

SUBMISSION GUIDELINES, VOICECATCHER 2007

Our guidelines vary depending on the genre. Genre specific guidelines as follows:

- **Poetry:** Please submit no less than 2 and no more than 5 poems for consideration. Longer poems should not exceed 6 pages. Poems should be single-spaced.
- **Short Story, Essay, Creative Non-fiction, Memoir, Other Long-form Prose:** Please submit no more than 3 pieces. No one piece should exceed 3,500 words. Prose should be double-spaced.

If submitting in both poetry and prose, please do not submit more than 5 pieces total. We specifically do not accept pornography or works that utilize hate speech.

Your submission packet should include the following elements: A cover letter, **THREE copies** of each piece of writing, and a self-addressed stamped envelope (SASE).

1) Your cover letter should include, but is not limited to:

- Introduction.
- Short synopsis of why you feel drawn to contribute to our publication.
- Your contact information, including mailing address, email, and phone.

2) Your manuscript(s):

- Should be 12-point font with paragraphs indented and one-inch margins.
- Must include the page number, title, word count, and author's last name on each page of THREE copies of each manuscript.
- **DEADLINE: Work must be postmarked by April 4, 2007**

Additional info:

- We will confirm receipt of your manuscript(s). We will not return manuscripts.
- Simultaneous submissions are accepted.
- Manuscripts not accepted for publication receive a personalized response from our editors.

Questions, contact VoiceCatcher at editors@pdxwomenwriters.com

Send submission to:

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