



## 2017 Alberta Book Publishing Awards Shortlists

(in alphabetical order of title)

### Book Design Awards

#### *Book Design*

University of Calgary Press

*The Frontier of Patriotism: Alberta and the First World War*

edited by Adriana Davies and Jeff Keshen

book design by Garet Markvoort

Freehand Books

*Perfect World* by Ian Colford

book design by Natalie Olsen

Athabasca University Press

*Visiting with the Ancestors: Blackfoot Shirts in Museum Spaces*

book design Marvin Harder

#### *Cover Design*

NeWest Press

*Border Markers* by Jenny Ferguson

cover design Kate Hargreaves

Frontenac House

*The Bone Weir* by D. S. Stymeist

cover design Tim Nokes

NeWest Press

*Lost Animal Club* by Kevin Couture

cover design Kate Hargreaves



## **Book of the Year Awards**

### ***Children and Young Adult***

Winner will be announced at the Alberta Book Awards Gala.

### ***Robert Kroetsch Award for Poetry***

University of Alberta Press  
*100 Days* by Juliane Okot Bitek

Frontenac House  
*Silent Sister: the mastectomy poems* by Beth Everest

University of Alberta Press  
*Sleeping in Tall Grass* by Richard Therrien

### ***Scholarly and Academic***

University of Alberta Press  
*One Child Reading: My Auto-Bibliography* by Margaret Mackey

University of Calgary Press  
*Polaris The Chief Scientist's Recollections of the American North Pole Expedition, 1871-73* by  
Emil Bessels  
editor and translator William Barr

University of Alberta Press  
*Farm Workers in Western Canada: Injustices and Activism*  
editor Shirley A. McDonald & Bob Barnetson

University of Calgary Press



*Vulnerability and Adaptation to Drought: The Canadian Prairies and South America* editors  
Harry Diaz, Margot Hurlbert, and Jim Warren

### ***Learning***

Brush Education

*The Complete Canadian Book Editor*

author Leslie Vermeer

editor Lauri Seidlitz

Brush Education

*Cultural Competency Skills for Psychologists, Psychotherapists, and Counselling Professionals:  
A Workbook for Caring Across Cultures*

authors Earle Waugh, Olga Szafran, Dr. Jean A. C. Triscott, Roger Parent

editors Lauri Seidlitz, Meaghan Craven

Brush Education

*The Primary Care Toolkit for Anxiety and Related Disorders Quick, Practical Solutions for  
Assessment and Management*

author Dr. Bianca Lauria-Horner

editors Lauri Seidlitz, Alison Lilian, Nicholle Carrière

Durville Publications Ltd

*Stop Making Art and Die: Survival Activities for Artists*

author Rich Theroux

editor Jessica Szabo

### ***Speculative Fiction***

Hades Publications

*The Salarian Desert Game: Book Two in the Unintentional Adventures of Kia and Agatha* by

J.A. McLachlan



Tyche Books Ltd  
*Stalking the Dead* by EC Bell

Laksa Media Groups  
*Strangers Among Us: Tales of the Underdogs and Outcasts* (compilation)  
editors Susan Forest and Lucas Law

***Trade Non Fiction presented by MNP***

University of Calgary Press  
*Baffin Island: Field Research and High Arctic Adventure, 1961-67* by Jack D. Ives

Historical Society of Alberta  
*Edmonton House Journals: Reports from the Saskatchewan District, Including the Bow River District* by Ted Binnema and Gerhard J. Ens  
editor David W. Leonard

University of Calgary Press  
*The Frontier of Patriotism: Alberta and the First World War* by  
Adriana Davies and Jeff Keshen

Brush Education  
*Native Plants for the Short Season Yard: Best Picks for the Chinook and Canadian Prairie Zones*  
by Lyndon Penner

***Trade Fiction***

Stonehouse Publishing  
*Kalya* by Pam Clarke

NeWest Press  
*Paper Teeth* by Lauralyn Chow



University of Alberta Press  
*Rising Abruptly* by Gisèle Villeneuve

Freehand Books  
*White Elephant* by Catherine Cooper

editors Lauri Seidlitz, Canessa Young, Sandra Bit

***Emerging Publisher of the Year***

Winner will be announced at the Alberta Book Awards Gala.

***Publisher of the Year***

Athabasca University Press  
NeWest Press  
University of Calgary Press