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ABC-CLIO Titles Named to RUSA’s 2016 Outstanding Reference Sources List

Santa Barbara, Calif. (Jan. 13, 2016) – The Reference and User Services Association (RUSA), a division of ALA, announced its annual Outstanding Reference Sources List last week at the ALA Midwinter Meeting in Boston. Of the ten titles selected, three are ABC-CLIO publications.

Considered to be the most prestigious award list for academic reference works, the Outstanding Reference Sources List identifies reference resources published in the previous year that are of high value to small- and medium-sized public and academic libraries. The selection process is conducted by a panel of experts in the Collection Development and Evaluation Section (CODES) of RUSA.

With titles recognized annually for the past ten years, ABC-CLIO is no stranger to RUSA’s Outstanding Reference Sources List. 2016 also marks the second year in a row that ABC-CLIO has had three titles on RUSA’s exclusive list of honorees. The ABC-CLIO titles included in the 2016 Outstanding Reference Sources list, listed below, are indicative of the variety of content in which the publisher excels.


Weird Sports and Wacky Games Around the World: From Buzkashi to Zorbing. Victoria Williams. (ABC-CLIO)


These titles are available on www.abc-clio.com and through Amazon.

About RUSA
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