

2019

Nominated Candidates

The Astrid Lindgren Memorial Award is the world's largest award for children's and young adult literature. Candidates are nominated by expert organisations world-wide. A common feature of the nomination bodies is that they have a good overview and knowledge of children's and young adult literature in their countries or language areas. This makes the annual list of nominees a good starting-point for an overview of contemporary international children's and young adult literature.

A total of 168 candidates have been nominated for the 2010 award. Among the nominees are authors, illustrators, promoters of reading and oral storytellers, representing more than 60 countries world-wide.

The winner or winners of the Astrid Lindgren Memorial Award will be announced by the expert jury at the birthplace of Astrid Lindgren in Vimmerby, Sweden, on March 24 2010, at 13.00 CET. The announcement will be broadcasted live to the Bologna Children's Book Fair, Italy, and online at www.alma.se.

For information on become a nominating body, please contact literatureaward@alma.se.

THE 2010 ASTRID LINDGREN MEMORIAL AWARD NOMINEES ARE:

Adarna House The Philippines, Organisation

Akal, Aytül Turkey, Author

Algimantas, Zurba Lithuania, Author

Almond, David United Kingdom, Author

Alonso, Fernando Alonso Spain, Author

Antonenkov, Evgeny Russia, Illustrator

Appelgren, Tove Finland, Author

Bauer, Jutta Germany, Illustrator

Bećirbašić, Mirsad Bosnia and Herzegovina, Author/Promoter of reading

Belsvik, Rune Norway, Author

Berner, Rotraut Susanne Germany, Illustrator

Biblionef South Africa, Organisation

Biblioteca Th´uruchapitas Bolivia, Organisation

Bishqemi, Astrit Albania, Author/Promoter of reading

Blake, Quentin United Kingdom, Illustrator

Blau, Aljoscha Germany, Illustrator

Bryan, Ashley USA, Illustrator

Brøgger, Lilian Denmark, Illustrator

Callaloo Poets British Virgin Islands, Organisation

Campos de Queirós, Bartolomeu Brazil, Author

Caravane Civique Morocco, Organisation

Carmi, Daniella Israel, Author

Casalderrey, Fina Spain, Author

Chambers, Aidan United Kingdom, Author (also with Chambers, Nancy)

Chambers, Aidan & Nancy United Kingdom, Promoters of reading

Choucair, Mahmoud Egypt, Author

Cneut, Carll Belgium, Illustrator

Cowley, Joy New Zealand, Author

Crowther, Kitty Belgium, Illustrator

Dahle, Gro Norway, Author (with Nyhus, Svein)

Daly, Niki South Africa, Illustrator

Derib Switzerland, Illustrator

Doyle, Brian Canada, Author

Educational Volunteers Foundation of Turkey Turkey, Organisation

Edwards, Hazel Australia, Author

Eeg Rosenløw, Harald Norway, Author

Ekman, Fam Norway, Author/Illustrator

Eriksson, Eva Sweden, Illustrator

Erlbruch, Wolf Germany, Illustrator

Farias Díaz-Noriega, Juan Spain, Author

Fernandes, Maria Celestina Angola, Author
First words in print South Africa, Organisation
Gamos, Albert The Philippines, Illustrator
Geelen, Harrie The Netherlands, Author/Illustrator
Gestel van, Peter The Netherlands, Author
Gleitzman, Morris Australia, Author
Granito de Arena Uruguay, Organisation
Grech, Leonard Malta, Author
Hansen, Thore Norway, Illustrator
Havkin, Hilla Israel, Illustrator
Havukainen, Aino Finland, Author (with Toivonen, Sami)
Heidelberg, Nikolaus Germany, Illustrator
Helgadottir, Gudrun Iceland, Author
Hellsing, Lennart Sweden, Author,
Hemati Ahoui, Abolfazl Iran, Illustrator
Henkes, Kevin USA, Author
Hoban, Russel USA, Author
Hovland, Ragnar Norway, Author
Hughes, Shirley United Kingdom, Author/Illustrator
Härtling, Peter Germany, Author
Höglund, Anna Sweden, Author/Illustrator
IBBY International International, Organisation

ILKYAR Turkey, Organisation
Innocenti, Roberto Italy, Illustrator
Internationale Jugendbibliothek Germany, Organisation
ISOL Argentina, Author/Illustrator
Jamba, Dashdondog Mongolia, Author/Promoter of reading
Jensen, Louis Denmark, Author
Junaković, Svjetlan Croatia, Illustrator
Kalman, Maira USA, Author/Illustrator
Karrebæk, Dorte Denmark, Illustrator
Kelompok Pencinta Bacaan Anak Indonesia, Organisation
Knowledge without Borders United Arab Emirates, Organisation
Krsenkovic Brkovic, Dragana Republic of Montenegro, Author
Kuijjer, Guus The Netherlands, Author
Kunnas, Mauri Finland, Author/Illustrator/Oral Storyteller
La Fundación Riecken Guatemala, Organisation/Oral Storytellers
Labbad, Mohieddine el Egypt, Illustrator
Leeuwen van, Joke The Netherlands, Author
Leite, Mauricio Brazil, Promoter of reading
Lettsome, Quincy F British Virgin Islands, Author
Lindgren, Barbro Sweden, Author
Lowry, Lois USA, Author
Lubuto Library Project Zambia, Organisation

Lukk-Toompere, Regina Estonia, Author
Macan, Darko Croatia, Author
Madsen, Peter Denmark, Illustrator
Mahy, Margret New Zealand, Author
Marchuk, Heorhi Republic of Belarus, Author
Martin, Andreu Spain, Author
Mdoe, Janet Nkabirwa Nsibirwa Uganda, Promoter of reading
Meek Spencer, Margaret United Kingdom, Promoter of reading
Mello, Roger Brazil, Illustrator
Mhlophe, Gcina South Africa, Author/Oral Storyteller
Moeyaert, Bart Belgium, Author
Moradi Kermani, Hooshang Iran, Author
Morpurgo, Michael United Kingdom, Author
Mortenson, Greg USA, Promoter of reading
Murashova, Ekaterina Russia, Author
Murti Bunanta Foundation Indonesia, Organisation/Oral Storytellers
Myers, Walter Dean USA, Author
Mäkelä, Hannu Finland, Author
Nati per Leggere Italy, Organisation
National Reading Contest The Netherlands, Organisation
Nopola, Sinikka Finland, Author (with Nopola, Tiina)
Nopola, Tiina Finland, Author (with Nopola, Sinikka)

Nyhus, Svein Norway, Illustrator (also with Dahle, Gro)
Orlev, Uri Israel, Author
Ottesen, Josefine Denmark, Author
Palavras Andarilhas Portugal, Organisation
Paterakis, Yolanda Greece, Author
Patte, Geneviève France, Promoter of reading
Paz, Agustin Fernandez Spain, Author
Pedovic, Aleksandar Serbia, Illustrator
Pellowski, Anne USA, Promoter of reading/Oral Storyteller
Pervik, Aino Estonia, Author
Piumini, Roberto Italy, Author
PRAESA Project for the Study of Alternative Education in South Africa South Africa, Organisation
Prap, Lila Slovenia, Author
Procházková, Iva Czech Republic, Author
Psaraki, Vasso Greece, Illustrator
Reuter, Bjarne Denmark, Author
Richter, Jutta Germany, Author/Oral Storyteller
Room to Read USA, Organisation
Rsumovic, Ljubivoje Serbia, Author
Say, Allen USA, Author/Illustrator
Scheffler, Axel Germany, Illustrator

Section for Libraries Serving Disadvantaged Persons (IFLA) International, Organisation

Sempé, Jean Jaques France, Illustrator

Serrano Pérez, Francisco Javier Spain, Illustrator

Sfar, Joann France, Author/Illustrator

Shaban Nejad, Afsaneh Iran, Author

Shabawiz Iran, Organisation

Sharafeddine, Fatima United Arab Emirate, Author

Shulevitz, Uri USA, Illustrator

Sis, Peter USA, Author/Illustrator

Solé Vendrell, Carme Spain, Illustrator

Sortland, Bjørn Norway, Author

Sottler, Alenka Slovenia, Illustrator

Spang Olsen, Ib Denmark, Illustrator

Stark, Ulf Sweden, Author

Szegedi, Katalin Hungary, Illustrator

Tadjo, Véronique Ivory Coast, Author/Illustrator

Tan, Shaun Australia, Author/Illustrator

The Siam Cement Foundation Thailand, Organisation

Thompson, Kate Ireland, Author

Tidholm, Anna-Clara Sweden, Illustrator (also with Tidholm, Thomas)

Tidholm, Anna-Clara & Thomas Sweden, Illustrator/Author

Togo Public Libraries Network Togo, Organisation

Toivonen, Sami, Finland Illustrator (with Havukainen, Aino)

Touma, Nadine Lebanon, Author

Tungal, Leelo Estonia, Author

Törnqvist, Marit The Netherlands, Illustrator

Töttemeyer, Andree-Jeanne Namibia, Promoter of reading

Uehashi, Nahoko Japan, Author

Ungerer, Tomi France, Illustrator

Vanden Heede, Sylvia Belgium, Author

Welsh-Rabady, Renate Austria, Author

Wenjun, Qin China, Author

Verplancke, Klaas Belgium, Illustrator

Vestly, Anne-Cath Norway, Author

Vieira, Alice Portugal, Author

Wikland, Ilon Sweden, Illustrator

Wilkon, Józef Poland, Illustrator

Wilson, Jaqueline United Kingdom, Author

Wynne Jones, Diana United Kingdom, Author

Youssef, Abdel Tawab Egypt, Author

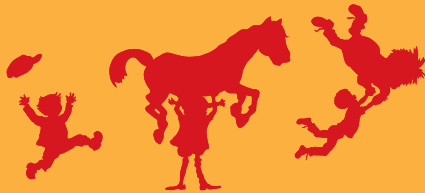
Zak, Monica Sweden, Author

Zmaj Children Games Serbia/Montenegro, Organisation

Zwerger, Lisbeth Austria, Illustrator

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