

Capital City Press Anthology Volume 6 - Call for Submissions

Capital City Press is calling for submissions for the fifth volume of the Capital City Press Anthology in three categories: Fiction, Non-Fiction, and Poetry. The CCP Anthology will be published online, and writers will receive an honorarium of \$25 per published work. We will also create an audio version of each story in the Anthology that will be made available online. We are open to submissions from December 1, 2025 to January 31, 2026.

Please read these guidelines before sending us your work.

- Capital City Press, with the Edmonton Public Library, is committed to providing a platform for diverse voices and experiences. We encourage new writers, women, people of colour, Indigenous people, LGBTQ+ individuals, and others from under-represented, marginalized communities to submit their works and perspectives to the CCP Anthology.
- The writer must reside in the Greater Edmonton Area; or is a member of the Treaty 6 First Nations within the provincial borders of Alberta; or is a member of a Metis Settlement within the provincial borders of Alberta.
- At this time, our editorial board is only prepared to accept English submissions for the CCP
 Anthology. We are aware that this is a shortcoming and will work towards featuring guest
 editors to help us with non-English submissions in future publications. When we gain more
 language capacity on our editorial team, we will update this call for submissions.

How to Format Your Work:

- All submissions should be typed, 12 pt. Times New Roman.
- If your submission is longer than one page, please paginate your work.
- Poetry
 - o Visual and concrete poetry must be submitted as a PDF. All other poetry can be submitted as .doc or .docx file.
- Prose (Fiction & Non-Fiction)
 - o Submit as a .doc or .docx file
 - o Works should be a maximum of 2500 words; please double-space your work

How to Send Us Your Work:

- To submit your work, please email CCPSubmissions@epl.ca
- The subject line of your email should be: [Surname] [Category] Submission (e.g. Angelou Poetry Submission).
- In the body of your email, please include:
 - o Your name
 - o Contact information
 - o A brief biography (50-100 words)

- o If you agree to having your work recorded for our audio version of the anthology and if you are interested in reading the work yourself or if you would prefer someone else to read it
- Please attach your work to the email. Use the following naming convention for your file:
 - o [Surname]_[Category]_[Title] (e.g. Angelou_Poetry_Still | Rise)
- Multiple submissions are permitted; each writer can submit up to 3 times. Please write a separate email for each submitted work.
- Capital City Press cannot guarantee we will provide feedback for every submission.