

Handbook of the American Association of Geographers



About the AAG Logo

The AAG logo consists of a world map on the Berghaus Star projection within two concentric circles containing the name of the organization and the year of its founding (1904). The Association adopted the logo in 1911.

Star projections were developed in Austria and Germany in the second half of the nineteenth century. The Berghaus Star projection, developed in 1879 by Hermann Berghaus at the Perthes publishing house in Gotha, Germany is a modification of earlier star projections. It retains the polar azimuthal characteristics of its predecessors, but interrupts the southern hemisphere only five times (at longitudes 16, 88, and 160 degrees West, and 56 and 128 degrees East). The earlier star projections interrupted the southern hemisphere at eight longitudes.

CONSTITUTION OF THE ASSOCIATION OF AMERICAN GEOGRAPHERS (Updated Spring 2017)

I. Name. The name of the organization shall be the Association of American Geographers.

II. Objectives. The objectives of the Association shall be to further professional investigations in geography and to encourage the application of geographic findings in education, government, and business. The Association shall support these objectives by promoting acquaintance and discussion among its members and with scholars in related fields by stimulating research and scientific exploration, by encouraging the publication of scholarly studies, and by performing services to aid the advancement of its members and the field of geography. The Association shall receive and administer funds in support of research and publication in the field of geography.

III. Membership

1. Individual Members. Persons who are interested in the objectives of the Association are eligible for membership and shall become Members upon payment of dues.

2. Institutional Members. Corporations, firms, institutions, libraries, departments, and other scientific, education, and/or business associations interested in the objectives of the Association may become Institutional Members. The Council at its discretion shall determine the types, classes, or categories of such membership.

3. Individual Membership Rights. Members shall have full rights to nominate candidates for the Association and its regional officers, vote thereon, and hold such offices if duly elected; they shall be entitled to participate, under applicable rules, in meetings, programs, and other activities and services of the Association and its regional divisions.

4. Associate Members. Associate memberships are available to members of kindred scholarly associations and societies with which the Association has agreements for reciprocal privileges and services. Associate Members have all the rights of Individual Members except those limited by a specific agreement.

5. Non Discrimination. The Association shall not discriminate on grounds unrelated to professional competence in the execution of its purposes.

IV. Officers, Council, and Committees

1. Officers, Councillors, and Elected Committees. The officers of the Association shall be a President, a Vice President, a Secretary, and a Treasurer. The President and Vice President shall be elected at large. The Secretary and Treasurer shall be elected by Council from among its own members. The Councillors shall be six elected at large, one elected from and by each regional division, and one elected from and by the student members of the Association. Voting shall be conducted in a format and manner determined by the Council, including but not limited to mailed or electronic ballot, or by any other means authorized under applicable District of Columbia law. The duties of the President, Vice President, and Treasurer shall be those normally pertaining to their posts. The Secretary shall serve as Secretary of the Council and the Executive Committee. A Nominating Committee and an Honors Committee shall be elected at large annually. Terms of office shall begin on July 1 following the Annual Meeting of the Association. The terms of office shall be one year for President, Vice President, and members of the Nominating Committee; two years for Secretary and Treasurer, or for the duration of his/her term on Council, and the Honors Committee; three years both for National and for Regional Councillors; and two years for the Student Councillor. The President, Vice President, and those Councillors serving full terms shall not be eligible for reelection for a term not to exceed their Council term. The terms of office of the Councillors shall be arranged so that, except for the Student Councillor, one-third of those elected at-large and one-third of those elected by the Divisions shall be retired each year.

2. Executive Director. An Executive Director appointed by the Council shall manage the affairs of the Association, maintain its Central Office, and serve as an *ex officio*, non-voting member of all administrative committees and on other committees as Council may approve.

3. Council. The Council shall consist of the officers and councillors elected under Section 1, the most recent Past President, and *ex officio*, the Executive Director. The Council shall be the governing body of the Association, establish committees and determine Association policies and procedures; it may assign specific responsibilities to the various officers and committees of the Association. The Council may delegate to officers and to the Executive Director authority to sign contracts.

The Council shall appoint Editors, Assistant Editors, Editorial Boards, and project directors as appropriate. Council shall appoint a parliamentarian to assist the Association at Council meetings and the Annual Business and Special Awards Meeting.

Except as otherwise provided in this Constitution, member(s) of committees may be appointed by the President, subject to the approval of the Council, and shall act according to procedures established by the Council.

The Council shall meet at least once each year at the call of the President. A majority of the voting members of the Council shall constitute a quorum. The Minutes of the Council shall be published as promptly as practicable.

4. Executive Committee. The Executive Committee shall consist of the President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer, and the most recent Past President. The Executive Committee may invite other members to participate in discussion of matters within their special competence. The Executive Committee shall meet when necessary to facilitate the operations of the Association between Council meetings and prepare policy statements for consideration by Council. Actions of the Executive Committee shall be subject to approval by the Council. The

Minutes of the Executive Committee shall be published as promptly as practicable.

V. Meetings

1. Annual Meetings. The Annual Meeting of the Association shall be held at such time and place as the Council may designate. The Council may arrange other meetings in addition to the Annual Meeting.

2. Business Meeting. A Business and Special Awards Meeting shall be held during the Annual Meeting. During the Business Meeting there shall be reports of the officers, and such other business as has been placed on the Agenda by the Council or as proposed by the membership under pertinent rules established by the Council within the scope of Article IV, Section 3, of this Constitution. The Agenda shall be posted during the opening day at the annual meeting. All resolutions adopted by the Council or by an Annual Business Meeting must fall within the scope of the objectives of the Association of American Geographers as stated in Article II of the Constitution; those outside the scope of these objectives are to be ruled out of order. Petitions and resolutions must be submitted in writing or by email to the Executive Director. Petitions and resolutions may be submitted at any time, but if the petitioners would like a resolution considered at the Business Meeting, the petition and resolutions must be submitted in writing to the Executive Director at least 24 hours in advance of the Annual Business Meeting, and must be prominently posted by the same deadline at the Meeting.

VI. Regional Divisions

1. Establishment of Regional Divisions. The Association by vote of the Council may establish Regional Divisions in specific areas and may contribute toward the operation of these divisions. Such divisions shall promote the objectives of the Association in their respective areas and report annually their activities, income, and expenditures to the AAG Office. Upon the establishment of a Division, a Chair and a Secretary-Treasurer shall be appointed by the Council. After an initial term of the appointed officers, not to exceed two years, all officers shall be elected by the Members of the Division. The Council shall determine the boundaries of the Division. On recommendation of the Council and by majority vote of Members voting at the Business Meeting of the Association, a Division may be disbanded for inactivity or other cause.

2. Officers and Duties. Each Division shall have a Chair and such other officers and committees as the Division may authorize. All officers and the Regional Councillors shall be Members of the Association. The Chair shall serve for not more than two consecutive years.

3. Local Chapters. Subject to approval by the Council, the Divisions may authorize local chapters.

VII. Specialty Groups

Groups with special interest in specific subfields of geography may be formed by the Association, under such rules and procedures and with such support as the Council may prescribe, to sponsor professional activities designed to advance the collective state of knowledge in those subfields.

VIII. Changes in the Constitution

Changes in the Constitution proposed either by the Council or by petition of 100 Members may be made by affirmative vote of a majority of Members voting in either of two ways; first, at any regular meeting by mailed or electronic ballot or handed to the Secretary, provided that printed notice of the proposed change was mailed or emailed to all Members with the meeting notice; second, by mailed or electronic ballot, or by any other means authorized under applicable District of Columbia law at any time, provided that 60 days notice of the proposed change has been mailed or emailed to all Members.

BYLAWS OF THE ASSOCIATION OF AMERICAN GEOGRAPHERS

1. Dues. All members shall pay an annual fee as set by Council and the membership. Any increase in dues shall be made in accordance with the restrictions outlined in the Standing Rules of the Association which have been adopted by Council and which have been ratified by the majority of Members voting either in person at the Business Meeting, by mailed or electronic ballot, or by any other means authorized under applicable District of Columbia law. The Council may waive the fee in individual cases that warrant special consideration. Members may obtain a waiver of further payment of the annual fee by making a single payment equal to twenty times the current annual fee (i.e., "life" membership); payments thus made shall be invested in the name of the Association. Institutional Members shall pay an annual fee determined by the Council as appropriate for the type of class represented. Members in arrears shall be dropped from the Association after due notice, according to the procedures established and announced by the Council.

2. Methods of Nomination and Election

a. Officers. The Secretary and Treasurer shall be elected by the Council from among its own members. The Nominating Committee shall make two or more nominations for each other office except that the Vice President may be named as a single candidate for the Presidency. If the Vice President is not able to accept this candidacy, the Nominating Committee must nominate at least two candidates for the Presidency. The Nominating Committee shall submit its slate of candidates to the AAG Office in accordance with the timetable designated by Council in the Standing Rules. The membership shall be promptly notified of these nominations. Additional nominations may be made in writing by any 50 members of the Association if received in the AAG Office within the time frame established by Council and outlined

in the Association's Standing Rules. The Council shall have power to fill vacancies until the next election.

b. Elective Committees. A Nominating Committee of three members and an Honors Committee of three members shall be elected by mailed or electronic ballot or by any other means authorized under applicable District of Columbia law at the same time and in the same manner as officers and at-large Councillors. The Council shall make at least six nominations each for members of the Nominating Committee and of the Honors Committee. Nominations by Council to these committees shall be sent to the Members with the nominations for Officers and Councillors; additional nominations may be made in the manner prescribed for Officers and Councillors. Five years must elapse before a Past President can be a member of the Nominating Committee.

c. Voting By Members: All members of the Association shall have a single vote to cast in all matters. Member voting shall be conducted in a format and manner determined by the Council and as set forth in these Bylaws, including but not limited to mailed or electronic ballot, or by any other means authorized under applicable District of Columbia law. Members unable to vote by electronic means shall have the option by request to vote by other appropriate means.

3. Honors. The Association shall encourage meritorious achievements in geography by awarding honors in special recognition of outstanding contributions toward the advancement or welfare of the profession. The contributions may be in research, applied research, writing, teaching, committee work, administrative work, collaborative work with non geographers, or other aspects of professional geographic work. The Honors Committee shall submit to the Council nominations for awards at least two weeks before the Council fall meeting, accompanied by a statement indicating the contribution which forms the basis of the proposed award. At the Annual Meeting the President shall announce the award of such honors as the Council may have approved.

4. Past President. It shall be the responsibility of the Past President to address the Annual Meeting.

5. Committees. The Council of the Association shall from time to time designate standing committees.

6. Petition and Resolutions.

a. Fifty (50) or more members of the Association may formally petition the Council to initiate an action or to reconsider an action previously taken by the Council or at a Business Meeting.

b. The Council may choose to submit petitions and other matters of concern to the Association Membership for a mail or electronic vote at any time if it so chooses. If the Council submits a petition to the membership, the issue to be voted upon may be accompanied by brief statements from the original petitioners and by those holding opposing views. The Council may also provide a statement from the Council regarding its recommendation for the issue.

c. The Council (or the Executive Committee acting on behalf of the Council) will consider each petition in as timely a manner as possible, and the petitioners will be informed of Council (or Executive Committee) action as soon as is feasible. Such actions will be reported to the Association membership through the Council meeting minutes.

d. If a petition results in a resolution that is passed by the Council or passed by a majority of Association members present at a Business Meeting, a petition of fifty (50) or more members may request that the resolution be voted on by the Association membership as a whole. If the petition is deemed by the Secretary to be in good order, the Council must submit the resolution to a vote of the membership.

e. If a petition requests the Association to make a public statement on behalf of the Association membership, the public statement must fall within the scope of the objectives of the Association as specified in Article II of the Constitution, and it must be in accordance with the guidelines for public statements as outlined in the Standing Rules. The Council shall determine whether petitions fall within the scope of the Association objectives.

7. Publications. The Association shall issue such publications as the Council may determine.

8. Affirmative Action. In accordance to Article III, Section 5, of the Constitution, the Association shall not discriminate on grounds unrelated to professional competence such as race, religion, sex, age, national origin, or physical handicap, and shall promote policies of affirmative action among its members and the institutions with which they are affiliated with respect to hiring, admission to graduate studies, promotion and tenure, research funding, publication, and other professional activities.

9. Signatures. The Council of the Association has sole authority to designate persons eligible to issue checks, sign other financial documents, or otherwise represent the Association as its agent. Each signatory must be bonded.

10. Amendments. The Bylaws may be amended by a majority of the Members voting at the Business Meeting of the Association, such vote to be followed by, and to take effect upon, ratification by a mailed or electronic vote of all Members if the Council shall so determine.

11. Standing Rules. Additional information on the policies concerning the operation and administration of the Association is found in the Standing Rules as adopted by Council. A file of current Standing Rules shall be maintained by the Executive Director and Secretary of the AAG. Additional Standing Rules will appear in the published minutes of the Council as they are adopted.

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COMMITTEES AND APPOINTEES, 2018-2019

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AAG Committees shall coordinate with the Executive Director or a designee at least once per year to establish current priorities for the Committee and to coordinate committee activities with ongoing AAG activities and programs.

Elected Committees

Committee for 2019 Honors. *Wei Li* (2019), Laura Pulido (2019), Nathan Sayre (2019), Wendy Jepson (2020), Lisa DeChano-Cook (2020), Rebecca Lave (2020), Julie Winkler (2021), Richard Kujawa (2021), Julie A. Silva (2021). The Honors Committee shall submit to the Council nominations for awards at least two weeks before the Council's Fall meeting, accompanied by a statement indicating the contribution which forms the basis of the proposed award.

Nominating Committee for the 2019 Election. Jason Dittmer (2019), Lydia Savage (2019), Kristin Sziarto (2019). The nominating committee shall make two or more nominations for Vice President, at least one nomination for President, and at least two nominations for each National Councillor vacancy. The nominating committee shall submit its slate of candidates to the AAG office in accordance with the timetable designated by Council.

Standing Committees

Archives and Association History Committee. Dawn Drake (2019), John Hessler (2019), Cary Mock (2019), Sarah Bednarz (2020), Gerard Toal (2020), Rebecca Kelly (2020), Michael Ratcliffe (2021), Candida Mannozi (2021), Geoffrey Martin (AAG Archivist) *ex officio*, Doug Richardson (AAG Executive Director) *ex officio*. The committee develops and supervises the Association's archives; encourages each AAG Division to retain its own archive or to transmit its materials to the AAG archive; advises and assists the Geographers on Film series; and schedules at least one session devoted to the history of geography at each annual meeting.

Committee on Committees. *Cathleen McAnneny* (AAG Secretary) (2019) *ex officio*, David DiBiase (National Councillor) (2019), Deborah Thomas (AAG Treasurer) (2020). The committee prepares slates of nominees for the honors committee and for the nominating committee from which the AAG Council selects those who stand for election by the membership; nominates candidates to fill vacancies on the Association's committees, and as delegates to other organizations; prepares a pool of names from which the Executive Director selects the Nystrom Award Competition committee; and provides short biographies or rationales for nominees for committee vacancies filled by Council via mail ballot.

Committee on the Status of Women in Geography. Tiffany Muller Myrdahl (GPOW) *ex officio*, Sara Beth Keough (2018), Autumn James (2019), Weronika Kusek (2019), Carrie Mott (2020), Yui Hashimoto (2020), Rajrani Kalra (2020), Christine Jocoy (2021), Jessica Jacobs (2021). The committee monitors and promotes enhanced status for women in the profession.

Enhancing Diversity Committee. *Deborah Metzel* (2020), Douglas Richardson (AAG Executive Director) *ex officio*, Fernando Bosco (2019), Lorena Munoz (2019), Christine Smith (2019), Shireen Hyrapiet (2020), Serin Houston (2020), Emily Skop (2020), Adriana Martinez (2020), Siyu Cai (2020), Mark Barnes (2021). The committee takes actions to facilitate ongoing AAG initiatives to enhance diversity in the discipline. Diversity in this sense is envisioned in its broadest demographic definition, indicating, ethnic, gender, disabilities, and other underrepresented groups. This includes monitoring and promoting enhanced status for women and minorities in the profession and serving as a commission of record for any grievances by members with respect to discrimination and graduate admission, hiring, employment, and career development, or other related issues. The committee also considers nominations and selects awardees of the Glenda Laws Award to recognize outstanding scholarly contributions to geographic research on social issues and provides nominations to the AAG Council for the AAG Enhancing Diversity Award to honor those who have pioneered efforts toward or actively participated in efforts toward encouraging a more diverse discipline.

Finance Committee. *Deborah Thomas* (AAG Treasurer) (2020), Douglas Richardson (AAG Executive Director) *ex officio*, Gina Henderson (2019), Jonathan Leib (2019), Kevin St. Martin (2019), Joan Welch (2020), Jayme Walenta (2020), Jeremy Tasch

(2021), Caitie Finlayson (2021). The committee has overall responsibility for the Association's investment portfolio; reviews and recommends the budget presented to the Council by the AAG Treasurer; advises the Council on the Association's financial policies; and responds to Council queries regarding financial matters as requested.

Healthy Departments Committee. *Alec Murphy*, Douglas Richardson (AAG Executive Director), Michael Solem (AAG Senior Adviser for Geography Education), Sarah Bednarz, J. W. Harrington, Marie Price, Nancy Wilkinson, Joe Wood, Jenny Zorn, Ken Foote, William Moseley, Perry Carter, Darrel Hess, Jon Harbor, Burrel Montz. The Healthy Departments committee provides guidance and action to enhance the health and excellence of academic geography departments and responds to requests from departments for assistance.

International Research and Scholarly Exchange Committee. Ingrid Nelson (2019), Anssi Paasi (2019), Vandana Wadhwa (2019), Joseph Zume (2019), Jennifer Pomeroy (2019), Susan Lucas (2019), Xiaobo Su (2019), Regina Scheyvens (2019), Christian Sellar (2019), John Finn (2019), Kamal Alsharif (2019). The committee encourages participation of geographers in interdisciplinary conferences and in meetings dealing with international issues; works with AAG Staff and others to encourage international membership in the AAG; informs the AAG Council on opportunities related to international outreach and scholarly exchange, highlighting major events, activities, and trends; provides assistance with respect to the AAG International Reception at the Annual Meeting; and provides additional services, generates feedback, and/or takes specific actions as may be requested by AAG Council and/or the AAG Executive Director.

Membership Committee. *Michelle Ledoux* (AAG Membership Director) *ex officio*, Douglas Richardson (AAG Executive Director) *ex officio*, Chris Laingen (2019), David DiBiase (2019), Michael Glass (2020), Alec Brownlow (2021), Rebecca Theobald (2021), Matthew Cook (2021). The committee advises the AAG Council on membership development, monitors trends in membership in the AAG and other academic associations, helps implement short and long term strategies to maintain and increase AAG membership, and coordinates its activities with the ongoing membership operations of the AAG.

Publications Committee. *Sriram Khé* (2019), Douglas Richardson (AAG Executive Director) *ex officio*, Shouraseni Sen Roy (2019), Melissa Wright (2019), Cindi Katz (2020), Noel Castree (2020), Patrick C. Heidkamp (2021), Anne Bonds (2021). The committee advises the AAG Council on policies regarding all official publications of AAG; provides support for these official publications by raising issues ranging from publication style and content to the various sources and levels of financial support; clarifies the purposes of the AAG publications for the membership; serves as a constructive critic for publication editors; serves as a research body for the editors and the Council on matters related to Association publications; and reviews the operation of AAG office publications annually.

Awards Committees

AAG Awards Committee. Kevin McHugh (2019), Mark Schwartz (2020), Joshua Inwood (2021), Mona Domosh (2021). The committee considers nominations and selects the recipients of selected AAG Awards. These include the Meredith F. Burrill Award established to recognize talented individuals and groups that have demonstrated excellence in advancing the creation of fundamental geographical concepts and in furthering their practical applications, especially in local, national, and international policy arenas; and the Ruby S. Miller Award established to recognize members of the Association who have made truly outstanding contributions to the geographic field due to their special competence in teaching or research.

BA/MA Program Excellence Award Committee. *Euan Hague* (2019), Michaela Buenemann (2019), Rex "RJ" Rowley (2021). The committee awards the annual prize for geography departments and geography programs within blended departments that have significantly enhanced the prominence and reputation of geography as a discipline and demonstrated the characteristics of a strong and engaged academic unit.

William Garrison Award Committee. Carson Farmer, Stephane Joost, David Unwin. The committee selects recipient(s) of the William Garrison Award for Best Dissertation in Computational Geography. The committee reviews initial submissions and selects finalists for full packages, from which they select an awardee that will present at the AAG Annual Meeting.

AAG Globe Book Award Committee. *Chris Sneddon* (2019), Max Lu (2020), Matt Sparke (2021). The committee awards the annual prize for a book that conveys most powerfully the nature and importance of geography to the non-academic world.

AAG Harm J. de Blij Award for Excellence in Undergraduate Geography Teaching Committee. *Gillian Acheson* (2020), Don Zeigler (2019), Heike Alberts (2021). The committee awards the annual prize in recognition of outstanding achievement in teaching undergraduate Geography including the use of innovative teaching methods. The recipients are instructors for whom undergraduate teaching is a primary responsibility.

Harold M. Rose Award Committee. Josh Inwood (2019), Genevieve Carpio (2020), Rebecca Torres (2021). The committee considers nominations and provides a recommendation to the AAG Council for the Harold M. Rose Award for Anti-Racism in Research and Practice to honor geographers who have a demonstrated record of the type of research and active contributions to society that have marked Harold Rose's career. The award will be given to those who have served to advance the discipline through their research, and who have also had an impact on anti-racist practice.

AAG Jackson Prize Committee. *Anne Knowles*, Craig Colten, William Wyckoff, Maria Lane. The committee awards the annual prize for a serious but popular book about the human geography of the contemporary United States written by a geographer.

AAG Meridian Book Award Committee. Pamela Moss (2019), Diana K. Davis (2020), Jim (David) Nemeth (2021). The committee awards the annual prize for a book that makes an unusually important contribution to advancing the science and art of geography.

Marble-Boyle Undergraduate Award Committee. *Chuanrong Zhang*, Darren Bender, Sarah Battersby. The committee selects recipient(s) of the AAG Marble-Boyle Undergraduate Achievement Awards in Geographic Science. The committee reviews submissions and recommends up to three applications to the Marble Fund Trustees as winners, with final awards to be made by the Trustees of the AAG Marble Fund for Geographic Science.

Mel Marcus Fund for Physical Geography Award Committee. *Steven Gordon* (2019), Joe Henderson (2020), Erika Wise (2021). The committee reviews submissions and selects recipient(s) of the Marcus Fund for Physical Geography Award.

J. Warren Nystrom Award Committee. Committee appointed by AAG Executive Director; appointments pending at time of publication. The committee selects the winner of the annual J. Warren Nystrom Award established by former AAG Executive Director J. Warren Nystrom to recognize an outstanding paper based upon a recent dissertation in geography.

AAG Research Grants Committee. *Chuanrong (Cindy) Zhang* (2020), Patricia Ehrkamp (2019), James Riley (2019), David Cairns (2020), James Tyner (2021), Dagmar Budikova (2021). The committee considers applications and awards appropriate grants, depending upon the funds available, for General Research Grants, Ph.D. Dissertation Research Grants (the Robert D. Hodgson Memorial Fund, the Paul P. Vouras Fund, and the Otis Paul Starkey Fund), and the Anne U. White Fund.

AAG Student Award and Scholarship Committee. Chistina Dando (2019), Kevin Henry (2019), Clayton Whitesides (2019), I-Chun Catherine Chang (2020), Margo Kleinfeld (2020), Amy Potter (2021), Holly Barcus (2021). The committee considers applications from and awards appropriate grants for college, undergraduate and graduate students, depending upon the funds available in AAG student awards and scholarships programs. These include the Hoffman Award, the IGIF Grants, the AAG Hess Community College Scholarship, and other awards, scholarships, or travel grants as they may be available.

AAG Wilbanks Award for Transformational Research in Geography Committee. *Richard Marston* (2022), Corinne Plummer (2020), Mei-Po Kwan (2021), Michael Libbee (2023), Thomas Baerwald (2024), John Wilbanks (2028). The committee awards the annual prize in recognition of geographers who have conducted truly transformative geographic research, specifically research which transformed geography, GIScience, and/or the world.

Ad Hoc Committees

AAG Atlas Award Committee. Carol Harden, John Agnew, Craig Colten, Tom Baerwald, Doug Richardson, Audrey Kobayashi. The committee selects the recipient of the AAG Atlas Award designed to recognize and celebrate outstanding accomplishments that advance world understanding in exceptional ways.

New Orleans, LA (2018) Annual Meeting Local Support Committee. Douglas Richardson (AAG Executive Director), Oscar Larson (AAG Conference Director), Michelle Ledoux (AAG Membership Director), Annemarie Galeucia, Debra M. Butler, John W. McEwen, Dydia DeLyser, Case Watkins, Audrey Grismore, Rebecca Sheehan, Molly McGraw, Kristine L. DeLong, Juana Ibañez, Jill C. Trepanier, Michael Leitner, Michelle Thompson, Kristina Peterson, James Chaney, Christopher Ard, Andrew Sluyter, Brian Marks, Craig Colten, Kent Mathewson, Robert Rohli, Fahui Wang, Richard Campanella, Marla Nelson, Bandana Kar, Clifton “Skeeter” Dixon, Barry D. Keim, Robert Perham, Lynn DuPont. The Committee assists the AAG office in planning field trips, workshops, and other local events at the annual meeting, the preparation of written and website materials about the meeting, and organizing the program for the annual meeting by forming sessions of individually-submitted papers.

World Geography Bowl Committee. *Emily Fekete and Volunteers.* The committee develops questions for the annual World Geography Bowl.

Appointees

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American Association for the Advancement of Science (AAAS). Section E, Geology and Geography, Jennifer Marlon and Sarah Shafer (2015); Section K, Social, Economic, and Political Science, Maryann Feldman, Ronald Rindfuss, and Howard Silver (2016).

American Association for the Advancement of Slavic Studies (AAASS). Megan Dixon (2015).

American Council of Learned Societies. Douglas Richardson.

***Annals of the AAG* Editor for Physical Geography, Earth, and Environmental Sciences.** David R. Butler (2020).

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AAG Journals Cartographic Editor. Stephen Hanna (2021).

Consortium of Social Science Associations (COSSA). Douglas Richardson and Elizabeth Chacko.

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***GeoHumanities* Editors.** Tim Cresswell and Deborah Dixon (2018).

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The Professional Geographer Editor. Barney Warf (2018).

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1932 Oliver E. Baker	1976 Harold M. Rose	
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2013-2020 Kent Mathewson

GeoHumanities

2015-2018 Tim Cresswell and Deborah Dixon

Resource Papers and Publications

1975-1978 Salvatore J. Natoli
1981-1986 C. Gregory Knight
1990-1991 Donald J. Patton
1992-1994 Robert and Ellen Cromley
1995-1999 Robert B. McMaster

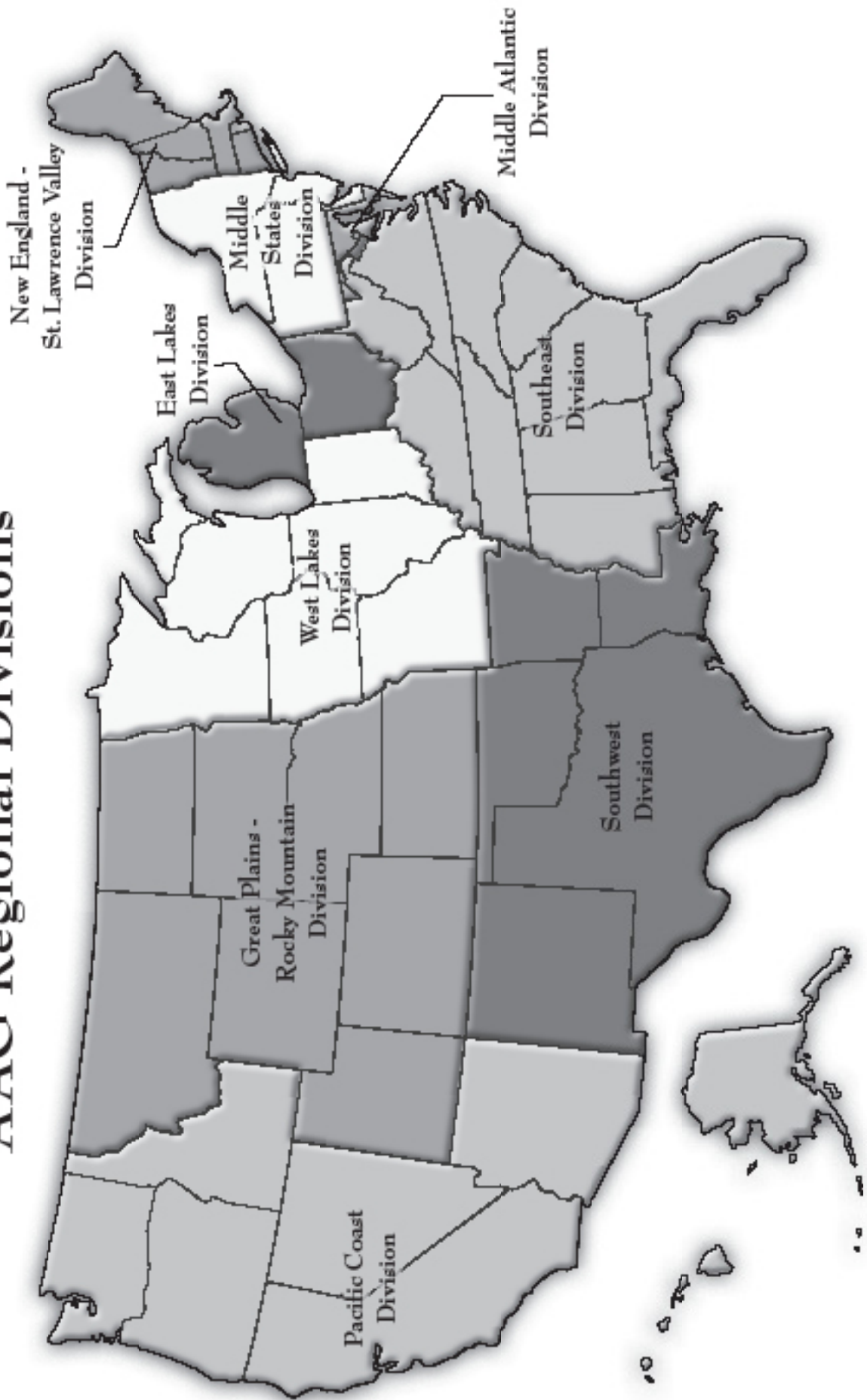
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1905	58	1950	1,465	1994	7,207
				1995	7,381
1906	69	1951	1,592		
1907	73	1952	1,703	1996	7,271
1908	80	1953	1,627	1997	7,026
1909	80	1954	1,839	1998	6,910
1910	89	1955	1,922	1999	6,527
				2000	6,497
1911	95	1956	1,864		
1912	98	1957	1,838	2001	6,731
1913	100	1958	1,922	2002	7,004
1914	105	1959	1,971	2003	8,475
1915	109	1960	2,004	2004	9,041
				2005	9,478
1916	113	1961	2,263		
1917	115	1962	2,512	2006	10,086
1918	118	1963	2,770	2007	10,346
1919	120	1964	3,454	2008	10,396
1920	124	1965	3,786	2009	10,765
				2010	10,794
1921	126	1966	4,369		
1922	129	1967	4,925	2011	10,823
1923	130	1968	5,840	2012	10,544
1924	134	1969	6,796	2013	10,064
1925	135	1970	6,866	2014	10,804
				2015	11,735
1926	136	1971	6,698		
1927	136	1972	6,922	2016	11,829
1928	134	1973	7,072	2017	12,476
1929	138	1974	6,994		
1930	136	1975	6,994		
1931	140	1976	6,814		
1932	133	1977	6,541		
1933	135	1978	6,008		
1934	134	1979	5,847		
1935	134	1980	5,861		
1936	141	1981	6,010		
1937	148	1982	5,563		
1938	152	1983	5,474		
1940	163	1984	5,708		
		1985	5,438		
1941	167				
1942	177	1986	5,787		
1943	191	1987	5,837		
1944	206	1988	5,903		
1945	230	1989	6,321		
		1990	6,271		
1946	247				
1947	274	1991	6,290		
1948	1,262	1992	6,647		

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1904	Philadelphia PA	26	1946	Columbus OH		1988	Phoenix AZ	2,750
1905	New York NY	20	1947	Charlottesville VA		1989	Baltimore MD	3,115
1906	New York NY	25	1948	Madison WI		1990	Toronto ONT	3,471
1907	Chicago IL	20	1949	No Meeting		1991	Miami FL	2,642
1908	Baltimore MD	60	1950	Worcester MA		1992	San Diego CA	3,038
1909	Boston MA	29	1951	Chicago IL		1993	Atlanta GA	2,963
1910	Pittsburgh PA		1952	Washington DC		1994	San Francisco CA	4,153
1911	Washington DC		1953	Cleveland OH		1995	Chicago IL	3,725
1912	New Haven CT		1954	Philadelphia PA		1996	Charlotte NC	3,448
1913	Princeton NJ		1955	Memphis TN		1997	Fort Worth TX	3,077
1914	Chicago IL		1956	Montreal PQ		1998	Boston MA	4,283
1915	Washington DC		1957	Cincinnati OH		1999	Honolulu HI	3,155
1916	New York NY		1958	Santa Monica CA		2000	Pittsburgh PA	3,769
1917	No Meeting		1959	Pittsburgh PA		2001	New York NY	4,764
1918	Baltimore MD		1960	Dallas TX		2002	Los Angeles CA	3,741
1919	St. Louis MO		1961	East Lansing MI		2003	New Orleans LA	3,907
1920	Chicago IL		1962	Miami Beach FL		2004	Philadelphia PA	5,067
1921	Washington DC		1963	Denver CO		2005	Denver CO	5,108
1922	Ann Arbor MI		1964	Syracuse NY	900	2006	Chicago IL	5,617
1923	Cincinnati OH		1965	Columbus OH	1,250	2007	San Francisco CA	6,904
1924	Washington DC		1966	Toronto, ON	966	2008	Boston MA	7,169
1925	Madison WI		1967	St. Louis MO	1,475	2009	Las Vegas NV	6,470
1926	Philadelphia PA		1968	Washington DC	1,221	2010	Washington DC	8,197
1927	Nashville TN		1969	Ann Arbor MI	1,100	2011	Seattle WA	7,332
1928	New York City NY		1970	San Francisco CA	1,075	2012	New York NY	8,670
1929	Columbus OH		1971	Boston MA	1,100	2013	Los Angeles CA	7,346
1930	Worcester MA		1972	Kansas City MO	1,475	2014	Tampa FL	6,153
1931	Ypsilanti MI		1973	Atlanta GA	1,650	2015	Chicago IL	8,950
1932	Washington DC		1974	Seattle WA	1,329	2016	San Francisco, CA	9,016
1933	Evanston IL		1975	Milwaukee WI	1,879	2017	Boston, MA	9,423
1934	Philadelphia PA		1976	New York NY	1,706	2018	New Orleans, LA	8,096
1935	St. Louis MO		1977	Salt Lake City UT	2,054	2019	Washington, DC	
1936	Syracuse NY		1978	New Orleans LA	2,916	2020	Denver, CO	
1937	Ann Arbor MI		1979	Philadelphia PA	2,722	2021	Seattle, WA	
1938	Cambridge MA		1980	Louisville KY	2,316			
1939	Chicago IL		1981	Los Angeles CA	2,046			
1940	Baton Rouge LA		1982	San Antonio TX	2,083			
1941	New York NY		1983	Denver CO	2,281			
1942	No Meeting		1984	Washington DC	2,707			
1943	Washington DC		1985	Detroit MI	2,377			
1944	Cleveland OH		1986	Minneapolis MN	2,696			
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Graduate Student. To support the graduate students of the AAG by increasing participation of graduate students in the life of the profession and by better preparing graduate students for careers in Geography. Dues \$3. Mia Renauld, Northeastern University. renauld.m@husky.neu.edu. <http://www.gsagaag.org/>.

Public/Private Sector. To provide a forum for those who apply geographic principles and practices in public and private sectors to discuss issues related to geographic research, applications, and education in these sectors. Dues \$5. Pete Chirico, United States Geological Survey. pchirico@usgs.gov.

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Stand Alone Geographers. To provide a forum for discussion and sharing of resources for geographers who work alone or in small programs or departments at their respective institutions and to increase their visibility in the discipline and in the Association of American Geographers. Dues \$1. Amy Potter, Armstrong State University. amy.potter@armstrong.edu.

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Asian Geography. To promote geographic research and to facilitate teaching the geography of Asia through professional meetings, publications and establishing contacts with Asian geographers, and developing an agenda for research and teaching grants. Members receive the Bulletin of Asian Geography edited by Todd Stradford, Department of Geography, University of Wisconsin-Plattville, Plattville, WI 53818 (e-mail: stradfot@uwplatt.edu). Dues \$5 (student \$1). Jennifer Pomeroy, Assistant Professor of Geography, Department of History & Political Science, York College of Pennsylvania. Voice 717-815-1529. jpomeroy@ycp.edu.

Bible. To the Bible as a source of geographic information for the study of the geography of ancient Israel. Dues \$1 (student \$1). William A. Dando, Department of Geography, Geology and Anthropology, Indiana State University, 7785 Carlisle Rd, Terre Haute, IN 47802. Voice 812-237-2264. Fax 604-822-6150. wdando@isugw.instate.edu.

Biogeography. To promote interactions between biogeographers, stimulate active research and teaching development in biogeography, and facilitate the exchange of ideas. Dues \$10 (student \$5). Tony Stallins, University of Kentucky, Department of Geography. ja.stallins@uky.edu. <http://www.biogeographer.org>.

Black Geographies. To create a global platform for: (a) promoting study of the social, political, cultural, economic, and ecological aspects of the race in/and geography, (b) encouraging critical reflection on the issues, processes, intrinsic qualities, and interconnections that shape Black lives and geographies on local, national, continental, and international scales, (c) exchanging research and teaching ideas among scholars of race in/and

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China. To promote the study of the geography of China, including Taiwan, and to serve as a clearinghouse of information for persons interested in Chinese geography. To increase contacts with Chinese geographers and encourage professional activities, including the development of research projects. Dues \$7 (student \$1). Xiaobo Su, Department of Geography, University of Oregon. xiaobo@uoregon.edu. <http://personal.kent.edu/~xye5/CGSG/>.

Climate. To encourage climatological research, to promote climatological education, to promote the exchange of climatological ideas and information, to promote the interests of climatology within the discipline of geography; and to develop contacts and coordination with other climatological organizations. Dues \$10 (student \$2). Christopher A. Underwood, University of Wisconsin-Platteville. underwoodc@uwplatt.edu.

Coastal and Marine. To encourage the intellectual exchange of knowledge related to coastal and marine environments and their resources. COMA's membership is composed of both physical and human geographers who have a common interest in understanding how anthropogenic activities may impact coastal or marine environments. Dues \$10 (student \$2). Heidi Lannon, Santa Fe College, Social & Behavioral Sciences, 3000 NW 83rd St. Bldg. L-250, Gainesville, FL 32606-6200. heidi.lannon@sfcollge.edu. http://www.homestead.com/aag_coma/files/index.html.

Communication Geography. To provide a forum for intellectual exchange between geographers studying communication issues within a political, economic, or cultural geography framework as well as geographers studying communication technologies and infrastructure. Dues \$5 (student \$1). Emily Fekete, American Association of Geographers. mfekete@aag.org. <http://www.communication-geography.org>.

Cryosphere. To foster communication between practitioners dealing with the various elements of the cryosphere, to establish linkages with related organizations, and to enhance research on and teaching of cryospheric topics. Dues \$15 (student \$5). Jeff VanLooy, University of North Dakota, Department of Earth System Science and Policy, Grand Forks, ND 58202. jvanlooy@aero.und.edu. <http://www.cryoag.org>.

Cultural and Political Ecology. To promote scholarly activities on the cultural, economic, demographic and political dimensions of resource use and environmental change, focusing on these issues and their linkages at and across multiple spatial and temporal scales. Dues \$9 (student \$1). Kimberly Thomas, Department of Geography, Pennsylvania State University. kimthomas@psu.edu. <http://capeaag.wordpress.com/>.

Cultural Geography. To encourage and facilitate intellectual exchange between scholars of all ages working in every branch of the subfield of cultural geography, Dues \$6 (student \$2). Sharon Wilcox, University of Wisconsin. sewilcox@wisc.edu.

Cyberinfrastructure. To enhance geographic research and scholarship on matters relating to cyberinfrastructure by: a) encouraging the exchange of ideas and experience among geographers studying technical, social, economic, policy, and cultural aspects of CI; b) providing a communication channel between CI funding agencies and geographic practitioners; c) promoting research and advancement in topics related to CI; d) encouraging reflection on the roles of geographers in CI. Dues \$10 (\$2 student). Jing Li, University of Denver. Jing.Li145@du.edu.

Development Geographies. The purpose of the Development Geographies Specialty Group (DGSG) is to provide a forum for research, education, and practice related to development studies and to developing areas. Our members are located around the world and engage in theoretical, applied, and critical work within the field of international development. Dues \$5 (\$1 student), \$0 members through the developing regions program. Regina Scheyvens, Institute of Development Studies, Massey University (New Zealand). r.a.scheyvens@massey.ac.nz.

Digital Geographies. To support scholarship and pedagogy that further understandings of myriad ways that digital objects and digital practices produce space, place, and spatial relations, seeking to coalesce a diverse community of scholars whose work centers the digital as object, subject and/or medium of geographical thought, analysis and/or praxis. Dues \$10 (\$1 student). Jim Thatcher, Assistant Professor of Urban Studies, University of Washington, Tacoma, WA. jethatch@uw.edu.

Disability. To foster communication among members and to encourage research, education, and service that addresses issues of disability and chronic illness. The group will provide support and advocate with disabled members of the Association while working closely with other specialty groups to promote common interests and develop intradisciplinary and interdisciplinary projects. Dues \$4 (student \$1). Leonor Vanik, College of Urban Planning and Policy, University of Illinois at Chicago. Voice 312-969-3672. Ivanik1@uic.edu or msvanik@aol.com.

Economic Geography. To facilitate the exchange of information and ideas among its members and other specialists; to stimulate research, teaching, and applications in industrial and economic geography; to aid in the advancement of its members and the field of industrial and economic geography; and to help represent industrial and economic geography within the discipline of geography and to related disciplines, agencies in government, the private sector, and the general public. Dues \$10 (student \$3). Jennifer Clark, Georgia Institute of Technology, School of Public Policy. jennifer.clark@gatech.edu.

Energy and Environment. To promote interaction and research among geographers interested in energy and environmental issues, to enhance the contributions of geographers to energy and environmental research and practice, and to assist in developing related educational curricula. Dues \$10 (student \$1). Jordan Howell, Rowan University. howellj@rowan.edu. <http://www.eesg.org>.

Environmental Perception and Behavioral Geography. To advance the theoretical and applied interests of environmental perception and behavioral geography within the discipline of geography, developing links to related disciplines through communication and organization. Dues \$5 (student \$1). Stephanie Dietrick, Arizona State University. stephanie.dietrick@asu.edu. <http://epbg.blogspot.com>.

Ethics, Justice, and Human Rights. To support and encourage inclusive and informed discussion throughout the discipline on normative concerns including applied, theoretical, and professional. In equal measure and in combination, to sustain an interest in, and teaching/research on, human rights issues at all scales of analysis, in all parts of the world. Dues \$5 (student \$2), free for developing regions members. Andy Walter, University of West Georgia, Department of Geosciences, 1601 Maple Street, Carrollton, GA 30118. awalter@westga.edu. <http://www.ejhr.org>.

Ethnic Geography. To promote the common interests of persons working in ethnic geography, to provide a forum for the exchange of ideas within the AAG, and to encourage its members in their research and teaching of ethnic experiences from comparative, national/transnational and global perspectives. Dues \$10 (student \$3). Edris Montalvo, Cameron University. emontalv@cameron.edu.

Eurasian. To facilitate a diverse community of researchers, educators, and practitioners brought together by thematic interests regionally spanning Eurasia (the Caucasus, Central Asia, Central and Eastern Europe, and Russia). Dues \$8 (student \$1). Edward Holland, University of Arkansas. tedholland@gmail.com.

European. To foster research, teaching, and scholarly interaction on the geography of Europe, broadly defined; to promote work on all parts of Europe and to advance scholarship that moves beyond the traditional East-West bifurcation of the continent; to promote the study of Europe within the discipline of geography; and to encourage contacts between its members and those working on Europe in other disciplines, government, and private agencies. Dues \$6 (student \$2). Christian Sellar, Associate Professor, Department of Public Policy Leadership, University of Mississippi. csellar@olemiss.edu.

Geographic Information Science and Systems. To promote the development and practice of geographic information science and systems in all aspects of geographic inquiry. Dues \$2 (student \$1). Zachary Christman, Assistant Professor, Geography and Environment, Rowan University. christmanz@rowna.edu. <http://aag-giss.org/>

Geographic Perspectives on Women. To promote geographic research and education on topics relating to women and gender. Dues \$10 (student \$2). Julie Ann Silva, Department of Geographical Sciences, University of Maryland, College Park. jasilva@umd.edu.

Geographies of Food and Agriculture. To be instrumental in creating networking opportunities for students and faculty who study food and agricultural geographies but may be spread across disparate subdisciplines of geography. Dues \$8 (student \$1). Charles Levkoe, Lakehead University. clevkoe@lakeheadu.ca.

Geography Education. To promote research, development, and practice in the learning and teaching of geography and to examine and strengthen the role of geography in education by focusing on the development of learners, teachers, curricula, and programs. Dues \$5 (student \$1). Jon Wessell. jonathan.wessell@gmail.com.

Geography of Religions and Belief Systems. To further the geographic study of religious phenomena, including but not limited to religious groups, behavior, material culture, and human-environment relations from a religious perspective. Dues \$5 (student \$1). Justin Tse, Department of Geography, University of British Columbia, Vancouver, BC Canada. tse.just@gmail.com. <http://gorabs.org>.

Geography of Wine, Beer, and Spirits. To foster research, teaching, and scholarly growth in the study and enjoyment of alcoholic beverages and to advance research in terroir, enology, vinification, zymurgy, and alcohol distillation in reference to the global trade, social restrictions, and cultural mandates associated with the production and consumption of alcoholic beverages. Dues \$5. Christi G. Townsend, Texas State University, Department of Geography. ct1086@txstate.edu. www.geographyofwine.org.

Geomorphology. To foster better communication among those working in the geomorphic sciences, especially in geography. Dues \$10 (student \$1). Peng Gao, Syracuse University. pegao@maxwell.syr.edu. <http://www.aag-gsg.org>.

Hazards, Risks, and Disasters. To promote research, education, and the application of knowledge about natural, technological, and social hazards; to strengthen communication and collaborative activities among geographers pertaining to hazards; to encourage communication between geographers and the members of other disciplines and professions that share an interest in hazards. Dues \$7 (student \$3). Eric Tate, University of Iowa. eric-tate@uiowa.edu. <http://www.cas.sc.edu/cege/hazardsaag>.

Health & Medical Geography. To provide an international forum for disseminating research on health and wellbeing, disease, illness, spatial epidemiology, disease ecology, population health, ethnomedicine and non-western understandings of health and medicine, spatial aspects of healthcare delivery, and healthcare policy and political economy. Dues \$12 (student \$2). Kristin Beyer, Medical College of Wisconsin. kbeyer@mcw.edu. <http://hmsg.org/>.

Historical Geography. To promote the common interests of persons in the field, provide a forum for the discussion of matters that pertain to the membership, and establish procedures for activities within the AAG. Dues \$15 faculty, \$6 students (includes annual subscription to the journal, Historical Geography). Kirsten Greer, Departments of Geography and History, Nipissing University. kirsteng@nipissingu.ca

History of Geography. To promote research and the exchange of information pertaining to the history of geography an advance scholarship that contributes to a deeper understanding of the evolution of the discipline and its subfields. Dues \$5 (student \$1). Dorothy Sack, Department of Geography, Ohio University, 122 Clippinger Labs, Athens, OH 45701. Voice 740-593-1149 or 9897. sack@ohio.edu.

Human Dimensions of Global Change. To promote the varied interests of geographers who are united by research, teaching, or service that involves the human dimensions of processes in coupled human-environment systems at local to global scales. Dues \$8 (student \$1). Hannah Gosnell, Oregon State University. gosnellh@geo.oregonstate.edu

Indigenous Peoples. To foster pure and applied geographic research and geographic education that involves the Indigenous people of the world, past and present. To encourage approaches to research and teaching that empower Indigenous peoples, and to help build relationships of mutual trust between communities of Indigenous peoples and academic geographers. To stimulate and enable direct participation of Indigenous peoples in geography. Dues \$6 (student \$1). Renee Pualani Louis (co-chair), University of Kansas, Institute for Policy and Social Research. pualani@ku.edu. Chantelle Richmond (co-chair), University of Western Ontario, Department of Geography. chantelle.richmond@uwo.ca. <http://www.indigenousgeography.net/ipsg.shtm>.

Landscape. The Landscape Specialty Group provides a forum for geographers across the discipline working on issues related to human/environmental interaction, broadly understood. The Group facilitates the exchange of ideas among human and physical geography to stimulate scholarship, research, and teaching development. The group sees landscape as an inclusive concept for investigating the human and non-human objects, patterns and processes across scales from the local to the global. Gang Chen, University of North Carolina at Charlotte. gang.chen@uncc.edu. <https://sites.google.com/site/aaglandscape/>.

Latin America. To promote education, research and other activity relating to Latin American geography and to advance communication among geographers and others with an interest in the region. Dues \$8 (student \$2), free for developing regions members. John Finn, Christopher Newport University. john.finn@cnu.edu.

Legal Geography. To provide an organizational focal point for students and researchers who are investigating, exploring, or want to better understand, the mutually constitutive nature of legal and spatial phenomena, so as to enable interdisciplinary exchange and scholarly growth in this emerging subfield within human geography. Dues \$5 (student \$1). John Carr, University of New Mexico. carrj@unm.edu

Middle East. To facilitate research on and teaching about the Greater Middle East. Dues \$5 (students \$1). Kamal Alshariff, School of Geosciences, University of South Florida. kalshari@usf.edu

Military Geography. To promote research and the exchange of information pertaining to military geography and advance scholarship that contributes to a deeper understanding of the subdiscipline. This subfield is defined as the application of geographic information, tools, and techniques to solve military problems in peacetime or war. The subfield is broadly defined to include those interested in physical, cultural, political, historical, environmental, remote sensing, GIS, and other applications as they relate to military or security issues. Dues \$5 (student \$3). Andrew Lohman. andrew.lohman@usma.edu

Mountain Geography. To foster communication, promote basic and applied research, enhance education, and encourage service related to mountain peoples and mountain environments and their interactions. Dues \$10 (student \$3). Clayton J. Whitesides, Department of Anthropology and Geography, Coastal Carolina University. cwhitesid@coastal.edu. <http://hs.umt.edu/aag-mgsg>

Paleoenvironmental Change. To carry out the mission of the AAG with a specific emphasis on Pleistocene and Holocene environmental change; to facilitate better communication among practitioners of the study of past landscapes, climates, ecologies, cultures, and their interrelationships; and to foster a greater spirit of collaboration among those geographers working on topics related to long-term (decadal to millennial-scale) environmental change, both natural and anthropogenic. Dues \$10 (student \$2). Timothy Beach, University of Texas, Austin, Department of Geography and Environment, 305 E. 23rd Street, Austin, TX 78712. beacht@austin.utexas.edu. <http://www.aagpaleo.org>.

Polar Geography. To promote geographic research about the world's Polar Regions to include human and physical geography, human-environment interactions, geospatial techniques (e.g. remote sensing, GIS), and indigenous knowledge. Dues \$6 (student \$1). Jessica Graybill, Colgate University. jgraybill@colgate.edu.

Political Geography. To provide a central focus and organization for political geographers by which they can achieve scholarly growth and to improve the status and cohesion of the sub-discipline. Dues \$10 (student \$3). Kenneth Madsen, The Ohio State University. madsen.34@osu.edu. <http://www.politicalgeography.org>.

Population. The purpose of the Population Specialty Group is to (a) promote research, teaching and service in the general field of population geography; (b) stimulate the exchange of information among members of PSG; (c) encourage the development of population geography as a science and a profession; and (d) develop close relations and interchange with other sciences, especially those dealing with population. Dues \$6 (student \$1). Fernando Riosmena, University of Colorado, Boulder. Fernando.Riosmena@Colorado.edu.

Qualitative Research. To promote the use and understanding of qualitative research approaches, methods, and tools for purposes of education, research, and public service in the discipline of geography. Dues \$6 (student \$2). Jennifer Fluri (co-president), University of Colorado, Boulder. Dan Trudeau (co-president), Macalester College.

Recreation, Tourism, and Sport. To provide a forum and to encourage research and teaching of applied and academic aspects of recreation, tourism, and sport geography. Dues \$7 (student \$1). Jillian Rickly, The University of Nottingham. jillian.rickly@nottingham.ac.uk. <http://aagrts.wordpress.com/>.

Regional Development and Planning. To encourage and promote research, teaching, service and communication among members of the group; to publish and distribute newsletters twice a year featuring upcoming activities and other items of interest. Organize special sessions or events at AAG meetings. Dues \$3 (student \$1). Jonah White, Michigan State University. white115@msu.edu. <http://regionaldevelopmentplanning.googlepages.com>.

Remote Sensing. To foster an understanding of remote sensing science. Emphasis is placed on developing a meaningful dialogue among geographers interested in understanding and applying remote sensing technology in research, instruction, public service, and private enterprise. Dues \$9 (student \$1). Changshan Wu, Department of Geography, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee. cswu@uwm.edu. <http://www.aagrsg.org>.

Rural Geography. To promote research and education related to contemporary rural landscapes, societies and economies in the developed world. Topics range from agriculture, land use, environmental governance and population, to rural health, crime, poverty, food systems, indigenous peoples' issues, and rural restructuring processes more generally. Dues \$8 (student \$2). Christopher R. Laingen (chair), Eastern Illinois University. crlaingen@eiu.edu. Ryan Bergstrom (co-chair), University of Minnesota-Duluth. rbergstr@d.umn.edu. <http://rgsg.wordpress.com/>.

Sexuality and Space. To promote and facilitate scholarly and other geographic inquiry into human sexualities and related issues. Dues \$8 (student \$5). Sophonie Bazile (co-chair), University of Kentucky. chairssg@gmail.com. Rae Rosenberg (co-chair), York University. chairssg@gmail.com

Socialist and Critical Geography. To promote critical analysis of geographic phenomena, cognizant of geographic research on the well-being of social classes; to investigate the issue of radical change toward a more collective society; and to discover the impact of economic growth upon environmental quality and upon social equity. Dues \$6 (student \$1). Eliot Tretter, University of Calgary. etretter@ucalgary.ca.

Spatial Analysis and Modeling. To foster and maintain interaction, cooperation and community among individuals interested in the analysis of geo-referenced data, modeling of spatio-temporal processes and the use of analytical and computational techniques in solving geographic problems. The specialty group promotes the scientific study of physical, environmental and socioeconomic geography and the development, use and teaching of analytical cartography, GIS, remote sensing, spatial statistical, mathematical and computational techniques for spatial analysis. Dues \$6 (student \$1). Heejun Chang, Portland State University, Department of Geography, Portland, OR 97201. changh@pdx.edu.

Study of the American South. The Study of the American South Specialty Group strives to create a national platform for: (a) promoting study of the social, political, cultural, economic, and ecological aspects of the American South; (b) encouraging critical reflection on the issues, processes, intrinsic qualities, and interconnections that shape the region and its landscapes; (c) exchanging research and teaching ideas among scholars of the American South; and (d) building greater ties between geographers and the larger, cross-disciplinary southern studies community. Membership is open to any sub-field and not restricted to scholars based in the southeastern United States. Matt Cook, Eastern Michigan University. mcook40@emich.edu.

Transportation Geography. To encourage and facilitate interactions among individuals who are interested in research, practice, and education of transportation-related topics. Dues \$7 (student \$2). Irene Casas, Louisiana Tech University. icasas@latech.edu.

Urban Geography. To facilitate communication of information and ideas among urban geographers and other urban specialists through meetings, correspondence, website, listserv, and other media. Dues \$7 (student \$1). Caroline Nagel, University of South Carolina, School of Geography. cnagel@mailbox.sc.edu.

Water Resources. To provide its membership with services that enhance professional opportunities to communicate research progress and results within the professional community and to announce events and discuss major developments in the fields of water resources. Dues \$5 (student \$1). Jacob Petersen-Perlman, Water Resources Research Center, University of Arizona. jacobpp@email.arizona.edu. <http://peasemike.wix.com/wrsg>.

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- 1954 *Meritorious Contributions:* Francis J. Marschner, Raymond E. Murphy, and James Wreford Watson
 Outstanding Achievement: Homer Leroy Shantz
- 1955 *Meritorious Contributions:* Henry M. Kendall, Erwin Raisz, and John C. Weaver
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- 1956 *Meritorious Contributions:* Victor Roterus and Robert Burnett Hall
 Outstanding Achievement: John K. Wright
- 1957 *Meritorious Contributions:* none
 Outstanding Achievement: none
- 1958 *Meritorious Contributions:* George F. Carter, Hildegard B. Johnson, and Edward L. Ullman
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- 1963 *Meritorious Contributions:* John B. Jackson, Merle C. Prunty, and Dan Stanislawski
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- 1964 *Meritorious Contributions:* Wilma Fairchild, J. Ross Mackay, and Robert C. West
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 Outstanding Achievement: Paul A. Siple
- 1967 *Meritorious Achievement:* Richard E. Harrison, Joseph R. Schwendeman, and Leonard S. Wilson
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- 1968 *Meritorious Contributions:* Brian J.L. Berry, Karl W. Butzer, Clarence J. Glacken, and Edwin H. Hammond
 Outstanding Achievement: Torsten Hagerstrand and Joseph E. Spencer
- 1969 *Meritorious Contributions:* John Fraser Hart, Theodore Shabad, and Leslie Curry
 Outstanding Achievement: Arch C. Gerlach
- 1970 *Meritorious Contributions:* none
 Outstanding Achievement: none

- 1971 *Meritorious Contributions:* Michael F. Dacey, Richard L. Morrill, and Waldo R. Tobler
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- 1972 *Meritorious Contributions:* H. Homer Aschmann, Evelyn L. Pruitt, and M. Gordon Wolman
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- 1977 H. Clifford Darby, John B. Leighly, Peirce F. Lewis, and H. Jesse Walker
- 1978 Fred B. Kniffen, A. William Kuchler, and Allan Pred
- 1979 Saul Bernard Cohen, E. Estyn Evans, Preston E. James, Robert W. Kates, George Kish, Clyde F. Kohn, J. Warren Nystrom, James E. Vance Jr. and Julian Wolpert
- 1980 Lewis Mumford, George R. Stewart, David W. Harvey, Harold M. Mayer, and Rhoads Murphey
- 1981 Lewis M. Alexander, Richard Chorley, and Reginald G. Golledge
- 1982 James R. Anderson, Roland J. Fuchs, Walter Isard, Terry G. Jordan, Shannon McCune, and Edward J. Taaffe
- 1983 Lawrence A. Brown, Geoffrey J. Martin, Risa Ileen Palm, James J. Parsons, and Ake Sundborg
- 1984 Jacqueline BeaujeuGarnier, Emilio Casetti, John M. Hunter, Gunnar Olsson, and Joseph E. Schwartzberg
- 1985 Larry S. Bourne, Kevin R. Cox, Raymond E. Crist, George Hoffman, and David Ward
- 1986 Roger G. Barry, Anne Buttimer, Owen Lattimore, and Thomas J. Wilbanks
- 1987 William A. V. Clark, William Denevan, John Brinckerhoff Jackson, Allen J. Scott, and Alan G. Wilson
- 1988 John S. Adams, Daniel J. Boorstin, William P. Cumming, and Philip L. Wagner
- 1989 Samuel Newton Dicken, Ronald Leslie Heathcote, Allen G. Noble, James O. Wheeler, and Harold A. Winters
- 1990 William L. Graf, James C. Knox, E. Willard Miller, Judy M. Olson, and John N. Rayner
- 1991 Denys Brunsten, Harm de Blij, Ronald Johnston, and Roger Kasperson
- 1992 Athol D. Abrahams, A. David Hill, Robert E. Huke, Janice Jones Monk, and Thomas T. Veblen
- 1993 Barry C. Bishop, Susan Hanson, Robert G. Jensen, Duane F. Marble, and Norbert P. Psuty
- 1994 Stanley D. Brunn, Donald R. Deskins Jr., Robert David Sack, Werner H. Terjung, and Michael J. Watts
- 1995 Michael J. Dear, Fred E. Lukermann, Marvin W. Mikesell, and Billie Lee Turner, II; Ronald F. Abler and Alice C. Andrews, *Gilbert Grosvenor Honors for Geographic Education*;
- 1996 Anthony R. de Souza, *Gilbert Grosvenor Honors for Geographic Education*; Maynard Weston Dow, *Distinguished Service Honors*; Michael F. Goodchild, *Distinguished Scholarship Honors*; Maynard and Joan Miller, *Distinguished Teaching*; and Harold M. Rose, *Lifetime Career Honors*

- 1997 Thomas J. Baerwald, *Distinguished Service Honors*; James M. Blaut, *Distinguished Scholarship Honors*; Michael R. Greenberg, *Distinguished Scholarship Honors*; Melvin G. Marcus, *Lifetime Achievement Honors*; and Edward T. Price, *Distinguished Teaching Honors*
- 1998 Roger M. Downs, *Gilbert Grosvenor Honors for Geographic Education*; John R. Mather, *Lifetime Achievement Honors*; Robert W. Marx, *Distinguished Service Honors*; Gerard Rushton, *Distinguished Scholarship Honors*; Joseph P. Stoltman, *Distinguished Teaching Honors*; and Norman J.W. Thrower, *Lifetime Achievement Honors*
- 1999 Michael P. Conzen, *Distinguished Scholarship Honors*; John E. Estes, *Lifetime Achievement Honors*; Neal Lineback, *Distinguished Service Honors*; Salvatore J. Natoli, *Gilbert Grosvenor Honors for Geographic Education*; Eric S. Sheppard, *Distinguished Scholarship Honors*
- 2000 George O. Carney, *Distinguished Teaching Honors*; Philip J. Gersmehl, *Gilbert Grosvenor Honors for Geographic Education*; Sidney R. Jumper, *Distinguished Service Honors*; Janice J. Monk, *Lifetime Achievement Honors*; Neil Smith, *Distinguished Scholarship Honors*; Cort Willmott, *Distinguished Scholarship Honors*
- 2001 Ronald E. Beiswanger, *Distinguished Teaching Honors*; Mildred Berman, *Distinguished Service Honors* (posthumous); Gary L. Gaile, *Distinguished Service Honors*; M. Duane Nellis, *Gilbert Grosvenor Honors for Geographic Education*; Stephen J. Walsh, *Distinguished Scholarship Honors*
- 2002 Richard G. Boehm and Rickie Sanders, *Gilbert Grosvenor Honors for Geographic Education*; Malcolm L. Comeaux, *Distinguished Teaching Honors*; Arthur Getis, *Distinguished Scholarship Honors*; Janet E. Kodras, *Distinguished Service Honors*; Gilbert F. White, *Lifetime Achievement Honors*
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- 2004 Osa Brand, *Gilbert Grosvenor Honors for Geographic Education*; Edward J. Malecki, *Distinguished Scholarship Honors*; Gordon Matzke, *Ronald F. Abler Distinguished Service Honors*; Charles F. "Fritz" Gritzner, *Distinguished Teaching Honors*; Philip W. Porter, *Lifetime Achievement Honors*
- 2005 Joan Clemons and Kenneth E. Foote, *Gilbert Grosvenor Honors for Geographic Education*; John Fraser Hart and Allan R. Pred, *Lifetime Achievement Honors*; Mark D. Schwartz, *Ronald F. Abler Distinguished Service Honors*; Jennifer R. Wolch, *Distinguished Scholarship Honors*
- 2006 John Agnew and William E. Doolittle, *Distinguished Scholarship Honors*; Charles F. "Fritz" Gritzner and Susan Hardwick, *Gilbert Grosvenor Honors for Geographic Education*; Christopher "Kit" Salter and H. Jesse Walker, *Lifetime Achievement Honors*
- 2007 Sarah Bednarz, *Gilbert Grosvenor Honors for Geographic Education*; Reginald Golledge and Peirce Lewis, *Lifetime Achievement Honors*; Darrell Napton, *Ronald F. Abler Distinguished Service Honors*; Nigel Thrift, *Distinguished Scholarship Honors*
- 2008 Lawrence A. Brown, *Lifetime Achievement Award*; Barbara Hildebrandt and Alexander B. Murphy, *Gilbert Grosvenor Honors for Geographic Education*; Paul L. Knox, *Distinguished Scholarship Honors*; Michael O. Sutcliffe, *Gilbert F. White Distinguished Public Service Honors*; Richard D. Wright, *Ronald F. Abler Distinguished Service Honors*
- 2009 Audrey Kobayashi and John R. Jensen, *Lifetime Achievement Award*; Donald J. Zeigler, *Gilbert Grosvenor Honors for Geographic Education*; David F. Ley, *Distinguished Scholarship Honors*; Donald G. Janelle and Laurence J. C. Ma, *Ronald F. Abler Distinguished Service Honors*
- 2010 Ron Johnston, *Lifetime Achievement Award*; David A. Lanegran, *Gilbert Grosvenor Honors for Geographic Education*; James S. Duncan, and Daniel A. Griffith, *Distinguished Scholarship Honors*
- 2011 Susan L. Cutter, *Lifetime Achievement Honors*; Diana M. Liverman, *Distinguished Scholarship Honors*; Mei-Po Kwan, *Distinguished Scholarship Honors*; Joseph P. Stoltman, *Gilbert Grosvenor Honors for Geographic Education*; Ros Whitehead, *Award for Distinguished Service*
- 2012 Kevin R. Cox, *Lifetime Achievement Honors*; James C. Knox, *Lifetime Achievement Honors*; Richard A. Walker, *Distinguished Scholarship Honors*; Robert W. Morrill, *Gilbert Grosvenor Honors for Geographic Education*; David Unwin, *Ronald F. Abler Honors for Distinguished Service*; Briavel Holcomb, *Distinguished Teaching Honors*
- 2013 Sallie Marston and Edward Soja, *Lifetime Achievement Honors*; Judy Carney and John O'Loughlin, *Distinguished Scholarship Honors*; Gwenda Rice, *Gilbert Grosvenor Honors for Geographic Education*; Ruth Shirey, *Ronald F. Abler Honors for Distinguished Service*; Thelma Glass, *Gilbert White Public Service Honors*; Dawn Wright, *Distinguished Teaching Honors*; Donald Deskins, Jr., *Harold M. Rose Award for Anti-Racism in Research and Practice*; Yi-Fu Tuan, *Stanley Brunn Award for Creativity in Geography*
- 2014 Anne Buttimer and Alexander Murphy, *Lifetime Achievement Honors*; Meric Gertler and Amy Glasmeier, *Distinguished Scholarship Honors*; James W. Harrington and Wei Li, *Ronald F. Abler Distinguished Service Honors*; Darrel Hess, *Gilbert Grosvenor Geographic Education Honors*; Eve Grunfest, *Gilbert White Public Service Honors*
- 2015 John Paul Jones, III and Bobby Wilson, *Lifetime Achievement Honors*; Anthony Bebbington and Ruth DeFries, *Distinguished Scholarship Honors*; Elizabeth Oglesby, *Gilbert White Public Service Honors*; John Frazier and Rita Gardner, *Ronald F. Abler Distinguished Service Honors*; Michael Solem, *Gilbert Grosvenor Geographic Education Honors*

- 2016 Susan Christopherson and George Malanson, *Lifetime Achievement Honors*; Linda Mearns, *Distinguished Scholarship Honors*; Carrie Stokes and Aaron Wolf, *Gilbert White Public Service Honors*; Kavita Pandit, *Ronald F. Abler Distinguished Service Honors*; William R. Strong, *Gilbert Grosvenor Geographic Education Honors*
- 2017 Ruth Fincher and David Robinson, *Lifetime Achievement Honors*; Patrick Bartlein and Michael Storper, *Distinguished Scholarship Honors*; Julie Winkler and Kent Mathewson, *Ronald F. Abler Distinguished Service Honors*; Michael Pretes, *Distinguished Teaching Honors*
- 2018 William Clark and Richard Peet, *Lifetime Achievement Honors*; Katherine Gibson and Henry Yeung, *Distinguished Scholarship Honors*; Iain Hay and Michal LeVasseur, *Gilbert Grosvenor Geographic Education Honors*

Honorary Member of the AAG

- 1983 Kenneth Boulding (For support of and ongoing contributions toward geography.)

Honorary Geographers

- 1998 Stephen Jay Gould, in recognition of the sensitivity to location, place, and geographical relationships evident in his penetrating and perceptive writing for scientists and the public.
- 1999 Herman E. Daly for the freshness of insight and depth of critical thought he has brought to research and teaching in economics, ecology, and resource use.
- 2000 Calvin Trillin for humorous writing that is sensitive to localities and cultural environments as exemplified in *Travels with Alice* and other works.
- 2001 John E. Gould for dedicated and effective leadership of the American Geographical Society and for his vigorous efforts to foster appreciation for geography in the wider community.
- 2002 John McPhee for his appreciation of the importance of places in fostering understanding of the earth and its natural environments, and for his sensitive exposition of the uses people have made of those places.
- 2003 Cynthia Enloe for deep and abiding appreciation of geographic perspectives in her analyses of state practices and international politics and her profound influence on feminist and political geography.
- 2004 J. Keith Ord for his pioneering work in spatial autocorrelation, in the spatial diffusion of disease, and in the creation of spatially local statistics, and for his collaborations with prominent geographers and co-authorship of prominent texts of major importance to the discipline of geography.
- 2005 Stephen J. Pyne for his pioneering and geographically-informed scholarship in the cultural ecology of fire and fire management.
- 2006 Barbara Kingsolver for her writings which have facilitated public understanding of the historical and geographical character of the southwestern U.S., Appalachia, and central Africa as well as a range of geographical issues including the relationship between humans and the environment, the challenges of moving across cultural divides, and the nature and impacts of colonialism.
- 2007 Jeffrey Sachs for his dedicated and effective leadership as an advisor to United Nations Secretary-General Kofi Annan, director of the United Nations Millennium Project, founder and director of the Millennium Promise Alliance, and director of the Earth Institute at Columbia University.
- 2008 Charles Mann for his writings which have distilled and reconciled the disparate ideas and findings of generations of scholars, especially geographers, concerning the Columbian Encounter, and which display a deep and abiding appreciation of the relationship between place, culture, and the environment.
- 2009 Paul Krugman for his important contributions to the discipline through his research in international trade and economic geography, including his publications *Geography and Trade* and *Development, Geography, and Economic Theory*.
- 2010 Nora Volkow for her creative collaborations with the AAG to increase research on ways that geographical context intersects with drug addiction, leading to better understandings of its etiology, its diffusion, and its treatment.
- 2011 Barry Lopez for engaging enduring themes in geography through his evocative literary explorations of landscape and imagination, and for his long and insightful support of AAG's multiple initiatives to create new interactions and forge deeper relationships between geography and the humanities.

- 2012 Saskia Sassen for her research and writings on the topics of globalization, immigration, labor issues, and social justice, which have prompted decision-makers to consider innovative responses to the challenge of sustainable development.
- 2013 Maya Lin for her impact on the way we look at the world and how we relate to it. AAG was impressed with the influence of her monuments on the world of architecture, and for the way in which her vision integrates monuments into landscapes in new and dramatic ways.
- 2014 Warren Washington for his contributions as a pioneer in the development of coupled climate models and in recognition of him as a leading scientist in the area of climate variability and change.
- 2015 Peter K. Bol for his leadership role and engagement with the AAG to build university-wide support at Harvard University for geospatial analysis in teaching and research.
- 2016 Judith Butler for her foundational contributions to feminist and queer theory, cultural studies, and feminist and moral philosophy, which have transformed the ways in which scholars have understood gender and sexual identities.
- 2017 James E. Hansen for his leadership and engagement in anthropogenic changes of the atmospheric composition, and for spreading broad awareness of global warming through his Congressional testimony on climate change and by disseminating NASA visualizations of our planet and its changing climate.
- 2018 Robert Bullard for the important foundational role that he has played in the study of environmental and transportation justice and the skills he has shown in translating those ideas to policy makers and wider public groups.

AAG Enhancing Diversity Award

The AAG Enhancing Diversity Award honors those geographers who have pioneered efforts toward or actively participated in efforts toward encouraging a more diverse discipline over the course of several years.

2005	Donald Deskins	2009	Glen Elder	2014	Jay T. Johnson	2016	Lawrence Estaville
2005	Saul Cohen	2009	John W. Frazier	2014	Renee Pualani Louis	2017	Leela Viswanathan
2006	Joe Darden	2010	Laurence G. Wolf	2014	Laura Smith,	2018	Banu Gökarkırsel
2007	Jacqueline Meyer	2011	Rickie Sanders	2014	Zoltan Grossman		
2007	Janice Monk	2012	Laura Pulido	2014	Douglas (RDK) Herman		
2008	Reginald G. Gollledge	2012	Clyde Woods	2015	Wendy Jepson		

AAG Presidential Achievement Award

The AAG Presidential Achievement Award was established by the AAG Council to recognize individuals who have made long-standing and distinguished contributions to the discipline of geography. Up to two individuals may be recognized each year.

- 2004 Bruce Alberts for his distinguished contributions to the discipline of geography through outstanding vision and administration of the NAS and for his support of geography within the National Academies.
- 2004 Harm J. de Blij for his extraordinary contributions to the advancement of the discipline and for his longstanding contributions to the public awareness for geography both nationally and internationally.
- 2005 Donald W. Meinig for his extraordinary contributions to geography and the stature of geography as a discipline through his teaching, research, and writing.
- 2005 Alan M. Voorhees for his exemplary professional career as scientist, educator, preeminent planner, and philanthropist, throughout which he has advocated for geography and has made significant intellectual and applied contributions, and for his dedication to expanding geography's role in improving our world.
- 2006 Trevor J. Barnes for his substantial contributions to the understanding of the history of human geography, science studies, regional science, and economic geography, and for his high quality scholarship on the quantitative revolution.
- 2006 Wilbur Zelinsky for his long and distinguished career in geography, for influential publications across a wide range of topics in human geography including population dynamics and historical geography, and for his early calls (with Susan Hanson) for the incorporation of more women into the discipline.
- 2007 Jack and Laura Dangermond for their universally recognized creative force and long-time leading pioneering efforts in the field of geographic information systems, and for their generosity toward many worthy social and educational programs in geography aiming to make a difference in the world.

- 2007 James C. Knox for his extraordinary contributions to geography and the stature of the discipline through his prolific teaching, international research in geomorphology and paleohydrology, his mentoring of students, and his selfless service.
- 2008 David Ward for his enormous contributions to geography and higher education, and for his success in advancing issues of international education while President of the American Council on Education.
- 2009 Douglas Richardson for his outstanding service as a geographer, for his creative and path-breaking research in GIScience and technology, and as the Executive Director of the Association of American Geographers, which he has enabled to be a strong, cohesive, inclusive, and vibrant organization for advancing geography now and in the future.
- 2009 Thomas J. Wilbanks for his wide-ranging contributions within and beyond geography as a scholar, an administrator, a community leader, and a highly effective integrator of insights from geography and other fields to address significant societal problems.
- 2010 Peter Meusburger for strengthening ties between English- and German-medium geography through many years of initiatives and activities which represent what can be achieved through serious intellectual commitment and hard work on behalf of a more internationalized geography.
- 2011 Patricia Gober for her rich record of peer-reviewed publications in populations, water resource management and climate change, her creation and implementation of public fora for science-engaged decision-making and her influential leadership in the discipline in service to society.
- 2012 Laura Pulido for her extensive work in the areas of environmental justice, radical movements of the sixties and seventies, labor studies, alternative tourism and comparative ethnic studies.
- 2012 Dawn Wright for her significant contributions and leadership in the areas of geographic information science, ocean informatics and cyberinfrastructure.
- 2013 Bobby Wilson for his career-long dedication to anti-racist scholarship in geography, as well as for his a mentorship to many students and for the example he has set for colleagues throughout his academic career.
- 2014 Doreen Massey for her foundational contributions to feminist geography, geographical political economy, relational geography, conceptualizations of place and space, and emancipatory approaches to urban development.
- 2015 Diana Liverman for her extraordinary contributions to understanding the human dimensions of global change, including the impacts of climate on society and issues of equity and climate change, and for her leadership roles in numerous boundary organizations, including “Future Earth,” that strengthen partnerships with scientists, policymakers and stakeholders to promote regional and global sustainability.
- 2016 Audrey Kobayashi for her foundational contributions to understanding the intersectionality of gender, race, class and all forms of socio-economic difference that have reshaped what geography is and can be, and for her insistence that geography and geographers reflect critically on their whiteness. As editor, mentor, teacher, colleague and friend she has strengthened geography by encouraging new and often challenging ways of seeing and understanding our world.
- 2017 Roger Downs for his groundbreaking research in the development of spatial cognition in children, spatial thinking with and through geospatial technologies, and the nature and development of expertise in geography. With his colleagues in psychology and other behavioral sciences, he has explored the intersection of geography and the cognitive sciences, and produced cutting-edge work on cognitive mapping and spatial behavior.
- 2018 Billy L. Turner II for his transformative research on development of land use/cover change science, and between historic/prehistoric analysis and contemporary issues. Dr. Turner has also extensively represented geography on important national and international bodies including the International Geosphere-Biosphere Programme, the International Human Dimensions Programme, and the U.S. National Climate Assessment; he also served as Associate Editor of the Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences.
- 2018 Susan Cutter whose transformative research and leadership in disaster vulnerability/resilience has extended the reach of geography to other academic disciplines and to policy communities. Dr. Cutter also brings attention to issues of race, class and environmental justice to the discipline of geography. In addition, we recognize her many service contributions to the discipline, including her leadership as President of the AAG and President of the Consortium of Social Science Associations.

AAG Atlas Award

- 2010 Jane Goodall for a lifetime devoted to increasing our understanding of the world around us, her ground-breaking scientific research in primatology, and her unceasing efforts through education and courageous activism to resolve conflicts between human and animal communities sharing and dependent upon the same ecosystems.
- 2012 Mary Robinson for her extraordinary accomplishments and advocacy in the area of human rights and social justice worldwide, both during her service as the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights and during her term as the first woman President of Ireland.
- 2014 Julian Bond for playing a central role throughout the U.S. Civil Rights Movement, as a leading figure in the Student Nonviolent Coordinating Committee, as co-founder and first president of the Southern Poverty Law Center, and as Chairman of the NAACP for over a decade.
- 2017 Noam Chomsky for his wide-ranging intellect and impassioned work on linguistics, philosophy, science, history, contemporary issues, international affairs, and US foreign policy that have long inspired geographers, and his highly-regarded contributions on contemporary topics concerning globalization and the intersections between geography, economics and politics.

AAG Media Achievement Awards

- 1997 Antoine Bailly for bringing international acclaim to geography through his work as Scientific Director of the Festival International Géographique.
- 1999 David DiBiase for creative adaptation of multimedia techniques and for thoughtful writing and presentations that have enriched cartographic scholarship.
- 2000 Mark Monmonier for exceptional contributions to newspapers and encyclopedias that have engaged non-geographers and in issues surrounding the design, construction, and interpretation of maps.
- 2005 Joni K Seager for her success in bringing geographic work to the attention of the public through two atlases, *The State of Women in the World*, and *The State of the Earth Atlas* and through numerous mass media channels.
- 2006 Craig Colten for being a consistent, knowledgeable voice of geography in a variety of American and foreign print, radio, and television media outlets. In particular for his outstanding work with the media following Hurricane Katrina.
- 2008 Harm de Blij for his promotion of spatial reasoning and teaching of geographic principles through a variety of broadcast, digital, and print media including ABC's Good Moming America, for which he won an Emmy Award, NBC News, PBS, and most recently his book, *Why Geography Matters*.
- 2010 Joshua Muldavin for his geographical insight into the major issues confronting a large portion of the world that would otherwise go unnoticed, and in recognition of his outstanding promotion of geography through various global media.
- 2013 William G. Moseley for his effective use of the media to raise public understanding of social and environmental issues in Africa and beyond, and his success in fostering awareness of the insights that can come from bringing a geographical perspective to bear on those issues.
- 2014 Derek Alderman in recognition of his dedication to promoting the important role that geography plays in people's lives through public media outlets.
- 2015 Robert Kitchin for his exceptional work both on the media and in the media, and for advancing our understanding of media geography.
- 2015 Marshall Shepherd is recognized for his success in promoting greater understanding of climate phenomena through the print and broadcast media.
- 2016 Matthew Rosenberg is recognized for his success in promoting greater understanding of geography through web and social media, as well as through his other publications and work.
- 2018 Allen Carroll, for his unparalleled contributions to the dissemination of and public access to geographical results, concepts, and tools.

AAG Globe Book Award

- 2000 James R. Shortridge for *Our Town on the Plains: J.J. Pennell's Photographs of Junction City, Kansas 1893-1922* (University of Kansas Press, 2000)
- 2001 William G. Loy for *Atlas of Oregon* (University of Oregon Press, 2001)
- 2002 Mark Monmonier for *Spying with Maps: Surveillance Technologies and Future of Privacy* (University of Chicago Press, 2002)
- 2003 Neil Smith for *American Empire, Roosevelt's Geographer and the Prelude to Globalization* (University of California Press, 2003)
- 2004 James R. Shortridge for *Cities on the Plains: The Evolution of Urban Kansas* (University of Kansas Press, 2004)
- 2005 Dydia DeLyster for *Ramona Memories: Tourism and the Shaping of Southern California* (University of Minnesota Press, 2005)
- 2006 Bruce D'Arcus for *Boundaries of Dissent: Protest and State Power in the Media Age* (Routledge Taylor and Francis Group, LLC, 2006)
- 2007 Trudy A. Suchan, Marc J. Perry, James D. Fitzsimmons, Anika E. Juhn, Alexander M. Tait and Cynthia A. Brewer for *Census Atlas of the United States* (US Census Bureau Press, 2007)
- 2008 Owen J. Dwyer and Derek H. Alderman for *Civil Rights Memorials and the Geography of Memory* (Center for American Places, 2008)
- 2009 Stuart Elden for *Terror and Territory, The Spatial Extent of Sovereignty* (University of Minnesota Press, 2009)
- 2010 Esther Jacobson-Tepfer and James E. Meacham for *Archeology and Landscape in the Mongolian Altai* (Gary Tepfer, Photography) (Esri Press, 2010)
- 2011 Jim Kimmel and Jerry Touchstone Kimmel (photographs) for *Exploring the Brazos River from Beginning to End* (Texas A&M University, 2011)
- 2012 Laura Pulido, Laura Barraclough and Wendy Cheng for *A People's Guide to Los Angeles* (University of California Press, 2012)
- 2013 Michael Dear for *Why Walls Won't Work: Repairing the US-Mexico Divide* (Oxford University Press, 2013)
- 2014 Paul Knox for *Atlas of Cities* (Princeton University Press, 2014)
- 2015 Stephen J. Hornsby and Richard W. Judd, Eds; Michael J. Herman (Cartographic Designer) for *Historical Atlas of Maine* (University of Maine Press, 2015)
- 2017 Nicole Nguyen for *A Curriculum of Fear* (University of Minnesota Press, 2016)
- 2018 Clyde Woods for *Development Drowned and Reborn: the Blues and Bourbon Restorations in Post-Katrina New Orleans* (University of Georgia Press, 2017)

AAG Meridian Book Award

The Meridian Book Award for Outstanding Scholarly Work in Geography is awarded for a book that makes an unusually important contribution to advancing the science and art of geography.

- 2000 George L. Henderson for *California and the Fictions of Capital* (Oxford University Press, 1999)
- 2001 John Clarke for *Land, Power, and Economics on the Frontier of Upper Canada* (McGill-Queen's University Press, 2000)
- 2002 Aharon Kellerman for *The Internet of Earth: A Geography of Information* (John Wiley and Sons, 2002)
- 2003 Michael Williams for *Deforesting Earth: From Prehistory to Global Crisis* (University of Chicago Press, 2003)
- 2004 Cindi Katz for *Growing up Global: Economic Restructuring and Children's Everyday Lives* (University of Minnesota Press, 2004)
- 2005 Allen J. Scott for *On Hollywood: The Place, The Industry* (Princeton University Press, 2005)
- 2006 Laura Pulido for *Black Brown Yellow and Left: Radical Activism in Los Angeles* (University of California Press, 2006)
- 2007 Diana K. Davis for *Resurrecting the Granary of Rome* (Ohio University Press/Swallow Press, 2007)
- 2008 Robin Leichenko and Karen O'Brien for *Environmental Change and Globalization: Double Exposures* (Oxford University Press, 2008)

- 2009 James A. Tyner for *War, Violence, and Population: Making the Body Count* (Guilford Press, 2009)
- 2010 Alison Mountz for *Seeking Asylum: Human Smuggling and Bureaucracy at the Border* (University of Minnesota Press, 2010)
- 2011 Martin Dodge and Rob Kitchin for *Code/Space: Software and Everyday Life* (MIT Press, 2011)
- 2012 Richard Schroeder for *Africa After Apartheid: South Africa, Race and Nation in Tanzania* (Indiana University Press, 2012)
- 2013 Stuart Elden for *The Birth of Territory* (University of Chicago Press, 2013)
- 2014 Matthew Gandy, for *The Fabric of Space: Water, Modernity and the Urban Imagination* (MIT Press, 2014)
- 2015 Christopher Sneddon for *Concrete Revolution: Large Dams, Cold War Geopolitics, and the US Bureau of Reclamation* (The University of Chicago Press, 2015)
- 2016 Eric Sheppard for *Limits to Globalization: The Disruptive Geographies of Capitalist Development* (Oxford University Press, 2016)
- 2017 Julie Michelle Klinger for *Rare Earth Frontiers: From Terrestrial Subsoils to Lunar Landscapes* (Cornell University Press, 2017)

AAG Publication Award

The AAG Publication Award is conferred in recognition of exceptional and outstanding contributions to the discipline by publishers.

- 1997 Rand McNally and Company of Chicago, Illinois, for Rand McNally's long-term association with professional geography, as reflected in the production of quality maps, atlases, and globes, and in the company's support for geographic education.
- 1998 The University of Chicago Press for exceptional support of scholarship through its series on the history of cartography and consistent publication of high quality monographs and books for undergraduate and graduate students and research and teaching faculty.
- 2000 George F. Thompson for an appreciation of the seminal themes in geography and for a strong and continuing commitment to the encouragement of creative scholarship on the American landscape.
- 2010 Victor H. Winston and Bellwether Publishing, for his many years of service as a rare combination of scholar and publisher and in recognition of more than 50 years of sustained publisher support for the discipline through production of outstanding geography journals.
- 2011 Pion, Ltd, in recognition and appreciation of more than four decades of support for geographical scholarship and publishing across the entire field of human geography, including GIScience.
- 2012 Routledge, for its long-term commitment to geography and for its sustained efforts to enhance the quality and international reach of its journals and other publications.
- 2014 Esri, Environmental Systems Research Institute, in recognition of its on-going dedication to facilitating access to and dissemination of geographic literature through publications.
- 2015 The University of California Press, for their long-term commitment to publishing excellent research in geography going back over a hundred years to 1913.
- 2016 Temple University Press, for its continued commitment to and excellence in publishing insightful, thorough, and well-written scholarship and research in geography and urban studies since its founding in 1969.
- 2018 John Wiley & Sons, Ltd. for their extraordinary support of the landmark 15-volume work, *International Encyclopedia of Geography: People, the Earth, and Technology*.

AAG Wilbanks Award for Transformational Research in Geography

The AAG Wilbanks Award for Transformational Research in Geography honors researchers from the public, private, or academic sectors who have made transformative contributions to the fields of Geography or GIScience.

- 2018 Douglas Richardson, of the American Association of Geographers, for his research contributions to Geography, GIScience, and geographic technologies, which have greatly impacted the discipline of geography.

Harm deBlij Award for Excellence in Undergraduate Teaching

The Harm deBlij Award for Excellence in Undergraduate Teaching recognizes outstanding achievement in teaching undergraduate Geography including the use of innovative teaching methods.

- 2016 Donald J. Ziegler, of Old Dominion University, for his commitment to excellence in teaching, which has led him to design and teach courses fulfilling key university missions, including writing intensive and service learning courses, each with a geographical perspective.
- 2017 Ronald Kalafsky, of the University of Tennessee, for challenging his students to apply spatial reasoning to their daily lives, and emphasizing the important role of geography for addressing the contemporary issues and environmental challenges of the 21st century.
- 2018 Fenda Akiwumi, of the the University of South Florida, for her outstanding teaching, service and research, which she views not as discreet categories, but as threads woven into a larger vocation. Her courses link the classroom to the community and the local to the global.

Humboldt Book Award for Enduring Scholarship in Geography

This Award was established to recognize a single book reviewed in the *AAG Review of Books*, judged to be a work that not only represents geographic scholarship at its best, but a book that also promises enduring scholarly value.

- 2015 Geoffrey Martin for *American Geography and Geographers* (Oxford University Press, 2015).

The James R. Anderson Medal of Honor in Applied Geography

The Anderson Medal is the highest honor that the Applied Geographers Specialty Group bestows. It is given in recognition of highly distinguished service to the profession of geography.

1983	Joseph A. Russell	1997	Frank H. Thomas
1984	Evelyn L. Pruitt	1998	Jack Dangermond
1985	Bart J. Epstein	1999	Joel R. Morrison
1986	Gilbert F. White	2000	Kingsley E. Haynes
1987	Brian J.L. Berry	2001	William B. Wood
1988	David L. Huff	2002	Richard D. Wright
1989	T.R. Lakshmanan	2003	Barry Wellar
1990	Howard L. Green	2004	Marilyn A. Brown
1991	Harold M. Mayer	2007	Michael Sutcliffe
1992	Edward A. Fernald	2010	Michael N. DeMers
1993	Lay J. Gibson	2011	Robert B. Honea
1994	William L. Garrison	2012	Lee R. Schwartz
1995	Roger F. Tomlinson and Thomas J. Wilbanks	2014	Jeffrey Osleeb and Jerome Dobson
1996	John W. Frazier	2015	William Derrenbacher

John Brinckerhoff Jackson Prize

The Jackson Prize is intended to encourage and reward American geographers who write books about the United States that convey the insights of professional geography in language that is interesting and attractive to a lay audience.

- 1999 Blake Gumprecht for *The Los Angeles River: Its Life, Death, and Possible Rebirth*. Baltimore, MD: Johns Hopkins University Press, 1999.
- 2000 David B. Lowenthal for *George Perkins Marsh: Prophet of Conservation*. Seattle, WA: University of Washington Press, 2000.
- 2001 John A. Jakle for *City Lights: Illuminating the American Night*. Baltimore, MD: Johns Hopkins University Press, 2001.
- 2002 Daniel D. Arreola for *Tejano South Texas: A Mexican American Cultural Province*. Austin, TX: University of Texas Press, 2002.
- 2003 Peirce F. Lewis for *New Orleans: The Making of an Urban Landscape*. Charlottesville, VA: Center for American Places in association with University of Virginia Press, 2003.
- 2004 Donald W. Meinig for *Global America, 1915-2000: Volume four of The Shaping of America: A Geographical Perspective on 500 Years of History*. New Haven, CT: Yale University Press, 2004.
- 2005 Craig Colten for *An Unnatural Metropolis: Wrestling New Orleans from Nature*. Baton Rouge, LA: Louisiana State University Press, 2005.
- 2006 Arthur J. Krim for *Route 66: Iconography of an American Highway*. Staunton, VA: George Thompson Publishers, 2006.
- 2007 Eric D. Olmanson for *The Future City on the Inland Sea: A History of Imaginative Geographies*. Athens, OH: Ohio University Press, 2007.
- 2008 Gumprecht for *The American College Town*. Amherst, MA: University of Massachusetts Press, 2008.
- 2009 Patrick McGreevy for *Stairway to Empire: Lockport, the Erie Canal, and the Shaping of America*. Albany, NY: State University Press of New York, 2009.
- 2010 Paul F. Starrs and Peter Goin for *Field Guide to California Agriculture*. Oakland, CA: University of California Press, 2010.
- 2011 Jan Nijman for *Miami: Mistress of the Americas*. Philadelphia, PA: University of Pennsylvania Press, 2011.
- 2012 James "Pete" Shortridge for *Kansas City and How it Grew, 1822-2011*. Lawrence, KS: University Press of Kansas, 2012.
- 2013 Anne Kelly Knowles for *Mastering Iron: The Struggle to Modernize an American Industry, 1800-1868*. Chicago, IL: University of Chicago Press, 2013.
- 2014 Randall K. Wilson for *America's Public Lands: From Yellowstone to Smokey Bear and Beyond*. Lanham, MD: Rowman & Littlefield, 2014.
- 2015 Andrew Sluyter, Case Watkins, James P. Chaney and Annie M. Gibson for *Hispanic and Latino New Orleans: Immigration and Identity since the Eighteenth Century*. Baton Rouge, LA: Louisiana State University Press, 2015.
- 2016 Lisa Benton-Short for *The National Mall: No Ordinary Public Space*. Toronto, Canada: University of Toronto Press, 2016.
- 2017 Stephen Hornsby for *Picturing America: The Golden Age of Pictorial Maps*. Chicago, IL: University of Chicago Press, 2017.
- 2017 Terence Young for *Heading Out: A History of American Camping*. Ithaca, NY: Cornell University Press, 2017.

Susan Hardwick Excellence in Mentoring Award

The AAG Susan Hardwick Excellence in Mentoring award is given annually to an individual geographer, group, or department who has demonstrated extraordinary leadership in building supportive academic and professional environments in their departments, associations, and institutions and guiding the academic and or professional growth of their students and junior colleagues. It is named in honor and memory of the late Susan Hardwick, the inaugural recipient of this award and a beloved mentor, scholar and colleague.

- 2015 Susan Hardwick, in recognition of her long and meritorious career and service as primary mentor or advisor to countless graduate and undergraduate students, as well as supporting K-12 geography teachers in Oregon, Texas, California and elsewhere.
- 2016 Kenneth E. Foote, in recognition of his career-long dedication to being a mentor, but also in helping others to be successful mentors themselves.
- 2017 Beverly Mullings, for being a trailblazer in supporting mental health in academia through both her purposeful, strategic, and actionable advice to the people she supports and platforms she has built for individuals who have been afraid to speak about mental health.
- 2018 David Kaplan, for his commitment to offering sound counsel and valuable information to others in order to advance their own paths to academic and professional success. His extraordinary dedication and service to his department, institution, and the AAG, exemplify the many ways that he is committed to enhancing diversity and inclusion in the discipline of geography.

The George and Viola Hoffman Award

The Viola Hoffman Fund was established by George Hoffman in memory of his wife in 1985, to fund master's level and doctoral research on Eastern Europe (including Yugoslavia and any new entities forming within its borders). Support may also be extended for theses and dissertations on aspects of European (including Soviet and later Russian) phenomena and processes, both historical and contemporary, and for those comparing Eastern Europe with other world regions or individual countries. The fund was renamed the George and Viola Hoffman Fund following George Hoffman's death.

- 1989 Michael A. Kukral for research on "The Role of Balneology and Medical Hydrology in Locating Health Care Delivery Specializations in the Czech Lands."
- 1991 Anke K. Wessels Bayer for research on "The Changing Role of the Grassroots Environmentalist Movement in the Industrial Restructuring of Eastern Germany."
- 1993 Caedmon Staddon for dissertation research on "Bulgarian Local Governance in Transition: 1989-1994."
- 1994 Christine Drennon for research on "Ethnicity, Territory, and Polity in Macedonia."
- 1996 Luiza Bialasiewicz Urbaniak for research on "Occupational Specialization and Voting Patterns in Post Cold War Poland."
- 1998 Ginta Palubinskas for research on "Conversion to Market Dominated Economic Systems in Eastern Europe with a Case Study of Lithuania."
- 1999 Joanna Kepka for research on "Euroregions in the New Europe: The Case of Western Borderlands of Poland," and Olaf Kuhlke for research on "Geographies of Memory and Forgetting: Cultural Politics, National Identity, and the Production of Public Spaces in post-1989 Berlin."
- 2000 Nancy Leeper for research on "The Role of Womens' Non-Governmental Organizations in the Democratization Process in Macedonia."
- 2001 Gabriel Popescu for research on "Romanian-American Diaspora Geopolitics."
- 2003 Toby Martin Applegate for research on "The Intersection between Landscape, Material Folk Culture, and National Identity of the Slovenes," and Maria C. Polderman for research on "Women's Rural Livelihoods under Transition: A Field Study of Feminist Political Ecology."
- 2004 Steven Oluic for research on spatial identity at various geographic scales in Bosnia and Herzegovina, and the former Yugoslavia more generally.
- 2005 Micheline van Riemsdijk for research on international migration of healthcare professionals, examining the case of Polish nurses in Norway.
- 2006 Georgeta Connor for research on "The Rural Dimension of Romania's Integration into the European Union: The Impact of the EU Enlargement on Romanian Agriculture and Rural Areas."
- 2006 Margareta Lelea for research on "On the Margins of the European Union: A Feminist Geography of Changing Livelihood Strategies in Romania's Western Borderlands."
- 2008 Kari Burnette for "Asylum Seekers and Refugees: Policy Considerations and Integration Measurements in the Czech Republic."
- 2009 Renata Wasley for "HIV/AIDS Epidemic in Ukraine: Examining the Attitudes and Perceptions among Orphans in Internaty."
- 2013 Weronika Kusek for "Post 2004 Polish Migration to London UK: The Importance of Virtual Space and Technology in the Construction of Diasporic Networks, Poland."

J. Warren Nystrom Awards

The J. Warren Nystrom Competition recognizes superior annual meeting presentations based on recent dissertations in geography. The fund that supports the awards was established by J. Warren Nystrom, Executive Director of the Association from 1966 to 1979.

- 1980 Daniel A. Griffith, PhD, University of Toronto, 1978. "Towards A Theory of Spatial Statistics." Robert S. Hayden, PhD, University of Georgia, 1979. "Road Drainage and Equilibrium in Small Stream Basins."
- 1981 A. Stewart Fotheringham, PhD, McMaster University, 1980. "Spatial Structure, Spatial Interaction, and Distance Decay Parameters." Mickey Lauria, PhD, University of Minnesota, 1980. "Marxian Rent Theory and Strategies for Neighborhood Redevelopment." Richard A. Marston, PhD, Oregon State University, 1980. "The Geomorphic Significance of Log Steps in Forest Streams." Hazel A. Morrow Jones, PhD, Ohio State University, 1980. "The Spatial Impact of Federal Mortgage Insurance."
- 1982 Morton E. O'Kelly, PhD, McMaster University, 1981. "The Impact of Multistop Multipurpose Trips on Spatial Interaction and Retail Distribution." Rebecca S. Roberts, PhD, Oregon State University, 1982. "The Effects of Large Lot Zoning on Housing Prices."

- 1983 David R. Butler, PhD, University of Kansas, 1982. "Late Pleistocene Paleoenvironments as Interpreted from Palynological Analysis of Glacial Till." Kam biu Liu, PhD, University of Toronto, 1982. "Post Glacial Displacements of the Boreal Forest of Great Lakes St. Lawrence Forest Ecotone in Northern Ontario." Susan M. Macey, PhD, University of Illinois, 1982. "A Causal Model of the Adoption of Home Heating Energy Conservation Measures." Peter A. Rogerson, PhD, SUNY Buffalo, 1982. "Aggregate Approaches to Migration Modeling."
- 1984 Rebecca Lou Smith, PhD, University of Minnesota, 1982. "Creating Neighborhood Identify Through Citizen Activism." Frank H. Weirich, PhD, University of Iowa, 1982. "The Use of An Integrated, Three Dimensional Instrument System to Study Sedimentation Processes in a Glacial Lake."
- 1985 Carl G. Amrhein, PhD, SUNY Buffalo, 1984. "The Effects of Job Advertising Policies on Interregional Labor Migration." Nancy Ettlinger, PhD, University of Oklahoma, 1984. "Towards a Clarification of Regional Economic Change: The United States as a Case Study, 1962 1980." Margaret I. Fitzsimmons, PhD, University of California Los Angeles, 1983. "Consequences of Agricultural Industrialization: Environmental & Social Change." Douglas J. Sherman, PhD, University of Toronto, 1983 "Longshore Currents: A Stress Balance Approach."
- 1986 Patrick McGreevy, PhD, University of Minnesota, 1984. "Visions at the Brink: Imagination and Geography at Niagara Falls." Valerian Titus Noronha, PhD, University of Western Ontario, 1985. "Functional Regions and Spatial Interaction: the Black/White Model." John F. O'Leary, PhD, University of California Los Angeles. "Environmental Factors Influencing Post Burn Vegetation in a Southern California Shrubland."
- 1987 Katherine K. Hirschboeck, PhD, University of Arizona, 1985. "Temporal and Spatial Implications of Mixed Distributions in Arizona Flood Series."
- 1988 David W. May, PhD, University of Wisconsin Madison, 1986. "Holocene Alluviation and Erosion in the South Loup Valley, Nebraska."
- 1989 Bernard Bauer, PhD, Johns Hopkins University, 1988. "Process Response Relationships in a Lacustrine Nearshore." Karen A. Lemke. PhD, University of Iowa, 1988. "An Evaluation of Box Jenkins Models of Suspended Sediment Concentration."
- 1990 Jeffrey J. McDonnell, PhD, University of Canterbury, 1989. "The Age, Origin and Pathway of Subsurface Stormflow."
- 1991 Norman Meek, PhD, University of California Los Angeles, 1990. "Evolution of the Mojave River Drainage Basin: Implications for Regional Landscape Development." Anne E. Mosher, PhD, Penn State University, 1989. "Environmentalism, Corporate Capital, and the Creation of a Model Town." Jan Nijman, PhD, University of Colorado, 1990. "A Political Geography of US Soviet Competition, 1948-1988: The Value of A Spatial Perspective."
- 1992 Cynthia Brewer, PhD, Michigan State University, 1991. "Prediction of Surround Effects on Map Color Appearance: Model Evaluation." John Wolcott, PhD, University of British Columbia, 1990. "Flume Studies of Gravel Bed Surface Response to Flowing Water."
- 1993 Andrew C. Comrie, PhD, Penn State University, 1992. "Tracking the Ill Wind of Ozone that Blows Pennsylvania's Forests No Good: A Climatology of AirMass Trajectories."
- 1994 Andrew J. Herod, PhD, Rutgers University, 1992. "Workers as Geographers: The Production of Space in the East Coast Longshore Industry Since 1955." Anne K. Knowles, PhD, University Wisconsin Madison, 1993. "The Making of Ethnic Capitalists." Usha Natarajan, PhD, University of Iowa, 1992. "Economics of Screening for Pesticides in Ground Water."
- 1995 Normand E. Bergeron, PhD, SUNY Buffalo, 1994. "Stream Bed Roughness and Resistance to Flow in Natural Gravel Bed Streams."
- 1996 Steve Herbert, PhD, University of California Los Angeles, 1995. "Territoriality and the Police." David McGinnis, PhD, Penn State University, 1994. "Downscaling Techniques for Snowfall Prediction in Global Change Studies." Francis Harvey, PhD, University of Washington, 1996. "Geographic Integration: From Holism to System."
- 1997 Meghan Cope, PhD, University of Colorado, 1995. "Households and Structuration of Place: Lawrence, Massachusetts, 1920 1939." Stephen E. Silvern, Ph.D., University of Wisconsin-Madison, 1995. "Spatial Ideologies and the Politics of Wisconsin Ojibwe Treaty Rights: Negotiating State Tribal Relations."
- 1998 Karen E. Till, PhD, University of Wisconsin-Madison, 1996. "Place and the Politics of Memory: A Geo-Ethnography of Museums and Memorials in Berlin."
- 1999 Donald A. Friend, PhD, Arizona State University, 1997. "Evolution of Desert Colluvial Boulder Fields, Eastern California." Wei Li, PhD, University of Southern California, 1997. "Spatial Transformation of an Urban Ethnic Community: From Chinatown to Chinese Ethnorburb in Los Angeles."
- 2000 Derek H. Alderman, PhD, University of Georgia, 1998. "A Street Fit for a King: Naming Places and Scaling Memory in the American South."

- 2001 Douglas Deur, PhD, Louisiana State University, 2000. "Traces of Plant Cultivation on the 'Non-Agricultural' Northwest Coast." *Honorable Mention* to Betsy Donald, PhD, University of Toronto, 2000. "The Permeable City: Toronto's Spatial Shift at the Turn of the Millennium;" and to Martin Roberge, PhD, Arizona State University, 1999. "Bridge Design along the Lower Salt River."
- 2002 Shanti Gamper Rabindran, PhD, Rockefeller University, 2001. "The Role of Large and Small Landholders during Indonesia's Land Fires: A GIS-Econometric Analysis of Satellite, Land Use, and Spatial Data." Wendy Wolford, PhD, University of California-Berkeley, 2001. "This Land is Ours Now: Social Movement Formation and Struggle for Land in Brazil."
- 2003 Deborah Feder, PhD, Pennsylvania State University, 2001. "Rethinking U.S. Energy Use with End-Use Analysis and Regional Geography."
- 2004 David Carr, PhD, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, 2002. "Examining the Proximate and Underlying Causes of Tropical Deforestation: Migration and Land Use in the Sierra de Lacazndon National Park, Guatemala." Martin Doyle, PhD, Purdue University, 2002. "Geomorphic and Ecological Impacts of Dam Removal." Jennifer Miller, PhD, San Diego State University and University of California Santa Barbara, 2003. "Incorporating Spatial Dependence in Predictive Vegetation Models: Residual Interpolation Methods." Carl Reese, PhD, Louisiana University, 2003. "A 25,000 Year High Resolution Pollen Record from the Sajama Ice Cap, Bolivia."
- 2005 Lynn M. Resler, PhD, Texas State University, 2004. For her dissertation research concerned with the dynamics and processes that influence alpine treeline spread across multiple spatial scales.
- 2006 Matthew Peros, PhD, University of Toronto, 2005. "Middle to Late Holocene Environmental Change and Archaeology on the North Coast of Central Cuba."
- 2007 Xuwei Chen, PhD, Texas State University, San Marcos, 2006. "Microsimulation of Hurricane Evacuation Strategies of Galveston Island."
- 2007 Julie Silva, PhD, Rutgers University, 2005. "Neoliberalization and inequality in Mozambique: A Case study in the use of iterative mixed methods."
- 2008 Chris S. Duvall, PhD, University of Wisconsin-Madison, 2006. "Settlement ecology and chimpanzee habitat in Mali." Lawrence Kiage, PhD, Louisiana State University, 2007. "Vegetation Change and Land Degradation in the Lake Baringo Basin, Kenya, East Africa: Evidence from the Paleorecord."
- 2009 Tina Mangieri, PhD, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, 2007. "African cloth, export production, and secondhand clothing in Kenya."
- 2010 Clark Gray, PhD, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, 2008. "Environment, Land and Rural Out-Migration in the Southern Ecuadorian Andes."
- 2011 Daehyun Kim, PhD, University of Kentucky. "Fluvial-Geomorphic Processes of Salt Marsh Creeks Shape Spatial Trends in Vegetation by Complicating Environmental Stress Gradients."
- 2012 Joseph Holler, PhD, University of Buffalo. "Is Sustainable Adaptation Possible? Determinants of Adaptation on Mount Kilimanjaro."
- 2014 Martha Bell, PhD, Pennsylvania State University. "Historical Political Ecology of Water: Municipal Water Governance in Colonial Lima, Peru (1578-1700)."
- 2015 John Paul Catungal, PhD, University of Toronto. "Therapeutic spaces as political geographies: performing ethno-specificity in sexual health promotion."
- 2016 Kimberly Thomas, PhD, Rutgers University. "The River-Border Complex: Governing Flows in South Asia."
- 2017 Case Watkins, PhD, James Madison University. "Complex landscapes in the African diaspora: Five centuries of palm oil development on Bahia's Dende Coast."
- 2018 Bisola Falola, PhD, University of Texas - Austin. "Terrains of Trauma - Urban Youth and Policies of Disinvestment."
- 2018 Qunshan Zhao, PhD, Arizona State University. "Impact of tree locations and arrangements on outdoor microclimates and human thermal comfort in an urban residential environment."

Glenda Laws Award

The Glenda Laws Award recognizes early to mid-career scholars and their outstanding contributions to geographic research on social issues. It is named in memory of Glenda Laws, a geographer who brought energy and enthusiasm to her work on issues of social justice and social policy.

- 2004 Vincent Del Casino Jr., California State University, Long Beach, for his passionate commitment to ease the suffering of people with AIDS and HIV and to help in the prevention of these diseases, especially in marginalized and vulnerable communities.
- 2005 Karen Bakker, University of British Columbia, for her uncompromising commitment to advance understandings of the nature of governance, the significance of natural resources, and the importance of distributive justice in contemporary societies.
- 2006 Michael Brown, University of Washington, for his research focusing on the intersection of political, cultural, urban and health geographies, and particularly for his leadership in geographies of sexuality and the body.
- 2007 James Tyner, Kent State University, for his “long-standing and steadfast commitment in research and teaching to social justice,” including work on the geographies of race, religion, economics and labor, geopolitics and the morality of war.
- 2010 Nik Heynen, University of Georgia, for his work which has helped to define and advance the academic agenda in geography and cognate disciplines in a number of areas, particularly related to hunger, environmental justice, globalization, and emancipatory social struggles.
- 2012 Minelle Mahtani, University of Toronto, for her outstanding research in the area of minority representation in geography, her contributions to the Geography Faculty Development Alliance and her use of multimedia to enhance diversity initiatives.
- 2014 Juanita Sundberg, University of British Columbia, for her commitment to social justice, which is deeply embedded in both her teaching and scholarship.
- 2015 Joshua Inwood, University of Tennessee-Knoxville, for significantly advancing the ideas of social justice, anti-racism, and peace from a geographic perspective.
- 2017 Sarah Hunt, University of British Columbia, for her commitment to knowledge mobilization, social justice, and superb scholarship, and for her exploration of geographies of resistance and resurgence in the intimate, everyday relations of indigenous people and communities.
- 2018 Sharlene Mollett, University of Toronto Scarborough, for her outstanding work as a critical social geographer, who has made a significant impact on feminist political ecologies.

AAG Harold M. Rose Award for Anti-Racism Research and Practice

This Award honors geographers who have a demonstrated record of this type of research and active contributions to society, and is awarded to individuals who have served to advance the discipline through their research, and who have also had an impact on anti-racist practice.

- 2013 Donald R. Deskins, Jr., for his important scholarly contributions to our understanding of racial dynamics in American society, and his invaluable leadership, which inspired more geographers of color to pursue geography as a career choice.
- 2014 Ruth Wilson Gilmore, for her tireless commitment to political activism, exploring complex racial and class formations, uneven development, and the African diaspora which has changed the epistemological terrain of human geography as well as other cognate disciplines.
- 2015 Bobby M. Wilson, for his path-breaking research agenda examining the socio-spatial dialectics of race and class in the United States, and his demonstration of not only how racism perpetuates inequality but also how capitalism perpetuates racism.
- 2016 Joe T. Darden, for his research on the many racialized groups that live in North American cities, and the ways in which their spatial insertion in the city is related to poverty, health, housing, and access to civic participation.
- 2017 Melissa Wright, for her path breaking work in Mexico and on the US-Mexico border, especially for bringing attention to the plight of women and student activists in Mexico.
- 2018 Laura Pulido, for her path-breaking work on environmental racism documenting the central role of geography and the pivotal role of white privilege and white supremacy in the uneven geography of environmental hazard exposure.

AAG E. Willard and Ruby S. Miller Award

This Award recognizes members of the Association who have made truly outstanding contributions to the geographic field due to their special competence in teaching or research.

- 2010 Iain Hay, Flinders University, for his international leadership in geographic education, heightening the profile of geography and global education, facilitating and institutionalizing networks of academics and educators, and enhancing teaching and learning in K-12 and university geography around the world.
- 2011 Jane Southworth, University of Florida, for her excellence in teaching, amazing dedication to educating and mentoring graduate students at her institution, strong grant and publication record and international visibility of her research in lang-change science.
- 2015 Qihao Weng, Indiana State University, for his pioneering contributions to the field of remote sensing and its geographical applications, particularly in relation to urban environments, through teaching, collaborative research, conferences and high impact publications.
- 2016 Mei-Po Kwan, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, for her record of research accomplishment, impact, and contribution, particularly in GIScience, human mobility, and environmental health, both within the discipline of geography and beyond.
- 2017 Hui Lin, Chinese University of Hong Kong, for his scholarly work, which represents a grand synthesis of human and physical geography, using cutting-edge geospatial technologies.
- 2018 Judith A. Tyner, California State University, Long Beach, for her significant contributions to the fields of map design, historical cartography, persuasive cartography, textile maps, and lunar cartography.

AAG Stanley Brunn Award for Creativity in Geography

The AAG Stanley Brunn Award for Creativity in Geography is given annually to an individual geographer or team of geographers that has demonstrated originality, creativity and significant intellectual breakthroughs in geography.

- 2013 Yi-Fu Twan, for his scholarship, which has transformed how geographers conceptualize place, not only in ways that have reoriented the discipline, but also in ways that draw considerable attention from non-geographers.
- 2014 Robert B. (Bob) Kates, for his work (and indeed his life), which has transformed how the community of knowledge pursues a social objective of the sustainability of the systems that we care about at scales from global to local, and has shaped the activities in both research and practice of a host of people and institutions worldwide who are joining in the pursuit of this elusive goal.
- 2015 Susan Hanson, for her instrumental role in introducing feminist theories and gendered analysis to geography, thus creating new modes of interpreting and explaining our everyday worlds.
- 2016 Michael Goodchild, for his work which has transformed GIScience from a fledgling field into a credible new science respected by the academic establishment, and his is continuous and creative work which has also opened up GIS and spatial analytical methods to many other disciplines
- 2017 David Harvey, for his scholarship, which is foundational to the emergence of Marxist and radical geography, and his demonstration of the highly creative and consequential place that geographers can have in engaging and shaping broader transdisciplinary discussions and debates.
- 2018 Mei-Po Kwan, for her groundbreaking theoretical contributions to health, mobility, urban and transportation geographies, and to GIScience, broadly.

AAG Award for Program Excellence

This award honors non-PhD-granting geography programs that have significantly enhanced the prominence and reputation of geography as a discipline, and demonstrated the characteristics of a strong and engaged academic unit.

- 2016 Department of Geography, DePaul University; Geography Program, Illinois State University, *Honorable Mention*
- 2017 Department of Geography and the Environment, University of North Texas; Geography Department, George Washington University, *Honorable Mention*
- 2018 Department of Geography, SUNY - Geneseo; Department of Geography, Macalester College, *Honorable Mention*

Geographer Members of the National Academy of Sciences

Individuals are included on the basis of AAG membership, a degree in geography, and/or full faculty employment in a geography department. Items marked in parenthesis represent the discipline for which an individual was elected to academy. Bracketed items represent the section to which individuals currently belong.

1863	Arnold H. Guyot (charter member)	1988	Thomas Dunne [Geology]
1872	Raphael W. Pumpelly (geomorphologist)	1995	Billie Lee Turner II [Human Environmental Sciences]
1874	George Davidson (geographer-geodesist)	1996	Karl W. Butzer [Human Environmental Sciences]
1879	Cleveland Abbe (meteorologist)	1999	Akin L. Mabogunje [foreign associate in Human Environmental Sciences]
1883	Grove Karl Gilbert (geomorphologist)	2000	Susan E. Hanson [Human Environmental Sciences]
1883	Ferdinand von Richthofen (foreign associate)	2002	Michael F. Goodchild [Human Environmental Sciences]
1898	Eduard Suess (geomorphologist, foreign associate)	2003	Roger E. Kasperson [Human Environmental Sciences]
1902	Clinton Hart Merriam (biologist)	2004	William A. V. Clark [Human Environmental Sciences]
1904	William Morris Davis (geomorphologist)	2005	Ruth DeFries [Human Environmental Sciences]
1909	Albrecht Penck (geomorphologist, foreign associate)	2005	Jean Aimé Rakotoarisoa [foreign associate in Social and Political Sciences]
1912	Harry F. Reid (geomorphologist)	2006	Robert Sampson [Social and Political Sciences]
1920	Bailey Willis (geologist)	2008	Luc Anselin [Human Environmental Sciences]
1923	Leonhard Stejneger (biologist)	2008	Peter Haggett [foreign associate in Human Environmental Sciences]
1925	Reginald A. Daly (geomorphologist)	2009	Anthony Bebbington [Human Environmental Sciences]
1930	Isaiah Bowman	2009	Ellen Mosley-Thompson [Human Environmental Sciences]
1959	Richard J. Russell (geomorphologist)	2009	Eric Lambin [foreign associate in Human Environmental Sciences]
1973	Gilbert F. White [Human Environmental Sciences]	2010	Emilio F. Moran [Human Environmental Sciences]
1975	Brian J. L. Berry [Human Environmental Sciences]	2013	A. Stewart Fotheringham [Human Environmental Sciences]
1975	Robert W. Kates [Human Environmental Sciences]	2014	Janet Franklin [Human Environmental Sciences]
1976	John Borchert	2015	Glen MacDonald [Human Environmental Sciences]
1977	Julian Wolpert [Human Environmental Sciences]	2017	Anthony Bebbington [Human Environmental Sciences]
1979	Jared M. Diamond [Environmental Sciences and Ecology]		
1982	Waldo R. Tobler [Human Environmental Sciences]		
1985	Walter Isard [Social and Political Sciences]		
1988	M. Gordon Wolman [Human Environmental Sciences]		

Geographer MacArthur Fellows

1981	Robert W. Kates
1984	Bret Wallach
1985	Jared M. Diamond
1985	William Cronon
1998	Donald M. Mitchell
2007	Ruth DeFries
2017	Trevor Paglen

Geographer Members of the American Academy of Arts and Sciences

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1796	Jedidiah Morse	1976	Brian J.L. Berry [Anth/Arch/Soc/Dem/Geog]
1822	Alexander von Humboldt (FHM)	1976	John R. Borchert
1849	Carl Ritter (FHM)	1976	Robert W. Kates [Anth/Arch/Soc/Dem/Geog]
1849	Arnold H. Guyot	1976	Paul Wheatley
1869	Nathaniel S. Shaler	1978	Torsten Hägerstrand (FHM)
1870	Raphael Pumpelly	1981	M. Gordon Wolman [Astronomy and Earth Sciences]
1875	Daniel Coit Gilman	1984	Karl W. Butzer [Anth/Arch/Soc/Dem/Geog]
1884	Cleveland Abbe	1993	Thomas Dunne [Astronomy and Earth Sciences]
1884	William Morris Davis	1995	Alfred W. Crosby [History]
1887	George Davidson	1998	Billie Lee Turner, II [Anth/Arch/Soc/Dem/Geog]
1893	Grove Karl Gilbert	1999	David Ward [Anth/Arch/Soc/Dem/Geog]
1898	Robert DeC. Ward	2000	Susan E. Hanson [Anth/Arch/Soc/Dem/Geog]
1901	Ferdinand von Richthofen (FHM)	2001	William M. Denevan [Anth/Arch/Soc/Dem/Geog]
1908	Douglas W. Johnson	2002	Yi-Fu Tuan [Anth/Arch/Soc/Dem/Geog]
1909	Reginald A. Daly	2003	William A.V. Clark [Anth/Arch/Soc/Dem/Geog]
1915	Wallace W. Atwood	2004	Roger E. Kasperson [Anth/Arch/Soc/Dem/Geog]
1915	Bailey Willis	2005	Reginald G. Golledge
1916	Isaiah Bowman	2006	William Cronon [History]
1916	Ellsworth Huntington	2006	Michael F. Goodchild [Anth/Arch/Soc/Dem/Geog]
1917	Herbert E. Gregory	2006	Peter Haggett [Anth/Arch/Soc/Dem/Geog] (FHM)
1922	Emmanuel de Margerie (FHM)	2006	Robert D. Sack [Anth/Arch/Soc/Dem/Geog]
1929	Kirk Bryan	2007	David Harvey [Anth/Arch/Soc/Dem/Geog]
1933	Charles F. Brooks	2010	Donald Meinig [History]
1935	Derwent S. Whittlesey	2010	Ruth DeFries [Anth/Arch/Soc/Dem/Geog]
1936	Raoul Blanchard (FHM)	2011	Luc Anselin [Anth/Arch/Soc/Dem/Geog]
1968	Chauncy Harris	2011	Ellen Mosley-Thompson [Astronomy and Earth Sciences]
1969	Gilbert F. White	2014	Anthony J. Bebbington
1972	Jean Gottmann (FHM)	2016	Janet Franklin
1973	Jared M. Diamond [Evolutionary and Population Biology, and Ecology]	2016	Glen M. MacDonald
1975	Walter Isard [Political Science, International Relations, and Public Policy]	2017	Judith Carney
		2017	Akin L. Mabogunje (FHM)

Guggenheim Fellows in Geography

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1926	Glenn T. Trewartha	1973	Harold C. Brookfield	2000	Donna J. Peuquet
1928	Edwin M. Loeb	1974	James T. Lemon	2001	Daniel Griffith
1930	Owen Lattimore	1975	Robert D. Sack	2001	Richard A. Walker
1931	John E. Orchard	1975	Bernard Q. Nietschmann	2002	Matthew Turner
1931	Carl O. Sauer	1975	David J.M. Hooson	2002	Karl Zimmerer
1932	Owen Lattimore	1976	Karl W. Butzer	2003	John Agnew
1940	Raymond E. Crist	1976	Leslie Curry	2003	Jan Nijman
1943	Glenn T. Trewartha	1976	David Harvey	2003	Michael Watts
1951	Levi Marrero Artiles	1976	Jack D. Ives	2004	John O'Loughlin
1952	Dan Stanislawski	1977	David Woodward	2004	Judith A. Carney
1953	George F. Carter	1977	Arthur H. Robinson	2005	Mark Ellis
1953	Raymond E. Crist	1977	William M. Denevan	2005	Richard Harris
1954	Malcolm J. Proudfoot	1978	Hilgard O. Sternberg	2005	Bruce L. Rhoads
1955	Robert C. West	1978	John E. Hay	2006	Jamie Peck
1957	Robert E. Dickinson	1979	James R. Shortridge	2006	Laurence C. Smith
1957	John E. Brush	1980	Wilbur Zelinsky	2007	Timothy Beach
1957	Merle C. Prunty, Jr.	1980	Kenneth Ruddle	2007	Diana K. Davis
1958	Harry P. Bailey	1981	Billie Lee Turner II	2008	Susanna B. Hecht
1959	James J. Parsons	1981	Martyn C. Kellman	2008	Glen M. MacDonald
1960	Allan L. Rodgers	1982	Roger G. Barry	2008	Don Mitchell
1961	Andrew H. Clark	1982	Norton S. Ginsburg	2009	Martin Doyle
1961	Harold J. Wiens	1982	John Fraser Hart	2009	Daniel Z. Sui
1963	Erich Isaac	1983	J. Nicholas Entrikin	2010	Sheila Jasanoff
1963	William H. Wallace	1983	Richard L. Morrill	2010	Patrick J. Lynett
1963	Norman J.W. Thrower	1984	Mark S. Monmonier	2010	Simone Pinet
1963	Frederick J. Simoons	1984	Nigel J.H. Smith	2011	Arun Agrawal
1964	Arthur H. Robinson	1985	Lawrence A. Brown	2011	Paolo D'Odorico
1964	Robert H.T. Smith	1985	Thomas T. Veblen	2011	Esteban Jobbágy
1965	Clarence J. Glacken	1986	Peirce F. Lewis	2013	Lilla LoCurto
1965	David Lowenthal	1986	Allen J. Scott	2013	William Outcault
1965	Carl L. Johannessen	1987	Julian Wolpert	2014	Anthony Bebbington
1966	H. Roy Merrens,	1987	Reginald Golledge	2014	Diana Liverman
1966	Rhoads Murphy	1987	Thomas Glick	2015	Anne Kelly Knowles
1966	Donald W. Meinig	1988	John Hudson	2016	Mei-Po Kwan
1967	Dan Stanislawski	1988	Michael Dear	2016	Katharyne Mitchell
1967	Yi-Fu Tuan	1989	Susan Hanson	2016	Laura Pulido
1968	Rainer Berger	1990	David Robinson	2017	Julie Guthman
1968	Richard C. Harris	1990	Timothy R. Oke	2018	Jesse Ribot
1969	Alfredo Segundo Clemente Bolsi	1993	William L. Graf		
1969	John H. Warkentin	1994	William A.V. Clark		
1969	Edward T. Price	1994	William Cronon		
1970	John H. Galloway	1995	Neil Smith		
1970	Charles F. Bennett	1996	Ronald I. Dorn		
1970	Ernesto Guhl	1997	Jennifer R. Wolch		
1970	David Ward	1998	Richard A. Wright		
1971	Joseph A. May	1999	Hildegardo Cordova Aguilar		
1971	Peter O. Wacker	1999	Neil Harris		
1972	James R. Gibson	1999	Peter Rogerson		
1972	Michael G.A. Hill	2000	Kevin R. Cox		