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OHS J.J. Talman Award Presented to Scott Rutherford for *Canada's Other Red Scare: Indigenous Protest and Colonial Encounters during the Global Sixties*

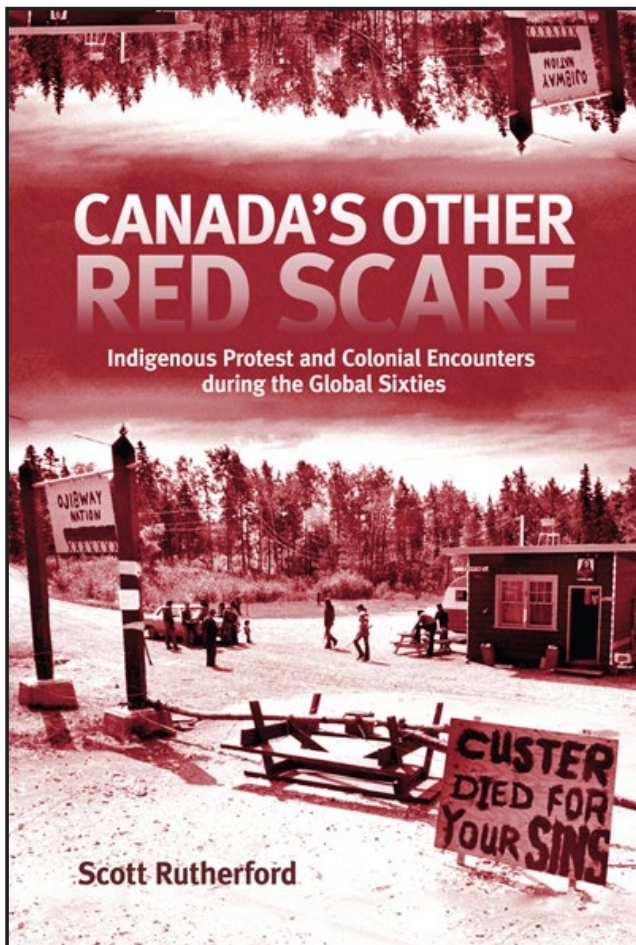
The Ontario Historical Society is pleased to present the 2020-21 J.J. Talman Award for best book on Ontario's social, economic, political, or cultural history to Scott Rutherford for his book *Canada's Other Red Scare: Indigenous Protest and Colonial Encounters during the Global Sixties*, published by McGill-Queen's University Press.

Rutherford's book sensitively explores Indigenous protest in Northwestern Ontario in the 1960s and 1970s. It carefully documents and reconstructs the debates connected with the demonstrations and resistance of the period, giving Indigenous participants the opportunity to speak and make a case for change. Rutherford frames the local events brilliantly, showing how they were very much a part of far-flung anti-colonial movements and campaigns for racial justice characteristic of the "Global Sixties." In a manner that other settler historians might emulate, Rutherford deftly positions himself in the narrative without imposing an authoritative voice. Thought-provoking and illuminating, the book shows how knowledge of past struggles for justice can illuminate today's challenges as Indigenous people continue to combat the consequences of settler colonialism.

The Honours and Awards Committee congratulates Scott Rutherford.

IN ACCEPTING THE AWARD, SCOTT RUTHERFORD RESPONDED:

Thank you to the Ontario Historical Society for granting my book this prestigious award, which was completely unexpected. The kind and thoughtful words of the adjudicating committee were humbling. I am grateful for anyone who may find their way to these histories and this book because of it.



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