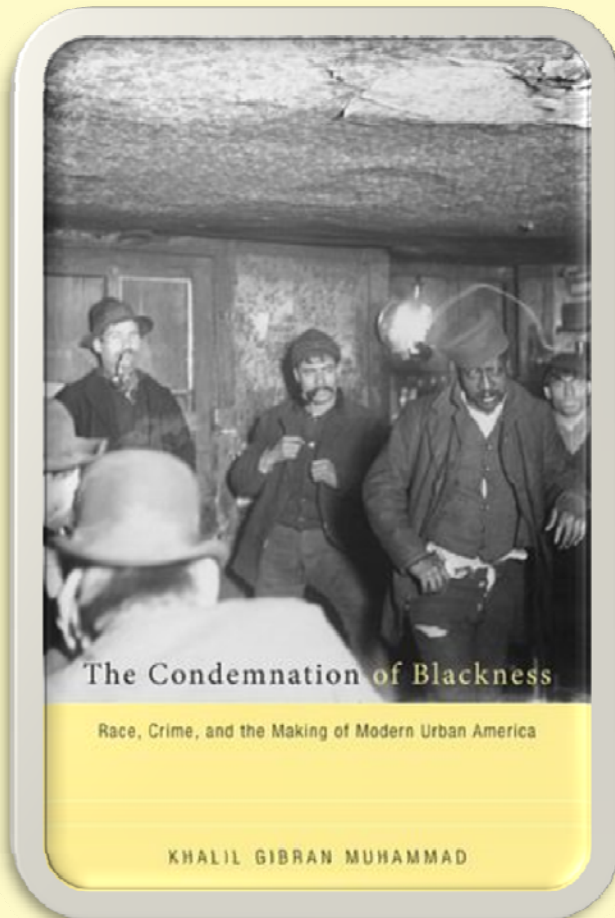
The Haring Prize is a quinquennial prize awarded to the Latin American author who has published the most outstanding book on Latin American history during the five years preceding the year of the award.

2011 Award Winner



# John Hope Franklin Publication Prize

## 2011 Award Winner



The John Hope Franklin Publication Prize is awarded every year for the best-published book in American Studies. The prize winner is announced at the annual meeting of the American Studies Association. Authors and publishers may submit books. To be eligible, books must be written in English, but the competition is not restricted to works printed in the United States. However, the winning author must be a member of the Association.



# National Translation Award

## 2011 Award Winner

**Between Words:**  
**Juan Gelman's**  
*Public Letter*



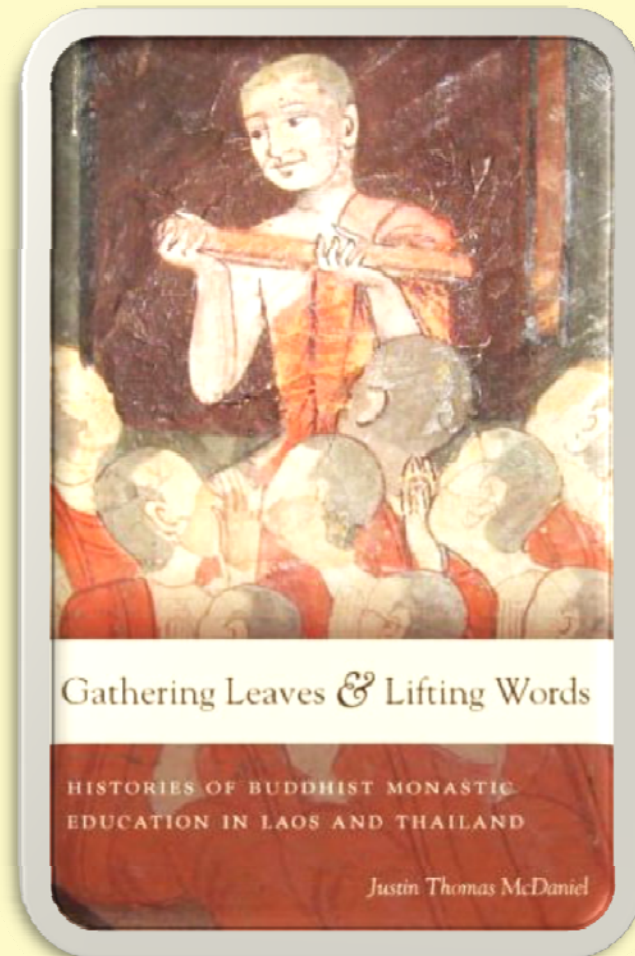
*translation and commentary by*  
**Lisa Rose Bradford**

Each year, the American Literary Translators Association honors the translator whose work, by virtue of both its quality and significance, has made the most valuable contribution to literary translation during the preceding year with the National Translation Award.

# Harry J. Benda Prize in Southeast Asian Studies

The Harry J. Benda Prize of the AAS is given annually to an outstanding new scholar from any discipline or country specialization of Southeast Asian studies. The award, which honors one of the pioneers in the field of Southeast Asian studies, has been presented 21 times since 1977. The winner is announced at the AAS annual meeting during the spring.

## 2011 Award Winner



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