2021 IAN Book of the Year Award Judges

B. Bateman: Non-Fiction blogger and reviewer since 2012.

Heather MacKenny: A retired literary agent.

Melissa Kent: Rarely seen without a book since 1978.

Rita Cole: Blogging and reviewing Women’s Fiction and Romance since 2014.

Alex Reitman: A Sci-fi, Fantasy, and Horror fanatic.

Beverly Clark: A retired teacher with a passion for reading. More than 750 reviews posted to Amazon.

Janet Whiteside: Retired librarian and lifelong bookworm.

Wilson Richardson: Former reviewer at Reader’s Choice Reviews.

Sheila Jameson: Former reviewer for AmericanChronicle.com 2002-2012

Amanda Hammer: Book blogger and Amazon reviewer since 2009.

Cindy Demeda: Her hunt for good Historical reads ended when she began book blogging in 2013.

Ron Halliday: Won’t touch a Kindle...enjoys history, adventure, and mystery or anything that hooks his interest early.


Carrie Torbett: Can’t get enough coffee, chocolate, and books.

John Bixby: Former reviewer at Reader’s Choice Reviews.

Amaya S.: Reads/reviews more than 80 books a year.

Lee Webster: Former reviewer at Reader’s Choice Reviews.

Jas Dhaliwal: Book blogger and reviewer since 2015.

Robert Michael Hodges: RMH is a relentless reader of sci-fi and fantasy.

Nancy Morgan-Bell: Former book reviewer at Rebecca’s Reads and TCM Reviews.

Kelly Cooper: “A book a day keeps old-age away!”—K. Cooper.

Meghan Rae: An aspiring author and seventh-year IAN contest judge.

Brandi Thompson: Over 1,800 reviews posted to Goodreads and Amazon under a pseudonym.

Taylor Halterman: A busy Mom of three but reading, reviewing is her downtime.

Carley Hayes: Excited to be an IAN Contest judge after 10 years of book blogging and reviewing with numerous blogs and review sites.

Brooklyn Bradshaw: Romance and Women’s Fiction blogger and reviewer since 2015.