

Subject: Call for Submissions Announcement!

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Exclusive Submissions Notice!



*As a member of the Flame Tree Fiction newsletter, you benefit from **early notice** about upcoming submission periods for our **Gothic Fantasy short story collections!***

*This gives you a bit of extra time to work on new stories or edit something you have hidden away. We will be opening our next submissions between the **22nd February and 14th March 2021!***

The theme is:

Chilling Crime

We've looked at cozy crime and detective thrillers now its time to turn to the darker side, the cold cases, the grim murders, the desperate villains, and the race against time to solve the crime. We're seeking up to 20 new stories to join

our powerful collection of Chilling Crime Short Stories, new and classic tales reaching back into ancient, medieval, Elizabethan and Victorian fiction: from Oedipus Rex to Medea, Thomas More's story of the Princes in the Tower, Scheherazade's "The Three Apples" and the chilling crime fiction of Dickens, Poe, Henry James, Baroness Orczy and Wilkie Collins.

Guidelines:

- Submission window is between **Monday 22nd February – Sunday 14th March**
- Word length is most likely to be successful at **2000-4000 words**, but we will still read stories slightly outside this range
- Full submission details, including the recipient's email address, will be announced on our blog [here](#) on the 22nd February.

Terms:

- We do not require exclusivity
 - Let us know in your submission email if your story is a reprint
 - Simultaneous submissions are fine but you must have the right to license your story in an anthology
 - For accepted stories we pay Science Fiction & Fantasy Writers of America (SFWA) rates of 8 cents/6 pence per word for original stories, 6 cents/4 pence for reprints
 - We will aim to read each story and confirm its status within 4 months of the submission deadline
 - Multiple submissions are fine
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The Flame Tree Gothic Fantasy, Classic Stories and Epic Tales collections bring together the entire range of myth, folklore and modern short fiction. Highlighting the roots of suspense, supernatural, science fiction and mystery stories the books in Flame Tree Collections series are beautifully presented, highly collectable, perfect as a gift and offer a lifetime of reading pleasure.





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