

2015	Any Questions? , illustrated and written by Marie-Louise Gay [press release] (Groundwood Books)	[shortlist]
2014	The Dark , illustrated by Jon Klassen, written by Lemony Snicket [press release] (HarperCollins Publishers Ltd)	[shortlist]
2013	You are Stardust , illustrated by Soyeon Kim, written by Elin Kelsey [press release] (Owlkids Books)	[shortlist]
2012	My Name is Elizabeth , written by Matthew Forsythe [press release] (Kids Can Press)	[shortlist]
2011	Roslyn Rutabaga and the Biggest Hole on Earth! , written and illustrated by Marie-Louise Gay [press release] (Groundwood Press)	[shortlist]
2010	Perfect Snow , written and illustrated by Barbara Reid [press release] (North Winds Press / Scholastic Canada)	[shortlist]
2009	Mattland , illustrated by Dusan Petricic and written by Hazel Hutchins and Gail Hebert [press release] (Annick)	[shortlist]
2008	Chester , Mélanie Watt [press release] (Kids Can Press)	[shortlist]
2007	Scaredy Squirrel , Mélanie Watt [press release] (Kids Can Press)	[shortlist]
2006	The Baabaasheep Quartet , Leslie Elizabeth Watts [press release] (Fitzhenry & Whiteside)	[shortlist]
2005	Monkey Business , Wallace Edwards [press release] (Kids Can Press) 1-55337-462-2	[shortlist]

2004	Stanley's Party , Linda Bailey, Illustrated by Bill Slavin [press release] (Kids Can Press) 1-55337-382-0	[shortlist]
2003	The Art Room , Susan Vande Griek, Illustrated by Pascal Milelli [press release] (Groundwood Books/Douglas & McIntyre) 0-88899-449-4	[shortlist]
2002	Where I Live , Frances Wolfe (Tundra Books) 0-88776-529-7	
2001	The Magnificent Piano Recital , Laura Fernandez and Rick Jacobson (Orca Book Publishers) 1-55143-180-7	
2000	The Dragon New Year: A Chinese Legend , Zhong-Yang Huang (Raincoast Books) 1-55192-200-2	
1999	A Child's Treasury of Nursery Rhymes , Kady MacDonald Denton (Kids Can Press) 1-55074-554-9	
1998	The Party , Barbara Reid (Scholastic Canada) 0-590-12385-8	