

# WESTPEX 2020 Palmares

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## WESTPEX Grand Award

Alfredo Frohlich                      Delaware, Postal History to 1847

## Collectors Club of San Francisco - Reserve Grand Award

Santiago Cruz                      The 1910 Centenary Issue of Colombia

## WESTPEX Grand Award - Single Frame Exhibit

David McNamee                      Conquest of the Zulu Kingdom 1876-1897

## AAPE Youth Grand Award

Madison Gordon                      Canine Kindness

## Chairmans Award

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

## MULTI-FRAME EXHIBITS

### Large Gold

Juri Kraus	Finding Antarctica - Then Finding More of It
Louis Fiset	Gum Breakers on BEP Stamp Production, 1919-1981
Dr. Sam Chiu	Development of Chinese Imperial Post Office 1897-99, Transformation From Customs Post Office
Dr. Paul J. Phillips	The Coronation Year of King George V
Daniel Bringer	Swedish Scientific Expeditions to the Antarctic Region
Gary B. Weiss	Early Okinawa Stamps, Stationery and Postal History
Behruz Nassre-Esfahani	Persia, Qajar Postal Stationery Issued 1876-1925
Santiago Cruz	The 1910 Centenary Issue of Colombia
Dr. Akthem Al-Manaseer	The Forgotten War - IEF'D' and the War in Mesopotamia 1914-1918
Douglas N. and Nancy B. Clark	The Massachusetts Island Counties. Postal history before 1890.
Roger Brody	Jamestown 1907
Serge Kahn	French Activities in the Arctic 1828-1939
Phillip J. Stager	The Coconut Palm - Palm of Life & Palm of Commerce
Gregory Shoults	Washington and Franklin Coils Third Bureau Perforated Issues 1908-1922
David McNamee	The Natal Rebellion of 1906
Alfredo Frohlich	Delaware, Postal History to 1847

## **Gold**

Myron Palay	Japan's Wars 1894-1911
Lloyd Ferrell	Little Known Pearl Harbor Ships without postal facilities
Randy Tuuri	Estonia - Postal Rates 1918-1941
Steve Shay	The U.S. Navy in the Tokyo Bay Area, August-September, 1945
Jon Kawaguchi	Ryukyu Election Cards
Leo Martyn	Nepal: Postal History of The First Pashudati Issues (1907)
C. R. Helms	Mail Flown on the USS Akron & Macon: A Philatelic History of the Last Rigid US Airships
BJ Gowtham	Mysore Postal System (until 1901)
Eric Knapp	Alaska at War
Marjory J. Sente	The 1932 Washington Bicentennial Commemorative Stamps
John P. Wynns	CANADA: Rates & Usages of the 1927 Confederation and Historical Issues
Lan Qing Zhang	A History of the North American Indians

## **Large Vermeil**

Robert Mustacich	Philately of a Land of Extremes and Atrocities Outside the Purview of the World: Madagascar
Ross Marshall	USA <> USSR Scientist Exchange Programme in Antarctica
Yu Zhen Wu	Foreign Concessions in Shanghai 1845-1943
John Young	U.S. Navy Machine Cancels (1919-79)

## **Vermeil**

Marv Claudio	Study of the Ryukyu 10 Yen Provisional Issue January - August 1952
David and Laurie Bernstein	100 Famous US Navy Vessels 1797-1997
Howard Rotterdam	Taxed Mail of Mandate Palestine

## **Large Silver**

Jean C. Stout	Christmas in the Southern Hemisphere - Penguin Style!
Steve B. Davis	U.S Jet Plane & Globes Airmail Issue of 1976

## **Silver**

Jack A. Elder	The Red Cross in WWI (1912-1923)
Ronald R. Cassel	Show Challenge
Alvin L. Eckert	The Liberty Ship SS Jeremiah O'Brian

## **SINGLE FRAME EXHIBITS**

### **Large Gold**

Louis Fiset	1871 Commune of Paris Prisoner's Mail
David McNamee	Conquest of the Zulu Kingdom 1876-1897

### **Gold**

Dickson Preston	U.S. Army Post Offices in Greenland 1941-1945
Daniel Bringer	Scottish National Antarctic Expedition (1902-1904)

John D. Bowman 2C "Liberty Head" US Revenue Tax Stamp, 1875-1883  
Behruz Nassre-Esfani Censors of British Forces in North West Persia, 1918-1920  
Robert G. Rufe The "Special" Booklet Paper Printings of 1928

### **Large Vermeil**

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

### **Vermeil**

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

### **Silver**

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

### **Silver Bronze**

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

## **YOUTH MULTI-FRAME EXHIBITS**

### **Silver Bronze**

Josiah Brown Candid Philately

## **YOUTH SINGLE FRAME EXHIBITS**

### **Silver**

Madison Gordon Canine Kindness

### **Silver Bronze**

Alaina Beedle Cacti Covers and other Succulent Stamps

## **SPONSORED AWARDS**

### **American Society of Polar Philatelists Grand Award - Best Polar Exhibit**

Serge Kahn French Activities in the Arctic 1828-1939

### **American Society of Polar Philatelists Reserve Grand Award**

Juri Kraus Finding Antarctica - Then Finding More of It

### **Hugh M. Southgate Award - Best Multi-Frame Exhibit by USSS Member**

Roger Brody Jamestown 1907

### **W. Wallace Cleland Award - Best Single-Frame Exhibit by USSS Member**

Dickson Preston U.S. Army Post Offices in Greenland 1941-1945

**Theo Van Dam Award - Best Military Postal History Exhibit**

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

**Anthony Fernandez Award - Best Multi-Frame Naval Cover Exhibit**

Lloyd Ferrell                      Little Known Pearl Harbor Ships without postal facilities

**Francis E. Locy Award - Best Multi-Frame Study of Locy System Postmarks**

John Young                      U.S. Navy Machine Cancels (1919-79)

**Jesse Burgess Thomas Memorial Award - Most Outstanding Exhibit of Maritime or Naval History**

Steve Shay                      The U.S. Navy in the Tokyo Bay Area, August-September, 1945

**Capt. Herbert F. Rommel Award - Best Single-Frame Exhibit of Naval Covers**

Thomas Richards                      U. S. Naval Mission to Brazil Postal History - 1922-1977

**Best Ryukyu Islands Exhibit**

Gary B. Weiss                      Early Okinawa Stamps, Stationery and Postal History

**Best Researched Ryukyu Islands Exhibit**

Jon Kawaguchi                      Ryukyu Election Cards

**Best Ryukyu Islands Postal Stationery Exhibit**

Jon Kawaguchi                      Ryukyu Election Cards

**Ryukyu Philatelic Specialist Society - Exhibitor Award**

Marv Claudio                      Study of the Ryukyu 10 Yen Provisional Issue January - August 1952

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

**Ryukyu Philatelic Specialist Society - Exhibitor Award**

Gary B. Weiss                      Early Okinawa Stamps, Stationery and Postal History

**Ryukyu Philatelic Specialist Society - Exhibitor Award**

Jon Kawaguchi                      Ryukyu Election Cards

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Ronald R. Cassel                      Show Challenge

**San Francisco Pacific Philatelic Society - Margaret Munda Memorial Award of Merit**

Gregory Shoults                      Washington and Franklin Coils Third Bureau Perforated Issues 1908-1922

**Postal History Society Medal - Best Postal History**

Alfredo Frohlich                      Delaware, Postal History to 1847



**SESCAL Award of Merit**

David McNamee            The Natal Rebellion of 1906

**United States Stamp Society - Statue of Freedom Award**

Gregory Shoults            Washington and Franklin Coils Third Bureau Perforated Issues 1908-1922

**American Philatelic Congress - Excellence of Written Text**

Louis Fiset                1871 Commune of Paris Prisoner's Mail

**COLOMPHIL - Outstanding Study of South & Central American Philately**

Santiago Cruz            The 1910 Centenary Issue of Colombia

**Lighthouse Stamp Society - Best Exhibit With a Nautical Theme**

Lloyd Ferrell            Little Known Pearl Harbor Ships without postal facilities

**American Association of Philatelic Exhibitors: Award of Honor**

John Young                U.S. Navy Machine Cancels (1919-79)

**American Association of Philatelic Exhibitors: Award of Honor**

Yu Zhen Wu                Foreign Concessions in Shanghai 1845-1943

**American Association of Philatelic Exhibitors: Creativity Award**

Dr. Paul J. Phillips        The Coronation Year of King George V

**American Association of Philatelic Exhibitors: Novice Award**

Jon Kawaguchi            Ryukyu Election Cards

**American Association of Philatelic Exhibitors: Epilogue Award**

Alfredo Frohlich        Delaware, Postal History to 1847

**American Topical Association - First Award**

Phillip J. Stager        The Coconut Palm - Palm of Life & Palm of Commerce

**American Topical Association - Second Award**

Lan Qing Zhang        A History of the North American Indians

**American Topical Association - Third Award**

Jean C. Stout            Christmas in the Southern Hemisphere - Penguin Style!

**American Topical Association - Youth Award**

Madison Gordon        Canine Kindness

**Collectors Club Award of Merit**

Daniel Bringer            Scottish National Antarctic Expedition (1902-1904)

**Women Exhibitors - Sterling Achievement Award**

Jack A. Elder            The Red Cross in WWI (1912-1923)

**British North America Philatelic Society - Best BNA Exhibit**

John P. Wynns                      CANADA: Rates & Usages of the 1927 Confederation and Historical Issues

**Auxiliary Markings Merit Award**

Behruz Nassre-Esfani      Censors of British Forces in North West Persia, 1918-1920

**US Cancellation Club – US Cancellation Club Award**

John Young                      U.S. Navy Machine Cancels (1919-79)

**It's Not Just Stamps - Professional Stamp Experts Award**

Dr. Paul J. Phillips              The Coronation Year of King George V

**AAPE Youth 1st Place Award**

Madison Gordon              Canine Kindness

**AAPE Youth 2nd Place Award**

Josiah Brown                      Candid Philately

**AAPE Youth 3rd Place Award**

Alaina Beedle                      Cacti Covers and other Succulent Stamps

**NON-COMPETITIVE EXHIBITS**

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

**WESTPEX 2020 Jury Members:**

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