

**James P. Delgado**

**AWARDS for Team and Individual Achievement**

**Trustees Emeritus Award for Historic Site Stewardship, National Trust for Historic Preservation** to the Alabama Historical Commission, the U.S. Army Corps of engineers, Mobile District, the Slave Wrecks Project, Diving With A Purpose, and SEARCH, Inc. for the slave ship *Clotilda* Project, 2023

**James Deetz Award** for *War at Sea, A Shipwrecked History*, from the Society of Historical Archaeology, 2021.

**Department of Commerce Bronze Medal** for the telepresence-enabled documentation of two Japanese midget submarine wrecks off Oahu on the occasion of the 75<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Pearl Harbor attack, 2018.

**NOAA Administrator's Award** for the location, identification and protection of the U.S. Navy Tugboat USS *Conestoga*, 2016.

**NOAA Administrator's Award** for the "Lost Weathermen" of USCGC *Muskeget* Purple Heart Medal Project, 2016.

**Rodney Houghton Award** for Best Feature Article in *Sea History*, National Maritime Historical Society, 2016.

**National Ocean Service Peer Recognition and Rafting Award**, 2016.

**Exemplary Service Award** "for keeping alive the memories held by the sea," from the U.S. Coast and Geodetic Survey Historical Society, 2015.

**NOAA ONMS Team of the Year** with Robert Schwemmer for Maritime Heritage Program activities in the Western Region of the NMS System, 2015.

**Department of Commerce Bronze Medal** for the commemoration of the 150<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the loss of the ironclad USS *Monitor* and for the reburial of the *Monitor* crew at Arlington National Cemetery, 2014.

**NOAA Administrator's Award** for the location, identification and protection of the Coast Survey steamship *Robert J. Walker*, 2014.

**NOAA Office of General Counsel Award** for "exceptional leadership of NOAA's Maritime Heritage Program in advancing the agency's objective of studying, protecting, and promoting our nation's maritime cultural heritage," 2014.

**Officer of the Order of Civil Merit**, Knight's Cross by his Majesty Juan Carlos I, King of Spain, for services rendered to Spain for the protection of Spanish underwater cultural

heritage while President and CEO of the Institute of Nautical Archaeology in the matter of the wreck of the frigate *Nuestra Señora de las Mercedes*, 2014.

**John Lyman Book Award (Honorable Mention)** for *Misadventures of a Civil War Submarine: Iron, Guns, and Pearls*, 2012.

**Stefansson Medal** for Outstanding Contributions to the cause of exploration and/or field sciences in Canada or internationally by exceptionally meritorious members of the Canadian chapter of the Explorer's Club, 2012.

**Outstanding Academic Title** for *Nuclear Dawn: The Atomic Bomb From the Manhattan Project to the Cold War by Choice*, the Current Review for Academic Libraries, 2011

**James Deetz Award** for *Khubilai Khan's Lost Fleet: In Search of a Legendary Armada*, from the Society of Historical Archaeology, 2011.

**City of Vancouver Book Prize for Best Book Published on the City of Vancouver**, for *Waterfront: The Illustrated Maritime Story of Greater Vancouver*, 2006.

**Bill Duthie Bookseller's Choice Award for Best Book Published in British Columbia**, for *Waterfront: The Illustrated Maritime Story of Greater Vancouver*, BC Book Prizes, 2006.

**Naval History Author of the Year**, US Naval Institute, 2003.

**John Lyman Book Award**, for *Across the Top of the World: The Quest for the Northwest Passage*, from North American Society for Oceanic History, 1999.

**Distinguished Public Service Award**, South Street Seaport Museum, New York, New York. Awarded to the National Maritime Initiative, 1989.

**Special Achievement Award for Sustained Superior Achievement**, National Park Service, 1987.

**Annual Prize Essay Contest in American Maritime History**, Marine Historical Association, Mystic, Connecticut, for the article "Murder Most Foul: San Francisco Reacts to the Loss of the S.S. *Central America*," 1983.