

# 2015 QWF Awards Finalists and Juries

**Paragraphe Hugh MacLennan Prize for Fiction**  
Sponsored by Paragraph Bookstore

[Heather O'Neill](#)

[\*Daydreams of Angels\*](#)

HarperCollins Publishers Ltd.

[Neil Smith](#)

[\*Boo\*](#)

Knopf Canada

[H. Nigel Thomas](#)

[\*No Safeguards\*](#)

Guernica Editions Inc.

**Fiction Jury: Amy Jones, Louis Rastelli, Paul Seesequasis**

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**Concordia University First Book Prize**  
Sponsored by Concordia University

[Anita Anand](#)

[\*Swing in the House and Other Stories\*](#)

Véhicule Press

[Mike Steeves](#)

[\*Giving Up\*](#)

BookThug

[Joel Wapnick](#)

[\*The View North from Liberal Cemetery\*](#)

Wapiti Press

**First Book Jury: Jane Eaton Hamilton, Ross Leckie, Lesley Trites**

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**Mavis Gallant Prize for Non-Fiction**  
Sponsored by Champlain, Dawson, Heritage, John Abbott and Vanier Colleges

[Judith Cowan](#)

[\*The Permanent Nature of Everything: A Memoir\*](#)

McGill-Queen's University Press

[Carlos Fraenkel](#)

[\*Teaching Plato in Palestine: Philosophy in a Divided World\*](#)

Princeton University Press

[Kathleen Winter](#)

[\*Boundless\*](#)

House of Anansi Press

**Non-Fiction Jury: Joan McGilvray, Bruce Symaka, Peter McFarlane**

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**A.M. Klein Prize for Poetry**  
Sponsored by Richard Pound, in memory of his brother Robert

[Catherine Kidd](#)  
[Hyena Subpoena](#)  
Wired on Words/Popolo Press

[David McGimpsey](#)  
[Asbestos Heights](#)  
Coach House Books

[Erín Moure](#)  
[Kapusta](#)  
House of Anansi Press

**Poetry Jury: Darren Bifford, Christian Bök, Sonnet L'Abbé**

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**Cole Foundation Prize for Translation**  
Sponsored by the Cole Foundation

[Phyllis Aronoff](#) and [Howard Scott](#)  
[As Always](#)  
Talonbooks

Madeleine Gagnon  
*Depuis Toujours*  
Les Éditions du Boréal

[Debbie Blythe](#)  
[Turkey and the Armenian Ghost: On the Trail of the Genocide](#)  
McGill-Queen's University Press

Laure Marchand et Guillaume Perrier  
*La Turquie et le fantôme arménien: sur les traces du génocide*  
Actes Sud

[Sheila Fischman](#)  
[Mãn](#)  
Penguin Random House Canada

Kim Thuy  
*Mãn*  
Libre Expression

**Translation Jury: Lucien Chaput, Karin Montin, Susan Ouriou**