

SCWA 2022

Annual Writers' Conference

FAQs

What about Covid?

Masks will not be enforced at the conference, but you are welcome to protect yourself in this way if you wish. We encourage vaccination and testing before entry, but are not requiring it.

How long are critique sessions?

Each writer meets for 15 minutes with the assigned critique provider. Work submitted ahead of time means the critique provider will have reviewed the material and provided written notes in addition to the 15 minute chat.

How long are agent pitch sessions?

Each writer meets for 15 minutes with the assigned agent to share her query and make your pitch.

Is my registration fee refundable if I decide to cancel?

Registration fees are fully refundable up to 14 days before the event.

I am an author. Can I bring and sell my books?

You should indicate on your registration that you might want to exhibit. Though space is extremely limited in our venue, depending on interest, we are looking for an area to accommodate authors.

Will there be agents and publishers in attendance?

Yes, we have invited agents to participate. We have publishers attending as panelists, critique reviewers, and exhibitors.

I am not a published author. Should I attend?

Yes! The workshops and panels are built to help writers of all experience and abilities learn about the industry, the craft, and the opportunities for a writing life in South Carolina.

Is any of the conference registration fee tax deductible?

Yes, a portion of the fee is eligible as a tax deductible charitable donation. Receipts will be issued upon request after the conference.