# MILCOPEX 2019

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# Milwaukee Philatelic Society September 20-22, 2019 MILCOPEX Awards

# **MILCOPEX Grand Award**

A Postal History of Hartford, Connecticut Anthony F. Dewey

# **MILCOPEX Reserve Grand Award**

The Evolution of the Post Offices in German New Guinea 1888-1914 Jerry H. Miller

## **MILCOPEX Best Single Frame**

The "D" Rate-Change Stamps of 1985 Anthony F. Dewey

# **MILCOPEX Most Popular**

Compliments of the Season: Christmas & New Years Greetings from U.S. Rural Carriers Darrell Ertzberger

# Philatelic Society for Greater Southern Africa

"Best Southern Africa Exhibit" Award

Postal Stationery: South African Republic 1869-1900 R. Timothy Bartshe

#### **Best Christmas Exhibit**

Compliments of the Season: Christmas & New Years Greetings from U.S. Rural Carriers Darrell Ertzberger

## Open Competition Large Gold

Federal Patriotic Stationery During the Civil War James W. Milgrim Also the APS Research Medal and William J. Uilhein Award for Best Americana

> The Registration Envelopes of the Bechuanalands Peter Thy Also the United Postal Stationary Society Marcus White Award

The Evolution of the Post Offices in German New Guinea 1888-1914 Jerry H. Miller Also the Postal History Society Bronze Medal

> A Postal History of Hartford, Connecticut Anthony F. Dewey Also the AAPE Award of Excellence (Epilogue)

Colombia – First Perforated Issue – 1883 Alfredo Frohlich Also the APS pre-1900 Medal

Postal Stationery: South African Republic 1869-1900 R. Timothy Bartshe

## Open Competition Continue Gold

Compliments of the Season: Christmas & New Years Greetings from U.S. Rural Carriers Darrell Ertzberger Also the AAPE Creativity Award

> Northern Rhodesia 1924 to 1964 Ken Moore Also the American Philatelic Congress Award

Allied Occupation of German East Africa, 1914 – 1920 Regis Hoffman Also the Germany Philatelic Society Special Prize

Free to All - America's Public Libraries 1833 – 1960 Larry T. Nix

Forerunners of the Holyland -- Turkish Administration Robert B. Pildes

The Postage Stamps of Rhodesia and Nyasaland 1953-1963 Ken Moore Also the APS 1940-1980 Medal

The State of the U.S. Mails -- 1909 Lawrence Haber Also the APS 1900-1940 Medal and U.S. Stamp Society Statue of Freedom Award

The French Colonial General Issue: The Eagles Have Landed Thomas Marra

#### Large Vermeil Irish Heritage & Treasures Definitives Brian Warren

Companhia de Mocambique - The Waterlow Issues: 1918 – 1940 Clyde J. Homen

> Sudan - The Postal Stationery Bernard Beston

Philately of Rhodesia and Nyasaland 1954-1964 Christopher Dahle

> Companhia do Nyassa 1894-1929 Clyde J. Homen Also the AAPE Award of Honor

Provisional Issues of South Vietnam and Their Use: 1963-1980 Emory Earl Toops Also the AAPE Award of Honor

# Open Competition Continue Vermeil

Christmas Traditions John Fitzsimons Also the ATA 1<sup>st</sup> Award

> Bloody Congo Van Siegling

A Typology of Botswana Meter Marks Gordon Smith

Northern Rhodesia to North America 1925–1954 Walter Herdzik

> Westmeath Postmarks 1900 to 1930 Anthony Hughes

> > Large Silver

Philately at the Movies: Metro Goldwyn Mayer's (MGM) Postal History Thomas Richards Also the ATA 3<sup>rd</sup> Award

#### Silver

Remembering Shakespeare Alexis Kneeland Also the AAPE Jean Benninghoff Encouragement Award and ATA 2<sup>nd</sup> Award

> Souvenirs from Stockholm Robert Benninghoff Also the Women Exhibitors Sterling Achievement Award

# **Single Frame Awards**

#### Large Gold

The Provisional Government of Ireland December 1921 to December 1922 Robert Benninghoff

The Struggle for Irish Independence May 1916 to December 1921 Robert Benninghoff

> The "D" Rate-Change Stamps of 1985 Anthony F. Dewey Also the APS Post-1980 Medal

Orange Free State Overseas Letter Rates - 1868 – UPU R. Timothy Bartshe Also the Collectors Club of Chicago Exhibitor's Award

#### Gold

Replating Colombia's 1861 1 Peso Stamp Alfredo Frohlich

#### Large Vermeil

The British Concession at Chinde 1896-1923 Clyde J. Homen

'America-England' Ship Letters 1735-1796 . . . Major British-Realm Ports-of-Entry Jerry H. Miller

British Forces in Egypt 1932-1960 Elspeth Bodley

**Vermeil** Walter Quensell's Tin Can Mail Cachet Brian Callan

#### Large Silver

Aspects of Philatelic Trade in Mauritius 1885 – 1915 Karl Patrick Kwan-Cheung

> Attilio Gatti - African Adventurer Regis Hoffman

# **Non-Competitive**

Christmas "Seasonal Name Locations" Cancellations and Postmarks - James C. Cate

# **Non-Competitive Christmas Mini-Exhibits**

The Christmas Seals of the Salvatorian Seminary in St. Nazianz, Wisconsin - Christine Sanders

Christmas Island Features Its Red Crabs and Other Indigenous Species On Its Christmas Issues - Gene Sanders

The Christmas Florida Post Office - the Tucker Legacy - Christmas Philatelic Club

It Happened on Christmas Day: Stampless Folded Letters Show Early U.S. Postal History - Christine Sanders

First Christmas Issue of Korea - Joseph Doles

A Dickens of a Christmas - Clete Delvaux

Christmas Near and Far - Ray Perry

# Non-Competitive Pan-African One-Page Mini-Exhibits

The 1977 Christmas Issue of Ghana Sent Many Messages - Christine Sanders

Uganda, a Landlocked African Nation, Celebrated the 1998 International Year of the Ocean with Souvenir Sheets - Eugene Sanders Jr. On Safari: My Favorite Modern African Stamps - Ray Perry The Crabs of Seychelles - An African Country of 115 Islands Located 932 Miles East of Mainland Africa - Eugene Sanders, Jr. Zambia Tells the Christmas Story in a Native Setting - Christine Sanders A Russian Propaganda Cover about Africa - Anna Trischan Why Not Madagascar - Gary Meyer Hunting Stamps of Africa - Ryan Bartz (youth) Topical Stamps of Africa - Sydney Bartz (youth) Mother I am Coming Home - Peter Thy African Elephants - Catherine & Ken Glibert Africa, the Congo, and the United Nations - Gavlord Yost Joint Issues: First Graduates of Botswanna, Lesotho & Swaziland University - Don Birschell The Coat of Arms of Mouila, Gabon - Robert Ulatt Christmas Carols on Stamps - Lanny Peterson Exploring Africa - Bob Mather Africa Malaria - Frank Kos The Place of Smoke - Mary Yahr The Pearl of Africa - Ron Yahr