

WOW! Women on Writing

<http://www.wow-womenonwriting.com>

WOW! is a wonderful e-zine for writers. Every issue has a theme, and the content is top-rate. The purpose is to celebrate women around the globe and all aspects of writing, although men are welcome to subscribe and read the issues and enter the quarterly writing contest.

The e-zine has a friendly layout, making it easy to navigate and find articles you want to read. All the old articles are archived as well, so you never have to worry about losing one. Each issue has “Feature Articles”, “How 2”, “20 Questions”, and a “Freelancer’s Corner”, all related to the theme. Another plus for WOW!—it is a paying market.

On top of that, “The Muffin” is the WOW! blog. Many of the blogs are written by staff, but there are quite a few guest blogs as well, which provides another opportunity to publish with WOW! and reach a large audience.

WOW! also offers several affordable classes, both self-study, and live. These classes cover everything from fiction to nonfiction, articles to novels, as well as editing, publishing, poetry, screenplays, social media, and writing for children and teenagers. The instructors are knowledgeable and are truly interested in making sure all students have a good experience.

If you’re looking for promotion for your book, WOW! has a Blog Tour and Buzz, for a reasonable cost. Given the global appeal of the e-zine, it can boost sales, visits to your website, subscribers to your blog, and may attract agents and publishers.

WOW! has a quarterly fiction writing contest. It is an open prompt in any genre for stories between 250 and 750 words. For an additional small fee, you can get a critique. The contest winners get cash prizes, gift cards, and an interview in “The Muffin”. There are also runners up and honorable mentions—a total of twenty winners per contest!

Finally, WOW! has a freelance job board that is updated regularly. You can filter the search so you don’t have to scroll through every job listing. If you’re looking to ghostwrite, edit, or write copy, or if you want a full-time job or contract work, you can choose your criteria.

If you’ve been searching for a website that covers every writing topic from many different perspectives, WOW! is a great resource. You’ll return time after time when seeking writing advice, just like I do.