



THE POETRY CENTER
AT PASSAIC COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE
is pleased to announce...

THE 2018 PATERSON POETRY PRIZE WINNER

Jan Beatty, *jackknife: new and selected poems* (University of Pittsburgh Press, Pittsburgh, PA)

Jackknife is a book that secures Jan's place in American literature
as one of the fiercest and bravest poets writing today.

— Maria Mazziotti Gillan

FINALISTS

Cheryl Boyce-Taylor, *Arrival: Poems* (Northwestern University Press, Evanston, IL)

Jim Daniels, *Rowing Inland* (Wayne State University Press, Detroit, MI)

Judy Grahn, *Hanging on Our Own Bones* (Red Hen Press, Pasadena, CA)

Nicole Homer, *Pecking Order* (Write Bloody Publishing, Los Angeles, CA)

Christine Kitano, *Sky Country* (BOA Editions, Ltd., Rochester, NY)

Meghan O'Rourke, *Sun in Days* (W. W. Norton & Co., New York, NY)

Benjamin Alire Sáenz, *The Last Cigarette on Earth* (Cinco Puntos Press, El Paso, TX)

Cindy Veach, *Gloved Against Blood* (CavanKerry Press, Fort Lee, NJ)

The Paterson Poetry Prize of \$1,000 is given annually by the Poetry Center
to a book of poetry (48 pages or more) published in the previous year.

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For 2019 award rules and application forms, visit www.poetrycenterpccc.com/awards/.
Any questions, write to sdesai@pccc.edu.



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