

BALPEX 2009 PALMARES

Hosting the Annual Conventions for: China Stamp Society Hosting the Fall Convention for: American Air Mail Society

Jury:

Jay Stotts, Texas – Chairman
W. Danforth Walker, Maryland
David Herendeen, Nevada
Kenneth Nilsestuen, Ohio
James Pullin, Florida

GRAND: Larry Lyons - All Roads Lead to San Francisco: The Private Companies that Carried the Mail in the Early West

Reserve Grand: James W. Graue - German North Atlantic Catapult Airmail 1929-1935

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China Stamp Society Best Exhibit of China Award: Hugh Lawrence - The Late Civil War Forerunners and Provisional Issues of East China: Philatelic Footprints on the Road to the Liberation of Shanghai

Paul Ke-Shing Chang Chinese Postal History Award: Hugh Lawrence - The Late Civil War Forerunners and Provisional Issues of East China: Philatelic Footprints on the Road to the Liberation of Shanghai

Norman W. Townsend Memorial Award: William P. Winter - Uses of the Chinese Martyrs Issues in the Japanese/Communist War Years (1932-1949)

CSS Chia Nan Chapter Award (Los Angeles): Hugh Lawrence - The Late Civil War Forerunners and Provisional Issues of East China: Philatelic Footprints on the Road to the Liberation of Shanghai

James R. Lee Memorial Award - CSS Chiu Chin Shan Chapter (San Francisco): Cheong Too Choi - Dr. Sun Yat Sen Issue Central Trust Print 16 Cents Overprints and Surcharges of China 1942

CSS Republic of China (Taiwan) Chapter Award: Hugh Lawrence - The Late Civil War Forerunners and Provisional Issues of East China: Philatelic Footprints on the Road to the Liberation of Shanghai

American Philatelic Congress Award: David Skipton - "Blue Pencil": Imperial Russian Censorship of Prison, Exile, and Internee Mail

AAPE Award of Honor(1): Roger Schnell - PLUNA - Primeras Lineas Uruguayas de Navegacion Aerea

AAPE Award of Honor(2): Robert E. Gibson, Sr. - Pre-Decimal Machin Issues

AAPE Novice Award: William Fort - Pan American Airways Transatlantic Airmail Routes: 1939-1945

Military Postal History Society: Hugh Lawrence - The Late Civil War Forerunners and Provisional Issues of East China: Philatelic Footprints on the Road to the Liberation of Shanghai

Bartoc Cultural Foundation Silver Medal: Paul Ammons - Canal Zone Second Airmail Series

Germany Philatelic Society:

Gold: James W. Graue - German North Atlantic Catapult Airmail 1929-1935

Silver: Jerry H. Miller - The German Post Office at Shanghai: 1886-1917

Bronze: Edwin J. Andrews - The Life and Exploits of Paul Von Lettow Vorbeck: Soldier, Activist, Politician, Author

Postal History Society Medal: Larry Lyons - All Roads Lead to San Francisco: The Private Companies that Carried the Mail in the Early West

US Philatelic Classics Society Medal: Mark Schwartz - Boston Postal History: 1703 -1851

United States Stamp Society: BIA Statue of Freedom Medal: Larry Lyons - All Roads Lead to San Francisco: The Private Companies that Carried the Mail in the Early West

WE Sterling Achievement Award: Robert E. Gibson, Sr. - Pre-Decimal Machin Issues

APS pre-1900 Medal of Excellence: Mark Schwartz - Boston Postal History: 1703 -1851

APS 1900 - 1940 Medal of Excellence: Edwin J. Andrews - The Life and Exploits of Paul Von Lettow Vorbeck: Soldier, Activist, Politician, Author

APS 1940 - 1980 Medal of Excellence: Jeffrey N. Shapiro - The Prexies at Work

APS Research : David Skipton - "Blue Pencil": Imperial Russian Censorship of Prison, Exile, and Internee Mail

Baltimore Philatelic Society Awards

Rimma Sklarevski Award: for best stamp exhibit: H. James Maxwell - Nationalist China's Last Commemoratives

Ed Ruckle Memorial Award: for excellence in US postal history: Mark Schwartz - Boston Postal History: 1703 -1851

Baltimore Philatelic Society Plaque: best exhibit by a resident member: David Skipton - "Blue Pencil": Imperial Russian Censorship of Prison, Exile, and Internee Mail

General Class

BALPEX Gold Medals:

Derek Pillage - The Development of British Internal Air Mails From 1933 to 1939, *and AAMS gold*

William Fort - Pan American Airways Transatlantic Airmail Routes: 1939-1945, *and AAMS gold*

Andrew McFarlane - The 1928 U.S. Beacon Airmail, *and AAMS gold*

James W. Graue - German North Atlantic Catapult Airmail 1929-1935, *and AAMS gold*

Paul Ammons - Canal Zone Second Airmail Series, *and AAMS gold*

Hugh Lawrence - The Late Civil War Forerunners and Provisional Issues of East China: Philatelic Footprints on the Road to the Liberation of Shanghai

H. James Maxwell - Rates During the Post-War Chinese National Currency Era

Jerry H. Miller - The German Post Office at Shanghai: 1886-1917

Cheong Too Choi - Dr. Sun Yat Sen Issue Central Trust Print 16 Cents Overprints and Surcharges of China 1942

Larry Lyons - All Roads Lead to San Francisco: The Private Companies that Carried the Mail in the Early West

Jeffrey N. Shapiro - The Prexies at Work

Stephen S. Washburne - Portuguese Postal Cards of the Empire

Mark Schwartz - Boston Postal History: 1703 -1851

Edwin J. Andrews - The Life and Exploits of Paul Von Lettow Vorbeck: Soldier, Activist, Politician, Author

Douglas K. Lehmann - Winged Charity - The 1939 Christmas Seal

David Skipton - "Blue Pencil": Imperial Russian Censorship of Prison, Exile, and Internee Mail

BALPEX Vermeil Medals:

Allen Klein - First Flown Mail from Hong Kong by Pan American Airways Under Contract, *and AAMS vermeil*

K. David Steidley - Use of US Airmail Stamps, 1918-1993. The First 75 Years, *and AAMS vermeil*

James W. Graue - Germany 1934 Airmail Issue, *and AAMS vermeil*

William J. Drummond - FAM 14: 1935-1941, *and AAMS vermeil*

Roger Schnell - PLUNA - Primeras Lineas Uruguayas de Navegacion Aerea, *and AAMS vermeil*
Stephen S. Washburne - Portuguese Commercial Airmail Rates, *and AAMS vermeil*
John N. Liles - Portugal: The Lusiadas Issues, 1931-38

BALPEX Silver Medals:

Rev. Edward J. Muldowney - First Flights and Special Flights from Vatican City, *and AAMS silver*
Robert E. Gibson, Sr. - Introduction to German Airmail, *and AAMS silver*
Rev. Edward J. Muldowney - Zeppelin Mail Dispatched from Vatican City, *and AAMS silver*
Howard Rotterdam - 2nd Postage Due of Israel

BALPEX Silver Bronze Medals:

William P. Winter - Uses of the Chinese Martyrs Issues in the Japanese/Communist War Years (1932-1949)
Robert E. Gibson, Sr. - Pre-Decimal Machin Issues
Art Mongan - Remembering Trading Stamps

BALPEX Bronze Medals:

Glenn Smith - Only Ten Survived: USS Juneau CL-52 in WWII

Single Frame Class

Best One Frame Exhibit: Larry Lyons - The Carriers of Charleston, SC 1849-1859

Gold medals:

Larry Lyons - The Carriers of Charleston, SC 1849-1859
Elizabeth Hisey - America's Favorite Dessert: Apple Pie
Gregory Shoults - Washington and Franklin Coils Perf-10 1914 Issue
H. James Maxwell - Nationalist China's Last Commemoratives
Gerhard Wolff - Graf Zeppelin Return Flight: Dispatches from Bolivia on the Europa-Pan-American Flight, *and AAMS Gold*
Cheryl Ganz - LZ126, ZR3 Los Angeles, *and AAMS Gold*
Allen Klein - Salute to U.S.S. Shenandoah-America's First Giant Rigid Airship, *and AAMS Gold*

Vermeil medals:

Richard M. Drought - Saxony: An Independent German Kingdom 1851-1863
Roger Schnell - Haiti - The 1906 Emergency Overprints Issue
Harry K. Charles, Jr. - Lindbergh's Goodwill Tour of Latin America: A Philatelic Journey, *and AAMS vermeil*

Silver Medals:

Raymond Murphy - Jamaica in World War II
Stephen S. Washburne - Uniao dos Atiradores Civis Portuguezes (Civilian Rifle Clubs)

Youth Class

Best One Frame Exhibit: Lorah Wilson - Animals Around The World (Youth)

Silver Medals:

Lorah Wilson - Animals Around The World (Youth)

Silver Bronze Medals:

Zachary Canter - Let the Games Begin!