



2019
Bluestem Award



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2019 Illinois Bluestem Readers' Choice Award Nominees Master List

Title	Author/Illustrator	Publisher	Year
<i>Ada's Violin: The Story of the Recycled Orchestra of Paraguay</i>	Susan Hood/ Sally Wern Comport	Simon & Schuster	2016
<i>Amina's Voice</i>	Hena Khan	Salaam Reads	2017
<i>City of Ember</i>	Jeanne DuPrau	Random House	2003
<i>Counting Thyme</i>	Melanie Conklin	G.P. Putnam's Sons	2016
<i>Diamond Willow</i>	Helen Frost	Frances Foster Books	2008
<i>Fish in a Tree</i>	Lynda Mullaly Hunt	Nancy Paulsen Books	2015
<i>Funny Bones: Posada and his Day of the Dead Calaveras</i>	Duncan Tonatiuh	Abrams Books for Young Readers	2015
<i>Game Changer: John Mclendon and the Secret Game</i>	John Coy/ Randy DuBurke	Carolrhoda Books	2015
<i>Handful of Stars, A</i>	Cynthia Lord	Scholastic Press	2015
<i>I Dissent: Ruth Bader Ginsburg makes her mark</i>	Debbie Levy/ Elizabeth Baddeley	Simon & Schuster	2016
<i>Moo</i>	Sharon Creech	Harper Collins	2016
<i>Ms. Bixby's Last Day</i>	John David Anderson	Walden Pond Press	2016
<i>Project Mulberry</i>	Linda Sue Park	Clarion Books	2005
<i>Secret Subway, The</i>	Shana Corey/ Red Nose Studio	Schwartz & Wade Books	2016
<i>Story of Diva and Flea, The</i>	Mo Willems/ Tony DiTerlizzi	Hyperion Books for Children	2015
<i>Tangle of Knots, A</i>	Lisa Graff	Philomel Books	2013
<i>Ugly: a memoir</i>	Robert Hoge/ Keith Robinson	Viking	2016
<i>What was the Great Chicago Fire?</i>	Janet B. Pascal/ Tim Foley	Grosset & Dunlap	2016
<i>Whoosh! Lonnie Johnson's Super-Soaking Stream of Inventions</i>	Chris Barton/ Don Tate	Charlesbridge	2016
<i>Wish</i>	Barbara O'Connor	Farrar, Straus & Giroux	2016