



## Society of Women Writers NSW Inc National Non Fiction Competition 2017

First Prize \$500

Second Prize \$250

Third Prize \$100

### Terms and Conditions

1. Entries must be unpublished, in English, the original work of the entrant and must not have received an award in any competition, nor be concurrently entered in any other competition.
2. Entrants must be residents of Australia.
3. **AUTHOR'S NAME MUST ONLY APPEAR ON THE ENTRY FORM.**
4. Entries must be:
  - a) Maximum 3,000 words and can be, but not restricted to: political commentary, memoir, travel writing, features article, literary journalism, personal essay, biography and humour writing.
  - b) Typed, 1.5 spacing, page numbered and printed single-sided on white A4 paper.
5. Multiple entries accepted. Each entry requires the payment of the entry fee and an entry form (overleaf). The entry form may be photocopied.
6. Entries must be received by the Receiving Officer by **5.00pm EST on 7 August 2017**. Entries after this date will not be accepted. Postmark date is acceptable.
7. The Judge's decision is final and no correspondence will be entered into. No entries will be returned.
8. The Judge reserves the right to withhold prizes if entries are not considered of sufficient standard.
9. Only the short-listed entrants will be contacted.
10. The Award Ceremony will be on **8 November 2017** at the Society's luncheon held at the State Library of NSW, Macquarie Street, Sydney.
11. The first place winner or their nominee must be present (at own expense) at the Awards Ceremony.





## ENTRY FORM

### SWW NSW Inc — NATIONAL NON FICTION COMPETITION 2017

#### Entry Fees:

- For members of SWW NSW Inc: \$25 per entry
- For non members of SWW NSW Inc: \$35 per entry

#### How to Enter:

A completed copy of the entry form must be attached to the entry and posted to the Receiving Officer

#### Payment Methods – DO NOT SEND CASH

- Cheque/money order made payable to: **Society of Women Writers NSW Inc** (exactly as written) OR
- Direct debit. Details: BSB: 062 018 A/c No: 00950433 A/c Name: The Society of Women Writers NSW  
In the payment description field please include first name initial, surname and code NonF, eg B SMITH NonF

Entries should be posted or emailed to the Receiving Officer by **5.00pm EST on 7 August 2017, to:**

**Maria McDougall, Non Fiction Competition  
PO Box 3018  
NORTH TURRAMURRA NSW 2074**

ENTRANT DETAILS			
First Name		Surname	
Address			
		State	Postcode
Email	Phone	Mobile	
<input type="checkbox"/> I would like to receive the Society's monthly E-Newsletter. Please add my email address to the mailing list.			
<input type="checkbox"/> I am a member of SWW	<input type="checkbox"/> I am not a member of SWW	<input type="checkbox"/> I would like to join SWW NSW Inc Application form may be downloaded from <a href="http://www.womenwritersnsw.org">www.womenwritersnsw.org</a>	
ENTRY DETAILS			
Title of work			
Payment Options	Cheque/Money Order <input type="checkbox"/>	Direct Debit	<input type="checkbox"/>
DECLARATION BY AUTHOR			
I agree to the Conditions of Entry and declare the essay or article submitted is my own original, previously unpublished work. My entry has not previously achieved a place, nor is it concurrently entered in any other competition.			
Author Signature			Date