

**COLORADO BOOK AWARDS FINALISTS
For Books Published in 2007**

Anthology/Collection

| Name | City | Book Title | Publisher |
|--|--------------|--|-----------------------------|
| Laura Pritchett, Richard Knight, Jeff Lee, editors | Bellvue | <i>Home Land: Ranching and a West That Works</i> | Johnson Books |
| Jan Whitt, author | Superior | <i>Reflections in a Critical Eye</i> | University Press of America |
| Gary Wockner, Laura Pritchett, editors | Fort Collins | <i>Pulse of the River: Colorado Writers Speak for the Endangered Cache la Poudre</i> | Johnson Books |

Children's Literature

| Name | City | Book Title | Publisher |
|------------------------------------|-----------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------|
| T.A. Barron, author | Boulder | <i>The Day the Stones Walked</i> | Philomel Books |
| William Low, illustrator | | | |
| Steve Jenkins, author | Boulder | <i>Living Color</i> | Houghton Mifflin |
| Claudia Cangilla McAdam, author | Highlands Ranch | <i>Maria's Mysterious Mission</i> | Westcliffe Publishing |
| Anna-Maria Crum, illustrator | | | |
| John Fielder, photographer | | | |

Creative Non-Fiction

| Name | City | Book Title | Publisher |
|-------------------------------------|-------------|---|-----------------------|
| Kim Reid, author | Boulder | <i>No Place Safe: a family memoir</i> | Kensington Publishing |
| Jim Sheeler, author | Boulder | <i>Obit: Inspiring stories of ordinary people who led extraordinary lives</i> | Pruett Publishing |
| Guillermo Vincente Vidal, author | Denver | <i>Boxing for Cuba</i> | Ghost Road Press |

Fiction

| Name | City | Book Title | Publisher |
|--------------------------------|--------------|---|--------------------|
| aaron a. abeyta, author | Antonito | <i>Rise, Do Not Be Afraid</i> | Ghost Road Press |
| Jennifer S. Davis, author | Denver | <i>Our Former Lives in Art: Stories</i> | Random House |
| Teresa R. Funke, author | Fort Collins | <i>Dancing in Combat Boots: and Other Stories of American Women in World War II</i> | Bailiwick Press |
| Gary Schanbacher, author | Littleton | <i>Migration Patterns: Stories</i> | Fulcrum Publishing |

History/Biography

| Name | City | Book Title | Publisher |
|---|------------------|--|--|
| Tim Blevins, Matt Mayberry, Chris Nicholl, Calvin Otto, Nancy Thaler, editors | Colorado Springs | <i>"To Spare No Pains": Zebulon Montgomery Pike and His 1806-1807 Southwest Expedition, a bicentennial commemoration</i> | Pikes Peak Library District with the Colorado Springs Pioneer Museum |
| Richard Gould, author | Denver | <i>The Life and Times of Richard Castro</i> | The Colorado Historical Society |
| Lisa Ray Turner, Kimberly Field, authors | Centennial | <i>The Denver Mint: 100 Years of Gangsters, Gold, and Ghosts</i> | Mapletree Publishing |
| Flint Whitlock, Terry Barnhart, authors | Denver | <i>Capt. Jepp and the Little Black Book: How Barnstormer and Aviation Pioneer Elrey B. Jeppesen Made the Skies Safe for Everyone</i> | Savage Press |

Non-Fiction

| Name | City | Book Title | Publisher |
|--|-------------|--|-----------------------|
| Carol Ekarius, author | Hartsel | <i>Storey's Illustrated Guide to Poultry Breeds</i> | Storey Publishing |
| Joy Hakim, author | Englewood | <i>The Story of Science: Einstein Adds a New Dimension</i> | Smithsonian Books |
| Thomas J. Noel, author | Denver | <i>Guide to Colorado Historic Places</i> | Westcliffe Publishers |
| Kirk Johnson, author Ray Troll, illustrator | Denver | <i>Crusin' the Fossil Freeway</i> | Fulcrum Publishing |

Pictorial

| Name | City | Book Title | Publisher |
|---|-------------|--|--------------------------------------|
| Dave Showalter, author | Arvada | <i>Prarie Thunder: The Nature of Colorado's Great Plains</i> | Skyline Press |
| Dianne Howie | Denver | <i>Theatre of Dreams: The Glorious Central City Opera - Celebrating 75 Years</i> | Central City Opera House Association |
| Ann Scarlett Daley, Michael Paglia, authors | Denver | <i>Landscapes of Colorado: Mountains and Plains</i> | Fresco Fine Art Publications |

Poetry

| Name | City | Book Title | Publisher |
|-----------------------|------------------|-------------------------|------------------|
| Robert King, author | Greeley | <i>Old Man Laughing</i> | Ghost Road Press |
| David Mason, author, | Colorado Springs | <i>Ludlow</i> | Red Hen Press |
| Jessy Randall, author | Colorado Springs | <i>A Day in Boyland</i> | Ghost Road Press |
| Anne Waldman, author | Boulder | <i>Outrider</i> | La Alameda Press |

Popular Fiction

| Name | City | Book Title | Publisher |
|---------------------------|--------------|--|--------------------|
| Margaret Coel, author | Boulder | <i>The Girl with Braided Hair</i> | Berkley Publishing |
| Carol Berg, author | Fort Collins | <i>Flesh and Spirit</i> | ROC |
| Melissa Mayhue, author | Loveland | <i>Thirty Nights with a Highland Husband</i> | Pocket Books |

Young Adult

| Name | City | Book Title | Publisher |
|--------------------------|--------------|-------------------------|------------------|
| Todd Mitchell, author | Fort Collins | <i>The Traitor King</i> | Scholastic Press |
| Laura Resau, author | Fort Collins | <i>Red Glass</i> | Random House |
| Teresa Funke, author | Fort Collins | <i>Doing My Part</i> | Bailiwick Press |