

# 2026 **Able Muse Contests** now open for submission



Able Muse **WRITE PRIZE**

Deadline: Mar. 15, 2026

## ABLE MUSE WRITE PRIZE (for poetry & fiction)

- **\$500** for the winning poem (all styles welcome)
- **\$500** for the winning story
- **Publication** in *Able Muse* (print edition)
- Anonymous judging by the final judges: **Catherine Tufariello** (poetry), **Tobias Carroll** (fiction)
- Entry deadline: **March 15, 2026**.

Details at: [www.ablemusepress.com/ablemuse-write-prize](http://www.ablemusepress.com/ablemuse-write-prize)

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**Catherine Tufariello** – Final Judge (poetry)



**Tobias Carroll** – Final Judge (fiction)

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Able Muse **BOOK AWARD**

Deadline: Mar. 31, 2026

## ABLE MUSE BOOK AWARD (for poetry)

- \$1000 prize for the winning manuscript (all styles welcome)
- Book publication by Able Muse Press
- Blind Judging by Final Judge: **TAnnie Finch**
- Entry deadline: **March 31, 2026**.

Details at:

[www.ablemusepress.com/ablemuse-book-award](http://www.ablemusepress.com/ablemuse-book-award)

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**Annie Finch** – Final Judge

For free, non-contest submissions, *Able Muse* (print edition) is now accepting submissions for the forthcoming issue.

To submit poetry, fiction, essays, reviews, art and photography go to [www.ablemuse.com](http://www.ablemuse.com)