



ALBUQUERQUE MUSEUM

# Author Festival

## 2017 Writing Contests

We are looking for your best unpublished works of Fiction and Non-Fiction. Submit a piece you are currently working on or polish a finished piece. The contests are open to all New Mexico residents.

### David Morrell Prize for Fiction

Winner of the Fiction Prize Receives:

- Lunch and conversation with a well-known, local, award winning, published fiction author
- Signed copy of the author's latest book

### Lesley Poling-Kempes Prize for Non-Fiction

Winner of the Non-Fiction Prize Receives:

- Lunch and conversation with a well-known, local, award winning, published non-fiction author
- Signed copy of the author's latest book

Winners will be announced at the 2017 Albuquerque Museum Author Festival at 3:00 p.m. on November 11. Winning entries will be read by the respective authors at this awards ceremony

NOTE: Participants in the author festival are not eligible to enter the writing contest.

### Submission Guidelines – Fiction and Non-Fiction

- Submit the first four pages (1,000 words max, double-spaced) of an unpublished work or a work in progress.
- Must be written in English.
- Limit one submission per category per person.
- Cover page includes the Title of the Piece, Your Name, Email Address, Mailing Address, & Phone number where you can be reached. All other pages should be Numbered and include the Title only.
- Submission Deadline: August 31, 2017
- Email Submission(s) to [abqauthorfest@gmail.com](mailto:abqauthorfest@gmail.com). Use Subject line **Abq Author Fest Writing Contest**

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