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The PSA held its 75th awards ceremony yesterday. The awards included:

Professor Richard Rose

THE SIX MOST IMPORTANT BOOKS ON BRITISH POLITICS IN THE NEXT QUARTER CENTURY

Putting the Pub Back in Public Administration. The net gains to the Treasury from replacing tea and coffee breaks in government offices with “booze breaks” in which employees lament their low pay while imbibing drinks subject to excise tax.

The End of Devolution. The final British Election Study: three-quarters of English electors and two-thirds of Scots vote for Scottish independent, while 79 percent of Welsh vote to repeal the Welsh Act.

Don't Say Pound, Say Punt. The Prime Minister's adoption of a dual-currency solution, in which pounds and the Irish punt are both legal currencies is followed by a daylight takeover raid of the Bank of England by supporters of Sinn Fein.

Britain at the Centre of Das Neue Europa. After drinking 14 litres of Löwenbrau, William Hague leads the Conservative Party back to its Unionist roots

At the Court of King Tony and Queen Cherie. The book of the Fox Television series, complete with cut out puppets of Cabinet ministers.

You Should Live So Long. How a Labour Chancellor won the Philip Snowden prize for prudence by raising pensions so that retirees would not recover the full value of their contributions until their hundredth birthday.



In the light of government demands for increasing efficiency in the universities, all six books have been written by one person.