

University of New Brunswick
Writer-in-Residence
January 1, 2025, to April 30, 2025

The Department of English at the University of New Brunswick invites applications for the position of Writer-in-Residence for 2025, subject to funding and final budgetary approval.

This in-person position involves:

- working on a creative project in fiction, nonfiction, poetry, drama or other literary genre (50% of the writer in residence's time should be spent on this work)
- giving public readings, lectures and workshops
- being available to meet individually with writers (both UNB students and writers in the larger literary community)
- travelling in New Brunswick for short periods to meet with writers and provide readings and workshops

The projected salary for the position is \$40 000 for four months. If funding from either granting agency is refused, the position may proceed with a smaller salary and/or for a shorter period of time. UNB will cover the cost of travel to Fredericton to take up the position and from Fredericton at the end of the residency, and will also pay for accommodations, food and travel to other regions of New Brunswick. The writer in residence will be responsible for securing and paying for housing in Fredericton.

Applicants should send:

- a literary CV
- samples of work
- a letter of application describing the writing project and any particular public outreach to be undertaken during the residency
- 2 letters of recommendation
- newspaper and magazine reviews if available

The deadline for application is **January 1, 2024**

In accordance with Canadian immigration requirements, this advertisement is directed to Canadian citizens and permanent residents. The University of New Brunswick is committed to the principle of employment equity.

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