

# 2025 BBB Judge's Agreement



You are cordially invited to judge the 2025 Book Buyers Contest!

The Book Buyers Contest is a *reader's* contest, meaning that the focus of the scoring is on the reader's satisfaction and experience while reading a specific book. No special training in criticism or educational experience is necessary—just a love for the romance genre.

As a first round judge, you will receive between two and four romance novels in PDF form only. These will be emailed to you, along with scoring guidelines in early May.

If you would like to participate this year, please complete and return the Judge's Agreement sign-up form no later than:

**March 31, 2025**

Your assigned books will be sent to you late April/early May. Then, your completed scores MUST BE returned by:

**June 30, 2025**

The OCRW and the BBB authors appreciate your participation because the success of the contest depends on romance readers like you. We look forward to working with you!

Selene Grace Silver  
Contest Coordinator

*Orange County Romance Writers*

Questions? Reach us at [bbbcontest@ocromancewriters.org](mailto:bbbcontest@ocromancewriters.org)

## Judge's Sign-up Form Due by: March 31, 2025

Name:

Address:

Phone #:

Email address:

Dear Judge: Please select your preference(s), other than your own entry category if you are submitting a title to the contest as well.

Check all that apply:

- Contemporary Romance
- Historical Romance
- Paranormal Romance (Time Travel, Fantasy, Romantasy, Futuristic, SFR)
- Inspirational Romance
- Romantic Suspense
- Erotic Romance
- Romance Novella
- Young Adult Romance
- LGBTQ+ (any categories)

List any categories you prefer NOT to judge:

1.

2.

Please send your response to:

[bbbcontest@ocromancewriters.org](mailto:bbbcontest@ocromancewriters.org)