Poštová banka Award

Poštová banka grants the Poštná banka Award to a living Slovakian illustrator / illustrator for an original and extraordinary contribution to illustration art in Slovakia.

Expert Jury (Dr. Ing. Dušan Roll, founder of BIB, Prof. Stanislav Stankoci, Rector of VŠVU and Mgr. Art Peter Uchnár, illustrator) awarded title:

"Post Bank Prize Laureate 2017" – to prof. DUŠAN KÁLLAY illustrator, painter, teacher of VŠVU, holder of the most important domestic and international awards for illustration work.

Jury's reasoning:

"Dušan Kállay has brought original, unchangeable poetics into a book illustration as an author's creative program, opening up new possibilities of expression in this field of work not only at home but also abroad, becoming a successful and renowned author abroad, winner of the prestigious Hans Christian Andersen Award and many others. In cooperation with publishers and educational institutions, VŠVU, where he has been active until today, has spread the reputation of Slovak illustrating art abroad and attracted the interest of foreign artists, students, publishers of art, culture and arts education in Slovakia."

The PB prize winner will be announced at an international press conference on Friday 8 September at 10h, at Tatra hotel. The announcement will be made personally by CEO A. Zaťko.