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J.W. DAFOE BOOK PRIZE ACCEPTING SUBMISSIONS FOR 2023 PRIZE

The John Wesley Dafoe Foundation is once again pleased to receive submissions for its annual Book Prize. The 2023 J.W. Dafoe Book Prize, now valued at \$12,000.00, will be awarded to a publication with a 2022 imprint ". . . for distinguished writing by Canadians, or authors resident in Canada, that contributes to the understanding of Canada, Canadians, and/or Canada's place in the world." Co- or multiple authored books are eligible, but not edited books consisting of chapters from many different authors.

A nominal submission fee of \$50 per entry is required. To nominate a book(s), publishers and individuals:

- 1) Submit four copies of each book nominated;
- 2) Provide the appropriate submission fee (\$50 per title) in cheque form payable to the J.W. Dafoe Foundation;
- 3) Send books and fees to Dr. Andrea Rounce, Honorary Secretary, The J.W. Dafoe Foundation, c/o 532 Fletcher Argue Building, University of Manitoba, Winnipeg, MB, R3T 5V5;
- 4) Meet deadline of Friday December 16th, 2022. Please note that late entries for books published in the later months of 2022 will be accepted into early 2023, as long as we are advised that they are coming; and
- 5) Send an email with the publisher's contact information (name/email/phone number) and the book title(s) being nominated to Dr. Andrea Rounce at andrea.rounce@umanitoba.ca
You will be notified when the title(s) submitted have been received.

Formal announcement of the short list will happen in March 2022, followed by the announcement of the winner. We anticipate that the Prize will be formally awarded to the author(s) at the Annual J.W. Dafoe Book Prize dinner in late spring.

Questions about submission eligibility or process can be sent to Dr. Andrea Rounce at andrea.rounce@umanitoba.ca.

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