

# THE PATERSON FICTION PRIZE

*Sponsored by*  
***The Poetry Center at Passaic County Community College***

***\$1,000 Award***

for a novel or collection of short fiction which, in the opinion of our judges, is the strongest work of fiction published in 2008. The author will be asked to participate in an awards ceremony and to give a reading at the Poetry Center.

## **Contest Rules:**

1. Each book submitted must be accompanied by an application form. Forms can be printed from [www.pccc.edu/poetry](http://www.pccc.edu/poetry)
2. Publisher may submit more than one book for prize consideration.
3. Three copies of each book should be sent to:  
Maria Mazziotti Gillan, Executive Director  
Poetry Center  
Passaic County Community College  
One College Boulevard  
Paterson, NJ 07505-1179
4. Books entered in the competition will be donated to the Poetry Center Library at Passaic County Community College.
5. Books must be postmarked or received in the Poetry Center by April 1, 2009 to be considered for the prize.
6. Books cannot be returned.
7. For a list of winners, include a stamped, self-addressed envelope labeled: "Paterson Fiction Prize."
8. Announcements of winners will be placed in The Poets & Writers Newsletter.

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**Application Form**

Name of Author: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_

*(To receive a timely notification, list your own address (c/o publisher's address may result in delays).*

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Book: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Publisher: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Contact at the Publisher \_\_\_\_\_

Publisher's Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Application: \_\_\_\_\_

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**Deadline: April 1, 2009**

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