OXFORD BOOKSTORE

Book Cover Prize

Name of the Book:

Published on (MM/YY):

Size/Format:

Nationality (**only Indian nationals can apply**):

Name of the Designer:

Contact Details:

Name of the Publisher:

Name of the Imprint (if any):

Contact Details:

Name of the Author:

Contact Details:

Was any part of the submitted book cover created, generated, enhanced, edited, or assisted using Artificial Intelligence (AI) tools?

☐ No
☐ Yes

If yes, please provide detailed information, including:

1. The name(s) of the AI tool(s) used
2. Which elements of the cover were created or modified using AI (illustration, typography, layout, background, image enhancement, colour correction, concept development, etc.).
3. The extent of AI involvement in the final design (approximately what percentage of the final cover was AI-assisted).
4. Any additional information the jury should consider when evaluating the submission.

No. of Entries :

Contact Person :
Designation :
Postal Address :
City :
Pin Code :

Phone No :
Mobile No :
Email ID :
Website :

Submission details and eligibility criteria:

1. Last Date for submission of entries/covers is Thursday, 5th November 2026.
2. **Book Covers by designers of only Indian origin are eligible to apply.**
3. **Books released between 1st April 2025 and 31st March 2026 will be considered for this award**.
4. **Only books published in India are eligible**.
5. Send your nominations duly filled along with a high-resolution image of the front cover, the spine and the back cover via email as an attachment or as a WeTransfer download link.
6. Submissions will be taken in electronic format, and should be sent by email to oxfordbookstorebookcoverprize@gmail.com and cc ritleenasen@apeejaygroup.com; sancharig@apeejaygroup.com
7. One copy of the book under consideration should be submitted at

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Nomination- Oxford Bookstore Book Cover Prize 2027

C/O Oxford Bookstore,

Apeejay House, Block C,

2nd Floor, 15 Park Street, Kolkata 700016

8. Submissions can be made by:
    a) Publishers - a maximum of three books per publisher per publishing imprint. In case of multiple entries, please specify in the form.
    b) Solo Designers - one entry each.
9. No changes or request for change of name will be entertained once the form is submitted.
10. Each nomination that makes it to the longlist is required to submit 7 copies of the title to the same address as mentioned above within one week of the Longlist announcement.
11. Please note that the prize money and award is entitled to the nominated designer only. However, through announcements, we will also acknowledge the publisher & author.
12. We encourage publishers, designer & authors to participate in the promotional initiatives of the award once the longlist, shortlist & winner is announced.
13. Nominations that do not adhere to the above guidelines & timelines will be disqualified.

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