

# 2015 WC&C Scholarship Competition

**AWP** offers three annual scholarships of \$500 each to emerging writers who wish to attend a writers' conference, center, retreat, festival, or residency. The scholarships are applied to fees for winners who attend one of the member programs in AWP's Directory of Conferences & Centers. Winners and six finalists also receive a one-year individual AWP membership.



## Eligibility and Guidelines

- Previous recipients of WC&C scholarships and former or current students of the judge are not eligible to submit.
- For fiction and creative nonfiction, up to 25 pages will be considered. Work must be double-spaced and presented in manuscript format with 12-pt font.
- For poetry, up to 10 pages will be considered. Each new poem must start on a new page.
- You may enter in more than one genre, and you may also enter multiple manuscripts in one genre. A \$10 reading fee must accompany each submission.

## Submissions

Submissions are accepted between December 1 and March 30 of each year. Submissions are only accepted online via Submittable at <https://wcc.submittable.com/submit>.

All winners will be notified by email by May 15 and announced on AWP's website and in the AWP Annual Conference & Bookfair program. Three winners will receive a \$500 scholarship each to attend one of our 140 WC&C member programs. Visit our entire Directory of Writers' Conferences & Centers at [awpwriter.org](http://awpwriter.org).

## Judges



*Matt Bell,  
Fiction*



*Sandra Beasley,  
Poetry*



*Xu Xi,  
Creative Nonfiction*



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