

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 2009.

Contest Rules:

1. Each book submitted must be accompanied by an application form. Forms can be printed from 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, 2010** 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 on our website, www.pccc.edu/poetry, and 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: _____

I understand that books cannot be returned.

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