

Lois Hole Award for Editorial Excellence

The Lois Hole Award for Editorial Excellence is presented to an Alberta book publisher in recognition of outstanding editorial work on books published during the award year. More than one prize may be awarded by the jury in a given year.

This award is named in honour of Lois Hole (1929–2005) for her dedication to books, libraries, literacy, and her respect for editors. Her devotion to the cultural life of our province remains an inspiration to all Albertans.

Criteria

Entries must include a synopsis (200 word maximum) which describes the goals of the project and how these goals were met in completing the process of bringing a book to its audience.

Size, complexity, accuracy, professionalism, and sensitivity will be considered in determining the success of the editorial process, but the primary factor determining the award is a demonstration of understanding what is necessary and the method(s) of achieving that goal.

All materials should be labelled and/or annotated so that the jurors understand their significance.

Jurors will not be expected to do line-by-line analysis of the work done.

Please ensure submissions are clear and concise.