

**Writers' Program**  
**2016 James Kirkwood Prize in Fiction Nominees**

<b>Nominee</b>	<b>Nominating Instructor</b>	<b>Submission</b>	<b>Placement</b>
<b>Marcie Alexander</b>	<b>Adam Prince</b>	<b>"Christmas Eve"</b>	<b>1st Place</b>
Mira Alexander	Ben Loory	"The Comedians' Comedian"	
John Brown	Tony DuShane	<i>Instant Karma</i>	
Allison Cervantes	Linzi Glass	<i>Daughter of the Dark</i>	
Cynthia Chambers	Lynn Hightower	<i>White Coffee</i>	
Benjamin Faulks	Lynn Hightower	"Night Creatures" from <i>The Boatmen</i>	
Kyle Fitzpatrick	Linzi Glass	<i>The Suicide Club</i>	
Ondrea Harr (Ackerman)	Mark Sarvas	<i>Still in Stillwater: A Novel</i>	
Stella Hastie	Wendy Oleson	"The Loan" (used to be "At Sundown")	
Geeta Hemrajani	Lynn Hightower	<i>How Much for that Baby?</i>	
Emily Hunt	Lou Mathews	"To Wonder, To Swim"	
<b>Andrea Imdacha</b>	Robert Eversz	<b><i>Tiberius</i></b>	<b>Semi-finalist</b>
Blair Jockers	Lynn Hightower	<i>Permanence</i> , Chapter Nineteen	
Stacy Lee	Francesca Lia Block	<i>Edge of the Moon</i>	
<b>Keith Leidner</b>	Wendy Oleson	<b>"Touch 'em Up"</b>	<b>3rd Place</b>
Thomas Moore	Lynn Hightower	<i>Running on Red</i>	
Darren Nebesar	Lynn Hightower	<i>Getting Out Alive</i>	
Justin Phillips	Lynn Hightower	<i>Limoncello</i>	
Bob Pickard	Adam Prince	"The Dominator"	
Aatif Rashid	Lou Mathews	"The Moor of the New World"	
Monika Riederle	Nancy Woodruff	<i>Mercy</i>	
<b>Sharilyn Saxton</b>	Anne Sanow	<b>" All the Gold Stars"</b>	<b>2nd Place</b>
Kim Shapiro	Ron Darian	"Mannequin"	
<b>Jessica Shoemaker</b>	Ben Loory	<b>"Screwdriver"</b>	<b>Semi-finalist</b>
<b>Deb Spera</b>	Robert Eversz	<b><i>Alligator</i></b>	<b>Semi-finalist</b>
Sam Stackhouse	Mark Sarvas	<i>The 84th Problem</i>	
Alexandra Stewart	Tony DuShane	<i>Private Ida</i>	
Michael Sudmeier	Nancy Woodruff	<i>Powhida County</i>	
Aurelie Thiele	Lynn Hightower	<i>Stacatto</i>	