

CUESTA COLLEGE WRITERS' CONFERENCE

Lillian Dean First Page Writing Competition

The Lillian Dean First Page Writing Competition is named in honor of the founding director of the Writers' Conference at Cuesta College. Lillian Dean guided the annual event through its early, formative years from 1984 to 1992. Her leadership and vision have made the conference a success from the very beginning.

The competition was held for the first time in 2004, marking the conference's 20th anniversary serving writers on the Central Coast and throughout California. Atascadero author Anne Schroeder coordinated the 2004 and 2005 competitions.

2005 Winners

Non-Fiction

First Place Paul Alan Fahey, Nipomo
Second Place Dawn Cerf, San Luis Obispo

Novel

First Place Frederick R. Andresen, Corona Del Mar
Second Place Frederick R. Andresen, Corona Del Mar
Third Place Stephen J. Tomasi, Bakersfield

Short Story

First Place Thomas Mooney, San Pedro
Second Place (tie) Paul Alan Fahey, Nipomo
Second Place (tie) Susan Tuttle, Arroyo Grande

Children/Young Adult

First Place Marylou McCaffrey, Fresno
Second Place Colette Joyce, San Luis Obispo
Third Place Stephen J. Tomasi, Bakersfield

Poetry

First Place Karraine Murray, Los Angeles
Second Place Colette Joyce, San Luis Obispo

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2004 Winners

Non-Fiction

First Place Cathy Boggs, Santa Barbara
Second Place Susan E. McKee, San Luis Obispo

Novel

First Place Grant D. Farley, San Pedro
Second Place Grant D. Farley, San Pedro
Third Place McKenzie Moss, Carmel

Short Story

First Place Darrylin Gladstone, San Luis Obispo
Second Place Darrylin Gladstone, San Luis Obispo
Third Place McKenzie Moss, Carmel

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