

**ORAPEX 2008 AWARDS / PRIX**  
**NATIONAL PHILATELIC EXHIBITION/**  
**EXPOSITION PHILATÉLIQUE NATIONALE**  
**Ottawa, Canada**  
**May 3-4 mai, 2008**

**MEDALS / MÉDAILLES**

*All awards are RPSC National Level Medals unless indicated otherwise.*

<b><u>Frames</u></b>	<b><u>Exhibitor</u></b>	<b><u>Title of Exhibit</u></b>	<b><u>Special Awards</u></b>
<b><i>Court of Honour Exhibits</i></b>			
1-9	Herb McNaught	Canada 1908 Quebec Tercentenary Issue	
<b><i>Open Class Exhibits</i></b>			
<b><u>Gold Medals</u></b>			
10-14	Neil H. Hunter	Evolution of Airmail - Toronto Canada	Canadian Aerophilatelic Society Reserve Air Mail Award
39-44	Larry Davidson	Beavers: Nature's Engineers	Ralph D. Mitchener Award for the most innovative, creative and humourous thematic or display class exhibit
46-52	Steven A. Friedenthal	Slogan Postal Markings of Western Canada	Philatelic Specialists Society - Original Research Award
53-57	John Cooper	Canada: 1928-29 Scroll Issue	Grand Award BNAPS - Best BNA Award
62-71	Douglas Irwin	Postal Beginning of Niagara Falls Canada 1801-1904	Reserve Grand Award
82-89	Victor Willson	Canada Post Cards 1871-1928	Ottawa Postal History Society - Best Overall Postal History Award
96-102	David Handelman	Mail Between BNA and UK, 1766-1875	BNAPS - Best Researched BNA Exhibit Award PHSC - Best BNA Postal History Award
116-120	David Hobden	In Defence of the Border: Canadian Military Mail 1746-1885	E. R. Toop Best Military Postal History Award AAPE - Best Novice Award
128-132	Murray Heifetz	Dirigibles - The Canadian Connection	AAMS - Award of Excellence for Best Airmail

**Vermeil Medal With Felicitations of the Jury**

77-81	Fred Smallbone	King George V Downey Head Issue	AAPE - Best Presentation Pin
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### Vermeil Medals

26-29	J. Michael Powell	Notes Through Barbed Wire	BNAPS - Best 2-4 Frame BNA Award AAPE - Best Presentation Pin
32-38	R. F. Narbonne	The Bathurst District of Upper Canada	
72-74	Neil H. Hunter	Airmail Across the Atlantic During World War II	APS - Medal of Excellence (1940-1980)
134-141	Oleg Podymow	Serpentines to Double Headed Eagle	

### Silver Medals

18-25	John Munro-Cape	One Cent of the Canadian War Issue	
92-95	Steve Mulvey	Swiftair International Airmail Express: UK to Canada 1980-2003	APS - Medal of Excellence (post 1980)
106-115	Ray Dubeau	Canada: Three Cent Small Queen 1870-1897	

### Bronze Medals

16-17	Ron Barrett	Postmarks of Closed Post Offices in Lennox & Addington County	
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### *One Frame Exhibits*

### Gold Medals

15	Al Hurst	Holy Island - A Postal History	
30	John McEntyre	1855-59 Ten Pence: Canada's First Trans-Atlantic Rate Stamp	BNAPS - Best One Frame BNA Award APS - Research Medal
31	Steve Johnson	Jack V. Elliot Air Service	APS - Medal of Excellence (1920-1940)
61	Dave Bartlett	Booklets of Newfoundland	
75	Al Hurst	The Postal History of Northumberland England - The Early Years	APS - Medal of Excellence (pre 1900)

### Vermeil Medals

45	Michael Peach	Postal Stationery Wrappers of Victoria Britain	
91	Peggy Edwards	Dachshunds: The Wiener Dogs	AAPE - Creativity Award Trajan Publishing - 6 month subscription To <i>Canadian Stamp News</i>

### **Silver Medals**

90	Walt Krasowski	A Study of the Red 1930's Arch Issue
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### **Silver Bronze Medallions**

142	Walt Krasowski	For the Birds
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### **Bronze Medals**

76	Richard Logan	Errors and Oddities on Israel Stamps
121	Richard Logan	The 1941-1944 Series of U.S. Airmail Stamps

### **Certificate of Participation**

133	Ron Barrett	Canadian Railway Postmarks
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### ***Regional Level Medals***

#### **Silver Bronze**

122	Nicole Lacourse	What are Europa Stamps?	
127	Nicole Lacourse	Chinese Astrology	Trajan Publishing - 6 month subscription To <i>Canadian Stamp News</i>

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## ORAPEX 2008 SPECIAL AWARDS

AWARD	WINNER
Grand Award - Chairman's Trophy (Prize Donated By Canada Post Corporation)	"Canada: 1928-29 Scroll Issue" John Cooper
Reserve Grand Award - (Prize Donated By Peter MacDonald, Nutshell Music & Event Management)	"The Postal Beginnings of Niagara Falls Canada 1801-1904" Douglas Irwin
Best Overall Postal History - Ottawa Philatelic Society Plaque	"Canada Post Cards 1871-1928" Victor Willson
Best Postal History (BNA) - PHSC Certificate and Ribbon	"Mail Between BNA and UK, 1766-1875" David Handelman
Best Topical - American Topical Association	Not Awarded
Best British North America (BNA) Exhibit - British North America Philatelic Society	"Canada: 1928-29 Scroll Issue" John Cooper
Best Researched BNA Exhibit Award - British North America Philatelic Society	"Mail Between BNA and UK, 1766-1875" David Handelman
Best BNA 2-4 Frame Exhibit Award - British North America Philatelic Society	"Notes Through Barb Wire" J. Michael Powell
Best BNA One Frame Exhibit Award - British North America Philatelic Society	"1855-59 Ten Pence: Canada's First Trans-Atlantic Rate Stamp" John McEntyre
Most Innovative and Interesting Topical/Display Exhibit - Ralph D. Mitchener Award (Prize Donated by the ORAPEX 2008 Committee Members)	"Beavers: Nature's Engineers" Larry Davidson
Philatelic Specialists Society Best Original Research Award	"Slogan Postal Markings of Western Canada" Steven A. Friedenthal
Best Presentation (2 awards) - American Association of Philatelic Exhibitors Pins	1. "King George V Downey Head Issues" Fred Smallbone 2. "Notes Through Barbed Wire" J. Michael Powell
Creativity Award - American Association of Philatelic Exhibitors Creativity Pin	"Dachshunds: The Wiener Dogs" Peggy Edwards
Best Novice Exhibit - American Association of Philatelic Exhibitors Award	"In Defence of the Border: Canadian Military Mail 1746-1885" David Hobden
Best Military Postal History Award - E. R. Toop Award	"In Defence of the Border: Canadian Military Mail 1746-1885" David Hobden
Medals of Excellence (pre 1900, 1900-40, 1940-80, post 1980) - American Philatelic Society	1. "1. The Postal History of Northumberland, England: The Early Years"/Al Hurst 2. "Jack V. Elliot Air Service"/Steve Johnson 3. "Airmail Across the Atlantic During World War II"/Neil H. Hunter 4. "Swiftair International Airmail Express: UK to Canada 1980-2003"/Steve Mulvey
American Philatelic Society – Research Medal	"1855-59 Ten Pence: Canada's First Trans-Atlantic Rate Stamp" John McEntyre
Youth Grand Award - AAPE & Ottawa Philatelic Soc. Awards	Not Awarded
Best Airmail Award - American Airmail Society	"Dirigibles - The Canadian Connection" Murray Heifetz
Reserve Airmail Award - Canadian Aerophilatelic Society	"Evolution of Airmail - Toronto Canada" Neil H. Hunter
Trajan Publishing - Two 6 month subscription To <i>Canadian Stamp News</i>	1. "Dachshunds: The Wiener Dogs" Peggy Edwards 2. "Chinese Astrology" Nicole Lacourse