



2022 Banff Mountain Book Competition Category Finalists

Mountain Literature (non-fiction) – The Jon Whyte Award

\$2500 - Sponsored by The Whyte Museum of the Canadian Rockies

Edward Feuz Jr.: A Story of Enchantment

D. L. Stephen, Rocky Mountain Books (Canada, 2021)

Imaginary Peaks: The Riesenstein Hoax and Other Mountain Dreams

Katie Ives, Mountaineers Books (USA, 2021)

The Mountain Path

Paul Pritchard, Vertebrate Publishing (UK, 2021)

The Fox of Glencoe

Hamish MacInnes, Scottish Mountaineering Press (UK, 2021)

Valley of Giants: Stories from Women at the Heart of Yosemite Climbing

Lauren DeLaunay Miller, Mountaineers Books (USA, 2022)

Mountain Fiction & Poetry

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Fossil

Siddharth Pandey, A Published Event (Australia, 2021)

A Path of Shadows

John Porter, Little Peak Press (UK, 2022)

Native Air

Jonathan Howland, Green Writers Press (USA, 2022)



Environmental Literature

\$2500 – Sponsored by Canadian Mountain Network

Northern Light: Power, Land, and the Memory of Water

Kazim Ali, Milkweed Editions (USA, 2022), Goose Lane Editions (Canada, 2022)

Tree Thieves: Crime and Survival in North America's Woods

Lyndsie Bourgon, Greystone Books (Canada, 2022)

The Environmentalist's Dilemma: Promise and Peril in an Age of Climate Crisis

Arno Kopecky, ECW Press (Canada, 2021)

Adventure Travel

\$2500 – Sponsored by Rocky Mountain Books

A Year in the Woods: Twelve Small Journeys into Nature

Torbjørn Ekelund, Greystone Books (Canada, 2021)

Lost in the Valley of Death

Harley Rustad, Penguin Random House Canada (Canada, 2022)

The Farthest Shore

Alex Roddie, Vertebrate Publishing (UK, 2021)

Windswept: Walking in the Paths of Trailblazing Women

Annabel Abbs, Tin House (USA, 2021)



Mountain Image

\$2500 – Sponsored by Mountain Life

Above

Thomas Crauwels, Thomas Crauwels Fine Alpine Photography (Switzerland, 2021)

Forest for the Trees: The Tree Planters

Rita Leistner, Dewi Lewis Publishing (UK, 2021)

Overexposure: A Story about a Skier

Chad Sayers, Rocky Mountain Books (Canada, 2021)

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Javier Corso and Alex Rodal, Oak Stories (Spain, 2021)

There and Back: Photographs from the Edge

Jimmy Chin, Ten Speed Press (USA, 2021)

Guidebooks

\$2500 – Sponsored by the Association of Canadian Mountain Guides

Classic Cascade Climbs: Select Routes in Washington State

Jim Nelson, Tom Sjolseth and David Whitelaw, Mountaineers Books (USA, 2021)

Peak Bagging Wainwrights

Karen Parker, Vertebrate Publishing (UK, 2021)

The Alberta Bouldering Guide

Ian Holms, Analog Art House (Canada, 2022)

The Packraft Handbook

Luc Mehl, Mountaineers Books (USA, 2022)



Mountain Article

\$2500 – Sponsored by Fjällräven

In Search of the Light

Leigh Ann Henion, *Washington Post Magazine* (USA, September 2021)

Lost Souls

Michael Wejchert, *Outside Inc.* (USA, September 2022)

The Girl in the Gully

Astra Lincoln, *Climbing Magazine* (USA, September 2022)

The Hardest Climb

Eva Holland, *Maclean's Magazine* (Canada, May 2022)

Climbing Literature

\$2500 – Sponsored by MEC

Books whose primary focus is on climbing from the categories above are eligible for this award. Winner will be announced in mid-October.

Grand Prize

\$5000 – Sponsored by the Alpine Club of Canada

The shortlist of category award winners eligible for the Grand Prize will be announced in mid-October.

2022 Banff Mountain Competition category award winners will be announced in October and presentations will be part of our virtual festival October 29 – November 6. The Grand Prize will be announced Thursday November 3rd.