





## PTS Awards 2023 Launched

London, November 2023: The Philatelic Traders' Society is delighted to announce that the PTS Awards celebrating the philatelic industry are back for a fourth year. Launched in 2020 to celebrate the best in the business, the awards seek to recognise PTS Members who invest in the hobby, innovate, and inspire others. They are well respected within the philatelic community and award winners and runners-up proudly display their PTS Award badges.

This year, the PTS is excited to introduce four new categories!

The categories this year are:

- Best Website
- Best Publication (including catalogues, magazines, reference material etc.)
- Best Social Media
- Best Physical Space (including retail stores, auction rooms, stamp show stand concepts etc.)

This year, not only will PTS Members and members of the public be asked for nominations, but winners of the categories will be decided purely based on a public People's Choice vote.

## Simon Carson, PTS Chairman comments

'The PTS Awards are a wonderful way for us to celebrate the best-in-class and rising stars within our philatelic community. We have hundreds of members so it's nice to take some time at the end of each year to celebrate those pushing the boundaries in how they interact with collectors. I'm thrilled that we have some





new categories this year and can't wait to see who is nominated, and who the public vote for as their winners!"

## Dates for the Diary

- Nominations are now open! Get your thinking caps on and nominate your favourites in one or more categories before the 5<sup>th</sup> December 23:59 GMT.
- Be ready to read about the final nominations, and vote online for who you want to win the People's Choice Award in each category from the  $7^{th}$   $19^{th}$  December.
- Winners will be announced on the 20th December!

For learn more about each category and to find nomination/voting information, visit <a href="https://www.thepts.net/awards">www.thepts.net/awards</a>

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## About the Philatelic Traders' Society

Formed in 1929 by a group of established stamp dealers, The Philatelic Traders' Society was created to act for and on behalf of its members for the good of philately. With a Code of Ethics and a service for dispute resolution, The Philatelic Traders' Society is regarded as a reputable organisation within the industry, upholding the values of honesty and integrity. The PTS also organises Stampex at the Business Design Centre in London, and the annual Virtual Stampex online event. www.thepts.net