



Audiobook Award

This is an award for an audiobook with high quality production values and broad appeal, based on a book written by an Australian author in any genre. The audiobook will have been published in 2023 (irrespective of the print publication date) and it will have sold well across the Australian marketplace and created a buzz in the book trade.

Only audiobooks published within the 2023 calendar year are eligible for entry in the awards.

Entry Information

This information is primarily used by the awards in the announcement and promotion of the shortlist and winning titles. The judges will not penalise if any optional information is not provided. Please ensure all information entered is written correctly.

Titles will be announced in the following format: Book Title, Name of Author (Production, Company, Publisher Name)

Required:

- Book title (this is your entry name)
- Name of author and any other contributors. Please list in your preferred order.
- Names of narrators
- Company/Publisher name
- Imprint
- Publication date
- ISBN
- Audiobook URL
- Book Blurb (max 250 words)

Optional:

- Production company, if different from publisher
- Company social media
- Author social media
- Author website
- Media contact (for any potential publicity)

Nomination Statements

Nomination Instructions for Audiobook of the Year Award

When writing your nomination, you should clearly outline your objectives for the audiobook and include relevant, supporting information which demonstrates achievement of these objectives, along with any other achievements or demonstrations of excellence in relation to:

- The overall production process, including recording, editing and sound design
- Narrator casting and performance
- Sales
- Marketing, publicity, and/or any other innovative promotion

List four reasons why this book deserves to be recognised as the Audiobook of the Year	Word Limit	Points
Reason 1	250 words (max)	25 points
Reason 2	250 words (max)	25 points
Reason 3	250 words (max)	25 points
Reason 4	250 words (max)	25 points
Total	1000 words (max)	100 points (max)

Attachments

All images should be high res. The maximum image file size is 5MB, jpeg, png or tiff accepted. Audio file can be an mp3 or wav.

Required:

- Book cover
- Company logo
- Audio sample (max 5 minute run time)

Optional:

Approved photo of the authors, illustrators and/or narrators as applicable.