



Guido Sgardoli



Biography

I was born in San Dona di Piave (VE) in 1965 and I live and work in Treviso. I have a degree in Veterinary Medicine but meanwhile I cultivated a passion for drawing, animation and writing. After the debut in 2004 of *Salani*, I then published several books for children and teenagers with major Italian publishers. These books have been translated in several languages. I have recently been working with film scripts.

Among my major recognitions:

Selected for the White Ravens list 2007 with "Il grande libro degli Sgnuk" (Giunti);
Pen Award 2007 with "Kaspar, il bravo soldato" (Giunti);
Gigante delle Langhe Award 2009 with "Il disinfe statutto" (Nord-SudEdizioni);
Bancarellino Award 2009 with "Eligio S. I giorni della ruota" (Giunti);

Andersen Award 2009 as Best Writer for the following reasons:

Without a doubt, the most interesting and innovative voices among the authors to have emerged in recent years. For producing a narrative capable of coping with different themes, narrative forms and audiences, but with always high and convincing results. For the gift of a novel of great value and skillful construction such as "Eligio S.- I giorni della ruota" .

Basilicata Mariele Ventre Award 2010 with "A.S.S.A.S.S.I.N.A.T.I.O.N." (Rizzoli);
Andersen Award 2011 finalist with the novel "The Frozen Boy" (Edizioni San Paolo);

Selected by the International Board on Books for Young People Italy (IBBY) as

best writer on the Honour List 2012, with the novel "The Frozen Boy" (Edizioni San Paolo);

Best book of 2011 LiBeR Award with "The Frozen Boy" (Edizioni San Paolo);

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