

## **2001 ANA YN EXHIBIT AWARDS**

The American Numismatic Association (ANA) presented 12 competitive exhibit awards for Young Numismatists (YN), age 17 and younger, at the ANA's 110th Anniversary Convention in Atlanta.

The Charles H. Wolfe Sr. Award for YN Best-in-Show Exhibit was presented to Vanashree Samant for her exhibit "Cryptic Symbols: Interpretation of the Punchmarks on Ancient Indian Coins."

The following Class Exhibit awards were presented:

Class Y1: United States Coins - Edgerton-Lenker - (for all U.S. Coins and patterns including colonial)

First-Place - Jason Ross, "Franklin Half Dollars"

Second-Place - Jillian Ross, "Sacagawea: The Golden Dollar"

Third-Place - Michelle Dennany, "Lincoln Type Cents"

Class Y2: Foreign Coins - James L. Betton - (for coins of any foreign country, including gold)

First-Place - Clark Hodges, "Bunny Coins"

Second-Place - Jason Ross, "Jose Morelos y Pavon"

Third-Place - Jeremy Ross, "Oh Canada!"

Class Y3: Paper Money - Kagin Family - (for United States and foreign paper money and paper numismatica)

First-Place - Grace Kelly, "A History of Chinese Paper Money"

Second-Place - no exhibit

Third-Place - no exhibit

Class Y4: Israeli or Judaic - Melissa Van Grover - (for all types of Israeli or Judaic numismatic material or to other deserving exhibits)

First-Place - Faith Wiles, "Statehood Quarters"

Second-Place - no exhibit

Third-Place - no exhibit

Class Y5: Medals and Tokens - American Numismatic Association - (for medals and tokens of all countries)

First-Place - Joshua Wadsworth, "11 Years of PAN Elongates"

Second-Place - Garth Schafluetzel, "Franklin Mint's 'America in Space' Bronze Medals"

Third-Place - Jillian Ross, "My Wooden Tokens"

Class Y6: Medieval and Ancient - Charles H. Wolfe Sr. - (for medieval, ancient and related numismatic material)

First-Place - Vanashree Samant, "Cryptic Symbols: Interpretation of the Punchmarks on Ancient Indian Coins"

Second-Place - no exhibit

Third-Place - no exhibit

Class Y7: Errors and Varieties - Alan Herbert - for all types of error and variety material from all countries)

First-Place - no exhibit

Second-Place - no exhibit

Third-Place - no exhibit

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