



## **2025 NZASIA Book Awards – Call for Nominations**

The New Zealand Asian Studies Society (NZASIA) is now inviting nominations from authors for the 2025 Book Awards. The biennial Book Awards were established in 2021 to recognize outstanding scholarship and contribution to the field of Asian Studies.

Nominated books should demonstrate a scholarly contribution to the study of Asia or Asian communities in New Zealand. Books must be based on original research and written in English. Monographs, both single and multi-authored, are eligible for the Book Awards; however, new editions of previously published books, reference works, autobiographies and textbooks are excluded.

Nominations from all disciplines are welcome, particularly in the humanities and social sciences. Books bearing a copyright of 2023 or 2024 will be considered for the 2025 Book Awards. Authors of nominated books must be current full members of NZASIA. For co-authored books, at least one co-author must be a current full NZASIA member.

First and second prizes will be awarded and will be presented at the 26<sup>th</sup> NZASIA Biennial Conference in December 2025.

Nominations must be made by the author/s and should be accompanied by a written statement of around 500 words summarising the book's originality and contribution to the field. Authors should also submit a digital copy (ebook or PDF) of the nominated book.

Send all queries and nominations to [naimah.talib@canterbury.ac.nz](mailto:naimah.talib@canterbury.ac.nz)

**Deadline: 1 July 2025, 5:00 pm**