

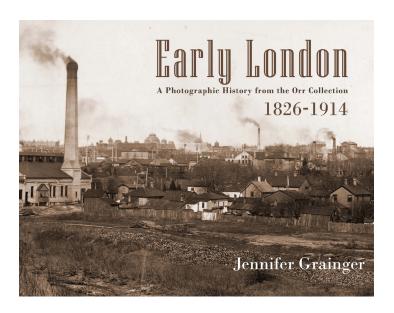
## **Local Historian Jennifer Grainger Recognized with Honourable Mention**

Honourable Mention for OHS Fred Landon Award Announced June 10, 2017 York University Senate Chambers, Toronto, Ontario

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In 1967, The Ontario Historical Society (OHS) established an awards program to recognize individuals, organizations, corporations, and authors who have contributed significantly to the preservation and promotion of Ontario's heritage.

The Fred Landon Award recognizes the best book on local or regional history in Ontario published in the past three years, The OHS is pleased to announce that the honourable mention of the 2016 Fred Landon Award is Jennifer Grainger for her book Early London, 1826-1914: A Photographic History from the Orr Collection, published by Biblioasis.



The Ontario Historical Society is recognizing an excellent book in the local or regional history in Ontario published in the last three years. Jennifer Grainger's Early London presents a fascinating collection of illustrations and photographs of London, Ontario. Smartly curated with concise introductions and captions, each chapter provides an informative glimpse into the city's early streetscapes, workplaces, and leisure activities.

The Honours and Awards Committee of the Ontario Historical Society is pleased to present the honourable mention for the 2016 Fred Landon Award to Jennifer Grainger.

The honourable mention was announced at the Annual General Meeting of the Ontario Historical Society at the York University Senate Chambers in Toronto, Ontario.

Founded in 1888, the Ontario Historical Society is a non-profit corporation and registered charity dedicated to the preservation and celebration of Ontario's history for people of all ages and cultural backgrounds.

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