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PubWest Announces 2018 Book Design Award Winners

Lake Oswego, Oregon—PubWest, the leading association of small and medium-sized book publishers, has announced the winners of the [2018 PubWest Book Design Awards](#) competition. The PubWest Book Design Awards recognize superior design and outstanding production quality of books, e-books and book mobile apps in 25 categories, as well as an overall Judges' Choice Award selected from among the winners in each category.

The Design Awards winners were judged on typography, jacket and cover design, interior design, format, selection of materials used, and printing and binding production quality.

PubWest president Bill Fessler congratulates the winners and says “books can and should be finely crafted artifacts. The paper, ink, fonts, layout, design, binding, and other special elements combine to create both pleasure and utility for the reader. The PubWest Design Awards recognize those who have excelled in creating unique publications, in several subcategories of fiction, non-fiction, illustrated, digital, and children's books.”

The winner of this year's Judges' Choice Award is *The Language of Family: Stories of Bonds and Belonging*, a beautifully designed book from the Royal BC Museum featuring 20 different contributors who share their vastly different perspectives on what family means. For winning the Judges' Choice Award, Royal BC Museum will receive one free registration to PubWest 2019.

Winners will also be recognized at the 2019 PubWest Conference to be held February 7–9 at the La Fonda on the Plaza, Santa Fe, New Mexico. Contact PubWest for more information about the 2019 conference.

PubWest is a not-for-profit trade organization created to serve the needs of its members and to provide a forum for the discussion of publishing issues. The association's membership ranges from small independent presses to publishers with worldwide operations. Affiliate members include printers, designers, binderies and publishing freelancers. Membership is based throughout North America.

Judges' Choice

The Language of Family: Stories of Bonds and Belonging - Royal BC Museum

Designer: Lara Minja (Lime Design)

Production Manager: Michele van der Merwe

Printer: Friesens Corporation

Adult Trade Book, Illustrated

Gold: *The Language of Family: Stories of Bonds and Belonging*—Royal BC Museum

Production Manager : Michelle van der Merwe

Designer : Lara Minja (Lime Design)

Printer : Friesens Corporation

Silver: *The Fantastic Seashell of the Mind: The Architecture of Mark Mills*—Oro Editions

Designer: Bill Sosin

Production Manager: Jake Anderson

Printer: Huaxin, China

Adult Trade Book, Non-Illustrated

Gold: *The Inner Life of Animals: Love, Grief, and Compassion*—Greystone Books

Production Manager: Andrea Damiani

Designer: Nayeli Jimenez

Printer: Friesens Corporation

Silver: *The Rise of the Necrofauna*—Greystone Books

Production Manager: Andrea Damiani

Designer: Nayeli Jimenez

Printer: Friesens

Bronze: *The Nordic Guide to Living 10 Years Longer*—Greystone Books

Production Manager: Andrea Damiani
Designer: Nayeli Jimenez
Printer: Friesens Corporation

Children's / Young Adult Book, Illustrated

Gold: *Home Time, Book One: Under the River*—Top Shelf Productions, an imprint of IDW Publishing

Production Manager: Campbell Whyte
Designer: Campbell Whyte
Printer: Tri Vision

Silver: *Breathe and Be*—Sounds True

Production Manager: Lauren Slawson
Interior: Designer: Beth Skelley
Printer: Tri Vision

Bronze: *Tolly*—Overcup Press

Production Manager: Alan Dubinsky
Designer: Maryanna Hoggatt
Printer: Four Colour Print Group

Children's / Young Adult Book, Non-Illustrated

Silver: *The List*—Sourcebooks, Inc.

Production Manager: Tina Wilson
Designer: Nicole Hower
Printer: Worzalla

Children's / Young Adult Book, Wordless

Silver: *The Carpenter*—Gibbs Smith Publishers

Academic or Non-Trade Book

Gold: *Reynor Banham and Paradoxes of High Tech*—Getty Publications

Production Coordinator: Victoria Gallina
Designer: Catherine Lorenz
Printer: Atron

Silver: *Facing the Text*—Sagest Books

Designer: Janine Vigus
Printer: Sagest

Bronze: *Healing Civilizations: The Search for Therapeutic Essential Oils & Nutrients* —
Cameron + Company

Creative Director: Iain R. Morris
Design Assistants: Suzi Hutsell and Gabe Ely
Managing Editor: Jan Hughes
Printer: Artron

Guide or Travel Book

Gold: *Hidden Universe Travel Guides: Star trek Klingon Empire*—Insight Editions
Production Manager: Elaine Ou

Silver: *Oregon Beaches: A Traveler's Companion*—Caxton Press
Designer: Henry Blonde, Blonde Creative
Printer: Friesens Corporation

Bronze: *The California Field Atlas*—Heyday
Art & Production Director: Diane Lee
Designer: Obi Kaufman & Ashley Ingram
Printer: Imago USA

How-To or Craft Book

Gold: *Charm School: 18 Quilts from 5" Squares*—C&T Publishing
Production Managers: Zinnia Heinzmann and Tim Manibusan
Designer: April Mostek
Printer: Versa Press

Silver: *Plum Dandi Knits: Simple Designs for Luxury Yarns*—F+W Media / Interweave
Production Manager: Jenn Bass
Designers: Ashlee Wadeson and Pamela Norman
Printer: RR Donnelley

Bronze: *New Stamped Metal Jewelry: Innovative Techniques for 23 Custom Jewelry Designs*—
F+W Media / Interweave
Production Manager: Jenn Bass
Designers: Kerry Jacson and Pamela Norman
Printer: RR Donnelley

Cookbook

Gold: *L.A. Mexicano*—Prospect Park Books

Production Manager: Amy Inouye, Future Studio

Designer: Amy Inouye, Future Studio

Printer: Imago

Silver: *The Tiny Mess*—RLO Productions

Printing Liaison: Dick Owsiany

Designer: Trevor Gordon

Printer: H&Y Printing

Bronze: *This Immeasurable Place*—Hell's Backbone Grill

Production Manager: Pamela Furches

Designer: Studio Carnelian

Printer: Friesens Corporation

Photography Book

Gold: *The Spirit of Tequila*—Trinity University Press

Production Manager: Sarah Nawrocki

Designer: Kristina Kachele

Printer: Four Colour Print Group

Silver: *The Living Forest: A Visual Journey into the Heart of the Woods*—Timber Press

Production Manager: Patrick Barber

Designer: Adrianna Sutton

Printer: RRD Asia

Bronze: *Peanut Butter Dogs*—Gibbs Smith Publishers

Art Book

Gold: *Art of Mondo*—Insight Editions

Production Manager: Elaine Ou

Silver: *Making Art Concrete: Works from Argentina and Brazil in the Coleccion Patricia Phelps de Cisneros*—Getty Publications

Production Coordinator: Michelle Deemer:

Designer: Catherine Lorenz

Printer: Artron

Bronze: *North: Finding Place in Alaska*—University of Washington Press

Production Manager: Shirley Woo

Designer: Laura Shaw

Printer: Four Colour Print Group

Sports, Fitness, or Recreation Book

Silver: *Fast-tack Triathlete: Balancing a Big Life with Big Performance in the Long-Course Triathlon*—VeloPress

Cover Designer: Nate Baltikas

Interior Designer: Anita Koury

Production Manager: Andy Read

Printer: Edwards Brothers Malloy

Reference Book

Gold *Modernist Bread*—Modernist Cuisine

Production Manager: Stephanie Swane

Designer: Mark Clemons

Printer: Midas

Silver: *Glorious Shade*—Timber Press

Production Manager: Patrick Barber

Designers: Debbie Berne and Laura Shaw

Printer: RRD Asia

Bronze: *Records of North American Big Game, 14th Edition*—Boone And Crockett Club

Designer: Julie Tripp

Printer: Sheridan Books

Short Stories, Poetry, or Anthology

Gold: *Elegy For My Beat Generation* —Lithic Press

Production Manager: Kyle Harvey

Designers: Danny Rosen

Printer: McNaughton & Gunn

Silver: *Fail Safe*—University of Calgary Press

Designer: Melina Cusano

Printer: Marquis Book Printing

Bronze: *Stray*—Lithic Press

Production Manager: Danny Rosen
Designer: Kyle Harvey
Printer: McNaughton & Gunn

Gift, Holiday, or Specialty Book

Gold: *Cinegeek*—IDW

Production Manager: Cryssy Cheung
Designer: Pluttark
Printer: Tri Vision

Silver: *The Brave Athlete: Calm the F*ck Down and Rise to the Occasion*—VeloPress

Cover Designer: Kevin Roberson
Interior Designer: Vicki Hopewell
Production Manager: Andy Read
Printer: Friesens Corporation

Bronze: *Paper Blossoms for all Seasons*—Chronicle Books

Production Manager: Michelle Clair
Designer: Kayla Ferriera
Printer: Toppan Excel Printing Co.

Historical or Biographical Book

Gold: *American Sabor: Latinos and Latinas in US Popular Music / Latinos y Latinas La Musica Popular Estadounidense*—University of Washington Press (Seattle, WA)

Production Manager: Shirley Woo
Designer: Katrina Noble
Printer: Regent Publishing Services Ltd

Silver: *The Art of Resistance: Painting by Candlelight in Mao's China*—University of Washington Press (Seattle, WA)

Production Manager: Shirley Woo
Designer: Katrina Noble
Printer: Four Colour Print Group

Graphic Album, New Material

Gold: *I AM A Number*—Top Shelf Productions, an Imprint of IDW Publishing

Production Manager: Rian Hughes
Designer: Rian Hughes
Printer: Tri Vision

Silver: *Surfside Girls (Book One): The Secret of Danger Point*— Top Shelf Productions, an Imprint of IDW Publishing

Designer: Gilberto Lazcano
Production Manager: Chris Staros and Gilberto Lazcano
Printer: Tri Vision

Bronze: *Roots*— Top Shelf Productions, an Imprint of IDW Publishing

Production Manager: Chris Staros
Designer: Gilberto Lazcano and Cryssy Cheung
Printer: Tri Vision

Graphic Album, New Material

Gold: *Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles: The IDW Collection, Vol.4*—Top Shelf Productions, an Imprint of IDW Publishing

Designer: Gilberto Lazcano
Printer: Tri Vision

Special Edition

Gold: *Modernist Bread*—Modernist Cuisine

Production Manager: Stephanie Swane
Designer: Mark Clemens
Printer: Midas

Bronze: *Dare to Dream: The Remarkable Story of American Family Insurance*—American Family Insurance

Production Manager: ian Chalgren
Designer: Ian Chalgren
Printer: Zimmerman Printing

Jacket / Cover Design, Small Format

Gold: *Encyclopedia of Black Comics*—Fulcrum Publishing

Production Manager: Rebecca McEwen
Designer: John Jennings
Printer: Kingery / United Graphics

Silver: *Parts*—Texas Review Press

Production Manager: Kimberly Davis
Designer: ebooklaunch.com
Printer: Lightning Source International

Bronze: *Owning the Moon*—Signature Books

Cover Designer: Haden Hamblin
Interior Designer: Jason francis
Production Manager: Jason francis
Printer: Artistic Printing

Jacket / Cover Design, Large Format

Gold: *Sacred Material: The Art of Tapestries of the Cathedral of Our Lady of the Angels* –
Angel City Press

Designer Hilary Lentini / Lentini Design
Production Manager: Hilary Lentini
Printer Friesens Corporation

Silver: *Silver Guillermo del Toro's The Shape of Water: Creating a Fairy Tale for Troubled*–
Insight Editions
Production Manager: Elaine Ou

Bronze: *The Writing on the Wall: The Work of Joane Cardinal*—University of Calgary Press
Designer: Melina Cusano
Printer Friesens Corporation

Ebook, Fixed Layout

Gold: *The Spell Thief*—Sourcebooks
Production Managers: Tina Silva and Jessica Julli
Designer: Nicole Hower

Ebook, Standard

Gold: *Women Who Dared*—Sourcebooks, Inc.
Production Manager: Tina Silva and Jessica Julli
Designers: Jillian Rahn

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Please contact executivedirector@pubwest.org for an electronic file of the list of award winners.