



**THE MICK DARK WATERMARK FELLOWSHIP FOR  
EMERGING NATURE AND ENVIRONMENTAL WRITERS**

**ENTRY DETAILS**

**Entry Fee**

\$30 – cheque or money order payable to Watermark Literary Society

**Eligibility Criteria**

- Literary merit will be the over-riding criterion
- Publication of a novel length work of fiction or collection of short fiction, memoir or biography or other work of non-fiction
- Publication of a significant extract of a novel-length work or work-in-progress
- Publication of least 3 short stories in major newspapers or literary journals
- Publication of 3 articles of at least 1000 words each in major newspapers or literary journals or collections of essays
- Publication of an individual poetry collection or at least 10 poems in major newspapers or literary journals or anthologies
- 2 long pieces (20 minutes) or 4 short pieces (5 minutes) broadcast by a recognised radio station
- A play workshopped or performed by a recognised theatre company

**Residency and Mentorship**

The Fellowship offers 3 weeks residency in the Camden Haven on the mid north coast of NSW with mentorship from Ian Templeman AM, poet, editor and publisher, and 3 weeks writing residency at Varuna in the Blue Mountains. The two periods may be consecutive, subject to availability of accommodation at Varuna, but must be taken no more than six months apart. The Fellow will be one of the writers invited to attend the 2011 Watermark Muster to read from work completed or in progress. Travel and accommodation will be paid.

Applications must be accompanied by an outline of the work to be undertaken (one double spaced A4 page), an excerpt from a published work (not to exceed 1,000 words); a 300 word piece about yourself and where you live.

**Closing date**

1st March 2010

**Announcement**

9th April 2010

The Camden Haven Residency is available during June or July 2010. The judges' decision is final and no correspondence will be entertained.

**Entries to**

Elaine van Kempen, Administrator Mick Dark Watermark Fellowship  
PO Box 2038, North Haven, NSW 2443  
[elaine@vankempen.id.au](mailto:elaine@vankempen.id.au) Telephone 02 6559 6888

## MICK DARK WATERMARK FELLOWSHIP

Closing Date: March 1st 2010

Post this application to Watermark Fellowship PO Box 2038 NORTH HAVEN NSW 2443 AUSTRALIA

### APPLICANT DETAILS

Title  Mr  Mrs  Ms  Other

First Name Last Name

Cheque/Money Order for \$30 attached

### ABN DETAILS

What is your trading name or professional name?

Do you have an ABN?  Yes  No. Skip rest of this section

Applicant ABN In what legal name is the ABN registered?

### APPLICANT CONTACT DETAILS

Street address:

Suburb/Town: State: Postcode: Country:

Postal address:

Telephone: Work ( ) Home: ( ) Fax: ( )

Mobile: Email: Website address:

### PROJECT PROPOSAL

Are you able to undertake the 3 week residency in the Camden Haven during May, June or July 2010?

Please attach an outline of the proposed work to be undertaken (maximum 1 A4 page double spaced)

Please demonstrate your eligibility by attaching a copy of a published work as set out below (not to exceed 3,000 words) plus a 300 word piece about yourself and the place in which you live.

#### Eligibility Criteria

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