

The Noma Award for Publishing in Africa



Founder:
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Joint winners of the 1992 Award: (in alphabetical order by author)

Souad Khodja (Algeria)

A comme Algériennes

Alger: Enterprise Nationale du Livre, 1991.

"A major statement on the social condition of the Algerian woman . . . an excellent work which combines a fine sociological intelligence with a warmth of personal feeling – a testimony whose relevance extends well beyond the particular local situation which it examines."

and

Charles Mungoshi (Zimbabwe)

One Day, Long Ago. More Stories from a Shona Childhood

(Illustrated by Luke Toronga)

Harare: Baobab Books, 1991.

"Four stories from the Shona oral tradition, beautifully told and vividly illustrated, with an imaginative use of language, an element of mystery and magic, the occasional sting in the tail, and a gentle, controlled sense of humour."