

The Bridport Prize 2019

Category: [Multiple Disciplines](#)

Deadline: May 31, 2019

Website: <http://bit.ly/2DKhz3B>



The Bridport Prize is an international creative writing competition established in 1973 by the Arts Centre's founder *Peggy Chapman-Andrews*.

All entries submitted can be on any subject, and written in any style or form.

- **Poems:** 42 lines max. No minimum. title not included.
- **Short stories:** 5000 words max. No minimum. title not included.
- **Flash fiction:** 250 words max. No minimum. title not included.
- **Novel:** 8,000 words max. 5,000 words minimum from opening chapters and 300-word synopsis.

Please note: the *Novel Award* is currently only open to writers in Britain and the Republic of Ireland.

Entries must be in **English**. Entries must never have been published, self-published, published on any website, blog or online forum, broadcast nor winning or placed (*as in 2nd, 3rd, runner-up etc*) in any other competition.

Entry fees:

- 8 GBP for each submitted flash fiction
- 9 GBP for each submitted poem
- 10 GBP for each submitted short story
- 20 GBP for each submitted novel

Eligibility

Open to writers of any nationality writing in English, 16 years old and over at the time of the closing date.

Prize

- 1st prize Poem: **5,000 GBP** (*approx. 6,390 USD*)
 - 1st prize Short story: **5,000 GBP**
 - 1st prize Flash fiction: **1,000 GBP** (*approx. 1,275 USD*)
 - 1st prize Novel award: **1,000 GBP**
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