

THE LOUIS KNOTT KOONTZ MEMORIAL AWARD. *An annual award of \$750 for the most deserving contribution to the Pacific Historical Review. Selection is made by the Review's Board of Editors.*

THE PACIFIC COAST BRANCH BOOK AWARD. *An award of \$750 for a first book by a scholar. The award will be announced at the annual meeting of the Pacific Coast Branch (PCB) and in the Pacific Historical Review.*

ELIGIBILITY: Open to scholars who reside in the states, provinces, or territories from which the Branch draws its membership. Entries must have been published within a year of the date of submission and must not have been submitted in any previous year.

TO ENTER: Presses should submit nominations from books published in 2011 to each member of the Awards Committee. Deadline for submission is April 1, 2012.

THE AWARDS COMMITTEE FOR 2012: Elyssa Faison, Dept. of History, University of Oklahoma, chair; Becky Nicolaides, UCLA Center for the Study of Women; and Andrew Johns, Dept. of History, Brigham Young University.

THE W. TURRENTINE JACKSON ARTICLE PRIZE. *An award of \$750 for the best article by a graduate student. The winning essay will be published in the Pacific Historical Review.*

ELIGIBILITY: Essay should be on a topic within the *PHR's* field of concentration.

TO ENTER: Submit essays any time during the year to: David A. Johnson and Carl Abbott, Editors, *Pacific Historical Review*, 487 Cramer Hall, Portland State University, Portland, OR 97207-0751.

THE W. TURRENTINE JACKSON DISSERTATION AWARD. *An award of \$750 for the author of the most outstanding dissertation on any aspect of the history of the American West.*

ELIGIBILITY: The author must receive the Ph.D. in history between March 1, 2011, and February 29, 2012. The department chair must submit a letter certifying the author has been awarded the degree. Dissertations under contract consideration or under contract are eligible for this award.

TO ENTER: Please send a copy of the dissertation to each member of the Awards Committee by April 1, 2012. A letter certifying the author has been awarded the Ph.D. should be sent to Peter Blodgett, Executive Director, AHA-PCB, Huntington Library, 1151 Oxford Road, San Marino, CA 91108.

THE AWARDS COMMITTEE FOR 2012: Robert Senkewicz, Dept. of History, Santa Clara University, chair; Andy Kirk, Dept. of History, University of Nevada, Las Vegas; and Kelly Lytle Hernandez, Dept. of History, UCLA.

THE NORRIS AND CAROL HUNDLEY BOOK AWARD. *An award of \$750 for a distinguished book on any historical subject.*

ELIGIBILITY: Open to scholars who reside in the states, provinces, or territories from which the Branch draws its membership. Submissions can be first or subsequent publications by young or mature scholars. Candidates cannot compete for both the Hundley and PCB book awards.

TO ENTER: Presses should submit nominations from books published in 2011 to each member of the Awards Committee. Deadline for submission is April 1, 2012.

THE AWARDS COMMITTEE FOR 2012: Jonathan Spaulding, Independent Scholar, Pasadena, California, chair; Miroslava Chávez-García, Dept. of Chicana/o Studies, University of California, Davis; and Calvin Schermerhorn, Dept. of History, Arizona State University.

MOST RECENT PCB-AHA PRIZE AND AWARD RECIPIENTS

THE LOUIS KNOTT KOONTZ MEMORIAL AWARD FOR 2011:

David Iglar, "On Coral Reefs, Volcanoes, Gods, and Patriotic Geology; Or, James Dwight Dana Assembles the Pacific Basin" (February 2010).

THE PACIFIC COAST BRANCH BOOK AWARD FOR 2011:

Thomas S. Mullaney, *Coming to Terms with the Nation: Ethnic Classification in Modern China* (University of California Press, 2010).

THE W. TURRENTINE JACKSON ARTICLE PRIZE FOR 2011 (CO-WINNERS):

Mary C. Greenfield, "'The Game of One Hundred Intelligences': Mahjong, Materials, and the Marketing of the Asian Exotic in the 1920s" (August 2010) and Philip Van Huizen, "Building a Green Dam: Environmental Modernism and the Canadian-American Libby Dam Project" (August 2010).

THE W. TURRENTINE JACKSON DISSERTATION PRIZE FOR 2011:

Veta R. Schlimgen, "Neither Citizens nor Aliens: Filipino 'American Nationals' in the U.S. Empire, 1900–1946" (University of Oregon, 2010).

THE NORRIS AND CAROL HUNDLEY BOOK AWARD FOR 2011:

Amanda Podany, *Brotherhood of Kings: How International Relations Shaped the Ancient Near East* (Oxford University Press, 2010).

PACIFIC COAST BRANCH AMERICAN HISTORICAL ASSOCIATION

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