***Penumbra* Prose Creative Writing Competition**

**Fall 2020 Application**

ABOUT THIS CONTEST:

*Penumbra Literary and Art Journal* welcomes entries to their Fall 2020 Prose Creative Writing Competition from ALL current Stan State students. All prose (fiction, non-fiction, hybrid literature) is acceptable.

The top SIX winners of this contest will receive a $100 e-gift card and a seat in the competitive workshop run by the prose judge, Nancy Au. The workshop winners MUST be willing and able to attend the workshop, which will be held Saturday, November 14, 2020 from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m. (via Zoom).

The top ONE winner of this prose contest will, in addition to the other prizes, win a guaranteed publication in *Penumbra*’s Spring 2021 Print Journal.

ABOUT THE JUDGE:

**NANCY AU** is the winner of *The Vestal Review*’s 2018 VERA flash fiction prize, author of *Spider Love Songs and Other Stories*, and longlisted for the 2020 Pen/Robert W. Bingham Award.

SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS:

* **The MAX total word count per submitter is 2,500 words**, whether in the form of one fiction piece or several flash fiction pieces.
* Please Fill out the Application form on the following page and **email both this application and your submission to** **Penumbra@csustan.edu** **for consideration**. (Use subject line “Prose Contest Submission.”)
* **All submissions must be sent in by Friday, October 23, 2020 at 11:59 p.m.** in order to be considered for this contest. Late submissions will not be accepted.

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**Last Name            First Name         M.I.**                **Warrior ID**

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**Major**                      **Minor (if applicable)**

**Current Ranking/Status: (check or highlight)**

◻ Undergraduate     ◻ Graduate     ◻ Credential Program    ◻ Other: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Please List the Last Five Prose Books You Have Read:**

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**If chosen, what would you like to learn from the prose workshop?**

**Please attach writing sample(s) to this application.**