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WOMEN'S FICTION WRITERS ASSOCIATION SELECTS KATHRYN CRAFT AS 2020 GUIDING SCRIBE

January 23, 2020, Washington DC: The Women's Fiction Writers Association (WFWA) is excited to announce award-winning women's fiction author and editor, Kathryn Craft as the association's 2020 Guiding Scribe.



Craft is the award-winning author of two novels from Sourcebooks, *The Art of Falling* and *The Far End of Happy*, and the author of chapters in *Author in Progress* and *The Complete Handbook of Novel Writing* from Writers Digest Books. She is long a leader in the southeastern Pennsylvania writing scene, as well as Pennwriters, and the award-winning marketing cooperative of women authors, Tall Poppy Writers. Kathryn leads writing workshops and retreats, mentors novelists through her Your Novel Year program, and is a regular contributor to top writing blog *Writer Unboxed*.

"The Guiding Scribe provides mentoring, cheerleading, and sound advice for our

organization, akin to a poet laureate," says Christine Adler, WFWA President. "Kathryn has a depth of writing knowledge, industry experience, and understanding of the women's fiction genre that is invaluable for both new and seasoned authors. She is a well-known leader in our organization and her role this year has already been met with enthusiasm."

"The Women's Fiction Writers Association is a one-of-a-kind community where all writers of women's fiction find and share strength and resources to support their individual work. I'm excited to share my personal writing journey and all that I have learned to this vibrant group. As writers, we have a lot to say, but also a lot of questions about the art of writing and the realities of the publishing industry. I hope to shine a light on both needs and make our community stronger," says Kathryn Craft.

About

The Women's Fiction Writers Association (WFWA) was founded in 2013 as a professional, enriching, supportive, and diverse international community for writers of women's fiction. Now over a thousand members strong, WFWA is the premier organization for women's fiction. We are a volunteer-run, welcoming community that purposely fosters a climate of inclusion and opportunity. Whether you are an aspiring, debut, or multi-published author, WFWA offers resources to help you improve and succeed. Learn more at womensfictionwriters.org, and connect with us at @WF_WRITERS on Facebook and Instagram.