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Maximum 25 pages per manuscript, typed and double-spaced. Please include a cover page—the author's name should not appear on the manuscript. All work must be previously unpublished. Entry fee: \$22 per manuscript, plus \$5 for each additional manuscript. The fee includes a one-year subscription to PRISM international. All non-Canadian residents, please pay in U.S. dollars. For full contest details, please send a S.A.S.E. to the address below, or go to our website.

Contest Deadline: January 31, 2003

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1st place: → \$500 2nd place: → \$250

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#### FEE PER ENTRY

C\$25 (per Canadian entry) US\$28 (per US entry). Please enclose cheque or money order made out to *Room of One's Own*. More than one entry will be accepted as long as fee is paid for each entry. No manuscripts will be returned. Only winners will be notified.



#### RULES

Poetry category: maximum 3 poems or 150 lines Fiction category: maximum 4,000 words

There will be blind judging; therefore, do not put your name or address on entry submission, but enclose a cover sheet with your name, address, phone number and title(s) of entry.

Entries must be typed on 8.5 X 11" white paper. Prose must be double-spaced. Each entry must be original, unpublished, not submitted or accepted elsewhere for publication and not entered simultaneously in any other contest or competition.

#### DEADLINE

Entries must be postmarked no later than **February 15, 2003**. Entries not conforming to these rules will not be eligible to win. Winners only will be notified by July 15, 2003.

**Send entries to:** Fiction and Poetry Contest, *Room of One's Own*, P.O. Box 46160, Station D, Vancouver, BC V6J 5G5, Canada **Web site:** http://www.roommagazine.com

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**Final Judge**: TBA. Our past judges include Myrna Kostash, Eleanor Wachtel, Andreas Schroeder, George Galt, Sharon Butala, Tom Wayman, Di Brandt, Terry Glavin and Karen Connelly.

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Note: Previously published material, or material accepted elsewhere for publication, cannot be considered. Maximum entry length is 5000 words, typed, double-spaced. The writer should not be identified on the entry. Include a separate cover sheet with the writer's name, address, phone number / email, and the title(s) of the story (stories) enclosed. Include a SASE (Canadian postage / IRCs /US\$1). Douglas College employees are not eligible to enter.

**Entry fee**: Multiple entries are allowed, however, *each* entry must be accompanied by a \$25 entry fee (includes GST and a one-year subscription; make cheque or money order payable to *Event*). Those already subscribing will receive a one-year extension. American and overseas entrants please pay in US dollars.

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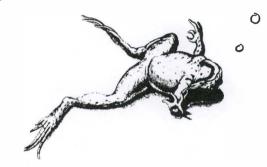


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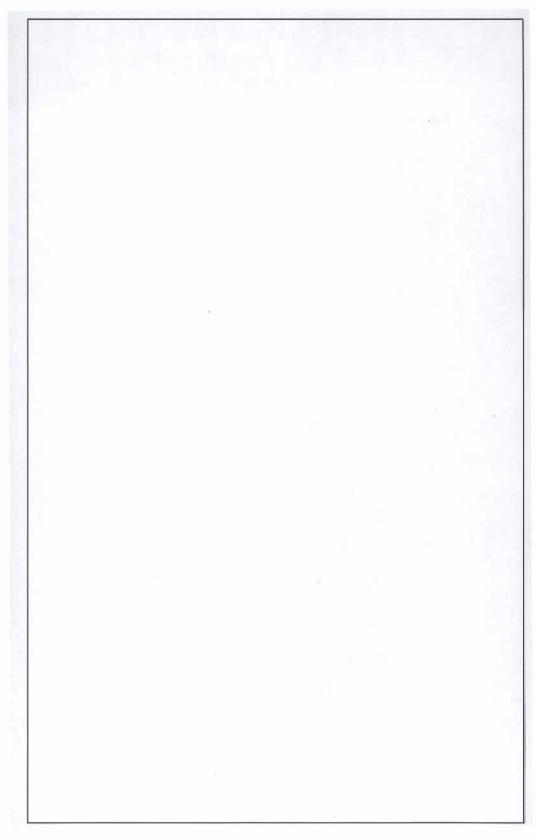
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