

NAPEX 2005

An American Philatelic Society Accredited
National Level Exhibition

LITERATURE PROSPECTUS & ENTRY FORM

The National Philatelic Exhibitions of
Washington, D.C., Inc.

Will hold its 2nd National
Literature Exhibition
JUNE 3 to 5, 2005
At

The McLean Hilton at Tysons Corner
7920 Jones Branch Drive McLean, Virginia 22102

IMPORTANT DATES:

March 1, 2005 **Closing Date** for receipt of entries.

March 15, 2005 **Applicants notified** of acceptance.

April 15, 2005 **Accepted entries** must arrive.

June 3, 2005 **NAPEX** opens at 10:00 am

June 4, 2005 **NAPEX** Awards Banquet at 7:30 pm (tickets may be purchased by Official entry form or at the show).

June 5, 2005 **NAPEX closes at 4:00 pm.**

NAPEX 2005 PHILATELIC LITERATURE EXHIBITION PROSPECTUS AND ENTRY FORM

1. Philatelic literature includes all printed and electronic publications available to collectors related to postage stamps, postal stationery, postal history, and their collection, and to any associated specialized fields. Entries must be predominantly in the English language to be considered for competition in this philatelic literature exhibition. Electronic entries must be submitted on CD (two copies); NAPEX will not be able to accommodate web site entries.

2. Entries will be divided into three categories for the purposes of judging and display, as follows:

a. **HANDBOOKS AND SPECIAL STUDIES:** Separate, self-contained treatment of any aspect of a philatelic subject involving research beyond the level of a standard general catalog. Specialized serial publications such as the American Philatelic Congress Book and similar anthologies will be considered in this category. This category also includes special studies, specialized articles, specialized catalogs, indexes and bibliographies. Entries must have been published within the previous three years (Publication date of 2002 or later). Two copies must be submitted.

b. **PHILATELIC PERIODICALS:** Philatelic society journals, newsletters and similar serial publications of individuals or philatelic groups. Entries must have been published within the previous two years (Publication date of 2003 or later); further, the entry must consist of the most recent complete volume or year published. Two copies must be submitted.

c. **NON-COMPETITIVE:** Those editors, authors and societies wishing to have their works displayed, but who do not wish to compete for awards, may submit one copy of their publication. Entry fees will be waived.

3. A publication may be entered by the author, editor or publisher of the work. Revised editions of publications too old for competition will be considered only if the revision is sufficiently substantial to constitute a "new" edition. In the case of multi-volume works, date of each volume shall determine the date of publication for purposes of competition. Additional technical guidance on philatelic literature exhibiting may be found on the APS web site.

4. The fee is \$30.00 per entry. The fee must accompany each entry form. If more than one item is being entered, a separate entry form and entry fee is required for each. Checks are to be made payable to NAPEX. Closing date for receipt of all entry forms and fees is March 1, 2005. Mailing address is:

Norval Rasmussen
1526 Mileground Rd
Morgantown, WV 26505

5. Applicants will be notified of acceptance by March 15, 2005. Accepted entries must be sent to NAPEX to arrive not later than April 15, 2005.

6. A panel of APS accredited judges will act as jury. Decisions of the jury shall be final. An unlimited number of gold, vermeil, silver, silver-bronze and bronze medals will be available to the jury. Additionally, one or more awards of special merit may be made available for presentation. Exhibitors may request additional certificates (for co-authors, editors, publishers, etc.) for \$5 each.

7. Awards will be announced at the NAPEX Awards Banquet. The medal awarded, certificate and Palmares will be presented to the exhibitor at the Awards Banquet, or mailed to the exhibitor after the show. A literature jury critique will be held at the exhibition. Following the exhibition, a written jury evaluation will be sent for each competitive exhibit.

8. Entries will be donated to philatelic libraries at the discretion of the exhibition committee, unless the exhibitor specifically requests return and furnishes return postage. All due care will be taken of the items submitted for the literature exhibition. However, no responsibility shall be attached to any society, organization or individual connected with this event in any manner for any loss or damage arising from participation in this exhibition.

9. A small stack of order forms, application blanks or similar material may be sent with the entries to be made available for visitors to the literature area.

**NAPEX 2005 Literature
Entry Form**

**Please type or print
Submitted by:**

Name _____ **Phone:** _____

Fax Number: _____ **Email:** _____

Address: _____

City: _____ **State:** _____ **Zip Code:** _____

Title of Entry: _____

Author: _____

Editor: _____

Publisher: _____

Purpose of Publication (20 words or less): _____

Name to be placed on award: _____

Entry Category:

___ **A. HANDBOOKS AND SPECIAL STUDIES (PUBLICATION DATE 2002 OR LATER)**

___ **B. PHILATELIC PERIODICALS (PUBLICATION DATE OF 2003 OR LATER)**

___ **C. NON-COMPETITIVE**

Publication Date: _____ **Frequency of Publication (for periodicals)** _____

Language in which publication is printed: _____

Do you want the entries returned? ___ Yes ___ No

Is this publication for sale? ___ Yes ___ No

Cost: _____ **Order from:** _____

Cost of sample: _____ **Yearly Dues:** _____

E-mail: _____

Website: _____

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**NAPEX 2005 Literature
Entry Form
Continued**

Mail form, fee and two copies of the literature entry to:

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Deadline for receipt of entries: April 15, 2005

Literature Entry Fee		\$ 30.00
Additional Certificates @ \$5.00 each	\$.....
Banquet tickets @ \$45.00 each	\$.....
Amount enclosed for return postage (if entry is to be returned)		\$.....
	Total:	\$.....

Method of payment: Check or money order, payable to NAPEX

Exhibitor plans to attend NAPEX ____ Yes ____ No

Exhibitor plans to stay at the McLean Hilton

(a special NAPEX rate of \$108 per night is available from the hotel.) ____ Yes ____ No

I have read and agree to the Rules and Regulations for this exhibition.

Signature: _____ Date: _____