# **Literary Award Winners 2022-2023**

Abraham Lincoln Illinois High School Book Award 2023 (Teen Choice Award)

• The Loop by Jennifer Ben Oliver

<u>Alex Awards 2023</u> The Alex Awards annually recognize ten books written for adults that have special appeal to young adults ages 12 through 18.

- A Lady's Guide to Fortune-Hunting, by Sophie Irwin
- Babel, Or the Necessity of Violence: An Arcane History of the Oxford Translators' Revolution, by R. F. Kuang
- Chef's Kiss, by Jarrett Melendez, illustrated by Danica Brine
- Daughter of the Moon Goddess, by Sue Lynn Tan
- I'm Glad My Mom Died, by Jennette McCurdy
- Solito: A Memoir, by Javier Zamora
- The High Desert: Black. Punk. Nowhere., written and illustrated by James Spooner
- The Kaiju Preservation Society, by John Scalzi
- True Biz, by Sara Nović
- Wash Day Diaries, by Jamila Rowser

# The Edgar Awards for Best Mysteries 2023

- Notes on an Execution by Danya Kukafka (Best Novel)
- **Don't KNow Tough** by Eli Kranor (Best First Novel)
- Or Else by Joe Hart (Best Paperback Original)
- **Tell Me Everything: The Story of a Private Investigation** by Erika Krouse (Best Fact Crime)
- The Life of Crime: Detecting the History of Mysteries and Their Creators by Martin Edwards (Best Critical/Biographical)
- The Red Palace by June Hur (Best Young Adult)

Hugo Award for Science Fiction or Fantasy (2023 winners will be announced by Oct. 18-22, 2023.)

• A Desolation Called Peace by Arkady Martine (2022) Best Novel

#### Lodestar Award for Best Yong Adult Book (not a Hugo)

• The Last Graduate by Naomi Novik (2022)

Man Booker Prize 2022 The prize, which launched in 1969, aims to promote the finest in fiction by rewarding the best novel of the year written in English and published in the United Kingdom. (2023 winners announced on Nov. 26, 2023)

• The Seven Moons of Maali Almeida by Shehan Karunatilaka

#### Man Booker Prize International 2023

• Time Shelter by David Diop (French), translated by Anna Moschovakis

National Book Award 2022 (2023 winners will be announced on Nov. 15, 2023.)

- The Rabbit Hutch by Tess Gunty (Fiction)
- South to America: a Journey Below the Mason-Dixon Line to Understand the Soul of America by Imani Perry (Non-Fiction)
- Punks: New and Selected Poems by John Keene (Poetry)

- Seven Empty House by Megan McDowell and Samanta Schweblin (Translated Literature)
- All My Rage by Sabaa Tahir (Young People's Literature)

## Nebula Award for Science Fiction or Fantasy 2022

• Legends & Lattes by Travis Baldree (Winner, Best Novel)

<u>Women's Prize for Fiction 2022</u> Given in the United Kingdom to an English language novel by a female author of any nationality. (2023 winner announced on June 14, 2023)

• The Book of Form and Emptiness by Ruth Ozeki

## Michael L. Printz Award for Young Adult Literature 2022

- All My Rage by Sabaa Tahir (Winner)
- Icebreaker by A.L. Graziadei (Honor)
- Trust by Hernan Diaz (Winner)
- Scout's Honor by Lily Anderson (Honor)
- Queer Ducks (and Other Animals): The Natural World of Animal Sexuality by Eliot Schrefer (Honor)

#### Pulitzer Prize 2023

- **Demon Copperhead** by Barbara Kingsolver (Fiction Winner)
- Trust by Hernan Diaz (Winner)
- Immortal King Rao by Vauhini Vara (Fiction Finalist)
- Freedom's Dominion: A Saga of White Resistance to Federal Power, by Jefferson Cowie (History Winner)
- **His Name Is George Floyd: One Man's Life and the Struggle for Racial Justice** by Robert Samuels and Toluse Olorunnipa (Non-Fiction Winner)
- **G-Man: J. Edgar Hoover and the Making of the American Century** by Beverly Gage (Biography Winner)
- English by Sanaz Toossi (Drama Winner)
- Then the War: And Selected Poems, 2007-2020 by Carl Phillips (Poetry Winner)

## **Stonewall Book Awards**

Barbara Gittings Literature Award

• **Sorrowland** by Rivers Solomon

Israel Fishman Nonfiction Award

• Dear Senthuran: A Black Spirit Memoir by Akwaeke Emezi

Mike Morgan & Larry Romans Children's & Young Adult Literature Award

- Last Night at the Telegraph Club by Malinda Lo
- The Darkness Outside Us by Eliot Schrefer (Honor)

# YALSA Teens' Top Ten 2023

- All My Rage by Sabaa Tahir
- Alone Out Here by Riley Redgate
- Blackwater by Jeanette Arroyo and Ren Graham
- Crumbs by Danie Stirling
- **Dig Two Graves** by Gretchen McNeil

- Don't Look Back: A Memoir of War, Survival, and My Journey from Sudan to America by Achut Deng and Keely Hutton
- **Five Survive** by Holly Jackson
- **Gallant** by VE Schwab
- Gleanings: Stories from Arc of a Scythe by Neal Shusterman
- Gold Mountain by Betty Yee