

Intelligence History Book Prize 2024 awarded by the International Intelligence History Association

We are delighted to announce our call for nominations for the *Intelligence History Book Prize 2024*. The prize is worth € 1,000 and will be awarded by the *International Intelligence History Association* (IIHA) at its annual conference, for the first time at the *International Conference Need to Know XIII and the 2024 IIHA Annual Conference: Intelligence in Central and Eastern Europe (Intermarium) and the Soviet (Russian) Factor*, Warsaw, October 14–16, 2024. The book prize winner will also be featured in the December 2024 issue of the *Journal of Intelligence History*. There will be honourable mentions for highly commended runners-up.

Guidelines for the *Intelligence History Book Prize*:

- Authors, publishers, IIHA members, or other interested parties may nominate published monographs.
- Books must have been published between 1 January 2022 and 25 August 2024.
- For non-English language books, please contact the IIHA executive director prior to submission.
- Self-nominations are accepted and welcome.
- All entries must be based on sound and accurate historical research in the field of intelligence history, encouraging further exploration of the historical past from antiquity to contemporary history; research can cover any geographic region. Nominations are expected to make a significant contribution to the field.
- Entries must be submitted by 25 August 2024. Late entries and submissions that do not adhere to these guidelines will be disqualified. Please fill out and submit the official form via this link to Google Forms: <https://forms.gle/HCHrdP4Fq1KWbMhAA>.
- The author (or nominator) must coordinate with the publisher and the IIHA executive director to ensure the receipt of 1 digital copy of the nominated book as well as at least 1 peer review of the book (e.g., external review of manuscript before publication; PhD report; published journal review) and the author's CV by the prize-giving committee by 25 August 2024.
- Please combine the peer review(s) and the author's CV into one pdf and name it "LASTNAME-ShortTitle" (e.g., ANDREWS-SecretWorld.pdf). Please send this file and the digital copy of the nominated book to exec_director@intelligence-history.org latest by 25 August 2024, 23:59 CET.
- Submitted publications will not be returned.

Judging

- The prize-giving committee looks for rigorous and original research, and convincing conclusions expressed in clear and effective prose.
- Decisions concerning the prize lie with a panel of recognized scholars in the field of intelligence history, consisting of IIHA board-members and members of the IIHA prize-giving committee.
- The judging panel reserves the right not to award any prize.
- Nominations may be subject to additional double-blind review by experts in the field.
- The deliberations of the prize-giving Committee remain confidential.
- All recommendations and decisions taken are binding and final, and no correspondence will be entered into on such matters.
- The winner of the IIHA Prize will receive an award of € 1,000. Formal bestowal of the prize will be made in person at the IIHA annual conference, and in print in the *Journal of Intelligence History* (as well as on the IIHA website and via our social media networks).

Nomination Checklist

- Guidelines – Read the guidelines with care.
- Form – Complete and send the online application form by 25 August 2024.
- Submission – Send 1 digital copy of the nominated book, at least 1 peer-review, and the author's CV to the prize-giving committee via the IIHA executive director by the submission date, 25 August 2024.