

Nominations for the 2020 Williams Prize in Louisiana History

The KEMPER AND LEILA WILLIAMS PRIZE, named for the founders of the Historic New Orleans Collection, offers a cash award of \$1,500 for outstanding scholarship in Louisiana history published between January 1 and December 31, 2020. The prize continues the former General L. Kemper Williams prizes, offered from 1974 through 1996 by THNOC and the Louisiana Historical Association.

Administration and funding for the Kemper and Leila Williams Prize is provided by THNOC. The prize jury is appointed by the Louisiana Historical Association with a chairperson from THNOC. The Kemper and Leila Williams Prize is announced at the annual meeting of the Louisiana Historical Association each March, and is widely publicized.

The Williams Prize Committee invites nominations of eligible works published between January 1 and December 31, 2020. Works about all aspects of Louisiana history and culture are eligible, as are works placing Louisiana subjects in regional, national, or international context.

- **All submissions must be made IN QUADRUPPLICATE: four (4) copies of the nominated work AND four (4) copies of the entry form printed on the page following this announcement.**
- Nominations should be addressed to the Chair, Kemper and Leila Williams Prize, The Historic New Orleans Collection, 410 Chartres Street, New Orleans, Louisiana 70130. This information is also available on THNOC's [website](#).
- **The final deadline for all 2020 Williams Prize submissions is JANUARY 15, 2021.** The committee encourages authors and presses to submit works throughout the year as they are published. Authors should contact their publishers to insure timely submission. *Late submissions will not be considered.*

The entry form for the 2020 Kemper and Leila Williams Prize is on the next page.

2020 Entry Form

Kemper and Leila Williams Prize

in Louisiana history published between January 1 and December 31, 2020

Please complete and submit **FOUR (4)** copies of this form and **FOUR (4)** copies of the nominated work **by 15 January 2021**, to

Chair, Williams Prize Committee
The Historic New Orleans Collection
410 Chartres Street
New Orleans LA 70130

Date submitted _____

Author's Name _____

Address _____

Telephone (_____) _____ - _____

Title of published work

ISBN (*if applicable*) _____

Publisher _____ ATTN: _____

Address _____

Telephone (_____) _____ - _____

E-mail: _____

The Williams Prize Committee is appointed annually by the Louisiana Historical Association. It reserves the right to amend its award procedure and determine eligibility of entries without prior notice. The committee chair must receive all nominations **in quadruplicate** by **January 15, 2021**.

Signature of applicant _____

Please submit **FOUR** copies of this form