**GRANTS FOR AUTHORS**

**Private and confidential**

Please complete the application form below and ensure that all sections of the form are complete. On page 3, please write your covering letter which briefly sets out the circumstances that have prompted the application. This can be as long or as short as you feel is necessary to give the assessors a sense of your current situation and needs.

Please return this document to [grants@societyofauthors.org](mailto:grants@societyofauthors.org)

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| Name: | Pen name (if any): |
| Address & Email Address:: | |
| Telephone no.: | Date of birth: |
| **Please note that we can only consider applications from professional authors who are resident in the UK or British subjects** | |
| Town & country of birth: | Nationality: |
| Do you live with a spouse / partner? | |
| Age and circumstances of children, if any; are they dependent on you? | |
| Are any others dependent on you? If so, please give details: | |
| What is your state of health? | |

Financial Details (Income)

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| Are you entirely dependent on your literary earnings? |
| If not, please list other sources of income: |

Please tell us:

1. The amount you received from literary earnings for each of the past three years:

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| 2019: | 2018: | 2017: |

1. The amount you received from other sources for each of the past three years and how it has been derived:

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| 2019: |
| 2018: |
| 2017: |

1. Your spouse/partner’s income for the past three years and how it has been derived:

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| 2019: |
| 2018: |
| 2017: |

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| What capital/savings do you have? |

Financial Details (Expenditure)

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| Please summarise your annual rental / mortgage commitments: |
| Please summarise your other annual expenses/financial commitments: |
| Please give details of any outstanding debts: |
| Have you received in the past a grant from any literary or charitable fund? Please give full details: |
| Have you recently applied or do you intend to apply to Arts Council England or any other literary, charitable or relief fund? Please give full details: |

Literary Career

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| Please give the name of your agent (if any): |

Please enclose a C.V. or give main titles of:

Books, plays or articles you have had published, with names of publishers and year of publication

Plays you have had performed, with the name of the theatre and year of production

Radio and television scripts with the name of the broadcaster and year of broadcast

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| Title | Publisher/Theatre/Broadcaster & Year |
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Details of any literary work on which you are engaged:

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| How did you hear about the SoA’s grants for authors? | |
| Please give the name, address and, where possible, telephone number, of one referee: | |
| Name: | Address/Tel no: |
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Declaration

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| Signed: | Date: |

By signing you declare all the information provided above to be true to the best of your knowledge.

**Covering letter** *– please**briefly set out the circumstances that have prompted the application. This can be as long or as short as you feel is necessary to give the assessors a sense of your current situation and needs.*