

## METHOD OF OPERATION

### BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The affairs of the Foundation are managed by a Board of Directors composed of experienced, reputable individuals from many walks of life with broad geographic coverage. The Directors represent a wide range of numismatic interests and some have been drawn from outside numismatics. In addition, the President of the Canadian Paper Money Society and the President of the Royal Canadian Numismatic Association are appointed ex-officio Directors each year to permit direct liaison with those national bodies.

In order to undertake the work of the Foundation, special committees are established as required, in addition to the Foundation's standing committees.

### REQUESTS FOR GRANTS AND AWARDS

Applications for funds from the Foundation may be made by writing to the Secretary requesting an "Application for Funds" form, which outlines requirements for a proposal to support the request.

The Board has appointed a Grants and Awards Committee that reviews and makes recommendations on all requests for funds.

### STRATEGIC PRESERVATION OF CAPITAL

Most of the Foundation's objectives are enabled through donations that are held in perpetuity; only the investment income is expended. Individual donors may, of course, determine the basis for their donation. Strict investment criteria controlled within precise by-laws, combined with professional advice, ensure maximum return on all investments.

## SOME PROJECTS

The Foundation to date has made numerous and diverse grants and awards ....

- to assist in the publication of a number of major numismatic books which might not otherwise have been published because of the costs involved;
- to assist authors in conducting research;
- to assist in publication costs of journals of specialized numismatic organizations of national significance
- endow four graduate-level scholarships at Canadian universities in the name of the Rev. Dr. Bernard J. O'Connor.

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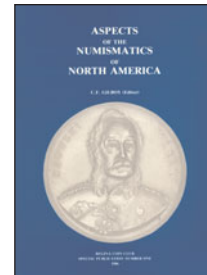
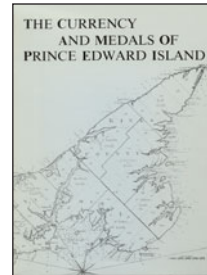
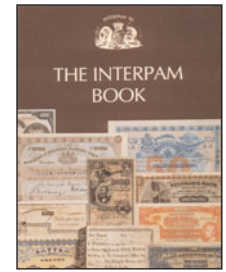
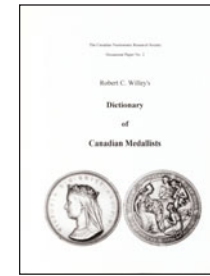
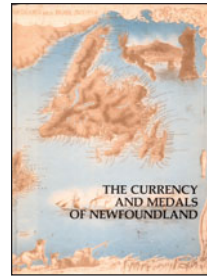
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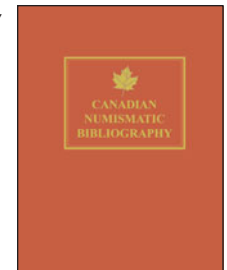
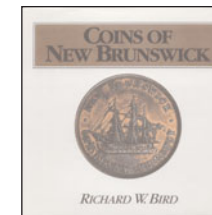
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## BOOKS PUBLISHED THROUGH THE FOUNDATION



*The Interpam Book and Interpam Auction Catalogue*  
*Currency and Medals of Newfoundland*  
*Aspects of the Numismatics of North America*  
*Alberta Trade Tokens*  
*Currency and Medals of Prince Edward Island*  
*Yukon Numismatica*  
*Coins of the Modern Olympic Games*  
*Canadian Welcome Home Medals*  
*Coins of New Brunswick*  
*Dictionary of Canadian Medallists*  
*Roman Republican Coins in the Royal Ontario Museum*  
*The Canadian Honours System*  
*The Canadian Numismatic Bibliography*



## YOU CAN SUPPORT THE FOUNDATION THROUGH ...

### DONATIONS

In order to increase the amount of its financial support to various numismatic activities, the Foundation needs to increase its investment portfolio. Donations of cash and numismatic and archival material are urgently sought and will be gratefully received at any time. All donations are tax exempt under the income tax act, and an official receipt will be issued.

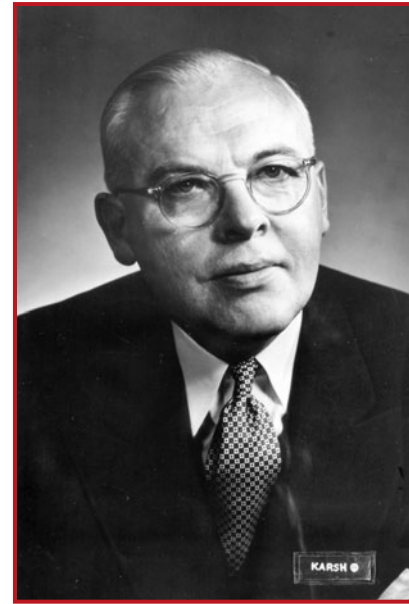
### THE FOUNDATION AS BENEFICIARY

More and more the Foundation is being named the beneficiary in the wills of those wishing to support its activities, knowing that in this way the greatest benefit will be realized over an indefinite period of time. Enquiries made to the Secretary will be treated in complete confidence.

### MEMORIAL FUNDS

Special donations to establish named funds to honour the memory of deceased relatives or others have been established under the aegis of the Foundation. Such memorial funds have defined special purposes reflecting the interest in life of the named person. Because the Foundation provides professional management of these funds and since they will be preserved in perpetuity, a lasting tribute to the person honoured is ensured.

# THE J. DOUGLAS FERGUSON HISTORICAL RESEARCH FOUNDATION



**J. Douglas Ferguson  
1901-1981**

*For over 50 years J. Douglas Ferguson was known as the "Dean of Canadian Numismatics". His interests were broad, encompassing the full range of coins, tokens, bank notes, merchant scrip and historical medals, that make up the field of numismatics. He roamed the world, making friends and disseminating his profound knowledge of the subject. The Foundation is honoured to bear his name.*

## THE FOUNDATION

The J. Douglas Ferguson Historical Research Foundation, established in 1971, is a non-profit educational organization. It fills a need in Canada for financing research and study, and for providing funds for publishing and related activities in the numismatic field.

The Foundation's prime objective is to give financial support to a broad range of activities aimed at preserving our heritage as it relates to early historical currency, banks and other issuers of money, coins, tokens, medals and paper money issued throughout Canada.

The Foundation was incorporated under Part II of the Canada Corporations Act in 1974, thus ensuring continuation of its activities. *The J. Douglas Ferguson Historical Research Foundation Is a "Catalyst for Action"!*

## COMMITMENT AND DIRECTION

..... detach here .....

To: The J. Douglas Ferguson Historical Research Foundation  
1460 Merivale Road, Box 78085  
Ottawa ON Canada  
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Dated: \_\_\_\_\_

TOTAL DONATION COMMITTED: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Amount enclosed herewith \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Balance payable: \_\_\_\_\_

The undersigned herewith irrevocably directs that the above donation be retained by you for at least ten years and shall be subject to the Foundation Articles of Incorporation and By-Laws as amended from time to time.

An official receipt for income tax purposes  
will be issued by the Foundation as each  
donation or instalment thereon is received.  
Charitable Organization Registration No. 118973437RR0001

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
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### ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- the Foundation is independent of all other numismatic organizations, although it seeks to co-operate with them to support worthy ventures.
- all the work of the Foundation is done by volunteers who receive no salaries or honoraria. Hence, administrative costs have been kept very low.
- the Foundation has also assisted on several occasions when senior numismatists or executors needed professional advice on evaluating and disposing of major collections in a safe and advantageous manner.