

# L. Ron Hubbard Presents Writers of the Future Volume 39 Scheduled for May Release

*L. Ron Hubbard Presents Writers of the Future Volume 39, with winners from nine countries, is scheduled to release in May 2023.*

LOS ANGELES, CA, UNITED STATES, February 1, 2023 /EINPresswire.com/ -- Year 39 for [L. Ron Hubbard](#) Presents Writers of the Future marks yet another milestone for the Contests as Galaxy Press and Author Services, Inc., L. Ron Hubbard's literary agency,

prepare for its May 2023 release. "We have winners from nine countries—Canada, China, Costa Rica, Jamaica, Romania, South Korea, United Kingdom, United States of America, and Vietnam—the most ever in one year," stated the Contest Director, Joni Labaqui. "So not only are these the largest competitions of their kind in the world, their scope truly is international."

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*L. Ron Hubbard, Contest founder*



Writers & Illustrators of the Future Winners and Judges for 2022 posing on stage at the Awards Gala

Winners will be flown to Hollywood for a week-long workshop culminating in a festive awards gala where winners will receive their trophies, and one grand prize winner for both the [Writer Contest](#) and [Illustrator Contest](#) will be announced.

Winners and their nationalities to be published in "L. Ron Hubbard Presents Writers of the Future Volume 39" are:

Writers of the Future Contest Winners

First quarter

1. Samuel Parr – United Kingdom

"The Last History"

2. Spencer Sekulin – Canada

"The Children of Desolation"

3. L. H. Davis – United States

"Timelines and Bloodlines"

## Second quarter

1. Devon Bohm – United States

“Kitsune”

2. Arthur H. Manners – United Kingdom

“The Withering Sky”

3. David Hankins – United States

“Death and the Taxman”

## Third quarter

1. David K. Henrickson – United States

“White Elephant”

2. J. R. Johnson – Canada

“Piracy for Beginners”

3. Elaine Midcoh (published finalist in Volume 37) – United States

“A Trickle in History”

## Fourth quarter

1. Marianne Xenos – United States

“Moonlight and Funk”

2. Jason Palmatier – United States

“Under My Cypresses”

3. T. J. Knight – United States

“The Fall of Crodendra M”

## Illustrators of the Future Contest Winners

### First quarter

Alexandra Albu – Romania

Clarence Bateman – Jamaica

Dao Vi – Vietnam

### Second quarter

Sarah Morrison – Canada

Ximing Luo – China

Alaya Knowlton – United States

### Third quarter

Kristen Hadaway – United States

José Sánchez – Costa Rica

Helen Yi – South Korea

### Fourth quarter

Chris Binns – United Kingdom

April Solomon – United States

Chris Arias – Costa Rica

L. Ron Hubbard initiated the Writers of the Future writing contest in 1983 to provide “a means for new and budding writers to have a chance for their creative efforts to be seen and acknowledged.” Based on its success, its sister contest, Illustrators of the Future, was created five years later to provide that same opportunity for aspiring artists.

The intensive mentoring process has proven very successful. The over 500 past winners and published finalists of the Writing Contest have published over 1,800 novels and nearly 6,200 short stories. They have produced 36 New York Times bestsellers, and their works have sold over 60 million copies.

The 370 past winners of the Illustrating Contest have produced over 6,000 illustrations, 360 comic books, graced 624 books and albums with their art, and visually contributed to 68 TV shows and 40 major movies.

For more information about Writers and Illustrators of the Future, visit [www.writersofthefuture.com](http://www.writersofthefuture.com).

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