

LVA 25th LITERARY AWARDS NOMINEES

FICTION

Author's Name	2nd Author	Title	Publisher
Barnes, W. Jeff		Mingo	Little Star
Bhide, Monica		The Soul Catcher	Bodes Well Publishing
Bice, Judith Shearon		Hey, White Girl	Atmosphere Press
Champaneri, Priyanka		The City of Good Death	Restless Books
Copenhaver, John		The Savage Kind	Pegasus Books
Cosby, S.A.		Razorblade Tears: A Novel	Flatiron Books
Crosby, Ellen		The French Paradox	Severn House
Fliess, Sue		Goldilocks and the Three Engineers	Albert Whitman & Company
Garstang, Clifford		Oliver's Travels	Regal House Publishing
Habeeb, William Mark		Venice Beach	Rootstock Publishing
Helms, Judith Fournie		Grudge Tiger	Touch Point Press

Johnson, Jocelyn Nicole		My Monticello: Fiction	Henry Holt and Company
Johnson, Sadeqa		Yellow Wife	Simon & Schuster, Inc.
Kaplan, Mitchell James		Rhapsody	Simon & Schuster, Inc.
Khoury, Angel		Between Tides	Dzanc Books
Laskowski, Tara		The Mother Next Door	Graydon House Books
Lawson, B.V.		Deadly Dance	Crimetime Press
Meltzer, Jean		The Matzah Ball	MIRA Books
Meredith, Candace M.		Stolen	Impspired
Miley, Mary		The Mystic's Accomplice	Severn House
Owen, Howard		Jordan's Branch	Permanent Press
Pearson, Joanna		Now You Know It All	University of Pittsburgh Press
Reynolds, Sheri		The Tender Grave	Bywater Books
Robbins, David		Isaac's Beacon	Wicked Son Post Hill Press

Rogers, Steven		Into the Room	Elk Lake Publishing, Inc.
Roy, Lucinda		The Freedom Race	Tom Doherty Associates
Salih, Zak		Let's Get Back to the Party	Hachette Book Group
Sealy, Jon		The Merciful	Haywire Books
Skye, Hunter		A Shiver of Shadows	The Wild Rose Press
Sparks, K.T.		Four Dead Horses	Regal House Publishing
Stott, Michael J.		Too Much Loft	Book Baby
Tanner, Sandra		Six Good Ones	Self-Published
Taylor, Liza Nash		In All Good Faith	Blackstone Publishing
van Erden, Jessie		Call It Horses	Dzanc Books
Weiss, Leah		All the Little Hopes: A Novel	Sourcebooks Landmark
Wendel, Tim		Escape from Castro's Cuba: A Novel	University of Nebraska Press
Whitehurst, Liz Keller		Messenger	Warren Publishing

Willis, J. Stewart		Requiem for Geraldine Gerbil	Bair Ink Books
Zahar, Whitney		The Safe Room	Quill and Lantern Publishing
NONFICTION			
Author's Name	2nd Author	Title	Publisher
Abel, Emily K.	Nelson, Margaret K.	Limited Choices: Mable Jones, a Black Children's Nurse in a Northern White Household	University of Virginia Press
Ali, Christopher		Farm Fresh Broadband: The Politics of Rural Connectivity	Michigan Institute of Technology Press
Amar, Akhil Reed		The Words That Made Us	Basic Books
Baab-Muguirra, Catherine		Poe for Your Problems: Uncommon Advice from History's Least Likely Self-Help Guru	Running Press
Bowman, Rex	Santos, Carlos	Almost Hemingway: The Adventures of Negley Farson, Foreign Correspondent	University of Virginia Press
Catte, Elizabeth		Pure America: Eugenics and the Making of Modern Virginia	Belt Publishing
Choi, Nell		My Hospital Story	Balboa Press
Couric, Katie		Going There	Little, Brown and Company
Cox, John Woodrow		Children Under Fire	HarperCollins (Ecco)

Cushman, Stephen		The Generals' Civil War: What Their Memoirs Can Teach Us Today	University of North Carolina Press
Dayney, Danielle		When Love Sticks Around	Belle Isle Books
Eastman, Carolyn		The Strange Genius of Mr. O: The World of the United States' First Forgotten Celebrity	University of North Carolina Press/Omohundro Institute of Early American History and Culture
Eder, Mari K.		The Girls Who Stepped Out of Line: Untold Stories of the Women Who Changed the Course of World War II	Sourcebooks
Edwards, Justene Hill		Unfree Markets: The Slaves' Economy and the Rise of Capitalism in South Carolina	Columbia University Press
Epperson, Jerry		Falling Forward	Self-Published
Gaustad, Joan Loren		Someone's Missing... and I Think It's Me	Virginia Commonwealth University Libraries
Holden, Vanessa M.		Surviving Southampton: African American Women and Resistance in Nat Turner's Community	University of Illinois Press
Holton, Woody		Liberty is Sweet: The Hidden History of the American Revolution	Simon & Schuster, Inc.
Janney, Caroline E.		Ends of War: The Unfinished Fight of Lee's Army after Appomattox	University of North Carolina Press
Johnson, David		Irreconcilable Founders: Spencer Roane, John Marshall, and the Nature of America's Constitutional Republic	Louisiana State University Press

Kaufman, Andrew		The Gambler Wife: A True Story of Love, Risk, and the Woman Who Saved Dostoyevsky	Riverhead Books / Penguin Random House
Knight, Charles R.		From Arlington to Appomattox: Robert E. Lee's Civil War Day to Day, 1861-1865	Savas Beatie LLC
Milteer Jr., Warren Eugene		Beyond Slavery's Shadow: Free People of Color in the South	University of North Carolina Press
Noyalas, Jonathon A.		Slavery and Freedom in the Shenandoah Valley During the Civil War Era	University of Florida Press
O'Shaughnessy, Andrew J.		The Illimitable Freedom of the Human Mind: Thomas Jefferson's Idea of a University	University of Virginia Press
Pajka, Sharon		Women Writers Buried in Virginia	The History Press
Philbrick, Nathaniel		Travels with George: In Search of Washington and His Legacy	Viking
Ragsdale, Bruce		Washington at the Plow: The Founding Farmer and the Question of Slavery	Harvard University Press
Reeves, John		A Fire in the Wilderness: The First Battle Between Ulysses S. Grant and Robert E. Lee	Pegasus Books
Robb, Chuck		In the Arena: A Memoir of Love, War, and Politics	University of Virginia Press
Rosenthal, Gregory Samantha		Living Queer History: Remembrance and Belonging in a Southern City	University of North Carolina Press

Rothman, Joshua D.		Ledger and the Chain: How the Domestic Slave Trade Shaped America	Basic Books
Seeley, Samantha		Race, Removal, and the Right to Remain: Migration and the Making of the United States	University of North Carolina Press/Omohundro Institute of Early American History and Culture
Subramanian, Sushma		How to Feel: The Science and Meaning of Touch	Columbia University Press
Torres Barden, Julia		Newyorican girl... Surviving my Spanglish Life	Book Baby
Toscano, David		Fighting Political Gridlock: How States Shape Our Nation and Our Lives	University of Virginia Press
White, Gail Jessup		Reclamation: Sally Hemings, Thomas Jefferson, and a Descendant's Search for Her Family's Lasting Legacy	Amistad / HarperCollins
Zelikow, Philip		The Road Less Traveled: The Secret Battle to End the Great War, 1916-1917	PublicAffairs / Hachette Book Group
POETRY			
Author's Name	2nd Author	Title	Publisher
Allen, Lynda		Grace Reflected	Living Heartfully
Badra, Danielle		Like We Still Speak	The University of Arkansas Press
Beasley, Sandra		Made to Explode	W.W. Norton & Company
Bracken, Conor		The Enemy of My Enemy is Me	Diode Editions
Britt, Ray		Lovers Lay	Britt Transportation

Brown, Julie Phillips		The Adjacent Possible	Green Writers Press
Clutterbuck, Wortley (AKA Craig Kurtz)		Unobtainable Cats	Self-Published
Collins, Debbie		He Says I'm Fierce	Finishing Line Press / River City Poets
Dove, Rita		Playlist for the Apocalypse: Poems	W.W. Norton & Company
Dribben, Angela		Everygirl	Main Street Rag
Frank, Rebecca Morgan		Oh You Robot Saints!	Carnegie Mellon University Press
Green, Heather		No Other Rome	University of Akron Press
Hicok, Bob		Red Rover Red Rover	Copper Canyon Press
Jennings, Edison		Intentional Fallacies	Broadstone Books
Krauss, Carol Parris		Just a Spit Down the Road	Kelsay Books
Lee, Joanna		Dissections	Finishing Line Press / River City Poets
Murawski, Elisabeth		Still Life With Timex	Texas Review Press
Murphy, Sean		The Blackened Blues	Finishing Line Press / River City Poets
Nguyen, Susan		Dear Diaspora	University of Nebraska Press
Ottenritter, Nan		Eleanor, Speak	Finishing Line Press / River City Poets

Parker, Tina		Lock Her Up	Accents Publishing
Perry, Nathaniel		Long Rules: An Essay in Verse	The Backwaters Press
Riedel, Michele		Tumbling Lessons	Finishing Line Press / River City Poets
Saunier, Hayden		A Cartography of Home	Terrapin Books
Spaar, Lisa Russ		Madrigalia: New and Selected Poems	Persea Books
Waldrep, G.C.		The Earliest Witnesses	Tupelo Press
Wetherington, Laura		Parallel Resting Places	Parlor Press
Woodcock, Diana		Facing Aridity	Wayfarer Books / Homebound Publications
Yamashiro, Sammi		The Peach Pit Mask: A Poetry Collection	Self-Published