

# WINNIPEG PUBLIC LIBRARY WRITER-IN-RESIDENCE

## Nora Decter

OCTOBER 2024 - APRIL 2025



The Writer-in-Residence provides online, phone and in-person consultations with new, emerging, and established writers of all genres. Writing workshops will also be held throughout Nora's tenure.

### How to Submit Your Manuscript

Manuscripts can be sent from October 1, 2024 to March 15, 2025. The program is open to Manitobans only.

#### There are three ways to submit:

1. Email your submission to [wpl.writerinres@gmail.com](mailto:wpl.writerinres@gmail.com)
2. Drop off a copy at the Reader Services desk at Millennium Library
3. Mail a copy to:



Writer-in-Residence  
c/o Millennium Library, Reader Services  
251 Donald Street, Winnipeg, MB R3C 3P5

#### Manuscript submissions must follow these guidelines:

- Typed in 12-point font
- Prose is to be double-spaced, no more than 15 pages
- Poetry is to be single-spaced, no more than six poems

#### Include a cover letter with:

- A brief description of your writing background
- Any specific feedback you would like
- All contact information including an email address

\* Printed submissions must be copies as they will not be returned.

Nora will contact writers directly to follow up.  
The Writer-in-Residence service is free.

**Nora Decter** is a writer and educator living on Treaty 1 Territory. After growing up in the North End of Winnipeg, she studied writing at York University and Stony Brook University before returning home as an instructor at the University of Winnipeg. Nora is the author of the young adult novel *How Far We Go and How Fast*, winner of the 2019 Kobo Emerging Writer Prize in literary fiction. *What's Not Mine*, her debut adult novel, is a darkly funny exploration of addiction and inheritance against the backdrop of the fentanyl crisis.



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