



The Calibre Prize

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First Prize: \$10,000



Entry Form

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Terms and conditions of entry:

1. An original single-authored non-fiction essay in English of between 3000 and 10,000 words.
2. All non-fiction subjects are eligible: from life writing and literary studies, to history and politics and environmental studies, to visual arts and media studies, to anthropology and popular science.
3. Entries must not be previously published or be on offer to any other publication or prize.
4. The name of the essayist must not appear on the manuscript.
5. Essays will be judged anonymously.
6. Entries must be non-defamatory and must not infringe people's privacy or intellectual property.
7. The three judges' decision will be final. No correspondence will be entered into.
8. There is no age restriction.
9. Entries must reside in Australia or be Australian citizens living overseas.
10. ABR employees, board members and editorial advisers are ineligible. Other ABR contributors are eligible.
11. Multiple entries are acceptable.
12. Where multiple essays are entered, a separate entry form must accompany each essay.
13. Each entry must be accompanied by a fee of \$40 (or \$30 for current ABR subscribers). Cheques should be made payable to *Australian Book Review*.
14. The closing date is 1 December 2009, and late entries will not be accepted.
15. ABR and CAL will announce the result in early 2010. ABR will then publish the winning essay, which must not be published prior to publication in ABR.
16. ABR will have the first option to publish any shortlisted and longlisted essays.
17. All published essays, including the winner, may be edited.
18. Entrants will be notified by e-mail (where available) of the safe receipt of their entries and of the final decision.
19. Shortlisted entrants may be required to take part in media activities connected with the announcement of the Prize.
20. Entries will not be returned.
21. Entrants must sign the order form to be eligible.

Format:

1. Entries must be keyed on one side of white A4 paper.
2. Illustrations and concise endnotes are acceptable.
3. The pages of essays should be numbered.
4. We require **three copies** of each essay.
5. Entries by fax or e-mail or on disk will not be accepted. Entries must be mailed to ABR - Calibre Prize, PO Box 2320, Richmond South, Victoria 3121.

Entries close 1 December 2009

Name:

E-mail:

Address:

State: Postcode:

Phone number:

Title of Essay:

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Amount of entry fee paid: (\$30 for ABR subscribers; \$40 for non-subscribers)

Cheque enclosed (made payable to *Australian Book Review*) Credit Card

Credit Card Number: _ _ _ _ / _ _ _ _ / _ _ _ _ / _ _ _ _

Expiry date: _ _ / _ _

I hereby declare that the non-fiction essay entered in the Calibre Prize is my own work, has not been published, and is not currently on offer to another publication or prize. I have read all the terms and conditions and agree to abide by them. I hereby declare that I reside in Australia or am an Australian citizen living abroad.

Author's name:

Signature: Date:

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Send your entries (including this form and three copies of each essay) to:
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