

ABR Elizabeth Jolley Short Story Prize

Judges: **Patrick Allington, Cassandra Atherton, and Amy Baillieu**

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

1. Entries must be one original single-authored short story of between 2000 and 5000 words, written in English.
2. Previously published or prize-winning stories will not be accepted. Entries must not be on offer to any other publications, prizes, or anthologies for the duration of the Prize.
3. Judging is completely anonymous. The author's name must not appear on the manuscript or in the file name for online entries – it should appear only on the entry form.
4. *ABR* staff, board members, and editorial advisers are not eligible to enter. All other writers, including *ABR* contributors and volunteers, are eligible to enter.
5. Entries should be submitted via our website; alternatively they can be submitted by mail to *ABR* using this entry form.
6. If entrants subsequently withdraw their entries, the entry fee will not be refunded.
7. Multiple entries are permitted.
8. Each entry must be accompanied by an entry fee of AU\$20, or AU\$15 for current *ABR* subscribers. To qualify for the discount fee, entrants must hold a current one-year subscription to our print or online editions.
9. The closing date for entries is midnight, 1 May 2014. Late entries will not be considered. Hard-copy entries postmarked 1 May will be accepted.
10. Online entrants will receive automatic confirmation of receipt. Hard-copy entries will be acknowledged by email within one month of receipt (as long as valid email addresses are provided).
11. The judges' decision is final, and no correspondence will be entered into.
12. *ABR* will publish the shortlisted stories in the September 2014 issue and announce the overall winner at a special ceremony to which all entrants will be invited.
13. Shortlisted entrants may be required to take part in events and media activities.
14. The stated prize money also covers publication in *ABR Online* and in any future *ABR* eBook form.
15. *ABR* may publish other longlisted stories – at *ABR*'s standard rate.
16. All published stories, including the winner, will be edited.
17. Entrants must sign the declaration for postal entries or tick the declaration box on the online entry page to be eligible.
18. Entries will not be returned.
19. We are unable to provide feedback about individual entries.
20. *ABR* reserves the right not to award a prize.

FORMATTING

Hard-copy entries should be typed and printed on one side of A4 white paper with 1.5 line spacing and in 12 pt font size. The pages of stories should be numbered. The author's name must not appear on the manuscript. We will require THREE copies of all hard-copy entries.

Online entries should be either PDFs or Word documents. The text should be presented with 1.5 line spacing and in 12 pt font size. The pages of stories should be numbered. The author's name must not appear in the manuscript or in the name of the digital file. The file name should include the title of the story.

ABR gratefully acknowledges the support of Mr Ian Dickson.

First prize	\$5000
Second prize	\$2000
Third prize	\$1000

Closing date
1 May 2014

ABR ELIZABETH JOLLEY SHORT STORY PRIZE

ENTRY FORM

Please print details carefully

Name:

Address:

State: Postcode:

Email:

Phone number:

Title of short story:

Entry fee paid (AU\$15 for ABR subscribers; AU\$20 for non-subscribers):

Name of subscriber or subscriber number:

Cheque or Money Order enclosed (made payable to *Australian Book Review*)

VISA MASTERCARD

Name on Credit Card:

Expiry date: __ / __

Credit Card Number: _ _ _ _ / _ _ _ _ / _ _ _ _ / _ _ _ _

Credit Card Signature:

DECLARATION:

I hereby declare that the story entered in the ABR Elizabeth Jolley Short Story Prize is my own work, has not been previously published or awarded, and will not be offered to another publication or prize for the duration of this competition. I have read all the terms and conditions and agree to abide by them. I hereby declare that I am an Australian citizen or have permanent residence status.

Author's name:

Signature: Date:

Send your entries (including this form and three copies of each story) to:

ABR Elizabeth Jolley Short Story Prize, Studio 2, 207–229 City Rd, Southbank, Vic. 3006

Alternatively, please visit our website to enter online.

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