

Outstanding Book Award

In recognition of the best book published in the area of criminal justice.

1. Extraordinary contribution to the study of crime and criminal justice.
2. Book must be published within three (3) calendar years prior to the meeting at which the award will be given.
3. In general, edited books, textbooks, and serials are not eligible. Exceptions can be made for books that offer a new theoretical framework or otherwise make a significant advance in scholarship.
4. A book may be considered no more than twice for the award.
5. Edited volumes which include previously published works are not eligible for the book award.
6. At least one author must be a member of ACJS at the time the book is nominated.

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