



2018 NITA B KIBBLE LITERARY AWARDS FOR WOMEN WRITERS

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HISTORY OF SHORTLISTED AUTHORS

2018

KIBBLE RECIPIENT

Fiona McFarlane – *The High Places*

KIBBLE SHORTLIST

Maxine Beneba Clarke – *The Hate Race*

Michelle de Kretser – *The Life to Come*

Helen Garner – *Everywhere I Look*

DOBBIE RECIPIENT

Sarah Krasnostein – *The Trauma Cleaner*

DOBBIE SHORTLIST

Madelaine Dickie – *Troppo*

Micheline Lee – *The Healing Party*

2016

KIBBLE RECIPIENT

Fiona Wright – *Small Acts of Disappearance*

KIBBLE SHORTLIST

Elizabeth Harrower – *A Few Days in the
Country: And Other Stories*

Drusilla Modjeska – *Second Half First*

DOBBIE RECIPIENT

Lucy Treloar – *Salt Creek*

DOBBIE SHORTLIST

Shirley Barrett – *Rush Oh!*

Magda Szubanski – *Reckoning: A Memoir*

2015

KIBBLE RECIPIENT

Joan London – *The Golden Age*

KIBBLE SHORTLIST

Sophie Cunningham – *Warning: The Story of
Cyclone Tracy*

Helen Garner – *This House of Grief*

DOBBIE RECIPIENT

Ellen van Neerven – *Heat and Light*

DOBBIE SHORTLIST

Emily Bitto – *The Strays*

Christine Piper – *After Darkness*

2014

KIBBLE RECIPIENT

Kristina Olsson – *Boy Lost: A Family Memoir*

KIBBLE SHORTLIST

Debra Adelaide – *Letter to George Clooney*

Melissa Lucashenko – *Mullumbimby*

DOBBIE RECIPIENT

Kate Richards – *Madness: A Memoir*

DOBBIE SHORTLIST

Fiona McFarlane – *The Night Guest*

Jill Stark – *High Sobriety: My Year Without
Booze*

2013

KIBBLE RECIPIENT

Anna Faulkner – *The Beloved*

KIBBLE SHORTLIST

Michelle de Kretser – *Questions of Travel*

Cate Kennedy – *Like a House on Fire*

DOBBIE RECIPIENT

Lily Chan – *Toyo: A Memoir*

DOBBIE SHORTLIST

Romy Ash – *Floundering*

Courtney Collins – *The Burial*

2012

KIBBLE RECIPIENT

Gail Jones – *Five Bells*

KIBBLE SHORTLIST

Gillian Mears – *Foal's Bread*

Charlotte Wood – *Animal People*

DOBBIE RECIPIENT

Favel Parrett – *Past the Shallows*

DOBBIE SHORTLIST

Amy T. Matthews – *End of the Night Girl*

Leah Swann – *Bearings*

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2011

KIBBLE RECIPIENT

Brenda Walker – *Reading by Moonlight*

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Delia Falconer – *Sydney*

Annette Stewart – *Barbara Hanrahan: A Biography*

DOBBIE RECIPIENT

Kristel Thornell – *Night Street*

DOBBIE SHORTLIST

Lara Fergus – *My Sister Chaos*

G.L. Osborne – *Come Inside*

2010

KIBBLE RECIPIENT

Shirley Walker – *The Ghost at the Wedding*

KIBBLE SHORTLIST

Josephine Emery – *The Real Possibility of Joy*

Kristina Olsson – *The China Garden*

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Debra Forster – *The Book of Emmett*

DOBBIE SHORTLIST

Karen Hitchcock – *Little White Slips*

Robyn Mundy – *The Nature of Ice*

2009

KIBBLE RECIPIENT

Jacqueline Kent – *An Exacting Heart: The Story of Hephzibah Menuhin*

KIBBLE SHORTLIST

Georgia Blain – *Births, Deaths, Marriages*

Kathleen Stewart – *The After Life – a memoir*

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Claire Thomas – *Fugitive Blue*

DOBBIE SHORTLIST

Darleen Bungey – *Arthur Boyd: A Life*

Toni Jordan – *Addition*

2008

KIBBLE RECIPIENT

Carole Lefevre – *Nights in the Asylum*

KIBBLE SHORTLIST

Michelle de Kretser – *Questions of Travel*

Cate Kennedy – *Like a House on Fire*

DOBBIE RECIPIENT

Lily Chan – *Toyo: A Memoir*

DOBBIE SHORTLIST

Romy Ash – *Floundering*

Courtney Collins – *The Burial*

2007

KIBBLE RECIPIENT

Deborah Robertson – *Careless*

KIBBLE SHORTLIST

Inga Clendinnen – *Agamemnon's Kiss*

Kathryn Heyman – *Captain Starlight's Apprentice*

Gail Jones – *Dreams of Speaking*

Sylvia Martin – *Ida Leeson, a Life*

DOBBIE RECIPIENT

Tara June Winch – *Swallow the Air*

DOBBIE SHORTLIST

Susan Duncan – *Salvation Creek*

Ruth Ritchie – *Waterlemon*

2006

KIBBLE RECIPIENT

Brenda Walker – *The Wing of Night*

KIBBLE SHORTLIST

Kate Grenville – *The Secret River*

Heather Rose – *The Butterfly Man*

DOBBIE RECIPIENT

Carrie Tiffany – *Everyman's Rules for Scientific Living*

DOBBIE SHORTLIST

Debra Drake – *An Uncommon Dialogue*

Kate Holden – *In My Skin*

Wendy James – *Out of the Silence*

Mary Ellen Jordan – *Balanda, My year in Arnheim Land*

2005

KIBBLE RECIPIENT

Gay Bilson – *Plenty*

KIBBLE SHORTLIST

Helen Garner – *Joe Cinque's Consolation*

Susan Johnson – *The Broken Book*

DOBBIE RECIPIENT

Paulette Gittins – *The Secret World of Annette Robinson*

DOBBIE SHORTLIST

Sarah Armstrong – *Salt Rain*

Kimberley Starr – *The Kingdom Where Nobody Dies*

2004

KIBBLE RECIPIENT

Fiona Capp – *That Oceanic Feeling*

KIBBLE SHORTLIST

Gail Bell – *Shot*

Anne Summers – *The End of Equality*

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Danielle Wood – *The Alphabet of Light and Dark*

DOBBIE SHORTLIST

Phyllis McDuff – *A Story of Light & Dark*

Heather Tyler – *Asylum: Voices Behind the Razor Wire*

2003

KIBBLE RECIPIENT

Gail Jones – *Black Mirror*

KIBBLE SHORTLIST

Brenda Niall – *The Boyds A Family Biography*

Kate Lyons – *The Water Underneath*

Gaby Naher – *The Truth About My Fathers*

DOBBIE RECIPIENT

Shirley Painter – *The Bean Patch*

DOBBIE SHORTLIST

Rebe Taylor – *Unearthed*

Saskia Beudel – *Borrowed Eyes*

2002

KIBBLE RECIPIENT

Jacqueline Kent – *A Certain Style – Beatrice Davis A Literary Life*

KIBBLE SHORTLIST

Marion Halligan – *The Fog Garden*

Hilary McPhee – *Other People's Words*

DOBBIE RECIPIENT

Julie Marcus – *The Indomitable Miss Pink: A life in Anthropology*

DOBBIE SHORTLIST

Susan Addison – *Mother Lode: Stories of Home Life & Home Death*

2001

KIBBLE RECIPIENT

Inga Clendinnen – *Tiger's Eye: A memoir*

KIBBLE SHORTLIST

Ruth Cracknell – *Journey from Venice*

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Kim Mahood – *Craft for a dry lake*

DOBBIE SHORTLIST

Hsu Ming Teo – *Love and Vertigo*

Mischa Merz – *Bruising*

Elizabeth Stead – *The Fishcastle*

2000

KIBBLE RECIPIENT

Drusilla Modjeska – *Stravinsky's Lunch*

KIBBLE SHORTLIST

Amy Witting – *Isobel on the way to the corner shop*

Kate Grenville – *Idea of Perfection*

Valerie Lawson – *Out of the Sky she came*

Thea Astley – *Drylands*

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Margo Kingston – *Off the Rails*

1999

KIBBLE RECIPIENT

Geraldine Brooks – *Foreign Correspondence*

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Rowena Ivers – *The Spotted Skin*

Kathy Golski – *Watched by Ancestors*

Marian Halligan – *The Golden Dress*

Frances De Groen – *Xavier Herbert*

DOBBIE RECIPIENT

Eva Sallis – *Hiam*

1997

KIBBLE RECIPIENT

Helen Garner – *True Stories*

KIBBLE SHORTLIST

Glenda Adams – *The Tempest of Clemenza*

Anne Coombs – *Sex and Anarchy*

Suzanne Falkiner – *Ethel*

Sue Woolfe – *Leaning Towards Infinity*

DOBBIE RECIPIENT

Penelope Trevor – *Listening for Small Sounds*

DOBBIE SHORTLIST

Catherine Ford – *Dirt*

Connie Nungulla – *When You Grow Up*

Margot Orum – *Fairytales in Reality*

Fiona Capp – *Night Surfing*

1996

KIBBLE RECIPIENT

Judy Cassab – *Diaries*

KIBBLE SHORTLIST

Debra Adelaide – *Hotel Albatross*

Hanifa Deen – *Caravanserai*

Penelope Nelson – *Penny Dreadful*

Mandy Sayer – *The Cross*

DOBBIE RECIPIENT

No Dobbie Aware presented for 1996

DOBBIE SHORTLIST

Alana Valentine – *H is for Homo*

1995

KIBBLE RECIPIENT

Drusilla Modjeska – *The Orchard*

KIBBLE SHORTLIST

Simone Lazaroo – *The World Waiting To Be Made*

Brenda Niall – *Georhiana*

Susan Varga – *Heddy and Me*

Jackie & Rita Huggins – *Auntie Rita*

DOBBIE RECIPIENT

No Dobbie Award presented for 1995

DOBBIE SHORTLIST

Maria Cresa – *Lapping, Licking and Skinny – Dipping Distant Summers, Other Lives*

1994

KIBBLE RECIPIENT

Marion Halligan – *Lovers' Knot*

KIBBLE SHORTLIST

Joan Dugdale – *The Gripping Beast*

Evelyn Crawford – *Over My Tracks*

Hazel Rowley – *Christina Stead Bio*

DOBBIE RECIPIENT

Nola Fisher – *For Some Reason*

DOBBIE SHORTLIST

Mary Burbidge – *My Daughter, My Forever Baby*

1998

KIBBLE RECIPIENT

Roberta Sykes – *Snake Cradle*

KIBBLE SHORTLIST

Sally Dingo – *Dingo*

Barbara Blackman – *Glass After Glass*

Delia Falconer – *The Service of Clouds*

Anne Whitehead – *Paradise Mislaid*

DOBBIE RECIPIENT

Melissa Lucashenko – *Steam Pigs*