



2024 LANE ANDERSON AWARD SUBMISSION PACKAGE

Please complete and return this package, along with seven (7) copies (finished books or galleys) of each submitted title, and the submission fee(s). Please complete a separate submission package for each entry.

Deadline for submissions is **April 30th, 2024**. Press material and other documentation as outlined in the submission requirements must accompany each title submitted. All submission materials should be sent to:

Hollister Doll, Award Manager - Lane Anderson Award
11 Redcastle Crescent
Scarborough ON M1T 1V2
Email: laneandersonaward@gmail.com

There is a fee of \$50.00 CDN, for each initial title submission, and a fee of \$35.00 CDN for each additional title submitted. Payment can be made either by e-transfer to laneandersonaward@gmail.com or cheque made payable to the Lane Anderson Award, c/o Fitzhenry Family Foundation. Please include payment for these fees at the time of your submission. Entries will not be considered without this payment.

ELIGIBILITY AND SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS

SELECTION PROCESS

The annual Lane Anderson Award will honour two jury-selected books, adult and young reader, published in the field of science by Canadian-owned publishers, and authored by Canadians. The winner in each category will receive \$10,000. In the young reader category, the \$10,000 will be divided equally between the author and the illustrator where applicable.

Two three-person jury panels drawn from the Canadian academic, publishing, creative and institutional fields will review submissions in the two categories. The winners will be announced in the fall. The judges' decisions are final.

The two shortlists will be announced in the fall 2024. Closing date for submissions is **April 30th, 2024** for books published in 2023.

ELIGIBILITY

- The author must be a Canadian citizen or permanent resident of Canada.
- The book must be published by a Canadian-owned publishing house, have an ISBN, and be available for sale in bookstores in Canada.
- All entries must be published in English between January 1st, 2023 and December 31st, 2023.
- A collection of essays by one author is eligible if the essays are on a single theme, and if the work in its entirety has not been published elsewhere. A collection of essays by more than one author is not eligible.
- A work by two co-authors is acceptable, provided the whole work is integrated and coherent. In the case of winning co-authors, the prize money will be divided between them.
- Non-eligible works include eBooks or books that are only available in electronic format, pamphlets, monographs, brochures, reference books, conference papers and subsequent or revised editions of books. Posthumously published works are also not eligible, nor are works of fiction.
- Short-listed authors may be required to attend the awards ceremony in Toronto and, if declared the winner, to address the audience at that time.
- The rules for eligibility will be administered, applied, interpreted and may be revised from time to time at the discretion of the administrator of the Lane Anderson Award. The administrator's judgment on the application of the rules and the eligibility criteria is final.

SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS

- All books must be submitted by the publisher. No other entries will be accepted. The earliest possible submission of books is recommended. Receipt of each submitted title will be acknowledged by the Award Manager. The deadline for all submissions is **April 30th, 2024**.
- For a submission to be considered complete it must include: Seven (7) copies of each book, the required documentation (either by completing the forms found in this package or via the [online form](#)), press materials including author photo and book cover in no less than 300 dpi delivered either by [email](#) or USB drive, and the submission fee(s).
- Submissions for the Young Reader category may, at the choice of and if requested by the publisher at the time of submission, request that a portion of any award be allocated to an illustrator(s) of the entry. The portion, on a percentage basis, should be identified by the publisher at the time of submission.

AN UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN THE LANE ANDERSON AWARD/FITZHENRY FAMILY FOUNDATION AND PUBLISHERS OF BOOKS SHORT-LISTED FOR THE LANE ANDERSON AWARD

- The short-listed books must be distributed and available for sale across Canada.
- The Publisher of the short-listed books must make author photos, bios, addresses, phone numbers, email and all other pertinent information available to the Lane Anderson Award as required.
- **The Publisher is requested to ensure the availability of the short-listed authors to attend the final award ceremony held in Toronto in Fall 2024.**
- The Publisher is to notify the short-listed author that in the event that they win they will be required to give a 5-10 minute talk in English at the award ceremony.
- The Publisher is to maintain strict confidentiality until the official announcement date when told about their author being short-listed and/or winning the Lane Anderson Award.
- The Lane Anderson Award will notify the Publisher by phone or email in the event that their author is short-listed. The Publisher, in turn, is responsible for notifying the author by phone and in writing in the event that they are short-listed for the Award. The Publisher must then confirm to the award administrator by phone and in writing that the author is aware of their status as a short-listed author and is available to attend the award ceremony.
- The Publisher is to provide the Lane Anderson Award with a reasonable number of books, as required for publicity purposes, should their author be short-listed.
- The Foundation will provide the Publisher of the winning author with 500 special stickers to be affixed by the Publisher to the winning book, indicating that this is a “Lane Anderson Award-winning title” for the best Canadian-authored book in the field of science for 2023.
- Other considerations and/or arrangements to be discussed at the time of the short-list announcement.

We have read the Eligibility and Submission Requirements for the 2024 Lane Anderson Award. We undertake that, should a book published by us be short-listed for The Lane Anderson Award and/or win, we will comply with the requirements set out in “An Understanding Between the Lane Anderson Award/Fitzhenry Family Foundation and Publishers of Books Short-listed for the Lane Anderson Award.”

Authorized Signing Officer:

Signature:

Company Name:

Address:

Contact Name (please print):

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Telephone Number

Fax Number

Email Address

Date

2024 LANE ANDERSON AWARD SUBMISSION FORM

Please complete a separate form for each submission. Required fields are marked with an asterisk (*).

BOOK INFORMATION

Title *

Category *

Young Reader

Adult

Summary *

Publisher/Imprint *

Canadian Publication Date *

AUTHOR INFORMATION

Name *

Biography *

Website

Social Media

Preferred Pronouns *

Date of Birth

Place of Birth *

Country of Citizenship *

City

Country

Nationality

CONTACT INFORMATION

Name *

Email Address *

Phone Number *