



## Presenter Application for Write on Bowen 2010

Due Date: Friday, January 29, 2010- Email to [admin@biac.ca](mailto:admin@biac.ca)

Please complete the **Presenter Application Form** on the following page if you would like to participate as a presenter in **Write On Bowen 2010** from July 2 to 4, 2010. A presenter is defined as anyone who will be a featured **reader, workshop facilitator, or panel participant**.

### Workshop and Panel Topics

All workshops and panel presentations in the Festival should relate in some way to the writing process. Priority will be given to workshops that are **interactive** and provide participants with opportunities to **write and share**.

Suitable topics for workshops and panels include but are not limited to writing poetry, novels, or short stories, writing genre fiction, writing for children/teens, freelance writing, business writing, making a living from writing, screenwriting, song writing, playwriting, writing for the Internet, blogging, inspirational writing, writing self-help books, how to blast writer's block, self-publishing, traditional publishing, marketing and promoting writing, the role of the writer and reader, and storytelling.

Workshop facilitators will be paid an honorarium and panelists will be provided with free registration as space allows for workshops held on the day of the panel. Readers will not be compensated; however, they are welcome to have their books for sale during the Festival.

### Festival Format

- **Friday, July 2:** Opening Night at **Bowen Lodge by the Sea** will feature readings by a special guest
- **Saturday, July 3** and **Sunday, July 4:** All workshops and panel presentations will be held at **Bowen Lodge by the Sea**
- **Saturday, July 3:** Gala Celebration at the **Gallery@Artisan Square** featuring readings and performances by local writers

# PRESENTER APPLICATION FORM

Please complete the application form and email it to [admin@biac.ca](mailto:admin@biac.ca) by **Friday, January 29, 2010**. You can also print the form and drop off the completed form at the Gallery @ Artisan Square.

## Contact Information

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| Name           |  |
| Address        |  |
| Home Phone     |  |
| Work Phone     |  |
| E-Mail Address |  |

## Event(s)

What level of participation interests you (check more than one if you wish)?

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| <input type="checkbox"/> | Workshop Facilitator (2 hour interactive workshop sessions) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Panelist  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Reading   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Storytelling  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Question/Answer Session                                     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Performance   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Other (Please specify): _____                               |

## Description of Presentation/Participation

Summarize how you would like to be involved in the Festival as a presenter. For example, you could describe a workshop you would like to give, the type of expertise you would like to share on a panel discussion, or a reading you would like to present. Please also describe the target audience for your presentation (e.g., young writers, children, people interested in freelance writing, people interested in poetry, etc.). Attach another sheet if you wish.

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## Presenter Biography

Please write a short biography (50 to 100 words) of your experience as a writer/presenter that we can use in the Festival brochure.

For more information, contact Carol Cram at [carolcram@gmail.com](mailto:carolcram@gmail.com) or Jacqueline Massey at [admin@biac.ca](mailto:admin@biac.ca). You can also call Carol at 778 997 9408.

Thank you for your interest in the *Write on Bowen!*

## Festival Volunteers

Note that you don't need to fill out the Presenter Application if you are interested in helping to organize the Festival and/or in volunteering to help run the Festival. To lend a hand, please contact Carol Cram at [carolcram@gmail.com](mailto:carolcram@gmail.com) or Jacqueline Massey at [admin@biac.ca](mailto:admin@biac.ca).

Presented by the Bowen Island Arts Council

