

Recognizing Excellence in Ontario's Heritage Community Ontario Historical Society's 2013 Award Recipients Announced

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In 1967, the Ontario Historical Society (OHS) established an awards programme to recognize individuals, organizations, corporations and authors who have made significant contributions to the preservation and promotion of Ontario's history and heritage.

Dr. Ian Radforth, Chair of the Honours and Awards Committee of The Ontario Historical Society, is pleased to announce the recipients for 2013:

Scadding Award of Excellence

Outstanding contribution to the field of history by a historical society or heritage group **The Living History Multimedia Association**

Dorothy Duncan Award

Outstanding service by a non-profit organization, nominated by a Municipal or a First Nations Council

Great Lakes Storm of 1913 Remembrance Committee

President's Award

Excellence in heritage conservation by a corporation, business or executive **Denis Langlois**, Owen Sound

Cruikshank Medal

Performing with distinction on behalf of The Ontario Historical Society **Thomas F. McIlwraith**, Mississauga

Carnochan Award

Outstanding volunteerism and many years of service to Ontario's heritage community **Elwood H. Jones**, Peterborough **Danièle Caloz**, Toronto

Joseph Brant Award

Best book on multicultural history in Ontario

William Jenkins Between Raid and Rebellion: The Irish in Buffalo and Toronto,

1867-1916 (McGill-Queen's University Press)

Fred Landon Award

Best book on regional or local history in Ontario

John L. Riley The Once and Future Great Lakes Country: An Ecological History

(McGill-Queen's University Press)

Alison Prentice Award

Best book on women's history in Ontario

Nina Reid-Maroney The Reverend Jennie Johnson and African Canadian History,

1868-1967 (University of Rochester Press)

J. J. Talman Award

Best book on social, economic, political, or cultural history in Ontario

John Clarke

The Ordinary People of Essex: Environment, Culture, and

Economy on the Frontier of Upper Canada (McGill-Queen's)

Riddell Award

Best article on Ontario's history last year

Michael Commito "The Rise of Dubreuil Brothers Limited, 1948-1973,"

Ontario History, Autumn 2013

Donald Grant Creighton Award

Best book of biography or autobiography highlighting life in Ontario, past or present

Donald B. Smith Mississauga Portraits: Ojibwe Voices from Nineteenth-Century

<u>Canada</u> (*University of Toronto Press*)

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*Book awards for those published in the past three years

The Ontario Historical Society

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