Press Release

*African Studies Review 2023 Awardees*

**2023 ASR Prize for Best Africa-focused Anthology or Edited Collection**, sponsored by Cambridge University Press, recognizes editors and contributors to an anthology of original scholarship, cohesive in structure and interdisciplinary in nature, that advances African studies in new theoretical and/or methodological directions. The award recognizes the editor(s) and also the contributors as a whole. In making its selection the prize committee will pay particular attention to significance, originality, and quality of writing, and its contribution to advancing debates in African studies.

The winner of the **2023 ASR Prize for Best Africa-focused Anthology or Edited Collection** is B Camminga and John Marnell, *Queer and Trans African Mobilities: Migration, Asylum, and Diaspora* (Bloomsbury, 2022).

The committee also designated one title for honorable mention:


The **African Studies Review Best Africa-based Doctoral Dissertation Award** recognizes an Africa-based doctoral student who has successfully defended their dissertation/doctoral thesis on any aspect of African studies at an African institution of higher education during the previous calendar year.


The committee also designated one thesis for honorable mention:

“Delta State Diaspora and the Ramifications of Ethnic Ambivalence for Homeland Development” by Henrietta Omo Eshalomi in Diaspora and Transnational Studies at the University of Ibadan.

**Prize for the Best Article published in the ASR in 2022**

The winner of this year’s award is Emanuella Amoh, "The Dilemma of Diasporic Africans: Adger Emerson Player and Anti-Americanism in Kwame Nkrumah’s Ghana." *ASR* 65.3 (September 2022): 544-567. https://doi.org/10.1017/asr.2022.54

The committee also selected one honorable mention: