

ASLE AWARDS IN ECOCRITICISM AND ENVIRONMENTAL CREATIVE WRITING

The Association for the Study of Literature and Environment will present its seventh biennial book awards at its 2019 conference, to be held June 26-30, 2019 at the University of California, Davis. Both awards include a prize of \$500. The awards will be presented at the Authors' Reception on June 27.

The Book Awards will be presented in two categories:

- the best book-length work of scholarly ecocriticism published in 2017 or 2018.
- the best book-length work of creative writing (any genre) on an environmental theme published in 2017 or 2018.

Submission Instructions:

- Works of narrative scholarship, or works that in other ways blend scholarly criticism with creative writing, can only be submitted in one category, which must be indicated with the submission.
- As instituted in 2013, we will now consider edited collections in both the scholarly and creative categories.
- The committee on scholarly ecocriticism will consider only titles in that genre; books with a general environmental theme that do not meet that criteria will not be entered into the contest.
- Works may be submitted by either the author or publisher. Authors are advised to coordinate with their publishers to avoid multiple, or missed, submissions.
- Nominees must be members of the Association for the Study of Literature and Environment or an international affiliate as of **January 1, 2019**.
- Works must be in English.
- Deadline for receipt of all submissions is **January 7, 2019**. *This deadline is firm and NO EXCEPTIONS will be made for late entries.*
- **Three copies** of the nominated book should be sent to the appropriate coordinator below. Electronic copies of the publication are acceptable.
- *Note: if an ecocriticism book submission makes the finalist round, we will require 2 more copies for judges.*

Environmental Creative Writing Book Award:

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