

**WPSA AWARDS ANNOUNCED AT THE  
2018 ANNUAL MEETING**

The 2018 awards were presented at the WPSA Business Meeting on Friday, March 30, at 5:15 p.m. in room Garden A of the Hyatt Regency Hotel, San Francisco.

**DON T. NAKANISHI AWARD FOR DISTINGUISHED SCHOLARSHIP AND SERVICE IN ASIAN PACIFIC AMERICAN POLITICS (\$250)**

To: Diane Wong, Cornell University

Paper title: "The Politics of Staying Put: (Re)generation Not Gentrification of New York City's Chinatown"

**BETTY MOULDS LIFETIME SERVICE AWARD (\$250)**

To: Timothy Kaufman-Osborn, Baker Ferguson Professor of Politics and Leadership, Whitman College

**BETTY NESVOLD WOMEN AND POLITICS AWARD (\$250)**

To: Edana Beauvais, McGill University

Paper title: "Discursive Inequity and the Internal Exclusion of Women Speakers"

**BLACKS AND POLITICS AWARD (\$250)**

To: Jennifer Garcia, Oberlin College, and Christopher Stout, Oregon State University

Paper title: "Racism and Policymaking: How Racial Resentment Shapes Legislative Behavior in the U.S. Congress"

**CHARLES REDD AWARD FOR BEST PAPER ON THE POLITICS OF THE AMERICAN WEST (\$250)**

To: Daniel Tichenor, University of Oregon, and Robin Jacobson, University of Puget Sound

Paper title: "The Uneven Welcome: Diversity, Power, and Identity in the U.S. Southwest"

**CLAY MORGAN AWARD FOR BEST BOOK IN ENVIRONMENTAL POLITICAL THEORY**

To: John Meyer, Humboldt State University

Book title: *Engaging the Everyday: Environmental Social Criticism and the Resonance Dilemma* (MIT Press, 2015)

**DISSERTATION AWARD (\$250)**

To: Nazita Lajevardi, Michigan State University

For her dissertation completed at the University of California, San Diego: "A Comprehensive Study of Muslim American Discrimination by Legislators, the Media, and the Masses"

**ENVIRONMENTAL POLITICAL THEORY AWARD (\$250)**

To: Christian Hunold, Drexel University

Paper title: "Green Infrastructure and Urban Wildlife: From Animal Control to Shared Existence?"

Honorable mention to: Piers H.G. Stephens

Paper title: "Environmental Exploitation: A Preliminary Examination of the Terrain"

**LATINA/LATINO POLITICS (\$250)**

To: Mackenzie Israel-Trummel, University of Oklahoma, and Allyson Shortle, University of Oklahoma

Paper title: "Mobilizing Fears: Perceptions of Deportation Risk and Political Participation in 2016"

**PI SIGMA ALPHA AWARD (\$500)**

To: Rebekah Herrick, Oklahoma State University, and Jeanette Mendez, Oklahoma State University

Paper title: "American Indian Identity's influence on Party Identification"

**POLITICAL RESEARCH QUARTERLY BEST ARTICLE AWARD (\$1000)**

To: Tiffany D. Barnes, University of Kentucky, and Erin C. Cassese, West Virginia University

For their March 2017 *PRQ* article: "American Party Women: A Look at the Gender Gap within Parties"