## WESTPEX 2012

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## **Grand and Gold**

Boston Postal History 1703-1851 Mark S. Schwartz also Postal History Society Medal United States Philatelic Classics Society Award

## **Reserve Grand and Gold**

#### Charcot in the Antarctic Serge Kahn also

American Association of Philatelic Exhibitors Creativity Award American Society of Polar Philatelists Grand Award for Best Exhibit California Collectors Club Award for Best 20<sup>th</sup> Century

## Gold

The Forgotten War IEF'D' and War in Mesopotamia 1914-1918 Akthem Al-Manaseer

The New Zealand Mt. Cook Half-Penny Design of 1898 George W. Bowman

SCADTA's First Issues - A Traditional Approach to Airmail Stamps Santiago Cruz

also

COLOMPHIL - Outstanding Study of South & Central American Philately

Colombia - First Perforated Issue - 1883 Alfredo Frohlich also Chairman's Award - Best Traditional Exhibit SESCAL Award of Merit

#### Canal Zone Postal Stationery 1907-1924 Irwin J. Gibbs

Mail Between Switzerland and Colombia using the SCADTA Airline 1923-1937 Ian Gilchrist

also

American Helvetia Philatelic Society Bronze American Philatelic Congress Award

The Era of the French Colonial Allegorical Group Type - Part II: Postal History from the French Pacific Ocean Colonies

#### Edward Grabowski

also

American Philatelic Society Pre-1900 Medal of Excellence

Swiss Flexible-head Razor Cancelers Invented by Frederic de Coppet Roger Heath

> A Postal History of "The Thousand Mile War" Eric R. Knapp

The Allied Intervention in Russia 1918-1925 Alfred F. Kugel

also

Military Postal History Society - Theo Van Dam Award ROSSICA - Best Russian Exhibit

The 5c China War Resistance Issue of 1942: It's Proof, Issue, First Day Covers and Postal Uses Eliot A. Landau

also

American Philatelic Society 1940-1980 Medal of Excellence

TONGA: Surcharge Issues 1891-1896 Douglas Mattox

Philippines: The Surcharge Era, 1881-1889 Richard D. Miggins

also

International Philippine Philatelic Society Eugene A. Garrett Award

Watch on the Rhine: Allied Occupation of Rhineland: 1918-1930

#### Jerry H. Miller also

German Philatelic Society Gold

#### Switzerland - The IKW Issue 1918-1919 Michael Peter

Reform of the British Overseas Mail System, 1840-56 Paul J. Phillips

The Nautilus Odyssey - A Philatelic History of the 1931 Wilkins-Ellsworth Trans-Arctic Expedition Robert D. Rawlins

also

Lighthouse Stamp Society Award - Best Exhibit with a Nautical Theme Universal Ship Cancellation Society - Fernandez Award for Best Naval Cover Exhibit Universal Ship Cancellation Society Best Naval History Exhibit

> U.S. Special Handling 1925-1959: The Stamps and the Service **Robert G. Rufe**

> > also

American Association of Philatelic Exhibitors Award of Excellence (Title Page) United States Stamp Society Statue of Freedom Award

> Philippines: The 1925 Lambert Sales Co. Security Stamps Tommy Sim

Switzerland's Stamp-Imprinted Envelopes: Federal Issues of 1867-1886 Harlan F. Stone

also

American Helvetia Philatelic Society - Felix Ganz Memorial Award - Best Swiss Exhibit United Postal Stationery Society Marcus White Medal

> Swiss Airmail up to 1939 George W. Struble

also American Air Mail Society Award American Helvetia Philatelic Society Silver

> The Postal Stationery of Haiti Raymond Todd

The Usage of Switzerland's Imperforate Sitting Helvetia Issue of 1854-1863 Steve P. Turchik

also

American Helvetia Philatelic Society Gold San Francisco Pacific Philatelic Society - Margaret Munda Memorial Award of Merit

> Ryukyu Provisionals: Four Gunto and an Island Gary B. Weiss also

> > Michael Rogers Award Best Asian

Scott and Shackleton in the Antarctic J. Edgar Williams

also

American Philatelic Society Research Medal American Society of Polar Philatelists Reserve Grand Award

The Army Post Stamps Used by the British Forces in Egypt 1936-1941 Richard S. Wilson

> The 1859-1869 French Colonies "Eagle" Issues Arthur K. M. Woo

Afghanistan: Amunullah Period, 1919-1920 Alfonso G. Zulueta, Jr. Also

American Philatelic Society 1900-1940 Medal of Excellence Donald Dretzke Memorial Award - Best Used Stamps

### Vermeil

Foreign Intervention in Persia, World War One Era John W. Allen

> The Lion - Most Symbolic Animal of All Greg Balagian also O'Neill Award - Best Thematic

The Kasimir Issues of Liechtenstein, 1920-25 Chic Bartolacci

Use of GB WWII Prisoner-of-War Air Mail Postal Stationery Michael Dixon

Life & Times of the Half-Penny (decimal) Machin Lawrence Haber also American Philatelic Society Post 1980 Medal of Excellence

Revenue Stamped Paper of the Philippines 1860-1899 John M. Hunt

Switzerland 1949 Engineering and Landscapes Issue Bruce Marsden also

American Association of Philatelic Exhibitors Award of Honor

Transcontinental Flights between Russia and Antarctica A. R. Marshall also ROSSICA President's Award

Persia, 1894 Nasser-eddin Shah Last Portrait Issue Behruz Nassre-Esfahani

Campaigning in the Philippines - 1898-1901 Nestor C. Nunez

1901-04 British National Antarctic Expedition Paul Wales

The Meched (Persia) 1902 Provisional Issue K. Joe Youssefi

### Silver

The Rise and Fall of the Battleship "Bismarck" David Bernstein also German Philatelic Society Bronze

The Life and Career of the Aircraft Carrier USS Lexington CV2 1928-1942 Mel Dick

also

Universal Ship Cancellation Society Best Illustrated Mail Exhibit

Byrd's Antarctic Ventures

#### John P. Young

also

Women Exhibitors Sterling Achievement Award

Walter Crosby Classic Cachet Maker

Karl Zurn

### Bronze

Fun With Autographs Tore Dahlin

U.S. Navy Ships Pass The Golden Gate Alvin L. Eckert

## **Single Frame**

### **Grand and Gold**

Switzerland - to - United States Mail Rates 1862-1875 Harlan F. Stone also American Helvetia Philatelic Society Best Single Frame Award

## Gold

1871 Commune of Paris Prisoners Mail Louis O. Fiset also Auxiliary Markings Merit Award

Flown Mail on U.S.S. Shenandoah Allen Klein also

Universal Ship Cancellation Society Best One Frame Exhibit

Switzerland Pro Juventute 1912-1913 Forerunners and First Issue Bruce Marsden

> OASIS STATION - Soviet Antarctic Expedition A. R. Marshall

## Vermeil

Panzerschiff Admiral Graf Spee David Bernstein also German Philatelic Society Silver

Austrian Battleships in World War I David A. Kent

### Silver

Made in Switzerland - Foreign Cancelers made by Güller of Hüttikon **Roger Heath** also American Association of Philatelic Exhibitors Award of Honor

> World War II Pacific Location Code Names Alfred F. Kugel

> > U.S. Naval Mission to Brazil Thomas J. Richards

U.S.S. Moffett - First Year Illustrated Covers Donald R. Tjossem also American Association of Philatelic Exhibitors Novice Award

### **Silver Bronze**

USCGC Healy (WAGB-20) John P. Young

## Youth

## Gold

What a Princess Wants Alex Fillion also

American Topical Association Youth Award WESTPEX Award of Merit Best - Youth Thematic

U.S. Domestic Rates for First Class Surface Postal and Post Cards Between 1873 and Today Annika Fillion

> also American Association of Philatelic Exhibitors Youth Grand Award

WESTPEX Award of Merit - Best Youth Postal History

# Non-Competitive

Smithsonian National Postal Museum