**Association for Women in Slavic Studies**

**2025 Heldt Prize Nominations**

The Association for Women in Slavic Studies invites nominations for the 2025 competition for the Heldt Prizes, awarded for works of scholarship and translations. To be eligible for nomination, all books and articles must be in English; works of scholarship must be published between 15 April 2024 and 15 April 2025 and translations between 15 April 2023 and 15 April 2025. Nominations for the 2025 prizes will be accepted for the following categories:

* Best book introducing new, innovative, and/or underrepresented perspectives into any area of Slavic/East European/Eurasian studies. *Open to AWSS members*.
* Best book in Slavic/East European/Eurasian women’s and gender studies
* Best translation in Slavic/East European/Eurasian women’s and gender studies
* Best article in Slavic/Eastern European/Eurasian women's and gender studies

The prizes will be awarded at the AWSS meeting at the ASEEES National Convention in Washington, DC in November 2025.

**Instructions for nominating books. One may nominate individual books for more than one category, and more than one item for each category.** To nominate any work, please send or request that the publisher **send one paper copy to each member of the prize committee (or the relevant subcommittee) by 31 May 2025**. If you have any questions about the book prizes, please contact the book prize committee chair: Dr. Sharon Kowalsky: Sharon.Kowalsky@tamuc.edu

**Prize Committee for the Heldt Best Book Prizes:**

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**Call for Nominations:**

**The Heldt Prize for Best Translation**

**in Slavic/East European/Eurasian Women’s and Gender Studies**

**Instructions for nominating translations.** The Heldt Translation Prize is awarded biennially for the best book-length translation of literary work by a woman-identified translator (from a Slavic/East European/Eurasian language into English). To be eligible for nomination, all translations must be published between 15 April 2024 and 15 April 2025.

To nominate any work, please send or request that the publisher send a paper copy (or e-copy, as indicated below) to each member of the translation subcommittee by 31 May 2025. If you have any questions about the prize, please contact the Heldt Translation Prize Committee chair: Dr. Sharon Kowalsky: Sharon.Kowalsky@tamuc.edu

The prize will be awarded at the AWSS meeting at the ASEEES National Convention in Washington, DC in November 2025.

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**Call for Nominations:**

**The Heldt Prize Best Article**

**in Slavic/Eastern European/Eurasian Women's and Gender Studies**

The Association for Women in Slavic Studies invites nominations for the 2025 competition for the

Heldt Article Prize.

**Instructions for nominating articles.** To be eligible for nomination, an article or book chapter must be in English and published in either a journal or edited volume between 15 April 2024 and 15 April 2025. Please send or request that the publisher electronically send one pdf copy of the article or book chapter (including title page and table of contents for book chapters) to each of the four members of the article prize committee by 31 May 2025.

Prizes will be awarded at the AWSS reception at the ASEEES National Convention in Washington, DC in November 2025. Please direct any questions to the Committee Chair, Dr. Lea Horvat at lea.horvat@uni-jena.de

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