The Great Plains Distinguished Book Prize 2010
The University of Nebraska–Lincoln’s Center for Great Plains Studies will present its annual Great Plains Distinguished Book Prize in May 2011 to the most significant book on the Great Plains. Only first edition nonfiction full-length books published in 2010 will be considered for the award. The annual book prize includes a $5,000 cash award.

• The winner of the 2005 Great Plains Distinguished Book Prize was Buffalo Bill’s America: William Cody and The Wild West Show by Louis S. Warren (Knopf 2005).

• The 2006 winner was Indians and Emigrants: Encounters on the Overland Trails by Michael L. Tate (University of Oklahoma Press 2006).

• The 2007 winner was Ruling Pine Ridge: Oglala Lakota Politics from the IRA to Wounded Knee by Akim D. Reinhardt (Texas Tech University Press 2007).

• The 2008 winner was The Comanche Empire by Pekka Hämäläinen (Yale University Press 2008).

• The 2009 winner was Great Plains: America’s Lingering Wild by Michael Forsberg with Dan O’Brien, David Wishart, and Ted Kooser (University of Chicago Press 2009).