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**Save As Writers Canterbury Christ Church University Poetry Prize 2023**

Canterbury Christ Church University is delighted to support Save As Writers International competition again this year.

These awards celebrate new work at all stages, from the longlist to the prize-winners. Save As Writers champion creative writing regionally and internationally with these prizes. Throughout the year they work to bring creative opportunities to the community with workshops and readings. Everyone involved behind the scenes of this event is doing valuable work supporting and cheerleading new and established writers.

While the profile of Creative Writing at Canterbury Christ Church University continues to grow, with great successes in national research and teaching frameworks, we are keen to maintain our grassroots links with the region. Our tutors deliver workshops and writing activities in the community, and we have close ties with our local literary festivals. We are passionate about access to higher education. Our courses cover creative, professional and critical writing, from foundation level through to postgraduate study. We offer taught and research Masters places and supervise creative writing projects at PhD level.

To find out more about our courses and writing events, visit [www.canterbury.ac.uk](http://www.canterbury.ac.uk/)

Congratulations to all listed and wining writers this year, to the judges, Luigi Marchini and Save As Writers for another successful competition.

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