

EU Prize for Literature

EUPL 2019

*Shortlisted candidates **

1. Austria

Jury members:

- Alexander Potyka
- Karl Pus
- Carolina Schutti
- Brigitte Schwenns-Harrant
- Nathalie Rouanet

Shortlisted candidates:

- Laura Freudenthaler, *Geistergeschichte*, Graz: Droschl, 2019
- Wolfgang Popp, *Die Ahnungslosen*, Wien: Edition Atelier, 2018
- Verena Mermer, *Autobus Ultima Speranza*, Salzburg: Residenz, 2018
- Günter Wels (Günter Kaindlstorfer), *Edelweiß*, Wien: Czernin, 2018
- Hanna Sukare, *Schwedenreiter*, Salzburg: Otto Müller Verlag, 2018

2. Finland

Jury members:

- Ville Rauvola
- Sinikka Vuola
- Malin Kivelä
- Aki Järvinen
- Anne Mäntynen

Shortlisted candidates:

- Mia Franck, *Bombträdgård / Pommipuutarha*, Helsinki: Förlaget; Teos, 2018
- Heikki Kännö, *Sömnö*, Turku: Sammakko, 2018
- Piia Leino, *Taivas*, Helsinki: S&S, 2018



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- Eva Rohas, *Raivo*, Helsinki: Otava, 2018

3. France

Jury members:

- Stephen Carrière
- Éric Lafraise
- Stanislas Rigot
- Gaëlle Josse
- Marianne Payot

Shortlisted candidates :

- Sophie Daull, *Au grand lavoir*, Paris: Philippe Rey, 2018
- Jérémy Fel, *Helena*, Paris: Rivages, 2018
- Paul Greveillac, *Maîtres et esclaves*, Paris: Gallimard, 2018
- Pascal Manoukian, *Le paradoxe d'Anderson*, Paris: Le Seuil, 2018

4. Georgia

Jury members :

- Natalia Lomouri
- Tinatin Beriasvhili
- Medea Metreveli
- Paata Shamugia
- David Barbakadze

Shortlisted candidates:

- Beka Adamashvili, *Everybody dies in this novel*, Tbilisi: Sulakauri Publishing, 2018
- Luka Bakanidze, *Where Are You, Lazarus*, Tbilisi: Palitra L Publishing, 2018
- Iva Pezuashvili, *Gospel of the Underground*, Tbilisi: Intelekti Publishing, 2018

5. Greece

Jury members:

- Liana Sakelliou
- Erasmia Louisa Stavropoulou
- Makis Tsitas
- Athina Sokolis

Shortlisted candidates:

- Dimitris Grapsas, *I ginaika tou proinou trenou* (*The woman of the morning train*), Athens: Kastaniotis, 2018
- Nikos Hryssos, *Kenourgia Mera* (*New Day*), Athens: Kastaniotis, 2018
- Agis Petalas, *Is tin Psyhin Elpida* (*Hope for the Soul*), Athens: Estia, 2018

6. Hungary

Jury members :

- Endre Szkarosi
- Sarolta Deczki
- David Szollat
- Jozsef P. Korossi
- Joelle Dufeuilly

Shortlisted candidates :

- Réka Mán-Várhegyi, *Mágneshegy* (*Magnetic Hill*), Budapest: Magvető, 2018
- Róbert Milbacher, *Léleknyavalyák, avagy az öngyilkolás és egyéb elveszejtő szerek természetéről.* (*Maladies of the Soul, or on the Nature of suiciding and other dark medications*), Budapest: Magvető, 2018.
- László Szilasi, *Luther kutyái* (*Luther's Dogs*), Budapest: Magvető, 2018.

7. Ireland

Jury members :

- Conor Kostick
- Sinéad Mac Aodh
- Siorcha De Brún
- Ronan Colgan
- Nessa O'Mahony

Shortlisted candidates:

- Niamh Boyce, *Her Kind*, Dublin: Penguin Ireland, 2019
- Jan Carson, *The Fire Starters*, London: Transworld, 2019
- Rosemary Jenkinson, *Catholic Boy*, Galway: Connemara, 2019
- Bernie McGill, *The Watchhouse*, London: Tinder Press, 2017

8. Italy

Jury members:

- Barbara Hoepli
- Annamaria Malato
- Alessia Rastelli
- Anna Rottensteiner

Shortlisted candidates:

- Desy Icardi, *L'annusatrice di libri*, Roma: Fazi Editore, 2019.
- Giovanni Dozzini, *E Baboucar guidava la fila*, Roma: Minimum Fax, 2018.
- Raffaele Riba, *La custodia dei cieli profondi*, Roma: 66thand2nd, 2018.
- Stefano Zangrando, *Fratello minore. Sorte, amori e pagine di Peter B.*, Cagliari: Arkadia Editore, 2018.

9. Lithuania

Jury members:

- Daiva Tamošaitytė
- Rūta Elijošaitytė
- Audinga Peluritytė-Tikuišienė
- Laimantas Jonušys
- Marielle Vitureau

Shortlisted candidates:

- Daina Opolskaitė, *Dienų piramidės*, Vilnius: Tyto alba, 2019.
- Mindaugas Jonas Urbonas, *Šimtmečių melancholija*, Vilnius: Lietuvos rašytojų sąjungos leidykla, 2017
- Gabija Grušaitė, *Stasys Šaltoka: vieneri metai*, Vilnius: LAPAS, 2017.

10. Poland

Jury members:

- Anna Nasilowska
- Bernadeta Darska
- Wojciech Nowicki
- Grzegorz Jankowicz
- Maria Krześlak-Kandziora

Shortlisted candidates:

- Anna Cieplak, *Lekki bagaż*, Kraków: Znak - Litera nova, 2019
- Marta Dzido, *Frajda*, Kraków: Korporacja Ha!art, 2018
- Jarosław Maślanek, *Góra miłości*, Warszawa: W.A.B. 2018

11. Romania

Jury members who selected the shortlisted candidates:

- Liviu Papadima
- Razvan Voncu
- Oana Doboși-Potcoavă
- Angelo Mitchievici
- Daniel Cristea-Enache

Jury members who selected the winning author:

- Ioana Pârvulescu
- Răzvan Rădulescu
- Claudiu M. Florian

Shortlisted candidates:

- Augustin Cupșa, *Așa să crească iarba peste noi*, Bucharest: Humanitas, 2017
- Tudor Ganea, *Porci*, Iași: Polirom, 2018
- Alina Pavelescu, *Sindromul Stavroghin*, Bucharest: Humanitas, 2019
- Tatiana Țibuleac, *Grădina de sticlă*, Kishinev: Cartier, 2018
- Bogdan Alexandru Stănescu, *Copilăria lui Kaspar Hauser*, Iași: Polirom, 2017

12. Slovakia

Jury members:

- Vladimír Barborík
- Radoslav Passia
- Peter Šulej
- Miroslava Vallová

Shortlisted candidates:

- Ivana Dobrákovová, *Mothers and Lorry Drivers*, Bratislava: Marenčin PT, 2018
- Richard Pupala, *Čierny zošit*, Bratislava: Marenčin PT, 2017
- Mária Modrovich, *Flashback*, Drewo a srd, 2017

13. Ukraine

Jury members:

- Andriy Kurkov
- Oleksandra Koval
- Ola Hnatiuk
- Ostap Slyvynsky
- Iryna Slavinska

Shortlisted candidates:

- Victoria Amelina, *Den for Dom* (Дім для Дома), 2017
- Markiyan Kamysh, *Blackmet* (Чормет), 2017
- Haska Shyyan, *Behind the Back* (За спиною), 2019

14. United Kingdom

Jury members:

- Sheila O'Reilly
- Claire Malcolm
- Sandeep Mahal
- Toby Lichtig
- Philip Jones

Shortlisted candidates:

- Benjamin Wood, *The Station on the Path to Somewhere Better*, London: Simon & Schuster, 2018
- Michael Hughes, *Country*, London: John Murray, 2018
- Melissa Harrison, *All Among The Barley*, London: Bloomsbury, 2018

** The EUPL steering committee has agreed, upon verifying the active promotion in bookshops, that titles published earlier than 18 months before the date of the ceremony could be eligible.*