

Top Ranked Journals of 2024

Below are lists of top ranked journals in poetry, fiction, and creative nonfiction. These rankings come from the annual [Clifford Garstang](#) List (to read on how Garstang creates his list, go [HERE](#)). We've listed 15 journals in each category that are both the highest ranked and currently open to submissions. Use this resource as a tool for our **SUBMIT 1 Submission drive & Fundraiser** on Saturday, September 14th (Links to submission guidelines are embedded in each journal title).

How to Participate on September 14th:

- Use the list below to find editors and journals to submit your work to
- Join us at a local meetup or online to submit your work as a community
- Tag us @womenwwhosubmit and use the hashtag #SUBMIT1 to share when you've submitted
- Log your submission with [THIS FORM](#)
- Donate to our [SUBMIT 1 Fundraiser](#), or share the link with a friend, to help more writers submit!

Poetry

Rank	Journal	Open Reading Period
1	American Poetry Review	Deadline unspecified
2	Poetry	Opens September 15th
3	Kenyon Review	9/1-9/30
6	New England Review	9/1-11/1
8	Southern Review	9/1-1/1
9	Ploughshares	6/1-1/15
10	The Yale Review	9/1-9/30
11	Smartish Pace	Deadline unspecified

12	Agni	9/1-5/31
12	Rattle	Deadline unspecified
15	Copper Nickel	8/15-12/15
15	Georgia Review	8/16-5/14
17	Adroit	Deadline unspecified
18	New Ohio Review	8/15-11/15
19	Iowa Review	8/1-11/1

Fiction

Rank	Journal	Open Reading Period
2	Ploughshares	6/1-1/15
6	Narrative	Year-round
8	Southern Review	9/1-1/1
9	Missouri Review	Year-round
10	Noon *	Deadline unspecified
11	Kenyon Review	9/1-9/30
12	New England Review	9/1-11/1
14	The Sun	Deadline unspecified
15	Idaho Review	9/8-11/15
15	The Yale Review	9/1-9/30
18	McSweeney's *	Deadline unspecified
19	American Short Fiction	September-December
21	Cincinnati Review	September

23	The Iowa Review	8/1-11/1
24	Zyzzyva *	Deadline unspecified

* Only accepts submissions by ground mail

Creative Nonfiction

Rank	Journal	Open Reading Period
1	The Sun	Deadline unspecified
2	Georgia Review	8/16-5/14
3	Granta	September
7	Creative Nonfiction	Year-round
8	Agni	9/1-5/31
9	Ploughshares	6/1-1/15
9	River Teeth	9/1-12/1
13	n+1	Deadline unspecified
13	Narrative	Year-round
13	New England Review	9/1-11/1
16	Fourth Genre	8/30-11/30
19	Chicago Quarterly	Deadline unspecified
21	Longreads	Deadline unspecified
24	The Point	Deadline unspecified
25	The American Scholar	Deadline unspecified