



A WORD FROM THE EDITOR

The Orlando based theater group Phantasmagoria did their Halloween show in Orlando, Deland, and Tampa. This year the whole show was performing works by Edgar Allen Poe, H.G Wells and others.

Officer nominations. Please say something at the next meeting or contact me. It's a fun job, checkit out.

I WAS MENTIONED IN HUGO SPEECH FOR BEING A NICE PERSON!!!

Sorry for a light issue. I wrote an X-Men themed article for *The Drink Tank* and doing a virtual Worldcon.

See you next month.

Events

Creatin Jacksonville

November 3-5
Hyatt Regency Jacksonville Riverfront
225 E. Coastline Drive
Jacksonville, FL

Guests: Jensen Ackles (Sun only, actor)
Jared Padalecki (Sun only, actor)
Mark Sheppard (Sun only, actor)
Mitch Pileggi (Sun only, actor)

And many others
\$250 General Admission for 3 days
www.creationent.com/cal/ce_jax

Anime Iwai: Horizons

November 10-12
Marriott Coral Springs & Convention Center
11775 Heron Blvd
Coral Springs, FL 33076

Guests: Aaron Dismuke (voice actor)
Sarah Wiedenheft (voice actor)

Fri & Sun \$35, Saturday \$40
animeiwai.com

Rangerstop 9

November 10-12
Doubletree by Hilton Orlando at Seaworld
10100 International Drive
Orlando, FL 32821

Guests: Walter Jones (actor)
Austin St. John (actor)
and many others.

\$75 for 3 Days at the door
www.rangerstoporlando.com

Miami Book Fair

November 12-29
Miami-Dade College Wolfson Campus
Guests: Tananarive Due

Karen Lord
Joyce Carol Oates
Mark Oshiro
And many others

Free admission on Friday November 17
\$10 for Saturday and Sunday
www.miamibookfair.com

Anime Town Pensacola

November 17-19
Pensacola Interstate Fair
6655 Mobile Hwy
Pensacola FL 32526

Guests: Kellen Goff (voice actor)
Jessie Flower (voice actor)

And many others
\$60 for the weekend
www.animetownpensacola.com

Lake County Comic Convention

November 19
Trilogy Orlando
100 Falling Acorn Ave
Groveland, FL. 34736

Guests: George Land (comic book artist)
Jessie Flower (voice actor)

And many others
\$10 admission
www.lakecountycomiccon.com



Birthdays

Dave Ratti– Nov. 24



November OASFiS Calendar

OASFiS Business Meeting

Sunday November 12, 1:30PM. This will be at Casselberry Library (Jean Rhein Central Branch Library 215 N. Oxford Road Casselberry, Florida) . Contact Juan for the Zoom info). Come in Join us as we discuss **Hopeland** by Ian McDonald.

To contact for more info:
OASFiS Business Meeting 407-376-7359

Award News

Ignyte Awards

The [2023 Ignyte Awards](#) were announced October 21. The Awards “seek to celebrate the vibrancy and diversity of the current and future landscape of Science Fiction, Fantasy and Horror by recognizing incredible feats in storytelling and outstanding efforts towards inclusivity within the genre.”

BEST NOVEL: ADULT

- *The Blood Trials* – N. E. Davenport (Harper Voyager)

BEST NOVEL: YOUNG ADULT

- *Bloodmarked* – Tracy Deonn (Simon & Schuster Books for Young Readers)

BEST IN MIDDLE GRADE

- *Witchings* – Claribel Ortega (Scholastic Press)

BEST NOVELLA

- *Into the Riverlands* – Nghi Vo (*Tordotcom*)

BEST NOVELETTE

- “If You Find Yourself Talking to God, Address God With the Informal You” – John Chu (*Uncanny Magazine*)

BEST SHORT STORY

- *The Lasy of the Yellow Painted Library* – Tobi Ogundiran (*Tordotcom*)

BEST IN SPECULATIVE POETRY

- “We Smoke Pollution” –Ai Jiang (STAR*LINE)

CRITICS AWARD

- *Nerds of a Feather*

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Any of these people can give readers information about the club and its functions. To be included in the list call Juan.

BEST FICTION PODCAST

- *Black Women Are Scary*

BEST ARTIST

- Aimee Campbell

BEST COMICS TEAM

- *Where Black Stars Rise* –Marie Enger & Nadia Shammas (Tor Nightfire)

BEST ANTHOLOGY/COLLECTED WORKS

- *Reclaim the Stars* – Zoraida Córdova, ed. Featuring works by Vita Ayala, David Bowles, Daniel José Older, J.C. Cervantes, Sara Faring, Romina Garber, Isabel Ibañez, Anna-Marie McLemore, Yamile Saied Méndez, Nina Moreno, Circe Moskowitz, Maya Motayne, Linda Raquel Nieves Pérez, Claribel A. Ortega, Mark Oshiro, Lilliam Rivera and Zoraida Córdova (Wednesday Books)

BEST CREATIVE NONFICTION

- “The H Word: Horror in a Country that Is Not Afraid of Death”– Dante Luiz (*Nightmare Magazine*)

THE EMBER AWARD

- *Afronauts Podcast*

THE COMMUNITY AWARD

- *Flights of Foundry*



The 2023 Hugo Awards

The 2023 Hugo Awards were presented October 21 during a ceremony at the Chengdu Worldcon.

BEST NOVEL

- *Nettle & Bone*, by T. Kingfisher (Tor Books)

BEST NOVELLA

- *Where the Drowned Girls Go*, by Seanan McGuire (Tordotcom)

BEST NOVELETTE

- “The Space-Time Painter”, by Hai Ya (*Galaxy’s Edge*, April 2022)

BEST SHORT STORY

- “Rabbit Test”, by Samantha Mills (*Uncanny Magazine*, November-December 2022)

BEST SERIES

- *Children of Time Series*, by Adrian Tchaikovsky (Pan Macmillan/Orbit)

BEST GRAPHIC STORY OR COMIC

- *Cyberpunk 2077: Big City Dreams*, by Bartosz Szybor, Filipe Andrade, Alessio Fioriniello, Roman Titov, Krzysztof Ostrowski (Dark Horse Books)

BEST RELATED WORK

- *Terry Pratchett: A Life With Footnotes*, by Rob Wilkins (Doubleday)

BEST DRAMATIC PRESENTATION, LONG FORM

- *Everything Everywhere All at Once*, screenplay by Daniel Kwan and Daniel Scheinert, directed by Daniel Kwan and Daniel Sheinert (IAC Films / Gozie AGBO)

BEST DRAMATIC PRESENTATION, SHORT FORM

- *The Expanse: “Babylon’s Ashes”*, written by

Daniel Abraham, Ty Franck, Naren Shankar, directed by Breck Eisner (Alcon Entertainment)

BEST EDITOR, SHORT FORM

- Neil Clarke

BEST EDITOR, LONG FORM

- Lindsey Hall

BEST PROFESSIONAL ARTIST

- Enzhe Zhao

BEST SEMIPROZINE

- *Uncanny Magazine*, publishers and editors-in-chief: Lynne M. Thomas and Michael Damian Thomas; managing/poetry editor Chimedum Ohaegbu; managing editor Monte Lin; nonfiction editor Meg Elison; podcast producers Erika Ensign and Steven Schapansky

BEST FANZINE

- *Zero Gravity Newspaper*, by RiverFlow and Ling Shizhen

BEST FANCAST

- *Hugo, Girl!*, by Haley Zapal, Amy Salley, Lori Anderson, and Kevin Anderson

BEST FAN WRITER

- Chris M. Barkley

BEST FAN ARTIST

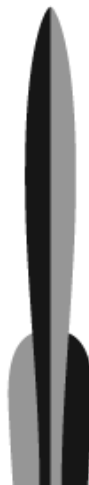
- Richard Man

LODESTAR AWARD FOR BEST YOUNG ADULT BOOK

- *Akata Woman (The Nsibidi Scripts)*, by Nnedi Okorafor (Viking Books for Young Readers)

ASTOUNDING AWARD FOR BEST NEW WRITER

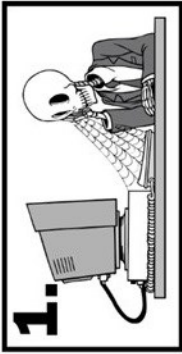
- Travis Baldree



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There are two ways to be a science fiction and fantasy fan in Florida.



1. Read about the exciting fan activities *other* people are doing.

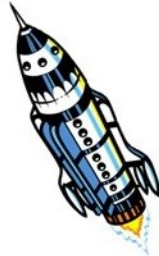


2. Start doing exciting things yourself, and meet new friends "in the flesh" with OASFIS!

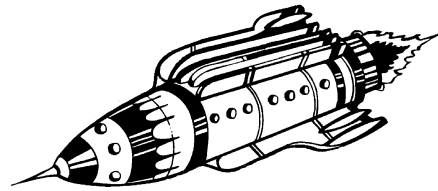


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Besides out monthly meetings, read about our special events and activities on our website! Members can contribute articles, reviews, and original fiction to our newzine *Event Horizon*. We want to hear from you!



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