Join the Scholarly Book Awards Publications Committee!

What are the Scholarly Book Awards

- The Scholarly Book Awards, formally the Awards to Scholarly Publications Program (ASPP), provide financial support for the publication and translation of scholarly books in the humanities and social sciences.
- This competitive program awards 180 Publication Grants of $8,000 and 5 Translation Grants of $30,000 annually.
- Open Access publishing is encouraged via supplemental Publication Grants of $8,000 for books, and $2,000 for chapters.
- One of 5 Translation Grants is dedicated to translation into Indigenous languages.
- Applications are received continuously throughout the year.

Why you should join the Publications Committee

- The Publications Committee, comprised of specialists in all primary disciplines of the humanities and social sciences, evaluates grant applications and issue funding recommendations continuously throughout the year.
- If you enjoy seeing a wide variety of cutting-edge research in your discipline, and would like to contribute to their dissemination, this role is for you!

What you will do

- This a volunteer position with a term of office of three (3) years, for up to two (2) terms.
- You can expect to review about 12 to 15 applications per year, varying by discipline and by year.
- You are not required to read the entire manuscripts.
- Your focus will be on the peer review reports submitted with the application and the author’s response to those reports.

Who can join

- We are looking for committee members who read English, French or both.
- Committee members should have authored at least one scholarly book in their subject area.

To learn more or apply, you can visit our website or reach out to us via email at aspp-paes@federationhss.ca.