

# 2010 RITA AWARD ENTRY FORM

## PART I — ENTRANT

Check here if non-RWA member: \_\_\_\_\_

Member #: \_\_\_\_\_ Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Pseudonym for this work: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Daytime Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

## PART II — INFORMATION ABOUT WRITING PARTNER

Check here if non-RWA member: \_\_\_\_\_

Member #: \_\_\_\_\_ Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Pseudonym for this work: \_\_\_\_\_

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## PART III — ENTRY

Submission Category: \_\_\_\_\_

(Consult official category descriptions before selecting category. If your first category is cancelled, you will be given the opportunity to select a secondary category [entry must meet category requirements] or request a refund of your entry fee.)

Book Title: \_\_\_\_\_

ISBN #: \_\_\_\_\_ Word Count: \_\_\_\_\_

Publisher: \_\_\_\_\_ Line/Imprint: \_\_\_\_\_

Editor(s): \_\_\_\_\_

This book is eligible for the **BEST FIRST BOOK** category     Send my preliminary round scores

## PART IV — CONTESTANT AGREEMENT

I/we, as author(s) or nominator, certify that I/we have reviewed and understand the rules of entry. I/we further certify that the entry is eligible to be entered in the RITA competition as it meets each of the following criteria: Be a work of original fictional narrative prose. Have an original copyright date of 2009 (During the 2010 transitional contest year those books with BOTH a 2008 original copyright date and a 2009 North American printing date or 2009 first printing date may be entered.) Not have been previously entered. Be submitted in print book format, complete with copyright page, produced by the publisher, with perfect or case binding and printing on both sides of the page. Text and formatting must be identical to published version. Be published by a non-Subsidy/non-Vanity publisher. Be in English language editions. Meet the requirements for the category in which it was entered. I specifically agree to give RWA, as a condition to entering the contest, permission to use my name, photo (if provided), and book title for promotional purposes.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

## PART V — PAYMENT (Please send form & payment separate from books.)

Entry fee for members is \$40; entry fee for non-members is \$80. All collaborators must be members to use member price. Contest entry is available for books published by **Eligible Publishers starting September 21; for books published by non-Subsidy/non-Vanity Publishers, contest entry begins October 12.** Entry form and fee must be received on or before **5 p.m. Central Time December 1, 2009.** Send to RWA, attn: RITA Contest, 14615 Benfer Rd., Houston, TX 77069. Or, fax to 832-717-5201. **Members may enter online at [www.rwanational.org](http://www.rwanational.org).**

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