

Bouchercon 2017

Saturday, October 14

Daily Schedule



Start	End	Room	Details
7:30 A.M.	5:00 P.M.	Concourse	Registration Pick up your registration package
7:30 A.M.	2:00 P.M.	Concourse	Anthony Voting Desk (or vote online till 2 P.M. today)
7:30 A.M.	4:30 P.M.	Grand Foyer	Hospitality Suite Sponsored by the Crime Writers of Canada Come meet our sponsor's authors
8:00 A.M.	6:00 P.M.	VIP	20 on the 20 20-minute sessions on the hour, 20 past the hour and 20 before the hour
9:30 A.M.	7:00 P.M.	Osgoode	Book Room Book Room Open
9:30 A.M.	7:00 P.M.	Osgoode	Signing Area Author signings for 30 minutes after each panel
7:30 A.M.	9:30 A.M.	Grand East	Sisters in Crime Breakfast Sisters in Crime celebrates 30 years. (Ticketed event)
8:30 A.M.	9:30 A.M.	Grand Centre	Writing With... Writing with a partner or working under the brand of an established author Barbara Collins, Max Allan Collins, J.T. Ellison, Reed Farrel Coleman, Chris Grabenstein, Michael Stanley (Michael Sears) (M)

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8:30 A.M.	9:30 A.M.	Grand West	Best Novella Meet your Best Novella Anthony nominees Baron R Birtcher (M), Sarah M. Chen, Angel Luis Colón, S. W. Lauden, John Shepphird
8:30 A.M.	9:30 A.M.	Sheraton A	Unkind Settings Dystopias and other harsh ways to frame your mystery Joe Hart, Anne Hillerman, Matthew Iden, John Billhemier (M), Adam Sternbergh, Tim Washburn
8:30 A.M.	9:30 A.M.	Sheraton B	A Recipe for Death Cooking up culinary mystery plots Leslie Budewitz, Maya Corrigan, Barbara Ross, Suzanne Trauth, Mo Walsh (M), Linda Wiken (aka Erika Chase)
8:30 A.M.	9:30 A.M.	Sheraton C	Creative History Mysteries using parallel storytelling with different eras, or alternate histories Wendy Corsi Staub, Sylvia Maultash Warsh (M), Candace Robb, John Maddox Roberts, S.G. (Sandra) Wong , Ovidia Yu
8:30 A.M.	9:30 A.M.	Sheraton E	The Experienced Long writing careers make for great stories P.M.Carlson (M), Bill Crider, Howard Engel, Francine Mathews / Stephanie Barron, Sara Paretsky, Kathy Reichs
9:30 A.M.	10:00 A.M.	Osgoode	Signings in the Book Room For authors from 8:30 AM panels and 20 on the 20 from 8:00 A.M. to 9:00 A.M.
10:00 A.M.	11:00 A.M.	Grand Centre	Best Novel Meet your Best Novel Anthony nominees Megan Abbott, Reed Farrel Coleman, Chris Holm, Laura Lippman, Louise Penny, Hank Phillippi Ryan (M)
10:00 A.M.	11:00 A.M.	Grand West	The Twisted Panel Plotting, how to keep them interested... and guessing Jane Cleland, Cate Holahan, Ragnar Jónasson, Linda Landrigan, Paula Munier (M), Felicia Yap
10:00 A.M.	11:00 A.M.	Sheraton A	North v South An American panel, with authors setting their work at either end of the contiguous states Christine Carbo, Allen Eskins, Alexia Gordon, Thomas Mullen, Katharine M Nohr (M), Lisa Turner

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10:00 A.M.	11:00 A.M.	Sheraton B	Critters of Crime K-9s, Cats and cows - and their role in mysteries Jen J. Danna/ Sara Driscoll, Janet Finsilver, Michael Kurland (M), Margaret Mizushima , Kelly Oliver, Eileen F. Watkins
10:00 A.M.	11:00 A.M.	Sheraton C	"Ancient" Mysteries Dive deep into the past with these pre-1890s storytellers Susanna Calkins (M), Lois H. Gresh, Eleanor Kuhns, Andrea Penrose, Jonathan Putnam, Marilyn Todd
10:00 A.M.	11:00 A.M.	Sheraton E	Social Issues These authors address crimes against humanity Barbara Fradkin, Valentina Giambanco , Paul E. Hardisty (M), Bill Loehfelm, Christopher G. Moore, Ian Truman
11:00 A.M.	11:30 A.M.	Osgoode	Signings in the Book Room For authors from 10:00 AM panels and 20 on the 20 from 9:20 A.M. to 10:40 A.M.
11:30 A.M.	12:30 P.M.	Grand Centre	Chris Grabenstein interview Our Bcon4Kids Guest of Honour is interviewed by Kelley Armstrong
11:30 A.M.	12:30 P.M.	Sheraton C	New Kids in Town Meet these newly published authors Eric Beetner (M), Steph Broadribb, Matt Goldman, Kristen Lepionka, Jennifer Soosar, Mary Torjussen
11:30 A.M.	12:30 P.M.	Sheraton E	Standalones Authors who do not write series, or who stopped doing series, or who do them as well as series Linwood Barclay, Kate White, Michael Bracken, David Bell, Kathy Reichs, Craig Sinsterson (M)
12:30 P.M.	1:00 P.M.	Osgoode	Signings in the Book Room For authors from 11:30 AM panels and 20 on the 20 from 11:00 A.M. to 12:00 P.M.
1:00 P.M.	2:00 P.M.	Grand Centre	50-Minute Novel Starting with an idea from the audience, a novel is plotted during this panel Mark Billingham, Chris Grabenstein, Charlaine Harris, Brad Parks (M), Twist Phelan, Johnny Shaw

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1:00 P.M.	2:00 P.M.	Grand West	Writers Under 40 You could be reading these writers for decades to come Guy Bolton, Steph Cha, Julia Dahl (M), Loretta Lost, Emelie Schepp, Felicia Yap
1:00 P.M.	2:00 P.M.	Sheraton A	Confined Crimes Small town settings – the advantages and limitations of using a smaller stage for crimes Lynn Cahoon (M). Mindy Mejia. Eryk Pruitt. Lori Roy. Karin Salvalaggio. Susan Shea
1:00 P.M.	2:00 P.M.	Sheraton B	Did I Write That? Characters that take on a life of their own Bill Beverly, Rob Hart (M), David Housewright, Rick Mofina, D.M. Pulley, Bob Truluck
1:00 P.M.	2:00 P.M.	Sheraton C	By the Book Legal mysteries Alafair Burke, Anthony Franze, Jeremy Grimaldi, Catherine McKenzie, Jonathan Putnam (M), Mike Rubin
1:00 P.M.	2:00 P.M.	Sheraton E	Northern Crimes About mysteries set in Scotland, Northern Canada, Finland, Iceland, and the North Sea Kelley Armstrong, Alex Gray, Rachel Greenaway (M), Ragnar Jónasson, Caro Ramsay, Antti Tuomainen
2:00 P.M.	2:00 P.M.		Anthony Voting Closes
2:00 P.M.	2:30 P.M.	Osgoode	Signings in the Book Room For authors from 1:00 P.M. panels and 20 on the 20 from 12:20 P.M. to 1:40 P.M.
2:30 P.M.	3:30 P.M.	Grand Centre	Hidden Past Writing characters with secrets Debra H. Goldstein (M) , Laura McHugh, Louise Penny, Mark Pryor, Michael Stanley (Michael Sears), Heather Young
2:30 P.M.	3:30 P.M.	Grand West	Fraught With Romance Romantic Suspense Diana Chambers (M), Stacey Cochran, Heather Graham, Annie Hogsett, Sarah Skilton, Kim Hornsby

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2:30 P.M.	3:30 P.M.	Sheraton A	Reading the Rainbow An LGBTQ panel Jessie Chandler, John Copenhaver, Stephanie Gayle, Greg Herren, Owen Laukkanen, Kristopher Zgorski (M)
2:30 P.M.	3:30 P.M.	Sheraton B	The Amateurs How a character's profession shapes amateur detecting E.C. Bell, Lawrence Light (M), R. Franklin James, Chris Knopf, KM (Kathleen) Rockwood, Shawn Reilly Simmons
2:30 P.M.	3:30 P.M.	Sheraton C	Hard-Boiled v Cozy Cozy authors extol the virtues of hard boiled novels and vice versa Barbara Peters (M), Barbara Early, James Hankins, Susan Kandel, Harley Mazuk, Rick Ollerman
2:30 P.M.	3:30 P.M.	Sheraton E	A World of Thrills A panel of authors from around the world discuss how they take you on a thrilling journey with their mysteries Rachel Amphlett, Lin Anderson, Joseph Finder, Barry Lancet, Shari Lapena, Leonardo Wild (M)
3:30 P.M.	4:00 P.M.	Osgoode	Signings in the Book Room For authors from 2:30 P.M. panels and 20 on the 20 from 2:00 P.M. to 3:20 P.M.
4:00 P.M.	5:00 P.M.	Grand Centre	Do You Want to Know a Secret? Jungle Red Writers want you to Name That Red. Pit your wits against the storytelling Reds Rhys Bowen, Lucy Burdette aka Roberta Islieb , Deborah Crombie, Hallie Ephron, Jenn McKinlay , Hank Phillippi Ryan (M), Ingrid Thoft
4:00 P.M.	5:00 P.M.	Grand West	Shared Universes Sherlock Holmes aficionados discuss how the art of pastiche develops when a beloved series ends Peter Blau, Bonnie MacBird, Angela Misri (M), Peggy Perdue, Mike Ranieri, Michael Robertson
4:00 P.M.	5:00 P.M.	Sheraton A	A Dark Attraction Why are we fascinated by the dark side of mysteries? Maegan Beaumont (M), Ben Coes, Steven Cooper, Mark Edwards, Dale T. Phillips, Alexandra Sokoloff

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4:00 P.M.	5:00 P.M.	Sheraton B	Pacing a Mystery The keys to pacing from writers of a variety of mystery styles Scott Adlerberg, Susan Breen, Valentina Giambanco (M), Terry Shames, Randall Silvis, Robin Yocum
4:00 P.M.	5:00 P.M.	Sheraton C	The Blue Detectives Police Procedurals Andrew Case, Brenda Chapman, David Mark, Caro Ramsay (M), Jeffrey Siger, Brian Thiem
4:00 P.M.	5:00 P.M.	Sheraton E	The Reporters Enemies of the People or Champion of the Oppressed? Brenda Buchanan (M), Julia Dahl, Gwen Florio, Christina Kovak, Antti Tuomainen , Rich Zahradnik
5:00 P.M.	5:30 P.M.	Osgoode	Signings in the Book Room For authors from 4:00 P.M. panels and 20 on the 20 from 3:40 P.M. to 4:40 P.M.
5:30 P.M.	6:30 P.M.	Grand Centre	Twist Phelan and Gary Phillips Interview Toastmasters Gary Phillips and Twist Phelan interview each other.
5:30 P.M.	6:30 P.M.	Sheraton C	Series Writing them, writing more than one, versus standalones Mel Bradshaw, Marc Cameron, William Deverell, Andrew Gulli , G.M. Malliet, Michael Stanley (Stanley Trollip
5:30 P.M.	6:30 P.M.	Sheraton E	Noir is the Beat Up Black You are compelled like a victim to a dark alley to attend this panel, even knowing it can only end... Ed Aymar, Christopher Brookmyre, Rob Brunet (M), Harry Hunsicker, Janet Hutchings, Lili Wright
6:30 P.M.	7:00 P.M.	Osgoode	Signings in the Book Room For authors from 5:30 P.M. panels and 20 on the 20 from 5:00 P.M. to 5:40 P.M.
7:00 P.M.	9:00 P.M.	Lobby	Ghost Walk (ticketed) Meet in Hotel Lobby to walk to start point
7:00 P.M.	8:00 P.M.	Grand Foyer	Passport to Murder - Bouchercon 2017 Anthology Signing Hosted by Editor John McFetridge and Down & Out Books
8:00 P.M.	11:55 P.M.	Grand East	Dance Dance (and listen) to the big band sound of the Advocats