

Book Awards

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Organization	Information	Award	Focus	Qualifications	Website
American Historical Association		Littleton-Griswold Prize	American law and society	Historical work, which can take the form of an exceptional book in the field, distinguished teaching and mentoring in the classroom, and even on film.	www.historians.org/prizes/index.cfm

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Intercollegiate Studies Institute		Henry Paolucci/Walter Bagehot Annual Book Award	Single-authored book that embodies the humane and liberal spirit of the two namesakes	Impeccable scholarship and a respect for the historical continuity of the subject; Preference to humanistic disciplines: American foreign policy, political science, higher education, English literature and comparative literature (nonfiction only), intellectual history, future of humanities, history, philosophy, and history of science; Book should display a cross- or interdisciplinary approach to their subjects and should bring first principles to bear on important academic, political, or cultural concerns	www.isi.org/spotlight/bagehot_paolucci/award.html

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Law and Society		J. Willard Hurst Prize	Best work in sociolegal history; exploring the relationship between law and society or illuminates the use, function, and cultural meaning of law and society	Published in the previous year; topic includes history of interrelationships between law and social, economic, and political change; the history of functions and impact of legal agencies, legislative and admin as well as judicial; social history of the legal profession; and similar topics; Association discourages submissions of purely doctrinal studies in the evolution of appellate case law (textbooks, casebooks, and edited collections not eligible)	www.lawandsociety.org/prizes.htm
		Herbert Jacob Book Prize	Recognizes new, outstanding work in law and society scholarship	Biennial award open to books from all fields of, and approaches to, law and society scholarship; excludes only works of sociolegal history; must have been published in previous year	www.lawandsociety.org/prizes.htm

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Touro College Jacob D. Fuchsberg Law Center		Bruce K. Gould Book Award	Outstanding publication related to the law, the legal profession, or the legal system		www.tourolaw.edu/about/distinguished_visitors/
Scribes: The American Society of Legal Writers	Honors legal writers and encourages a clear, succinct, and forceful style in legal writing	Scribes Book Award	Best work of legal scholarship	Published during previous year	www.scribes.org/awards.html

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Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences		Academy Fellow Award	Crime and/or criminal justice education	Be a distinguished contributor to criminal justice education; Scholarly achievement in the faculty member's discipline. Includes, but is not limited to, books, articles, reviews, technical reports, grants or papers to scholarly associations; Professional contributions to the Academy includes: active participation or leadership in the Academy through workshops, conferences, panels, or offices; Other recognitions to include: awards; fellowships; visiting lecture/professor; and office holder in state, regional, national, or international societies; Minimum of five (5) years teaching courses	http://www.acjs.org/pubs/167_770_3512.cfm

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		Outstanding Book Award	Extraordinary contribution to the study of crime and criminal justice.	Book must be published within three (3) calendar years prior to the meeting at which the award will be given; In general, edited books, textbooks, and serials are not eligible. Exceptions can be made for books that offer a new theoretical framework or otherwise make a significant advance in scholarship; A book may be considered no more than twice for the award; Edited volumes which include previously published works are not eligible for the book award; At least one author must be a member of ACJS at the time the book is nominated.	http://www.acjs.org/pubs/167_770_3512.cfm

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American Sociological Association	Crime, Law, and Deviance Section of the ASA	Ibert J. Reiss Award for Distinguished Scholarly Publication	Distinguished publication in the area of crime, law and deviance		http://www2.asanet.org/sectionld/awards.html
The American Society of Criminology		Ruth Shonle Cavan Young Scholar Award	Recognize outstanding scholarly contributions to the discipline of criminology	Author received the Ph.D., MD, LL.D. or a similar graduate degree no more than five years before the year of the award; Award may be for a single work or a series of contributions, and may include co-authored works (No more than 3 published works, which may include a combination of articles and one book)	http://www.asc41.com/rcaward.html

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		Michael J. Hindelang Award	Given annually for a book, that makes the most outstanding contribution to research in criminology	Book published within three (3) calendar years preceding the year in which the award is made; Must be nominated by individuals who are members of the American Society of Criminology; anthologies and/or edited volumes not eligible	http://www.asc41.com/mjaward.html
		Thorsten Sellin & Sheldon and Eleanor Glueck Award	Given in order to call attention to criminological scholarship that considers problems of crime and justice as they are manifested outside the United States; internationally or comparatively	Preference given for scholarship that analyzes non-U.S. data, is published predominantly outside of U.S. criminological journals, and in granting the award, brings new perspectives or approaches to the attention of the members of the Society	http://www.asc41.com/sgaward.html

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		Edwin H. Sutherland Award	Recognizes outstanding contributions to theory or research in criminology on the etiology of criminal and deviant behavior, the criminal justice system, corrections, law, or justice.	Contribution may be based on a single outstanding book or work, on a series of theoretical or research contributions, or on the accumulated contributions by a senior scholar	http://www.asc41.com/saward.html
		August Vollmer Award	Recognizes a criminologist whose research scholarship has contributed to justice or to the treatment or prevention of criminal or delinquent behavior	Single outstanding work, a series of theoretical or research contributions, or on the accumulated contributions by a senior scholar	http://www.asc41.com/vaward.html

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GLBT

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American Library Association	Stonewall Book Award	Barbara Gittings Literature Award	Exceptional merit relating to the GLBT experience, including novels, short stories, poetry, and drama	English language works published the year prior to the announcement date	www.ala.org/ala/mgrps/rts/glbtrt/stonewall/stonewallbook.cfm
		Israel Fishman Nonfiction Award	Exceptional merit relating to the GLBT experience, including biography, history, criticism, reference works, fine arts, and other traditional nonfiction genres	English language works published the year prior to the announcement date	www.ala.org/ala/mgrps/rts/glbtrt/stonewall/stonewallbook.cfm
Lambda Literary		LGBT Nonfiction	Books and subjects for the general reader	e.g. histories, politics, community organizations, humor, parenting, religion, spirituality, relationships, psychology, travel, etc.	http://www.lambdaliterary.org/awards/awards-categories/
		LGBT Studies	Scholarly work oriented toward academia, libraries, cultural professionals, and the more academic reader		http://www.lambdaliterary.org/awards/awards-categories/

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		Bisexual	Fiction and nonfiction: novels, short story collections, anthologies, poetry, memoirs, cultural studies, public policy, law, history, spirituality, gender studies, etc.		http://www.lambdaliterary.org/awards/awards-categories/
		Trans	Fiction and nonfiction: novels, short story collections, anthologies, poetry, memoirs, cultural studies, public policy, law, history, spirituality, gender studies, etc.		http://www.lambdaliterary.org/awards/awards-categories/

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Foundation for the Scientific Study of Sexuality		Bonnie and Vern L. Bullough Award	Most distinguished book written for the professional sexological community; The purpose of the award is to encourage and recognize outstanding scholarship in the field of sexology	Given annually for books published during the previous year; no limitations as to the type of book considered except that it is an original work and that its primary audience is professionals working in the field of sexology	http://www.fsssonline.org/awards.htm

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Historical

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American Historical Association	Historical work, which can take the form of an exceptional book in the field, distinguished teaching and mentoring in the classroom, and even on film.	Herbert Baxter Adams Prize	European history from ancient through 1815	Entry must be author's first substantial book (textbooks not eligible)	www.historians.org/prizes/index.cfm?PrizeAbbrev=Adams
		James A. Rawley Prize in Atlantic History	Historical writing that explores the integration of Atlantic worlds before the 20th century	Books of high scholarly and literary merit will be considered; research accuracy and originality considered	www.historians.org/prizes/index.cfm?PrizeAbbrev=Atlantic
		George Lewis Beer Prize	European int'l history since 1895	Books of high scholarly historical nature; research accuracy, originality, and literary	www.historians.org/prizes/index.cfm?PrizeAbbrev=Beer
		Albert J. Beveridge Award in American history	Book on the history of the U.S., Latin America, or Canada from 1492 to the present	Books that employ new methodological or conceptual tools or that constitute significant reexaminations of important interpretive problems give preference; literary	www.historians.org/prizes/index.cfm?PrizeAbbrev=Beveridge

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		Paul Birdsall Prize	Major work in European military and strategic history since 1870	Preference to int'l aspects of military history (military/diplomatic) but the impact of technological developments, strategic planning, and military events on society will also qualify (purely technical studies, divorced from historical context not considered); reference to younger	www.historians.org/prizes/index.cfm?PrizeAbbrev=Birdsall
		James Henry Breasted Prize	Any field of history prior to CE 1000	Books of high scholarly nature considered; research accuracy, originality, and literary merit are important factors	www.historians.org/prizes/index.cfm?PrizeAbbrev=Breasted
		Albert B. Corey Prize	Best book dealing with the history of Canadian-American relations or the history of both		www.historians.org/prizes/index.cfm?PrizeAbbrev=Corey

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		Premio Del Rey	Distinguished book in English in the field of early Spanish history	Biennially awarded for works on Hispanic history and culture, including the Islamic and Jewish communities of Medieval Spain as well as early New World topics prior to 1516; only books of high scholarly nature should be submitted; research accuracy, originality and literary merit are important factors	www.historians.org/prizes/index.cfm?PrizeAbbrev=Del%2DRey
		John E. Fagg Prize	Best publication in the history of Spain, Portugal, or Latin	Funding ends in 2011	www.historians.org/prizes/index.cfm?PrizeAbbrev=Fagg
		John K. Fairbank Prize in East Asian History	East Asian history	History of China proper, Vietnam, Chinese Central Asia, Mongolia, Manchuria, Korea or Japan, substantially after 1800; books of high scholarly and literary merit will be	www.historians.org/prizes/index.cfm?PrizeAbbrev=Fairbank

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Historical

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		Herbert Feis Award	Distinguished contributions to public history over the past ten years	Work published for an audience outside academia, although the author could be employed at a university	www.historians.org/prizes/index.cfm?PrizeAbbrev=Feis
		Morris D. Forkosch Prize	British, British Imperial, or British Commonwealth history since 1485	Books relating to the shared common law heritage of the English-speaking world are encouraged	www.historians.org/prizes/index.cfm?PrizeAbbrev=Forkosch
		Leo Gershoy Award	17th and 18th century western European history	Books published of high scholarly and literary merit will be considered	www.historians.org/prizes/index.cfm?PrizeAbbrev=Gershoy

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		Joan Kelly Memorial Prize in Women's History	Women's history and/or feminist theory	Books in any chronological period, any geographical location, or in an area of feminist theory that incorporates an historical perspective; should demonstrate originality of research, creativity of insight, graceful stylistic presentation, analytical skills, and a recognition of the important role of sex and gender in the historical process; should address the inter-relationship between women and the	www.historians.org/prizes/index.cfm?PrizeAbbrev=Kelly
		Martin A. Klein Prize in African History	Distinguished work of scholarship on African history published in English	Book must focus on continental Africa; attention given to methodological innovation, conceptual originality, and literary excellence	www.historians.org/prizes/index.cfm?PrizeAbbrev=Klein
		Littleton-Griswold Prize	American law and society	Books of high scholarly and literary merit considered	www.historians.org/prizes/index.cfm?PrizeAbbrev=Littleton%2DGriswold

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		J. Russell Major Prize	Best work in English on any aspect of French history		www.historians.org/prizes/index.cfm?PrizeAbbrev=Major
		Helen & Howard R. Marraro Prize	Italian history	Book or article which treats Italian history in any epoch, Italian cultural history, or Italian-American	www.historians.org/prizes/index.cfm?PrizeAbbrev=Marraro
		George L. Mosse Prize	Intellectual and cultural history of Europe since Renaissance	Books of high scholarly distinction considered; research accuracy, originality, and literary merit are important	www.historians.org/prizes/index.cfm?PrizeAbbrev=Mosse
		Wesley-Logan Prize	African diaspora history	Book on some aspect of history of the dispersion, settlement and adjustment, and/or return of peoples originally from Africa; books can reference any chronological period and any geographical location; books must be of high scholarly and literary merit	www.historians.org/prizes/index.cfm?PrizeAbbrev=Wesley%2DLogan

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		John H. Dunning Prize	U.S. history	Offered biennially for outstanding monograph in manuscript or print on any subject relating to U.S. history; must be the author's 1st or 2nd book; research accuracy, originality, and literary merit are important	www.historians.org/prizes/index.cfm?PrizeAbbrev=Dunning
		Clarence H. Haring Prize	Latin American who has published the most outstanding book in Latin American history during the preceding	Awarded every five years; no language limitation (i.e. doesn't have to be in English)	www.historians.org/prizes/index.cfm?PrizeAbbrev=Haring
American Society for Legal History		Cromwell Book Prize	American legal history	Includes constitutional and comparative studies and scholarship in the colonial and early national periods; Preference to 1st books by junior scholars	www.legalhistorian.org/awards.shtml#CrDPZ
		John Phillip Reid Book Award	Anglo-American legal history	Best monograph that is not the author's 1st	www.legalhistorian.org/awards.shtml#CrDPZ

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International Law

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American Society of Int'l Law		Certificate of Merit	Int'l law	Preeminent contribution to creative scholarship	www.asil.org/awards.cfm
		Certificate of Merit	Int'l law	High technical craftsmanship and utility to practicing lawyers and scholars	www.asil.org/awards.cfm
		Certificate of Merit	Int'l law	Specialized area of int'l law	www.asil.org/awards.cfm
		Manley O. Hudson Medal	Scholarship and achievement in int'l Law		www.asil.org/awards.cfm
		Goler T. Butcher Medal	Int'l human rights law	Outstanding contributions to the development or effective realization of int'l human rights law	www.asil.org/awards.cfm
		Prominent Woman in Int'l Law Award		Award given at annual luncheon	www.asil.org/awards.cfm
Academic Council on the United Nations System		Friends of ACUNS Annual Book Award	Author(s) or editor(s) of the best book that focuses on some aspect of the United Nations and/or the United Nations System	Book must be published in the last 3 years to be eligible	http://www.acuns.org/aboutus/friendsofa

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Society for Research on Adolescence	Social policy award	Best Authored Book Award	Adolescent research and social policy	Research and theory meet high standards; policy issues are substantive and timely; work clearly articulates the implications of the research for a social policy issue, such that policy problems are clarified and/or solutions are illustrated	www.s-ra.org/biennel_archives/2010_philadelphia/awards.html
	Social policy award	Best Edited Book Award	Adolescent research and social policy	Research and theory meet high standards; policy issues are substantive and timely; work clearly articulates the implications of the research for a social policy issue, such that policy problems are clarified and/or solutions are illustrated	www.s-ra.org/biennel_archives/2010_philadelphia/awards.html

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		John P. Hill Memorial Award	Adolescence	Overall program of work has had a significant impact on the understanding of development and behavior during the second decade of the lifespan	www.s-ra.org/biennel_archives/2010_philadelphia/awards.html
		The Young Investigator's Award	Adolescence	Beginning scholar who already has made a significant contribution to understanding adolescent development and behavior; scholarly contributions distinguished through research, publications, grants, conferences presentations, and visibility in the field; nominees should be no more than six years beyond his or her advanced degree	www.s-ra.org/biennel_archives/2010_philadelphia/awards.html

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Political Science

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American Political Science Association	Leading professional organization for the study of political science	Ralph J. Bunche Award	Best scholarly work in political science	Published in the previous calendar year; explores the phenomenon of ethnic and cultural pluralism	www.apsanet.org/content_4136.cfm
		Gladys M. Kammerer Award	Best political science publication	Published in the previous calendar year; field of U.S. national policy	www.apsanet.org/content_4137.cfm
		Victoria Schuck Award	Best book on women and politics	Published in the previous calendar year	www.apsanet.org/content_4140.cfm
		Woodrow Wilson Foundation Award	Best book on government, politics, or int'l affairs	Published in the U.S. during the previous calendar year	www.apsanet.org/content_4343.cfm
American Political Science Association: <i>Organized Section Book Awards</i>	Conflict Processes	Best Book Award	Best book making outstanding contributions to the study of any and all forms of political conflict	Topic can be either within or between nation-states; must have been published in the two preceding calendar years	www.apsanet.org/content_4938.cfm
	Federalism & Intergovernmental Relations	Martha Derthick Best Book Award	Best book on federalism and intergovernmental relations	Published within last ten years and has made a lasting contribution to the study of federalism and intergovernmental relations	www.apsanet.org/content_4789.cfm

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	Law and Courts	C. Herman Pritchett Award	Best book on law and courts	Written by a political scientist and published in preceding year; case books and edited books not eligible	www.apsanet.org/content_4818.cfm
	Legislative Studies	Richard Fenno Award	Best book in legislative studies	Theoretically and empirically strong work; must have been published in preceding year	www.apsanet.org/content_4927.cfm
	Legislative Studies	Alan Rosenthal Prize	Best book or article in legislative studies	Written by a junior scholar that has potential value to legislative practitioners	www.apsanet.org/content_4927.cfm
	Political Organizations and Parties	Leon Epstein Book Award	Book that makes an outstanding contribution to research and scholarship on political organizations and parties	Publishing within two preceding years	www.apsanet.org/content_4934.cfm
	Public Administration	Herbert A. Simon Book Award	Best book on public administration	Published in the last three to five years and has made a significant contribution to public administration scholarship	www.apsanet.org/content_4936.cfm

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	Representation & Electoral Systems	George H. Hallet Award	Book on representation and electoral systems	Published within last ten years and has made a lasting contribution to the literature on representation and electoral systems	www.apsanet.org/content_4939.cfm
	Presidency Research	Richard E. Neustadt Award	Best book on the U.S. presidency	Published in the preceding year	www.apsanet.org/content_4940.cfm
	Religion & Politics	Best Publication Award	Best publication dealing with religion and politics	Biennial award for work published during the specified time period	www.apsanet.org/content_4964.cfm
	Urban Politics	Best Book Award	Best book on urban politics	Published in the preceding year	www.apsanet.org/content_4984.cfm
	Science, Technology, & Environmental Politics	Lynton Keith Caldwell Award	Best book on environmental politics and policy	Published within the past three years	www.apsanet.org/content_4991.cfm
	Science, Technology, & Environmental Politics	Don K. Price Award	Best book on science, technology, and politics	Published within the past three years	www.apsanet.org/content_4991.cfm
	Foundations of Political Theory	First Book Award	Best 1st book on political theory	1st book by a scholar in the early stages of his or her career	www.apsanet.org/content_5002.cfm

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	Foundations of Political Theory	David Easton Award	Best book on political theory	Broadens the horizons of contemporary political science by engaging issues of philosophical significance in political life through any variety of approaches in the social sciences and humanities	www.apsanet.org/content_5002.cfm
	Comparative Politics	Gregory Luebbert Book Award	Best book in field of comparative politics and society	Published in the preceding year	www.apsanet.org/content_5084.cfm
	European Politics & Society	Best Book Award	Best book on European politics and society	Published in the preceding year	www.apsanet.org/content_5090.cfm
	New Political Science	Michael Harrington Book Award	Outstanding book that demonstrates how scholarship can be used in the struggle for a better world		www.apsanet.org/content_5189.cfm

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	Political Communication	Doris Graber Book Award	Best book published on political communication	Published in the last ten years; Focus on mass media, telecommunications policy, new media technologies, and the process of communicating and understanding	www.apsanet.org/content_5169.cfm
	Politics and History	J. David Greenstone Book Award	Best book in politics and history	Published withing the previous two calendar years	www.apsanet.org/content_5170.cfm
	Political Economy	William H. Riker Book Award	Best book on political economy	Published in the previous year	www.apsanet.org/content_5171.cfm
	Political Psychology	Robert E. Lane Award	Best book in political psychology	Published in the preceding year	www.apsanet.org/content_5191.cfm
	Elections, Public Opinion, & Voting Behavior	Philip Converse Book Award	Outstanding book in the field	Published five or more years ago	www.apsanet.org/content_5265.cfm
	Race, Ethnicity & Politics	Best Book Award	Best book in the field of race, ethnicity and politics	Should focus substantially or entirely on developments in the U.S. context	www.apsanet.org/content_5353.cfm

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	International History & Politics	Robert Jervis & Paul Schroeder Best Book Award	Best book on int'l history and politics	Award may be granted to a single-authored or multi-authored book, or to an edited volume; must be published in preceding calendar year	www.apsanet.org/content_5351.cfm
	Comparative Democratization	Best Book Award	Best book on comparative democratization	Award may be granted to a single-authored or multi-authored book, or to an edited volume; must be published in preceding calendar year	www.apsanet.org/content_5357.cfm
	Human Rights	Best Book Award	Best book on human rights	Award may be granted to a single-authored or multi-authored book, or to an edited volume; must be published in preceding calendar year	www.apsanet.org/content_5367.cfm
	Qualitative Methods & Multi-Method Research	Giovanni Sartori Book Award	New research on methodology per se and substantive work that is an exemplar for the application of qualitative methods	Award may be granted to a single-authored or multi-authored book, or to an edited volume; must be published in preceding calendar year	www.apsanet.org/content_5372.cfm

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Psychology

Organization	Information	Award	Focus	Qualifications	Website
American Psychology-Law Society		AP-LS Book Award	Scholarly book devoted to psychology and the law issues	Textbooks not eligible; book must have been published within the two preceding years	www.ap-Is.org/awards/BookAward.php?t=1

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Race

Organization	Information	Award	Focus	Qualifications	Website
Anisfield Wolf	Recognizes books that make important contributions to our understanding of racism and our appreciation of the rich diversity of human cultures	Anisfield-Wold Book Award	Fiction and nonfiction works referencing racism and diversity	Past winners have presented the extraordinary art and culture of peoples around the world, explored human-rights violations, exposed the effects of racism on children, reflected on growing up biracial, and illuminated the dignity of people as they search for justice	http://anisfield-wolf.org/AboutUs/

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Biographies

Organization	Information	Award	Focus	Qualifications	Website
PEN American Center		Jacqueline Bograd Weld Award for Biography	Distinguished biography	Published in the U.S. during the previous calendar year; authors need not be U.S.	www.pen.org/page.php/prmID/1488

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Literary Arts	Honor outstanding books by Oregon authors and to bring attention to Oregon's literature	Oregon Book Awards presented annually for the finest accomplishment s by Oregon writers who work in genres of poetry, fiction, literary nonfiction, drama and	Poetry, including chapbooks of more than 20 pages in length	Written by an Oregon resident, must have an ISBN (except dramas)	www.literary-arts.org/awards/
			Fiction, including novels and collections of short fiction	Written by an Oregon resident, must have an ISBN (except dramas)	www.literary-arts.org/awards/
			General nonfiction, such as biography, history, sciences, nature writing, landscape writing and criticism	Written by an Oregon resident, must have an ISBN (except dramas)	www.literary-arts.org/awards/
			Creative nonfiction, such as autobiography, memoir and personal	Written by an Oregon resident, must have an ISBN (except dramas)	www.literary-arts.org/awards/
			Children's literature, including poetry, fiction and nonfiction	Written by an Oregon resident, must have an ISBN (except dramas)	www.literary-arts.org/awards/

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			Young adult literature, including poetry, fiction and nonfiction	Written by an Oregon resident, must have an ISBN (except dramas)	www.literary-arts.org/awards/
			Drama, including full-length and one-act plays; radio, television and screenplays; and one-person productions that are published	This award is presented biennially	www.literary-arts.org/awards/
	Recognition of significant contributions to Oregon's literary culture	Charles Erskine Scott Wood Distinguished Writer Award	Recognition of an enduring, substantial literary career	Oregon author and resident	www.literary-arts.org/awards/
		Stewart H. Holbrook Literary Legacy Award	Recognition of significant contributions that have enriched Oregon's literary	Person or organization, residing in Oregon	www.literary-arts.org/awards/
		Walt Morey Young Readers Literary Legacy Award	Recognition of significant contributions that have enriched Oregon's young readers	Person or organization, residing in Oregon	www.literary-arts.org/awards/

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Pacific Rim Voices Project		The Kiriya Prize	Recognize outstanding fiction and nonfiction books about the Pacific Rim and South Asia that encourage greater mutual understanding of an among the peoples and nations of this vast and culturally	Prize currently being restructured	www.kiryamaprizе.org/ index.shtml

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Independent Publishing

Organization	Information	Award	Focus	Qualifications	Website
Independent Publisher	Independent Publisher (IPPY) Book Awards reward those who exhibit the courage, innovation, and creativity to bring about change in the world of publishing	National Book of the year	67 National Categories	All independent, university, small press, and self-publishers who produce books intended for the North American market are eligible to enter; "independent" = independently owned/operated, operated by a foundation or university, or long-time independents that became incorporated but operate autonomously and publish fewer than 50 titles a year	www.independentpublisher.com/ipland/LearnMore.php
	Regional Award	Best Regional Fiction (10 regions)			www.independentpublisher.com/ipland/LearnMore.php
	Regional Award	Best Regional Nonfiction (10 regions)			www.independentpublisher.com/ipland/LearnMore.php
	Outstanding Books of the Year (9 categories)	Most original concept		All IPPY entrants for best books are automatically considered for this	www.independentpublisher.com/ipland/LearnMore.php

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Independent Publishing

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		Most likely to save the planet		All IPPY entrants for best books are automatically considered for this	www.independentpublisher.com/ipland/LearnMore.php
		Freedom fighter of the year		All IPPY entrants for best books are automatically considered for this	www.independentpublisher.com/ipland/LearnMore.php
		Most outstanding design		All IPPY entrants for best books are automatically considered for this	www.independentpublisher.com/ipland/LearnMore.php
		Peacemaker of the year		All IPPY entrants for best books are automatically considered for this	www.independentpublisher.com/ipland/LearnMore.php
		Story teller of the year		All IPPY entrants for best books are automatically considered for this	www.independentpublisher.com/ipland/LearnMore.php
		Best book arts craftsmanship		All IPPY entrants for best books are automatically considered for this	www.independentpublisher.com/ipland/LearnMore.php
		Most inspirational to youth		All IPPY entrants for best books are automatically considered for this	www.independentpublisher.com/ipland/LearnMore.php

Book Awards

Independent Publishing

Organization	Information	Award	Focus	Qualifications	Website
		Most life-changing		All IPPY entrants for best books are automatically considered for this	www.independentpublisher.com/ipland/LearnMore.php
		Most progressive health book		All IPPY entrants for best books are automatically considered for this	www.independentpublisher.com/ipland/LearnMore.php
Next Generation Indie Book Awards		Indie Book Awards	60 categories, including education/academic, GLBT, historical fiction/nonfiction, military, etc.	Independent authors and publishers worldwide; includes small presses, mid-size independent publishers, university presses, e-book publishers, and self-publishing authors; must have been written in English	www.indiebookawards.com/index.php

Book Awards

Minority Authors

Organization	Information	Award	Focus	Qualifications	Website
PEN American Center	Committed to racial and ethnic diversity within the literary and publishing communities	Beyond Margins Award	Works of fiction, literary nonfiction, biography/memoir, and other works of literary character are strongly preferred	Book length writings by authors of color, published in the U.S. during the current calendar year; U.S. residency/citizenship not required; author must not have received	www.pen.org/page.php/prmID/280

Article Awards

Organization	Information	Award	Focus	Qualifications	Website
Society for Research on Adolescence	Social policy award	Best Journal Article Award	Adolescent research and social policy	Research and theory meet high standards; policy issues are substantive and timely; work clearly articulates the implications of the research for a social policy issue, such that policy problems are clarified and/or solutions are illustrated	www.s-ra.org/biennel_archives/2010_philadelphia/awards.html
American Society of Int'l Law		Francis Lieber Prize	Outstanding scholarship in the field of the law of armed conflict	Author must be 35 years or younger	www.asil.org/awards.cfm
		Lieber Society Military Prize	Exceptional writing	Author must be a member of the regular or reserve armed forces of any nation that significantly enhances the understanding and implementation of the law of war	www.asil.org/awards.cfm

Article Awards

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		The Francis Deák Prize	Meritorious scholarship published in <i>The American Journal of Int'l Law</i>	Awarded to a younger author	www.asil.org/awards.cfm
		Private Int'l Law Prize	Best essay on any topic in the field of private int'l law	Author must be 35 years or younger	www.asil.org/awards.cfm
American Society for Legal History		Surrency Prize	Best article published in the Society's journal, the <i>Law and History Review</i>	Article must have been published in the preceding year	www.legalhistorian.org/awards.shtml#CrDPZ
		Sutherland Prize	Best article on English legal history	Article must have been published in the preceding year	www.legalhistorian.org/awards.shtml#CrDPZ
		Cromwell Article Prize	American legal history	Preference for articles in the area of early America or colonial period; preference given to 1st articles by scholars not yet tenured	www.legalhistorian.org/awards.shtml#CrDPZ
Scribes: The American Society of Legal Writers	Honors legal writers and encourages a clear, succinct, and forceful style in legal writing	Scribes Brief Writing Award			www.scribes.org/awards.html

Article Awards

Organization	Information	Award	Focus	Qualifications	Website
Law and Society		Harry J. Kalven Jr. Prize	Empirical scholarship that has contributed most effectively to the advancement of research in law and society	Awarded biennially	www.lawandsociety.org/prizes.htm
		Law and Society Association Article Prize	Recognizes exceptional scholarship in the field of sociolegal studies	Article published in the previous two years; articles may be published in any scholarly journal, including socio-legal journals, journal in other disciplines, and law reviews	www.lawandsociety.org/prizes.htm
		Law and Society Association Int'l Prize	Recognition of scholarship that has contributed significantly to the advancement of knowledge in the field of law and society	Awarded biennially to a scholar, normally a resident outside of the U.S.	www.lawandsociety.org/prizes.htm
American Library Association		Margaret T. Lane/Virginia F. Saunders Memorial Research Award	Outstanding research article	Gov't information, either published or archival in nature, form a substantial part of the documented research	http://www.ala.org/ala/awardsgrants/index.cfm

Article Awards

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Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences		Donal MacNamara Award	Recognize outstanding scholarship published in one of the publication venues of the Academy (Justice Quarterly, Journal of Criminal Justice Education, and ACJS Today)	Articles must constitute a scholarly approach to the topic; Present a thoughtful analysis; Present insights or a novel treatment of the topic; Constitute a meaningful addition to the literature	http://www.acjs.org/pubs/167_770_3512.cfm
American Sociological Association	Crime, Law, and Deviance Section of the ASA	James F. Short Award for Distinguished Article	Distinguished article in the area of crime, law and deviance	Typically given every two years for an article published in the preceding two years	http://www2.asanet.org/sectionld/awards.html

Article Awards

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The American Society of Criminology		Ruth Shonle Cavan Young Scholar Award	Recognize outstanding scholarly contributions to the discipline of criminology	Author received the Ph.D., MD, LL.D. or a similar graduate degree no more than five years before the year of the award; Award may be for a single work or a series of contributions, and may include co-authored works (No more than 3 published works, which may include a combination of articles and one book)	http://www.asc41.com/rcaward.html

Article Awards

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		Outstanding Article Award	Exceptional contributions to research in criminology made by scholars in article form	Given annually for the peer-reviewed article; The committee automatically considers all articles published in Criminology and in Criminology and Public Policy. Accordingly, they are soliciting nominations for this award for articles appearing in other journals	http://www.asc41.com/articlea.html

Article Awards

Organization	Information	Award	Focus	Qualifications	Website
		Thorsten Sellin & Sheldon and Eleanor Glueck Award	Given in order to call attention to criminological scholarship that considers problems of crime and justice as they are manifested outside the United States; internationally or comparatively	Preference given for scholarship that analyzes non-U.S. data, is published predominantly outside of U.S. criminological journals, and in granting the award, brings new perspectives or approaches to the attention of the members of the Society	http://www.asc41.com/sgaward.html
		Edwin H. Sutherland Award	Recognizes outstanding contributions to theory or research in criminology on the etiology of criminal and deviant behavior, the criminal justice system, corrections, law, or justice.	Contribution may be based on a single outstanding book or work, on a series of theoretical or research contributions, or on the accumulated contributions by a senior scholar	http://www.asc41.com/saward.html

Article Awards

Organization	Information	Award	Focus	Qualifications	Website
		August Vollmer Award	Recognizes a criminologist whose research scholarship has contributed to justice or to the treatment or prevention of criminal or delinquent behavior	Single outstanding work, a series of theoretical or research contributions, or on the accumulated contributions by a senior scholar	http://www.asc41.com/vaward.html

Awards for Reference Tools

Organization	Information	Award	Focus	Qualifications	Website
American Historical Association	Historical work, which can take the form of an exceptional book in the field, distinguished teaching and mentoring in the classroom, and even on film.	Waldo G. Leland Prize	Offered every five years for the most outstanding reference tool in the field of history	Includes bibliographies, indexes, encyclopedias, and other scholarly apparatus; award is honorific	www.historians.org/prizes/index.cfm?PrizeAbbrev=Leland
American Library Association		Dartmouth Medal	Honors the creation of a reference work of outstanding quality and significance, including, but not limited to: writing, compiling, editing, or publishing books or electronic info	Works that have been published or made available for the first time during the calendar year preceding the presentation of the award	http://www.ala.org/ala/awardsgrants/index.cfm

Awards for Reference Tools

Organization	Information	Award	Focus	Qualifications	Website
		ABC-CLIO Online History Award	Recognition of a freely available online historical collection, or an online tool tailored for the purpose of finding historical materials, or an online teaching aid stimulating creative historical scholarship	Award given biennially to a person or group of people; nominee must be employed by a library or educational institution during the year prior to nomination; institutions do not qualify; projects shall have been completed or well established in the two years prior to nomination and serve as a model for broader emulation	http://www.ala.org/ala/awardsgrants/index.cfm

Fellowship/Scholarship Awards

Organization	Information	Award	Focus	Qualifications	Website
Society for Research on Adolescence		Roberta Grodberg Simmons Prize Lectrue	Adolescent development	Sponsors a distinguished speaker who represents the name sake's commitment to interdisciplinary and theoretically sound empirical work	www.s-ra.org/biennel_archives/2010_philadelphia/awards.html
American Society for Legal History		J. Willard Hurst Summer Institute in Legal History	American legal history	Biennial award; looks for a focus on understanding law in context, not necessarily how law is developed by formal legal institutions but rather how positive law manifests itself as the "law in action"; consideration given to young scholars	www.legalhistorian.org/awards.shtml#CrDPZ
		Cromwell Fellowships	Support research and writing in American legal history	Preference given to scholars at the early stages of their careers	www.legalhistorian.org/awards.shtml#CrDPZ

Fellowship/Scholarship Awards

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		Kathryn T. Preyer Scholars	Helping legal historians at the beginning of their careers	Any legal, institutional and/or constitutional aspect of American history and the history of the Atlantic World; scholars will present their paper to the Society; applicants cannot have presented more than two papers at a nat'l conference	www.legalhistorian.org/awards.shtml#CrDPZ
Law and Society		Stan Wheeler Mentorship Award	Awarded annually to a member of the Law and Society community who is regarded by his or her peers and students as an outstanding mentor for graduate, professional, or undergraduate students who are working on issues of law and society	Award consists of a plaque or certificate honoring the recipient and a modest cash award; the cash award may be used to cover recipients own expenses of attending the annual meeting or for some mentorship activity related to membership in the Law & Society Association	www.lawandsociety.org/prizes.htm