

WINNERS AND JURORS 2001-2010

2001

| Winners | Jurors |
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| Short Story First Prize: Camilla Gibb - <i>Between Wars</i> Second Prize: Sandy Bonny - <i>mandala</i> | Short Story Cynthia Flood Bill Richardson Carmen Rodriguez |
| Poetry First Prize: Erin Noteboom - <i>Poems for Carl Hruska</i> Second Prize: Laura Lush - <i>The First Day of Winter</i> | Poetry Don Coles Beverley Daurio Michael Redhill |
| Travel Writing First Prize: David Tycho - <i>A Desert Romance</i> Second Prize: Audrey Thomas - <i>Jammie Dodgers</i> | Travel Writing Arjun Basu Kildare Dobbs Katherine Govier |

2002

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|---|---|
| Short Story First Prize: Leon Rooke - <i>The Last Shot</i> Second Prize: Joanna Cockerline - <i>Blank Spaces</i> | Short Story Michael Crummey Alistair MacLeod Timothy Taylor |
| Poetry First Prize: Zoë Landale - <i>Once a Murderer: Poems for Three Voices</i> Second Prize: John Barton - "In the House of the Present and Assymetries" | Poetry Roo Borson George Elliot Clarke Olive Senior |
| Travel Writing First Prize: Roger Greenwald - <i>Dents in the Laurentians</i> Second Prize: Ted Bishop - <i>The Motorcycle and the Archive</i> | Travel Writing Arjun Basu Joan Clark Lynne Van Luven |

2003

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| <p>Short Story First Prize: Jane Eaton Hamilton - <i>The Lost Boy</i> Second Prize: Janice McCachen - <i>Vertigo and the Sex Queen</i></p> | <p>Short Story Austin Clarke Tomson Highway Anne Michaels</p> |
| <p>Poetry First Prize: Rob Winger - <i>Selections from Muybridge's Horse</i> Second Prize: Jan Conn - <i>Amazonia</i></p> | <p>Poetry George Bowering Dionne Brand P.K. Page</p> |
| <p>Travel Writing First Prize: Stephen Osborne - <i>Girl Afraid of Haystacks (A story of travel and exile)</i> Second Prize: Alayna Munce - <i>All Welcome</i></p> | <p>Travel Writing Arjun Basu Douglas Coupland Anna Porter</p> |

2004

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| <p>Short Story First Prize: Michael Winter - <i>The Point David Made Earlier</i> Second Prize: Caroline Adderson - <i>Falling</i></p> | <p>Short Story Shauna Singh Baldwin Ellen Seligman Timothy Taylor</p> |
| <p>Poetry First Prize: Asa Boxer - <i>The Workshop</i> Second Prize: Tonja Gunvaldsen Klaassen - <i>August: an anniversary suite</i></p> | <p>Poetry Lillian Allen Christian Bök Don Coles</p> |
| <p>Travel Writing First Prize: Montana Jones - <i>The Bus to Loja</i> Second Prize: Dorothea Belanger - <i>Moccasins</i></p> | <p>Travel Writing Arjun Basu Alberto Manguel Noah Richler</p> |

2005

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| Short Story First Prize: Erin Soros - <i>The Chorus</i> Second Prize: Ahmad Saidullah - <i>Happiness and Other Disorders</i> | Short Story Eden Robinson Catherine Bush Anne Collins |
| Poetry First Prize: Alison Pick - <i>The Mind's Eye</i> Second Prize: Paulette Dubé - <i>First Mountain</i> | Poetry Anne Simpson Daniel David Moses Susan Musgrave |
| Creative Nonfiction First Prize: Kim Echlin - <i>I, Witness</i> Second Prize: Jane Silcott - <i>Drafts 1-11 (not including 10)</i> | Creative Nonfiction Myrna Kostash Patrick Lane John Bentley |

2006

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| Short Story First Prize: Amy Jones - <i>The People Who Love Her</i> Second Prize: Carrie Snyder - <i>Red Rover, Red Rover</i> | Short Story Lisa Moore Ruth Ozeki Russell Smith |
| Poetry First Prize: Méira Cook - <i>A Walker in the City</i> Second Prize: Kelly Norah Drukker - <i>Still Lives</i> | Poetry Barry Dempster Donna Bailey Nurse Molly Peacock |
| Creative Nonfiction First Prize: Leona Theis - <i>The Occupations of Muriel Thompson</i> Second Prize: Josée Owen - <i>Making the Cut</i> | Creative Nonfiction Ian Ferguson Wayne Grady Marni Jackson |

2007

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| Short Story First Prize: Lee Kvern - <i>White</i> Second Prize: Alex Leslie - <i>Preservation</i> | Short Story Barbara Gowdy Thomas King Nino Ricci |
| Poetry First Prize: Jeramy Dodds - <i>Sundress, Fortress</i> Second Prize: Harold Rhenisch - <i>Catching a Snare Drum at the Fraser's Mouth</i> | Poetry Di Brandt Phil Hall Sylvia Legris |
| Creative Nonfiction First Prize: Shelagh Plunkett - <i>In a Garden</i> Second Prize: Phyllis Nakonechny - <i>Vidh</i> | Creative Nonfiction Dave Bidini Mark Kingwell Linda Spalding |

2008

| Winners | Jurors |
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| Short Story First Prize: Claire Battershill - <i>Circus</i> Second Prize: Gitanjali Kolanad - <i>The American Girl</i> | Short Story David Bergen Shyam Selvadurai Heather O'Neill |
| Poetry First Prize: Sue Goyette - <i>Outskirts</i> Second Prize: Jim Johnston - <i>Invertebrate Poems</i> | Poetry Tim Lilburn Roy Miki Pirscila Uppal |
| Creative Nonfiction First Prize: Sarah de Leeuw - <i>Columbus Burning</i> Second Prize: Denise Ryan - <i>My Father, Smoking</i> | Creative Nonfiction Rachel Manley Lee Maracle Michael McKinley |

2009

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| Short Story First Prize: Donald Ward - <i>Badger</i> Second Prize: Elissa Vann Struth - <i>Down to the Roots</i> | Short Story Austin Clarke Camilla Gibb Michael Helm |
| Poetry First Prize: Michael Langton - <i>Us unclean</i> Second Prize: Tanis Rideout - <i>Arguments with the Lake</i> | Poetry George Elliott Clarke Afua Cooper Carmine Starnino |
| Creative Nonfiction First Prize: Marian Botsford Fraser - <i>The Rise</i> Second Prize: Sarah de Leeuw - <i>Quick-quick. Slow. Slow.</i> | Creative Nonfiction Katherine Ashenburg David Hayes Chantal Hébert |

2010

| Winners | Jurors |
|---|---|
| Short Story First Prize: Meghan Adams - <i>Snapshots from my Father's Euthanasia Road Trip, or, Esau</i> Second Prize: Corinne Stikeman - <i>Birds That Streak the Sky</i> | Short Story Michael Crummey Rivka Galchen Madeleine Thien |
| Poetry First Prize: Brian Brett - <i>To Your Scattered Bodies Go</i> Second Prize: Gerald Hill - <i>Natural Cause</i> | Poetry Weyman Chan Motion (Wendy Braithwaite) George Murray |
| Creative Nonfiction First Prize: Gina Leola Woolsey - <i>My Best Friend</i> Second Prize: Leslie Beckmann - <i>Tortfeasor</i> | Creative Nonfiction Don Gillmor Charlotte Gray Margaret Wenté |

Previous CBC Literary Awards winners (1979 to 2000)

| Year | Category | Place | First name | Last name | Title | City | Province | Note |
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| 2000 | <i>Coming Soon</i> | | | | | | | |
| 1999 | <i>Coming Soon</i> | | | | | | | |
| 1998 | <i>Coming Soon</i> | | | | | | | |
| 1997 | Essay | 1st | Elaine Kalman | Naves | <i>Hair</i> | Montreal | QC | |
| 1997 | Poetry | 1st | Roberta | Rees | <i>Hoar Frost</i> | Calgary | AB | |
| 1997 | Short Story | 1st | Shauna Singh | Baldwin | <i>Satya</i> | Milwaukee | WI | |
| 1996 | Essay | 1st | Jamie | Zeppa | <i>Jungle Fever</i> | Bhutan | | |
| 1996 | Poetry | 1st | Susan | Musgrave | <i>The Gold Luck of Carp</i> | Sidney | BC | |
| 1996 | Short Story | 1st | Frances | Itani | <i>Poached Egg on Toast</i> | Ottawa | ON | |
| 1995 | Essay | 1st | Judith | Kalman | <i>Flight</i> | Etobicoke | ON | |
| 1995 | Poetry | 1st | John B. | Lee | <i>Kicheraboo, We Are Dying</i> | Brantford | ON | |
| 1995 | Short Story | 1st | Frances | Itani | <i>Bolero</i> | Ottawa | ON | |
| 1994 | Essay | 1st | Norman | Doidge | <i>The Suit</i> | Toronto | ON | |
| 1994 | Poetry | 1st | Roger | Greenwald | <i>Poems</i> | Toronto | ON | |
| 1994 | Short Story | 1st | Gayla | Reid | <i>In The Water Like This</i> | Vancouver | BC | |
| 1992/93 | Essay | 1st | Carolyn | Smart | <i>A Careful Man</i> | Kingston | ON | |
| 1992/93 | Essay | 2nd | Bonnie | Burnard | <i>Driving Home</i> | Strathroy | ON | |
| 1992/93 | Essay | 3rd | Rosalind | MacPhee | <i>Picasso's Woman</i> | Mississauga | ON | |
| 1992/93 | Poetry | 1st | Diana | Brebner | <i>Eleven Paintings by Mary Pratt</i> | Ottawa | ON | |
| 1992/93 | Poetry | 2nd | Nadine | McInnis | <i>Famous Moments</i> | Ottawa | ON | |
| 1992/93 | Poetry | 3rd | Richard | Lemm | <i>Rites of Passage</i> | Charlottetown | PE | |
| 1992/93 | Short Story | 1st | Gail | Anderson-Dargatz | <i>The Girl with the Bell Necklace</i> | Errington | BC | |
| 1992/93 | Short Story | 2nd | Patrick | Roscoe | <i>Wild Dogs</i> | Vancouver | BC | |
| 1992/93 | Short Story | 3rd | Jennifer | Hedges | <i>An Exaggeration of My Condition</i> | Geulph | ON | |

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| 1991 | Essay | 1st | Amy | Friedman | <i>Shame and Pleasure</i> | Gananoque | ON | |
| 1991 | Essay | 2nd | Rita | West | <i>Clay, Spruce and Cold Water</i> | Ottawa | ON | |
| 1991 | Essay | 3rd | John | Straiton | <i>Flight</i> | Oakville | ON | |
| 1991 | Poetry | 1st | John | Terpstra | <i>Captain Kintail and Church Not Made With Hands</i> | Hamilton | ON | |
| 1991 | Poetry | 2nd | John B. | Lee | <i>All The Cats Are Gone</i> | Brantford | ON | |
| 1991 | Poetry | 3rd | George | Amabile | <i>Duree</i> | Winnipeg | MB | |
| 1991 | Short Story | 1st | John | Givner | <i>Elizabeth</i> | Regina | SK | |
| 1991 | Short Story | 2nd | Warren | Cariou | <i>Digs</i> | Toronto | ON | |
| 1991 | Short Story | 3rd | Caroline | Adderson | <i>The Chmarnyk</i> | Vancouver | BC | |
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| 1990 | Essay | 1st | Ross | Klatte | <i>Leaving The Farm</i> | Nelson | BC | |
| 1990 | Essay | 2nd | Ronald | Wright | <i>Going to the Wall</i> | Port Hope | ON | |
| 1990 | Essay | 3rd | Roo | Borson | <i>Departure and the Persistence of Sound</i> | Toronto | ON | |
| 1990 | Poetry | 1st | Heather | Spears | <i>Human Acts</i> | Copenhagen, Denmark | | |
| 1990 | Poetry | 2nd | Alan R. | Wilson | <i>The Sonneteer's Sky Atlas</i> | Victoria | BC | |
| 1990 | Poetry | 3rd | Elizabeth | Brewster | <i>The Wheel of Change</i> | Saskatoon | SK | |
| 1990 | Short Story | 1st | Irena Friedman | Karafilly | <i>Hoodlums</i> | Montreal | BC | |
| 1990 | Short Story | 2nd | Lucy | Ng | <i>Fireflies</i> | Vancouver | BC | |
| 1990 | Short Story | 3rd | Oakland | Ross | <i>So Far, She's Fine</i> | Toronto | ON | |
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| 1989 | Radio Drama | 1st | Louise | Young | <i>Hungry Ghosts</i> | Victoria | BC | |
| 1989 | Radio Drama | 2nd | Colleen | Murphy | <i>Pumpkin Eaters</i> | Toronto | ON | |
| 1989 | Radio Drama | 3rd | Craig | Cottle | <i>Rememberance Day</i> | Montreal | QC | |
| 1989 | Poetry | 2nd | Stephen | Scobie | <i>A Glossary of the Intertext</i> | Victoria | BC | *no 1st Prize awarded |
| 1989 | Poetry | 3rd | Roo | Borson | <i>Twelve Poems</i> | Toronto | ON | |
| 1989 | Poetry | 3rd | Robyn | Sarah | <i>Poems</i> | Montreal | QC | |
| 1989 | Short Story | 1st | Patrick | Roscoe | <i>Peggy Lee in Africa</i> | Vancouver | BC | |
| 1989 | Short Story | 2nd | Mary | Swan | <i>Archaeology</i> | Guelph | BC | |
| 1989 | Short Story | 3rd | Jean | Rystaad | <i>Cut And Paste</i> | Prince Rupert | BC | *two 3rd Prize winners |
| 1989 | Short Story | 3rd | K.D. | Miller | <i>Inchworm</i> | Toronto | ON | |
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| 1988 | Radio Drama | 1st | Matthew | Decter | <i>The Demon</i> | Montreal | QC | |
| 1988 | Radio Drama | 2nd | Rico | Gonzalez-Risso | <i>Phoning It In</i> | Vancouver | BC | |
| 1988 | Radio Drama | 3rd | F.G. | Bushe | <i>A Night in Tunisia</i> | Toronto | ON | |
| 1988 | Poetry | 1st | Michael | Harris | <i>Spring Deescending</i> | Montreal | QC | |
| 1988 | Poetry | 2nd | Patricia | Young | <i>Poems</i> | Victoria | BC | |

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| 1988 | Poetry | 3rd | Janice Kulyk | Keefer | <i>Fields</i> | Annapolis Royal | NS | |
| 1988 | Short Story | 1st | Ernst | Havemann | <i>A Van for Violet</i> | Nelson | BC | |
| 1988 | Short Story | 2nd | Diana | Kiesners | <i>Holes</i> | Toronto | ON | |
| 1988 | Short Story | 3rd | Katherine | Govier | <i>The Immaculate Conception Photo Gallery</i> | Toronto | ON | *two 3rd Prize winners |
| 1988 | Short Story | 3rd | Caroline | Adderson | <i>The Hanging Garden of Babylon</i> | Vancouver | BC | |
| 1987 | Radio Drama | 1st | W.D. | Valgardson | <i>Seiche</i> | Victoria | BC | |
| 1987 | Radio Drama | 2nd | Pamela | Boyd | <i>Mrs. Jacob's Tale</i> | Saskatoon | SK | |
| 1987 | Radio Drama | 3rd | Ted | Bridgwater | <i>A Fisherman No More</i> | Toronto | ON | |
| 1987 | Poetry | 1st | Lorna | Crozier | <i>Angels of Silence</i> | Saskatoon | SK | |
| 1987 | Poetry | 2nd | F.W. | Watt | <i>Aurora Sideroad</i> | Schomberg | ON | |
| 1987 | Poetry | 3rd | Kim | Dales | <i>Batoche</i> | Vancouver | BC | |
| 1987 | Short Story | 1st | Carol | Windley | <i>Dream Land</i> | Nanaimo | BC | |
| 1987 | Short Story | 2nd | Susan | Perly | <i>Jesus and the Toucan</i> | Toronto | ON | |
| 1987 | Short Story | 3rd | Herbert | Steinhouse | <i>The Cool Bool Machine</i> | Montreal | QC | |
| 1986 | Radio Drama | 1st | Cordelia | Strube | <i>Mortal</i> | Toronto | ON | |
| 1986 | Radio Drama | 2nd | Gordon | Pengilly | <i>Lucky Girl</i> | Calgary | AB | |
| 1986 | Radio Drama | 3rd | Jim | Christy | <i>Mardi Gras</i> | Vancouver | BC | |
| 1986 | Poetry | 1st | Christopher | Dewdney | <i>A Natural History of Southwestern Ontario</i> | London | ON | |
| 1986 | Poetry | 2nd | Kristjana | Gunnars | <i>Dimmalimm, poems and fragments: a cycle</i> | Winnipeg | MB | |
| 1986 | Poetry | 3rd | Leigh | Faulkner | <i>Seascape: Eagle Head 1</i> | Eagle Head | NS | *two 3rd Prize winners |
| 1986 | Poetry | 3rd | Ken | Norris | <i>Radar Interference</i> | Orono | ME | |
| 1986 | Short Story | 1st | Janice Kulyk | Keefer | <i>The Wind</i> | Annapolis Royal | NS | |
| 1986 | Short Story | 2nd | Janette Turner | Hospital | <i>Queen of Pentacles, Nine of Swords</i> | Kingston | ON | |
| 1986 | Short Story | 3rd | Barbara | Novak | <i>Confetti Summer</i> | London | ON | |
| 1985 | Radio Drama | 1st | Eric | Nicol | <i>Ratzlaff vs. the Creator</i> | Vancouver | BC | |
| 1985 | Radio Drama | 2nd | Lawrence | Russell | <i>Possession</i> | | BC | |
| 1985 | Radio Drama | 3rd | Charles | Tidler | <i>A Bride for the Drowned Man</i> | Courtenay | BC | |
| 1985 | Poetry | 1st | Andrew | Wreggitt | <i>Southeasterly</i> | Calgary | AB | *no 2nd Prize winner |
| 1985 | Poetry | 1st | Robert | Bringhurst | <i>The Blue Roofs of Japan</i> | Vancouver | BC | |
| 1985 | Poetry | 3rd | Michael | Harris | <i>Turning Out The Light</i> | Montreal | QC | |
| 1985 | Short Story | 1st | Janice Kulyk | Keefer | <i>Mrs. Putnam at the Planetarium</i> | Churchpoint | NS | |
| 1985 | Short Story | 2nd | Ernst | Havemann | <i>Spirits Do Not Forgive</i> | Nelson | BC | |
| 1985 | Short Story | 3rd | Barry | Callaghan | <i>A Childish Mistake</i> | Toronto | ON | |

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| 1984 | Children's Story | 1st | Diana | Wieler | <i>To The Mountains, By Morning</i> | Saskatoon | SK | |
| 1984 | Children's Story | 2nd | Dennis | Foon | <i>The Short Tree & The Bird That Could Not Sing</i> | Vancouver | BC | |
| 1984 | Children's Story | 3rd | Kit | Pearson | <i>The Boggart</i> | Burnaby | BC | |
| 1984 | Drama | 1st | John | Gregory | <i>Stations</i> | Toronto | ON | |
| 1984 | Drama | 2nd | Bradd | Burningham | <i>We Thank You For Not Smoking</i> | Ottawa | ON | |
| 1984 | Drama | 3rd | Colleen | Murphy | <i>Fire-Engine Red</i> | Toronto | ON | |
| 1984 | Poetry | 1st | Kim | Maltman | <i>Technologies/Installations</i> | Toronto | ON | |
| 1984 | Poetry | 2nd | George | Bowering | <i>Delayed Mercy: late night poems</i> | Vancouver | BC | |
| 1984 | Poetry | 3rd | Colin | Morton | <i>Herbstzeitlose, Crocus in Autumn</i> | Ottawa | ON | *two 3rd Prize winners |
| 1984 | Poetry | 3rd | W.R. | Chadwick | <i>Dwarf!</i> | Waterloo | ON | |
| 1984 | Short Story | 1st | Ernst | Havemann | <i>An Interview</i> | Nelson | BC | |
| 1984 | Short Story | 2nd | Carol | Shields | <i>Flitting Behaviour</i> | Winnipeg | MB | |
| 1984 | Short Story | 3rd | Frances | Itani | <i>Songs For The Children</i> | Ottawa | ON | |
| 1983 | Children's Story | 2nd | Christel | Kleitsch | <i>Once Upon A Village</i> | Toronto | ON | *no 1st Prize winner |
| 1983 | Children's Story | 3rd | Robert | Munsch | <i>Snowsuit</i> | Guelph | ON | |
| 1983 | Radio Drama | 1st | Carol | Shields | <i>Women Waiting</i> | Winnipeg | MB | |
| 1983 | Radio Drama | 2nd | Joyce | Nelson | <i>The Home Visit</i> | Toronto | ON | |
| 1983 | Radio Drama | 3rd | Lawrence | Russell | <i>Winter Surf</i> | Victoria | BC | |
| 1983 | Poetry | 1st | David | Helwig | <i>Catchpenny Poems</i> | Kingston | ON | |
| 1983 | Poetry | 2nd | Diana | Hartog | <i>The Free Box</i> | New Denver | BC | |
| 1983 | Poetry | 3rd | Richard | Lemm | <i>Guide to the Perplexed</i> | Wolfville | NS | |
| 1983 | Poetry | 3rd | John V. | Hicks | <i>Poems</i> | Prince Albert | SK | |
| 1983 | Short Story | 1st | Gwendolyn | MacEwen | <i>The Other Country</i> | Toronto | ON | |
| 1983 | Short Story | 2nd | Ernst | Havemann | <i>The Blood Song</i> | Nelson | BC | |
| 1983 | Short Story | 3rd | Anne | Marriott | <i>A Military Man</i> | North Vancouver | BC | |
| 1982 | Children's Story | 1st | Alice | Tomlinson | <i>The Hen's Castle</i> | Victoria | BC | |
| 1982 | Children's Story | 2nd | Mary Alice & John | Downie | <i>The Bright Paddles</i> | Kingston | ON | |
| 1982 | Children's Story | 3rd | Peter | Garvey | <i>King Albert's Mines</i> | Bramalea | ON | |
| 1982 | Drama (Adventure) | 1st | Rachel | Wyatt | <i>Jupiter's Feet: A Love Story</i> | Toronto | ON | |
| 1982 | Drama (Adventure) | 2nd | Glynis | Whiting | <i>The Darkened Room</i> | Edmonton | AB | |
| 1982 | Drama (Comedy) | 2nd | Larry | Snyder | <i>A Taste of the Sweet Apple</i> | Scarborough | ON | *no 1st Prize winner |
| 1982 | Drama (Comedy) | 3rd | Lynn | Kirk | <i>Woman of Merit</i> | Regina | SK | |
| 1982 | Poetry | 1st | Roo | Borson | <i>Summer's Drug</i> | Toronto | ON | |

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| 1982 | Poetry | 2nd | Elfreida | Read | <i>Growing Up in China</i> | Vancouver | BC | |
| 1982 | Poetry | 3rd | David | Day | <i>Nine Lost Animals</i> | London, England | | |
| 1982 | Short Story | 1st | Michael | Ondaatje | <i>The Passions of Lalla</i> | Toronto | ON | |
| 1982 | Short Story | 2nd | Nancy | Bauer | <i>Prologue</i> | Fredericton | NB | |
| 1982 | Short Story | 3rd | Anton | Baer | <i>Germany, 1946</i> | Whitehorse | YT | |
| 1981 | Memoirs | 1st | Ronald R. | Jeffels | <i>The Fifth Man</i> | Vancouver | BC | |
| 1981 | Memoirs | 2nd | Audrey | Thomas | <i>Untouchables</i> | Vancouver | BC | |
| 1981 | Memoirs | 3rd | Michael Brian | Oliver | <i>College Maillet</i> | Fredericton | NB | |
| 1981 | Poetry | 1st | Francis | Sparshott | <i>The Cave of Trophonius</i> | Toronto | ON | |
| 1981 | Poetry | 2nd | Don | Coles | <i>Landslides</i> | Toronto | ON | |
| 1981 | Poetry | 3rd | Patrick | Lane | <i>Rednecks</i> | Regina | SK | |
| 1981 | Short Story | 1st | Budge | Wilson | <i>The Leaving</i> | Peterborough | ON | |
| 1981 | Short Story | 2nd | Kent | Thompson | <i>A Local Hanging</i> | Fredericton | NB | |
| 1981 | Short Story | 3rd | Gertrude | Story | <i>But First You Ought to Ask the Bride</i> | Vanscoy | SK | |
| 1980 | Memoirs | 1st | Bill | Schernbrucker | <i>Aga Dawn</i> | Vancouver | BC | |
| 1980 | Memoirs | 2nd | Morgan | Nyberg | <i>Mark</i> | Vancouver | BC | |
| 1980 | Memoirs | 3rd | Claudia | Christopherson | <i>Ravel's Pavanne</i> | Montreal | QC | |
| 1980 | Poetry | 2nd | Mary | Di Michele | <i>Mimosa</i> | Toronto | ON | *no 1st Prize winner |
| 1980 | Poetry | 2nd | Bill | Bissett | <i>Birds</i> | Vancouver | BC | |
| 1980 | Poetry | 3rd | Robert | Currie | <i>Brother</i> | Moose Jaw | SK | |
| 1980 | Short Story | 1st | W.D. | Valgardson | <i>A Matter of Balance</i> | Victoria | BC | |
| 1980 | Short Story | 2nd | Audrey | Thomas | <i>Natural History</i> | Galiano | BC | |
| 1980 | Short Story | 3rd | Ludmilla | Bereshko-Hunter | <i>And With Two Such Husbands</i> | Montreal | QC | |
| 1979 | Memoirs | 1st | Charles | Ritchie | <i>My Cousin Gerald</i> | Halifax/Ottawa | NS/ON | |
| 1979 | Memoirs | 2nd | Michael | Hennessey | <i>An Arch for the King</i> | Charlottetown | PE | |
| 1979 | Memoirs | 3rd | John | Ayre | <i>Belleview Courts Motel</i> | Guelph | ON | |
| 1979 | Poetry | 2nd | David | McFadden | <i>A New Romance</i> | Hamilton | ON | *no 1st Prize winner |
| 1979 | Poetry | 2nd | Gail | McKay | <i>The Pat Lowther Poem</i> | Vancouver/Toronto | BC/ON | |
| 1979 | Poetry | 3rd | James | Harrison | <i>Eve's Version</i> | Guelph | ON | |
| 1979 | Short Story | 1st | Shaun | Virgo | <i>Les Rites</i> | | NL | |
| 1979 | Short Story | 2nd | Ruth | Andrishak | <i>The Night The Rabbit Chewed My Hair Off</i> | Calgary | AB | |
| 1979 | Short Story | 3rd | Helen | Weinzweig | <i>The Homecoming</i> | Toronto | ON | |