

Mary C. Mohr Award Submission Guidelines for 2018

Southern Indiana Review will award three prizes of \$2000 each and publication in SIR for works of creative nonfiction (personal or scholarly); fiction (flash fiction, short story, novella, or stand-alone novel excerpt); or poetry written in English submitted under the following guidelines. Each submission must:

- Be available for exclusive publication in Vol. 26, No. 1 of SIR. Simultaneous submissions are acceptable, but if the entry is published/accepted by another publication while under consideration, the author must promptly notify SIR in writing to withdraw the entry.
- Include an entry fee of \$20 (plus Submittable processing fee, if uploaded electronically) for each genre category (\$5 for each additional entry submitted). This non-refundable fee includes a year's subscription to SIR for each genre category entered. Make check or money order payable to *Southern Indiana Review*. Please do not send cash.
- List the author's name, street address, email address (if applicable), phone number, and title of submission on a cover page. Cover pages do not count towards page limit.
- List only the title(s) of submission on each page thereafter.
- **For creative nonfiction submissions:** Be fewer than thirty typed pages (12-point font) per each individual submission.
- **For fiction submissions:** Be fewer than thirty typed pages (12-point font) per each individual submission.
- **For poetry submissions:** Consist of no more than four poems (with an additional limit of ten total pages in 12-point font, no more than one poem per page) per each individual submission.
- Be addressed to *Southern Indiana Review*, Mary C. Mohr Award, University of Southern Indiana, 8600 University Boulevard, Evansville, IN, 47712.
- Be postmarked or electronically uploaded by October 1, 2018.
- Include SAS postcard for receipt acknowledgement and/or SASE for contest results. All manuscripts will be recycled.
- Current and former students of Kiese Laymon, Rebecca Makkai, and Aimee Nezhukumatathil (excluding conference/short-term workshops) are not eligible for the (corresponding genre) Award.
- Current and former students and employees of the University of Southern Indiana are not eligible for the Award.
- Previous winners of the Mary C. Mohr Award are not eligible for the (corresponding genre) Award.

All submissions will be considered for publication. All themes and/or subjects are eligible. Handwritten submissions will not be accepted. All rights revert to the writer upon publication. If the announced judge is unable to reach a decision, SIR editors will select the winner(s).

