

Report on the Awards to Scholarly **Publications Program**

Program year 2016-17

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Purpose

This report provides information about the Awards to Scholarly Publications Program (ASPP) for the program year April 2016 to March 2017. It provides details on two distinct areas of the program: works funded and operational activities.

About the ASPP

The Awards to Scholarly Publications Program is a key activity of the Federation for the Humanities and Social Sciences. Formerly known as the Aid to Scholarly Publications Program, the ASPP is a competitive funding program with a mandate to support books of advanced scholarship in the humanities and social sciences that make an important contribution to knowledge. Since 1941, the ASPP has supported the publication of over 7,000 books that have helped to enrich the social, cultural and intellectual life of Canada and the world.

Each year, the ASPP offers 180 Publication Grants of \$8,000 and five Translation Grants of \$12,000, contributing 1.5 million dollars to the dissemination of Canadian research.

The ASPP is funded by the Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada.

Report on Works Funded

All ASPP grants are approved in principle prior to publication and are paid following publication directly to the publisher.

Summary

The ASPP paid out 185 Publication Grants and 2 Translation Grants from April 1, 2016 to March 31, 2017.

	2016-2017		2015-2016		2014-2015		2013-2014	
Total number of works receiving ASPP funding	187		187		186		185	
Works in English	160	(86%)	170	(91%)	160	(86%)	166	(90%)
Works in French	27	(14%)	17	(9%)	26	(14%)	19	(10%)
Works on topics in the social sciences	98	(52%)	126	(67%)	131	(70%)	120	(65%)
Works on topics in the humanities	89	(48%)	61	(33%)	55	(30%)	65	(35%)
Works by first time authors ¹	74	(40%)	55	(29%)	49	(26%)	54	(29%)
Works based on research funded by SSHRC	89	(48%)	96	(51%)	98	(53%)	89	(48%)

¹At time of application



Publisher recipients

The following chart shows the number of ASPP grants disbursed by publisher, between April 1, 2016 and March 31, 2017:

Publisher	Number of Grants Paid
McGill-Queen's University Press	63
University of Toronto Press	39
UBC Press	32
Presses de l'Université de Montréal	11
University of Ottawa Press	9
Presses de l'Université Laval	8
University of Manitoba Press	6
University of Alberta Press	4
University of Calgary Press	4
Wilfrid Laurier University Press	3
Éditions Nota Bene	2
Fernwood Publishing	2
Between the Lines	1
Le Quartanier	1
Pontifical Institute of Mediaeval Studies	1
University of Regina Press	1

Bibliography of funded works

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Report on Operational Activities

The year 2016-2017 was one focused on stability and continuity for the ASPP as the program welcomed a new Program Officer in September. Apart from a significant modification to the format of the Canada Prizes, there were no major changes to the program's guidelines. In addition to its regular operations, the ASPP is participating in the newly formed Canadian Scholarly Publishing Working Group, which is described below.

Canada Prizes

In August 2016, the Federation announced a new format for the Canada Prizes, following a review and assessment of means to build the profile of these prestigious prizes, which have been celebrated for 25 years. The number of prizes was changed from four to two, (one French and one English book) and the value of each prize was doubled. This change is meant to reflect the inherent interdisciplinarity of the humanities and social sciences.

In 2017, two prizes of \$5,000 will be awarded:

- Canada Prize in the Humanities and Social Sciences
- Prix du Canada en sciences humaines et sociales

Open Access

Canadian Scholarly Publishing Working Group

The Federation and the ASPP continued their commitment to Open Access by participating in the Canadian Scholarly Publishing Working Group. Organized by the Canadian Association of Research Libraries, the working group gathers a diverse group of participants including scholarly publishers, academic libraries, funders, and researchers that met between July 2016 and April 2017. The goals of the group are to "develop a framework for advanced, robust, sustainable, collaborative models for the Canadian dissemination of the scholarly record." An interim report was released January 31, 2017 and the final report is forthcoming.

Survey of the socio-economic situation of Canadian journals

This past program year, the Federation's Executive Director and board member Michael Sinatra, Director, Research Dissemination were active members of the Advisory Board that provided input on a study entitled "Shaping a Collective Future: An Investigation into Canadian Scholarly Journals' Socio-Economic Reality and an Outlook on the Partnership Model for Open Access." The survey was conducted in anticipation of the transformation of Érudit's commercial agreement with the Canadian Research Knowledge Network into a partnership with the Canadian research libraries in support of Open Access publishing for Canadian journals.

Bookmark It! Blog Series

In 2016-17, the ASPP continued publishing its blog series, Bookmark It! Introduced in July 2015, the monthly blog series celebrates ASPP-funded books by highlighting and sharing the story behind some of these fascinating and important books. Some books that were featured in 2016-



17 include *One Child Reading: My Auto-Bibliography* by Margaret Mackey and *Se dire arabe au Canada: un siècle d'histoire migratoire* by Houda Asal. All blogs in the series can be found here: http://www.ideas-idees.ca/blog-category/bookmark-it.

Application Assessment and Approval Level

The ASPP uses the following numerical assessment system for Publication Grant applications:

Score	Descriptor
5.0-6.0	Excellent. Strongly recommended for funding. The work is at the forefront of its field, and it will have significant impact within its discipline. The work's methodological/theoretical framework is strong. The manuscript is well-structured and well written. The work's contribution to knowledge is important.
4.0-4.9	Very good. Recommended for funding. The work meets all the standards for high quality within its field and makes a major contribution within its discipline. The work's methodological/theoretical framework is sound, though some parts of it might have been strengthened. The manuscript has structural integrity, and is generally well-written. The work's contribution to knowledge is of some importance.
3.0-3.9	Good. Recommended for funding if funds are available. The work meets most of the standards for high quality within its field, and makes a modest though interesting contribution within its discipline, but lacks distinction in at least one of the following areas: methodological/theoretical framework, structure, writing style, and/or importance.
2.9 or less	Not recommended for funding. The work meets some of the standards for achievement within its field, but makes only a limited contribution within its discipline, and is flawed in at least one of the following areas: methodological/theoretical framework, structure, writing style, and/or importance.

The ASPP's Publications Committee, which assesses applications for the awarding of Publication Grants, scores each application according to this scale. Then each application is ranked along with all other applications scored in that month and the top ranking applications are approved.

The average monthly cut-off point for this program year was 4.5, and no application scoring 4.6 or above was declined for funding. This cut-off point is not fixed and may change in subsequent years.

Summary of Activities²

The following table outlines the operational activities of the ASPP from April 1, 2016 to March 31, 2017.

Applications	2016-2017	2015-2016	2014-2015	2013-2014
Received	270	262	252	218
Approved	180	181	179	157
Declined	94	66	67	120
Revise and Resubmit ³	0	0	0	1
Withdrawn	2	3	2	12
Ineligible	2	6	4	6

² For the following charts, the number of applications approved, declined, etc. will not equal the number of applications received, because applications are often resolved in a year other than the one in which they were received.

³ Applications invited to Revise and Resubmit in 2013-2014 were received on or before March 31, 2013. For applications received on or after April 1, 2013, any application that was declined may be resubmitted after the work has been revised. It may only be resubmitted once and it must be resubmitted within two years of being declined.



At the conclusion of the 2016-2017 program year, approximately **35 applications** were still **in process**.

The following breakdown by language is for information only; the language of an application is not a criterion for funding approval.

Applications	2016-2017		2015-2016		2014-2015		2013-2014	
Language	EN	FR	EN	FR	EN	FR	EN	FR
Received	227	43	222	40	221	31	197	21
Approved	152	28	161	20	154	25	134	23
Declined	80	14	53	13	59	8	101	19
Revise and Resubmit	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Withdrawn	2	0	2	1	2	0	0	12
Ineligible	0	2	4	2	3	1	3	3

Of the 35 applications still in process at the conclusion of the 2016-2017 year, **26** were for works in **English** and **9** were for works in **French**.

Approval Rate

Between April 1, 2016 and March 31, 2017, there were 274 Publication Grant applications that were processed and brought to a resolution. Of these, 180 were approved, for an **overall approval rate** of **66%**.

Response Time

For applications brought to a resolution between April 1, 2016 and March 31, 2017, the **average response time** (from the date the application was received to the date the decision letter was issued) was **12.7 weeks**.

Translation Grants

Each year, the ASPP offers up to five Translation Grants to support translations of scholarly books. The ASPP's Academic Council meets twice a year to make decisions on the awarding of Translation Grants.

The ASPP received 12 Translation Grant applications in 2016-2017. Exceptionally, the ASPP was able to award seven grants since two unused grants from last year were transferred to this year.

The ASPP is very pleased that one of those seven grants was awarded for the work *Uqalurait: An Oral History of Nunavut* edited by John Bennett and Susan Rowley that will be translated from English to Inuktitut. It is the first time that a Translation Grant is awarded to a title that will be translated to a Canadian Aboriginal language.



Awards

Many ASPP-funded books go on to win awards within their disciplines. As well, the Federation also awards the Canada Prizes to the best scholarly books in the humanities and social sciences that have received funding from the ASPP.

2017 Canada Prizes

Celebrating the best Canadian scholarly books—not simply within a single academic discipline, but across all the disciplines of the humanities and social sciences—the Canada Prizes are awarded to ASPP-funded books that make an exceptional contribution to scholarship, are engagingly written, and enrich the social, cultural and intellectual life of Canada. Two prizes of \$5,000 are awarded. This year's Canada Prizes winners are:

Canada Prize in the Humanities and Social Sciences

Arthur J. Ray, Aboriginal Rights Claims and the Making and Remaking of History (McGill-Queen's University Press)

Finalists

- Emilie Cameron, Far Off Metal River: Inuit Lands, Settler Stories, and the Making of the Contemporary Arctic (University of British Columbia Press)
- Gerhard J. Ens and Joseph Sawchuk, From New Peoples to New Nations: Aspects of Métis
 History and Identity from the Eighteenth to Twenty-First Centuries (University of Toronto
 Press)
- Sean Mills, A Place in the Sun: Haiti, Haitians, and the Remaking of Quebec (McGill-Queen's University Press)
- Donald Wright, Donald Creighton: A Life in History (University of Toronto Press)

Prix du Canada en sciences humaines et sociales

Mylène Bédard, Écrire en temps d'insurrections : Pratiques épistolaires et usages de la presse chez les femmes patriotes (1830-1840) (Presses de l'Université de Montréal)

Finalists

- Amélie Bourbeau, Techniciens de l'organisation sociale. La réorganisation de l'assistance catholique privée à Montréal (1930-1974) (McGill-Queen's University Press)
- Marie-France Labrecque, La migration saisonnière des Mayas du Yucatan au Canada. La dialectique de la mobilité (Presses de l'Université Laval)
- Guillaume Pinson, La culture médiatique francophone en Europe et en Amérique du Nord.
 De 1760 à la veille de la Seconde Guerre mondiale (Presses de l'Université Laval)
- Ania Wroblewski, La vie des autres. Sophie Calle et Annie Ernaux, artistes hors-la-loi (Presses de l'Université de Montréal)



Other Awards

Over the past year, many ASPP-funded titles have gone on to win or contend for other awards, including the following:

Alanna Bondar Memorial Book Prize, 2016 (Finalist): Nancy Turner, *Ancient Pathways, Ancestral Knowledge:* Ethnobotany and Ecological Wisdom of Indigenous Peoples of Northwestern North America. Volume 1 and Volume 2, McGill-Queen's University Press

Alexander Kennedy Isbister Award (Shortlisted): Maureen Matthews, *Naamiwan's Drum: The Story of a Contested Repatriation of Anishinaabe Artefacts*, University of Toronto Press

Arts Award for Scholarly Writing awarded by Saskatchewan Book Awards (Shortlisted): Phillip Hansen, Reconsidering C.B. Macpherson: From Possessive Individualism to Democratic Theory and Beyond, University of Toronto Press

Best Book Award al mejor libro 2016 de la Asociación Canadiense de Hispanistas (Winner): Stephen Henighan, Sandino's Nation: Ernesto Cardenal and Sergio Ramírez Writing Nicaragua, 1940-2012, McGill-Queen's University Press Canadian Society for the Study of Religion (CSSR) 2016 Book Prize (Winner): Phyllis Airhart, A Church with the Soul of a Nation: Making and Remaking the United Church of Canada, McGill-Queen's University Press

CHOICE Outstanding Academic Title (Winner): Gerhard J. Ens and Joe Sawchuk, From New Peoples to New Nations: Aspects of Métis History and Identity from the Eighteenth to the Twenty-first Centuries, University of Toronto Press Clio-Québec prize, 2016 (Winner): Amélie Bourbeau, Techniciens de l'organisation sociale: la réorganisation de l'assistance catholique privée à Montréal (1930-1974), McGill-Queen's University Press

Democracy 250 Atlantic Book Award for Historical Writing (Finalist): Kurt Korneski, *Conflicted Colony*, McGill-Queen's University Press

Donald Grant Creighton Award, 2015 (Winner): Hugh Grant, W.A. Mackintosh: The Life of a Canadian Economist, McGill-Queen's University Press

Donald Smiley Prize (Shortlisted): Robert Schertzer, *The Judicial Role in a Diverse Federation: Lessons from the Supreme Court of Canada*, University of Toronto Press

Eileen McTavish Sykes Award (Shortlisted): Maureen Matthews, *Naamiwan's Drum: The Story of a Contested Repatriation of Anishinaabe Artefacts*, University of Toronto Press

Gabrielle Roy Prize, 2015 (Winner): Winfried Siemerling, *The Black Atlantic Reconsidered: Black Canadian Writing, Cultural History, and the Presence of the Past*, McGill-Queen's University Press

Gabrielle Roy Prize, 2016 (Finalist): Paul Huebener, *Timing Canada: The Shifting Politics of Time in Canadian Literary Culture,* McGill-Queen's University Press

Geographical Society of Ireland 2013-2015 Book of the Year Award (Winner): William Jenkins, *Between Raid and Rebellion: The Irish in Buffalo and Toronto, 1867-1916*, McGill-Queen's University Press

John Hirsch Award (Shortlisted): Maureen Matthews, *Naamiwan's Drum: The Story of a Contested Repatriation of Anishinaabe Artefacts*, University of Toronto Press

Mary W. Klinger Book Award, 2016 (Winner): Nancy Turner, Ancient Pathways, Ancestral Knowledge: Ethnobotany and Ecological Wisdom of Indigenous Peoples of Northwestern North America. Volume 1 and Volume 2, McGill-Queen's University Press

McNally Robinson Book of the Year (Shortlisted): Maureen Matthews, Naamiwan's Drum: The Story of a Contested Repatriation of Anishinaabe Artefacts. University of Toronto Press

Melva J. Dwyer Award (Shortlisted): Arni Brownstone, *War Paintings of the Tsuu T'ina Nation*, University of Alberta Press

Patrick O'Neill Award (Winner): Jan Selman and Jane Heather, Theatre, Teens, Sex Ed, University of Alberta Press Peter J Cashin award for the best book in Newfoundland History or Political Science (Winner): Jeff A. Webb, Observing the Outports: Describing Newfoundland Culture. 1950-1980. University of Toronto Press

Prix du livre politique de la présidence de l'Assemblée nationale, 2015 (Winner): Sean Mills, A Place in the Sun, McGill-Queen's University Press

Prix Gabrielle-Roy, 2016 (Finalist): Alex Gagnon, La communauté du dehors. Imaginaire social et crimes célèbres au Québec (XIXe-XXe siècle), Les Presses de l'Université de Montréal

Prix Gabrielle-Roy, 2016 (Finalist): Frédéric Rondeau, Le manque en partage. La poésie de Michel Beaulieu et Gilbert Langevin, Les Presses de l'Université de Montréal

Prix Lionel Groulx, 2016 (Winner): Mary Anne Poutanen, *Beyond Brutal Passions: Prostitution in Early Nineteenth-Century Montreal*, McGill-Queen's University Press



Prix littéraire Trillium 2016, en langue française (Finalist): Caroline Durand, *Nourrir la machine humaine : nutrition et alimentation au Québec, 1860-1945*, McGill-Queen's University Press

Scholarly and Academic Book Award, Alberta Book Awards (Shortlisted): Faye Hammill and Michelle Smith, Magazines, Travel, and Middlebrow Culture, UAP

Sir John A. Macdonald Prize, 2016 (Finalist): Caroline Durand, Nourrir la machine humaine: nutrition et alimentation au Québec, 1860-1945, McGill-Queen's University Press

Sir John A. Macdonald Prize, 2016 (Finalist): Douglas McCalla, Consumers in the Bush: Shopping in Rural Upper Canada, McGill-Queen's University Press

Sir John A. Macdonald Prize, 2016 (Winner): Robert Sweeny, Why Did We Choose to Industrialize?: Montreal, 1819-1849, McGill-Queen's University Press

Socio-Legal Theory and History Prize (Winner): Emily Grabham, *Brewing Legal Times: Things, Form, and the Enactment of Law*, University of Toronto Press

The Basil Stuart-Stubbs Prize (Shortlisted): Ronald W. Hawker, Yakuglas' Legacy: The Art and Times of Charlie James, University of Toronto Press

University of Regina Arts and Luther College Award for Scholarly Writing (Winner): Mareike Neuhaus, *The Decolonizing Poetics of Indigenous Literatures*, University of Regina Press

Wallace K. Ferguson Prize (Shortlisted): Cristian Berco, *From Body to Community: Venereal Disease and Society in Baroque Spain*, University of Toronto Press



Governance and administration of the ASPP

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As a key activity of the Federation, the ASPP is run by a team that regularly provides input on policy, administration and communications. While all Federation staff members indirectly support the ASPP, the following individuals were all directly involved in the management and support of the program this year:

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