



Application to Facilitate a Workshop

Due: April 15, 2023

Email to: info@writeonbowen.com

Please complete the Application Form if you are interested in presenting a two-hour, interactive workshop at the **2023 Write On Bowen Festival** on Saturday, September 16 or Sunday, September 17. Eight workshop slots are available.

OVERVIEW

Workshop facilitators will be paid an honorarium and receive lunch on the day of their session. Presenters who come from off island will be reimbursed for a return walk-on ferry fare. Presenters are also welcome to bring books to sell during the Festival. Facilitators should be prepared to work with participants who have a broad range of abilities, levels of experience, and comfort with sharing their work.

WORKSHOP TOPICS

All workshops at Write On Bowen 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.

We are looking for workshops covering a variety of topics, including but not limited to:

- Fiction: novels, short stories, genre fiction, poetry, children's fiction, YA, etc.
- Non-fiction: memoir, journalism, documentary, pod-casting, blogging, travel writing, self-help, etc.
- Other: screen writing, song writing, playwriting, etc.
- Technique: plotting, character development, research, dialogue, etc.
- Process: getting inspired, overcoming writer's block, editing and revising, etc.
- Business of writing: publishing, marketing, finding an agent, querying, etc.

WORKSHOP FORMAT

Eight, two-hour workshops will be presented during the Write On Bowen Festival: two in the morning and two in the afternoon on both Saturday, September 16 and Sunday, September 17.

CRITERIA FOR ACCEPTANCE

Write on Bowen strives to feature a diversity of workshop facilitators from both Bowen Island and off-island. To promote diversity, inclusion, and access, we are committed to providing opportunities for marginalized and equity-deserving communities. Facilitators and presenters who have not been featured in previous years will be given priority.

Presenter Application Form

Please complete the application form and email it to info@writeonbowen.com by April 15, 2023. You can also print the form and drop off the completed form at The Hearth on Bowen Island.

CONTACT INFO

Name	
Address	
Email	
Phone No.	
Website	

DESCRIPTION OF WORKSHOP

Describe the workshop you would like to give. Present a summary of the topics covered, specify the target audience, and describe any interactive components. Include a description of your experience as a workshop facilitator. Preference is given to workshops that include plenty of opportunities for participants to “write on Bowen.” Specify any technical requirements (for example, a projector, flip chart, etc.).

PRESENTER BIOGRAPHY

Please write a short biography (75 to 100 words) of your experience as writer / author/ presenter that we can use on the WOB Festival website for promotional purposes.

For more information, contact Carol Cram at carolcram@gmail.com or Jacqueline Massey at info@writeonbowen.com. You can also call Carol at 778.997.9408.

Thank you for your interest in the Write on Bowen!