



The *Australian Book Industry Awards* (ABIA) is pleased to announce the shortlist for the 2011 Awards. The shortlist is for 18 of the 20 awards. Shortlisted and winning entries for these 18 awards were chosen by expert panels and an academy of booksellers and publishers who voted online.

The winners of these 18 awards as well as the *Lloyd O'Neil Award* and the *Pixie O'Harris Award* will be announced at the Australian Book Industry Awards presentation dinner at the Hilton on the Park in Melbourne on Monday 25 July 2011.

2011 ABIA Shortlist

Chain Bookseller of the Year 2011*

NSW/ACT	Dymocks George St Sydney
Qld	Dymocks Brisbane
SA/NT	Dymocks Adelaide
Tas	Dymocks Hobart
Vic	Hill of Content Bookshop
WA	Dymocks Garden City (Booragoon)

Independent Bookseller of the Year 2011 *

NSW/ACT	Shearers Bookshop
Qld	Riverbend Books and Teahouse
SA/NT	Imprints Booksellers
Tas	Fullers Bookshop Hobart
Vic	The Avenue Bookstore
WA	The Lane Bookshop

Specialist Bookseller of the Year 2011 *

NSW/ACT	The Children's Bookshop Beecroft
Qld	The Library Shop
SA/NT	ALS Library Services
Tas	Stories Bookshop
Vic	Books for Cooks
WA	Boffins Bookshop

Bookseller Promotional Campaign of the Year 2011

Pages & Pages Booksellers Mosman, for *Book Busking*
Riverbend Books, for *Riverbend Foodies*
Shearers Bookshop, for *How to Make Gravy*



2011 ABIA Shortlist (continued)

Small Publisher of the Year 2011

Black Inc.
Bolinda Publishing
Melbourne University Publishing
National Library of Australia
Scribe Publications

Publisher of the Year 2011

Allen & Unwin
Hachette Australia
HarperCollins Publishers Australia
Penguin Group Australia
Random House Australia
The Text Publishing Company

Distributor of the Year 2011

Alliance Distribution Services
Harper Entertainment Distribution Services
Macmillan Distribution Services
Random House Australia
United Book Distributors

Publisher Promotional Campaign of the Year 2011, in memory of John Cody

Allen & Unwin, for *The Happiest Refugee*, written by Anh Do
Allen & Unwin, for *House Rules*, written by Jodi Picoult
HarperCollins Publishers Australia, for *Lazarus Rising*, written by John Howard
Penguin Group Australia, for *How to Make Gravy*, written by Paul Kelly
Random House Australia, for *Jack Reacher*, written by Lee Child
Random House Australia, for *Torment*, written by Lauren Kate

International Success of the Year 2011

Allen & Unwin, for *Tales from Outer Suburbia*
Hachette Australia, for *The Red Tree*
HarperCollins Publishers Australia, for *The Innocent Mage*
Penguin Group Australia, for *Once, Then and Now*

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Illustrated Book of the Year 2011

A Food Lover's Pilgrimage to Santiago De Compostela, written by Dee Nolan, published by Penguin Group Australia

Bill's Basics, written by Bill Granger, published by HarperCollins Publishers Australia

Our Family Table, written by Julie Goodwin, published by Random House Australia

Quay, written by Peter Gilmore, published by Murdoch Books

Real Food Companion, written by Matthew Evans, published by Murdoch Books

Yiwarra Kuju: the Canning Stock Route, written and published by the National Museum of Australia

Biography of the Year 2011

Ben Cousins – My Life, written by Ben Cousins, published by Macmillan

How to Make Gravy, written by Paul Kelly, published by Penguin Group Australia

Lazarus Rising, written by John Howard, published by HarperCollins Publishers Australia

The Family Law, written by Benjamin Law, published by Black Inc.

The Happiest Refugee, written by Anh Do, published by Allen & Unwin

General Non-Fiction Book of the Year 2011

Here on Earth, written by Tim Flannery, published by The Text Publishing Company

Power Trip: The Political Journey of Kevin Rudd, written by David Marr, published by Black Inc.

Street Fight in Naples, written by Peter Robb, published by Allen & Unwin

The Changi Brownlow, written by Roland Perry, published by Hachette Australia

True Spirit, written by Jessica Watson, published by Hachette Australia

Book of the Year for Younger Children (age range 0 to 8 years) 2011

All Through the Year written by Jane Godwin & illustrated by Anna Walker, published by Penguin Group Australia

Feathers for Phoebe, written & illustrated by Rod Clement, published by HarperCollins Publishers Australia

Maudie and Bear, written by Jan Omerod & illustrated by Freya Blackwood, published by Little Hare

Mirror, written & illustrated by Jeannie Baker, published by Walker Books

Noni the Pony, written and illustrated by Alison Lester, published by Allen & Unwin

The Legend of the Golden Snail, written and illustrated by Graeme Base, published by Penguin Group Australia

Book of the Year for Older Children (age range 8 to 14 years) 2011

Conspiracy 365, written by Gabrielle Lord, published by Scholastic Australia

Graffiti Moon, written by Cath Crowley, published by Pan Macmillan

Shakespeare's Hamlet, illustrated by Nicki Greenberg, published by Allen & Unwin

Museum of Thieves: The Keepers Book 1, written by Lian Tanner, published by Allen & Unwin

Now, written by Morris Gleitzman, published by Penguin Group Australia

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Literary Fiction Book of the Year 2011

Bereft, written by Chris Womersley, published by Scribe Publications
How it Feels, written by Brendan Cowell, published by Picador
Rocks in the Belly, written by Jon Bauer, published by Scribe Publications
That Deadman Dance, written by Kim Scott, published by Picador
The Legacy, written by Kirsten Tranter, published by HarperCollins Publishers Australia

General Fiction Book of the Year 2011

After America, written by John Birmingham, published by Macmillan
At Home with the Templetons, written by Monica McInerney, published by Penguin Group Australia
Campaign Ruby, written by Jessica Rudd, published by The Text Publishing Company
I Came to Say Goodbye, written by Caroline Overington, published by Random House Australia
The Distant Hours, written by Kate Morton, published by Allen & Unwin

Newcomer of the Year (debut writer) 2011

Into the Woods: The Battle for Tasmania's Forests, written by Anna Krien, published by Black Inc.
Poh's Kitchen, written by Poh Ling Yeow, published by HarperCollins Publishers Australia
The Bark Cutters, written by Nicole Alexander, published by Random House Australia
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