

# World Illustration Awards 2020

Category: [Illustration](#)

Deadline: February 25, 2020

Website: [graphiccompetitions.com](http://graphiccompetitions.com)



The **World Illustration Awards** promotes exceptional work by illustrators and presents illustration as a major force in global visual culture. The Awards are international and open worldwide to illustrators working across **all sectors and in any medium**.

Work must be entered into one of the 10 categories. These are very broadly defined to welcome work of all types and in all contexts where illustration is used:

â€¢ **Advertising**

â€¢ **Book Covers**

â€¢ **Commercial Publishing**

â€¢ **Alternative Publishing**

â€¢ **Children's Publishing**

â€¢ **Design, Product & Packaging**

â€¢ **Editorial**

â€¢ **Exploration**

â€¢ **Science & Technology**

â€¢ **Site Specific**

Illustrations can be in any medium. Work entered for the competition must have been created or published after *1 January 2019*. Entrants can submit as many entries as they choose and in as many different categories as they feel is appropriate.

Entry fees: 33 USD per single entry, 60 USD per multiple entry.

## Eligibility

Open worldwide to illustrators over the age of 18.

## Prize

One of the ten Professional Category Winners is named as the **WIA2020 Overall Professional Winner** at a prestigious ceremony in central London and will receive a generous cash prize of 2,000 GBP sponsored by Winsor&Newton, and a two-page marketing package in the Directory of Illustration (*valued at 4,330 USD*), including a 100-image professional portfolio on *directoryofillustration.com*.

New for this year, one shortlisted project will be selected for a new **Innovation Award**, to be awarded for a project displaying considerable innovation and experimentation with the artform. It will be judged by at least two jury members. The winner will be presented with a WIA certificate and profile feature on the AOI website.

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