



INTERNATIONAL POETRY & PROSE COMPETITION 2014

You are invited to enter this year's SaveAs Writers' Competition! Each year we are increasingly impressed by the quality of the writing that we receive from around the world. Now in its 7th year we hope to make this the best year yet.

Poetry

Poems are welcome on any subject
Maximum 50 lines

Judge
Helen Ivory

Waiting for Bluebeard is Helen Ivory's fourth collection for Bloodaxe Books (May, 2013). She is editor of *Ink Sweat & Tears* and teaches for the University of East Anglia and the Writers' Centre Norwich.

Prose

Short stories may have any theme
Maximum 3000 words

Judge
Amy Sackville

Amy Sackville's debut novel, *The Still Point*, won the John Llewellyn Rhys Prize. Her second novel, *Orkney*, won a Somerset Maugham Award in 2014. Amy teaches Creative Writing at the University of Kent.

There is no limit to the number of entries per person. The deadline for all poetry and prose entries is December 31st 2014. Entries with a post mark of December 31st will be accepted.

Submitted pieces should not have been entered in any previous SaveAs Writers' competition or been placed in the top three in any other competition. Otherwise, previously published entries are accepted. The copyright of each entry remains with the writer but SaveAs Writers reserves the right to publish winning entries on its website.

The judge will see EACH piece – there is no sifting beforehand.

1ST PRIZE
£100

2ND PRIZE
£50

3RD PRIZE
£30

In addition, each winner receives a trophy

How to Enter

Entry fees - £3 per poem/story, £8 for three.

Entries can be either hard copy or electronic. If submitting hard copies please post them to:

Luigi Marchini
Chairman
SaveAs Writers
35 Spillett Close
Faversham
Kent ME13 8QP

Your name must not appear on your hard copies but please include a covering letter with your name, contact details, and title of the pieces submitted

Electronic copies must be sent to saveas@hotmail.co.uk and headed as either 'Poetry' or 'Prose'.

In both cases all monies must be sent to the above address with cheques payable to 'SaveAs Writers'.

The winners will be announced at the Annual Awards Ceremony in March 2015.

Good luck!

LUIGI MARCHINI
<http://www.saveaswriters.co.uk/>