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Retro Hugo Special
August 31, 2001

1951 Retro Hugo Awards

Best Novel Best Novel (811 ballots counted)

Farmer in the Sky by Robert A. Heinlein (Scribner's)

Best Novella (785 ballots counted)

"The Man Who Sold the Moon" by Robert A. Heinlein (Shasta Publishers)

Best Novelette (702 ballots counted)

"The Little Black Bag" by C. M. Kornbluth (*Astounding Science Fiction* July 1950)

Best Short Story (718 ballots counted)

"To Serve Man" by Damon Knight (*Galaxy* November 1950)

Best Related Book

Due to the insufficient response, there was no final ballot in this category.

Best Dramatic Presentation (782 ballots counted)

Destination Moon (George Pal Productions)

Best Professional Editor (686 ballots counted)

John W. Campbell, Jr.

Best Professional Artist (687 ballots counted)

Frank Kelly Freas

Best Fan Writer (523 ballots counted)

Bob Silverberg

Best Semiprozine

Due to the insufficient response, there was no final ballot in this category.

Best Fanzine (415 ballots counted)

Science Fiction News Letter

Best Fan Artist (477 ballots counted)

Jack Gaughan

Thanks to Jeff Copeland for the counting software used in administering the Retro Hugos. Hugo is a registered service mark of the World Science Fiction Society, an unincorporated literary society. Saul Jaffe and Rick Katze, Hugo Co-Administrators

Hugo Nominations

There were 130 total nominating ballots of which 48 were submitted online. One ballot was invalidated. There were 886 total final ballots of which 157 were submitted online. 24 ballots were invalidated.

To the Stars was nominated in both the novel and novella categories. Based on the word count, it could qualify in either category. We used our discretion under the WSFS constitution to move it into the novella category. We believe that it resulted in a more representative category.

The nominations marked with a * received sufficient nominations to make the final ballot but were determined to be ineligible because they did not produce any eligible work that year.

After discussion with Dell Publications, the sponsor of the Campbell Award, it was decided not to award the Campbell in the Retro category.

Nominations for Novel

(111 nominating ballots, 30 nominees)

- (54) *Pebble in the Sky*
- (43) *Farmer in the Sky*
- (43) *The Lion, The Witch and the Wardrobe*
- (38) *The Dying Earth*
- (28) *First Lensman*
- final ballot complete —
- (26) *Gormenghast*
- (12) *Needle*
- (12) *Voyage of the Space Beagle*
- (10) *The Martian Chronicles*
- (8) *Gather, Darkness*
- (6) *Galactic Patrol*
- (6) *The Wizard of Linn*
- (5) *Hand of Zei*
- (4) *The Cosmic Engineers*
- (4) *Donovan's Brain*
- (4) *I, Robot*

Nominations for Novella

(73 nominating ballots, 19 nominees):

- (44) "The Dreaming Jewels"
- (30) "And Now You Don't"
- (23) "The Last Enemy"
- (10) "To the Stars"
- (9) "The Man Who Sold the Moon"
- final ballot complete —
- (4) "The Five Gold Bands"
- (4) "Wine of the Dreamers"
- (2) "The Face in the Abyss"
- (2) "Guyal of Sfero"
- (2) "Let Freedom Ring"
- (2) "The Moon is Hell"
- (2) "New Bodies for Old"
- (1) "Beyond Bedlam"
- (1) "Morning Star"
- (1) "Paradise"
- (1) "Paradise Street"
- (1) "There Shall Be No Darkness"
- (1) "Voice of the Lobster"
- (1) "When Time Went Mad"

Nominations for Novelette

(73 nominating ballots, 32 nominees)

- (67) "The Little Black Bag"
- (51) "Scanners Live in Vain"
- (31) "Dear Devil"
- (29) "Okie"
- (18) "The Helping Hand"
- final ballot complete —
- (17) "Bindlestiff"
- (16) "The Second Night of Summer"
- (11) "You're All Alone"
- (9) "Oddo and Id"
- (7) "he Stars Are the Styx"
- (6) "The New Reality"
- (4) "Flight to Forever"
- (4) "Honeymoon in Hell"
- (4) "The Sound"
- (3) "Enchanted Village"
- (3) "The Potters of Firsk"

Nominations for Short Story

(100 nominating ballots, 64 nominees)

- (54) "To Serve Man"
- (33) "A Subway Named Mobius"
- (29) "Coming Attraction"
- (23) "Born of Man and Woman"
- (22) "The Gnurrs Come from the Voodvork Out"
- final ballot complete —
- (16) "The Silly Season"
- (14) "A Walk in the Dark"
- (10) "The Illustrated Man"
- (10) "The Mindworm"
- (10) "There Will Come Soft Rains"
- (6) "Gypsy"
- (6) "Potters of Firsk"
- (6) "The Veldt"
- (5) "The Evitable Conflict"
- (5) "Not With A Bang"
- (5) "The Report on the Barnhouse Effect"

Nominations for Related Book

(9 nominating ballots, 10 nominees)

- (2) *Cinvention Memory Book*
- (2) *Interplanetary Flight*
- (2) *Ley - Conquest of Space*
- (2) *Worlds to Religion*
- (1) *Conquest of Space*
- (1) *Egboo*
- (1) *L. Ron Hubbard/Dianetics*
- (1) *A Man Divided*
- (1) *The Nature of the Universe*
- (1) *Robert A. Heinlein: The Making of Destination Moon*

Due to the insufficient response, there was no final ballot in this category.

Nominations for Dramatic Presentation

(88 nominating ballots, 30 nominees)

- (72) *Destination Moon*
- (39) *Harvey*
- (27) *Rocketship X-M*
- (24) *Cinderella*
- (18) *Rabbit of Seville*

— final ballot complete —

- (14) *Rashomon*
- (8) *Tom Corbett, Space Cadet*
- (6) *Dimension X: Green Hills of Earth*
- (6) *King Solomon's Mine*
- (6) *The Scarlet Pumpernickel*
- (6) *Treasure Island*
- (4) *Report on the Barnhouse Effect*
- (2) *Dimension X: Martian Chronicles*
- (2) *Dimension X: The Roads Must Roll*
- (2) *Portrait of Jennie*
- (2) *Potters of Firsk*

Nominations for Professional Editor

(64 nominating ballots, 21 nominees)

- (55) John W. Campbell
- (45) H. L. Gold
- (38) Anthony Boucher
- (15) Groff Conklin
- (11) J. Francis McComas
- final ballot complete —
- (5) Judith Merrill
- (4) Sam Mervin, Jr.
- (3) Damon Knight
- (2) Donald A. Wollheim
- (2) Jerome Bixby
- (2) Lloyd Arthur Eshbach
- (2) Raymond A. Palmer
- (1) August Derleth
- (1) Editor of *Collier's Weekly*
- (1) Everett F. Bleiler
- (1) Howard Browne
- (1) Lester Del Rey
- (1) Martin Greenberg
- (1) Mick McComas
- (1) T. E. Dikty
- (1) Terry Carr

Nominations for Professional Artist

(49 nominating ballots, 31 nominees)

- (29) Virgil Finlay
- (25) Chesley Bonestell
- (17) Edd Cartier
- (16) Hannes Bok
- (12) Ed Emshwiller*
- (10) Kelly Freas
- final ballot complete —
- (6) Jack Gaughan
- (4) Hubert Rogers
- (4) Richard Powers
- (3) Earle K. Bergey
- (3) Reynold Brown
- (3) Robert Gibson Jones
- (2) Harold W. McCauly
- (1) Alan Hunter
- (1) Alex Raymond
- (1) Alex Schomburg
- (1) Bob Clothier
- (1) Edmond Swintek
- (1) Gerard Quinn
- (1) H R Van Dongen
- (1) Herman Vestal
- (1) Lawrence Stevens
- (1) Malcolm Smith

- (1) Miller
- (1) Orbon
- (1) Stanley Meltzoff
- (1) Timins
- (1) Turner
- (1) Wally Wood
- (1) William E. Terry

Nominations for Fan Writer

(38 nominating ballots, 29 nominees)

- (27) Walt Willis
- (24) Bob Tucker
- (16) Lee Hoffman
- (11) James White
- (7) Bob Silverberg
- (7) Harlan Ellison*
- final ballot complete —
- (5) Redd Boggs
- (4) Francis Towner Laney
- (3) Bob Bloch
- (3) Forest J Ackerman
- (2) Bob Shaw
- (2) Charles Burbee
- (2) David H Keller
- (2) Harry Warner
- (2) Lee Jacobs
- (2) Sam Moskowitz
- (2) Terry Carr
- (1) Art Rapp
- (1) Art Widner
- (1) Dave Kyle
- (1) Donald B. Day
- (1) Joe Kennedy
- (1) Lynn Hickman
- (1) Manley Banister
- (1) Max Keasler
- (1) Rick Sneary
- (1) Shelby Vick
- (1) Vernon McCain
- (1) Vince Clarke

Nominations for Semiprozine

(4 nominating ballots, 8 nominees)

- (1) *Astounding*
- (1) *Cinvention Memory Book*
- (1) *Fantasy and SF*
- (1) *Fantasy Book*
- (1) *Galaxy*
- (1) *Journal of the British Interplanetary Society*
- (1) *Star*Line*
- (1) *Thrilling Wonder Stories*
- final ballot complete —

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Nominations for Fanzine

(36 nominating ballots, 26 nominees)

- (19) *Slant*
- (17) *Quandry*
- (8) *Science Fiction News Letter*
- (8) *Skyhook*
- (7) *The Fancient*
- (7) *Spacewarp*
- final ballot complete —

- (5) *The Nekromantikon*
- (2) *Cry of the Nameless*
- (2) *Fantasy Advertiser*
- (2) *Le Zombie*
- (2) *Operation Fantast*
- (2) *Peon*
- (2) *Phantasmagoria*
- (2) *Shangri-La*
- (2) *Spaceways*
- (1) *Dreamquest*
- (1) *Fan Variety*
- (1) *Fantasy Commentary*
- (1) *Fantasy Times*
- (1) *Gen Tones*
- (1) *Mezrab*
- (1) *Peace on Sol III*
- (1) *Shangri L' Affaires*
- (1) *Spacship*
- (1) *TWS*
- (1) *Wild Hour*

Nominations for Fan Artist

(30 nominating ballots, 20 nominees)

- (19) Bill Rotsler
- (11) James White
- (8) Bjo Trimble*
- (7) Ray Nelson
- (6) Dave Kyle*
- (6) Jack Gaughan
- (4) Lee Hoffman
- (4) Lynn Hickman*
- final ballot complete —
- (3) Hannes Bok
- (2) Alva Rogers
- (2) Bill Kroll
- (2) Ken Brown
- (1) Atom
- (1) Edd Cartier
- (1) George Richard
- (1) Jerry Bullock
- (1) Jim Bradley
- (1) Margaret Dominick
- (1) Ralph Rayburn Phillips
- (1) A Tom

Summary (130 total nominating ballots)

| Category | Ballots | Votes | Nominees | Range |
|-----------------------|---------|-------|----------|-------|
| Novel | 111 | 324 | 30 | 54-28 |
| Novella | 73 | 141 | 19 | 44-9 |
| Novelette | 73 | 299 | 32 | 67-18 |
| Short Story | 100 | 327 | 64 | 54-22 |
| Related Book | 9 | 14 | 10 | 2-1 |
| Dramatic Presentation | 88 | 252 | 30 | 72-18 |
| Professional Editor | 64 | 193 | 21 | 55-11 |
| Professional Artist | 49 | 151 | 31 | 29-11 |
| Fan Writer | 38 | 133 | 29 | 27-7 |
| Semiprozine | 4 | 8 | 8 | 1-1 |
| Fanzine | 36 | 98 | 26 | 19-7 |
| Fan Artist | 30 | 82 | 20 | 19-6 |

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