

**University of New Brunswick
Writer-in-Residence
January 1 to April 30, 2027**

The Department of English at the University of New Brunswick invites applications for the position of Writer-in-Residence for 2027, subject to funding and final budgetary approval.

This position involves:

- A minimum of 1 week in-person presence in Fredericton to do at least 1 public reading, university class visits, and in-person one-on-one consultations with NB writers and UNB students.
- work on a creative writing project (50% of the writer in residence's time should be spent on this work)
- providing at least 3 online workshops
- being available to meet individually with NB writers and UNB students online via video

The projected salary for the position is \$20,000 for four months. If funding from our granting agencies 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 and from Fredericton.

Applicants should send:

- a literary CV (the applicant should have at least one full-length work published and/or professionally performed)
- samples of work
- a letter of application describing the writing project and any particular public outreach to be undertaken during the residency (eg. a description of workshops to be offered)
- 2 letters of recommendation
- newspaper and magazine reviews if available

The deadline for application is **April 30, 2026**

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.

Please address inquiries or applications to:

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