**2023 Blancpain-Imaginist Literary Prize 宝珀-理想国文学奖 (Longlist Aug 1, Shortlist Sept 15, Winner Oct 24)**

**WINNER:** 《一团坚冰》 杨知寒 *A Hard Clump of Ice,* by Yang Zhihan

**Shortlist:** 《天珠传奇》 费滢 *The Legend of the Heavenly Pearl,* by Fei Ying

《米莲分》 宁不远 *Mi Lianfen,* by Ning Buyuan

《空气吉他》邵栋 *The Air Guitar,* by Shao Dong

《狂热》王若虚 *Zeal*, by Wang Ruoxu

**Longlist:** 《白鸟坠入密林》贝客邦 *A White Bird Plummets into the Woods,* by Bei Kebang

《断头螺丝》何荣 *The Headless Screw,* by He Rong

《为什么要把小说写得这么烂》刘按 *Why Writing the Novel So Poorly*, by Liu An

《生死浮休》刘酿苦 *Life Death Afloat Aground*, by Liu Niangku

《女人的秘密生活》苏更生 *The Secret Lives of Women*, by Su Gengsheng

《海边魔术师》孙频 *The Magician by the Sea*, by Sun Pin

《找信号》索南才让 *Looking for the Signal*, by Sonam Tsering

《我们生活在南京》天瑞说符 *We Live in Nanjing*, by Tianrui Shuofu

《麒麟》周游 *Qilin*, by Zhou You

**2023 Mao Dun Literature Prize 茅盾文学奖 (Winners Nov 19)**

**WINNERS:** 《雪山大地》杨志军 *The Snow Mountain and the Land*, by Yang Zhijun

《宝水》乔叶 *Baoshui*, by Qiao Ye

《本巴》刘亮程 *Bumba*, by Liu Liangcheng

《千里江山图》孙甘露 *A Thousand Li of Mountains and Rivers*, by Sun Ganlu

《回响》东西 *Resonance*, by Dong Xi

**2023 Huadi Literature Charts Gold Prize 花地文学榜年度金奖 (Released Nov 29)**

**WINNERS:** NOVEL 《北流》林白 *Beiliu*, by Lin Bai

SHORT STORY 《蓝色时代》张惠雯 “The Blue Time” by Zhang Huiwen

POETRY 《黄灿然的诗》黄灿然 *Huang Canran’s Poems*, by Huang Canran

NONFICTION 《燕都百记》肖复兴 *A Hundred Stories of Beijing*, by Xiao Fuxing

CRITICISM 《散文的气质》孟繁华 *The Aura of Prose*, by Meng Fanhua

EMERGING WRITER 《浪的景观》周嘉宁 *The Sights of Waves*, by Zhou Jianing

**LONGLIST FOR NOVELS:** 《家山》王跃文 *Home Mountain*, by Wang Yuewen

《镜中》艾伟 *In the Mirror*, by Ai Wei

《凉州十八拍》叶舟 *The Eighteen Beats of Liangzhou*, by Ye Zhou

《仪凤之门》叶兆言 *The Yifeng Gate*, by Ye Zhaoyan

《不老》叶弥 *Ageless*, by Ye Mi

《野望》付秀莹 *Gazing into the Wild*, by Fu Xiuying

《河湾》张炜 *The Meandering River*, by Zhang Wei

《钢的城》罗日新 *The City of Steel*, by Luo Rixin

《北流》林白 *Beiliu*, by Lin Bai

《神圣婚姻》徐坤 *The Holy Marriage*, by Xu Kun

**2023 Zijin Mountain Literature Prize 紫金山文学奖 (Winners Dec 21)**

**NOVELS:** 《仪凤之门》叶兆言 *The Yifeng Gate*, by Ye Zhaoyan

《民谣》王尧 *Ballads*, by Wang Yao

《不老》叶弥 *Ageless*, by Ye Mi

《广陵散》郭平 *Guangling Melody*, by Guo Ping

《血色莫扎特》房伟 *The Bloody Mozart*, by Fang Wei

**NOVELETTES:** 《跳鲤》胡学文 *The Jumping Carps*, by Hu Xuewen

《棣棠之约》孙频 *The Promise of Kerrias*, by Sun Pin

《白鲸》大头马 *The Whale*, by Datouma

《月光宝盒》汤成难 *The Moonlight Treasure Chest*, by Tang Chengnan

《鸭镇往事》曹寇 *The Old Days of Ya Township*, by Cao Kou

**SHORT STORIES:** 《桥头羊肉店》朱文颖 “The Mutton Shop by the Bridge” by Zhu Wenying

《登顶之夜》李黎 “The Night When He Climbed to the Top” by Li Li

《失语》时苡 “Loss of Speech” by Shi Yi

《婚礼上的男人》罗望子 “The Man at the Wedding” by Luo Wangzi

《他们在跳舞》庞羽 “They Were Dancing” by Pang Yu

《窗外灯》阮夕清 “Outside Lights” by Ruan Xiqing

《牧马河之夏》邹世奇 “The Summer of The Muma River” by Zou Shiqi

**NONFICTION:** 《与父亲书》向迅 *Letter to my Father*, by Xiang Xun

《滩涂地》姜桦 *Tidal Flats*, by Jiang Hua

《金陵市井图鉴》谷以成 *A Field Guide to the City of Nanking*, by Gu Yicheng

《旧雨》张羊羊 *Old Rain*, by Zhang Yangyang

《2018:新盛街笔记》姚大伟 *2018: Notes from Xinsheng Street*, by Yao Dawei

**POETRY:** 《万象》刘康 *Everything in the Universe*, by Liu Kang

《雨在他们的讲述中》格风 *The Rain in Their Narrations*, by Ge Feng

《白日梦》白小云 *Daydreams*, by Bai Xiaoyun

《月光村庄的妈妈》龚学明 *Moonlight Village’s Mom*, by Gong Xueming

《赶时间的人：一个外卖员的诗》王计兵 *Those Who Chase Time: Poems by a Delivery Worker*, by Wang Jibing

**2023 *Harvest Magazine* Literature Charts 收获文学排行榜 (Released Jan 19)**

**NOVELS:** #1《欢迎来到人间》毕飞宇 *Welcome to Humanity*, by Bi Feiyu

#2《云落图》张楚 *Falling Clouds*, by Zhang Chu

#3《河山传》贾平凹 *A Biography of Mountains and Rivers*, by Jia Pingwa

#4《登春台》格非 *Visiting Chuntai*, by Ge Fei

#5《平乐县志》颜歌 *A Chorograph of Pingle Township*, by Yan Ge

**NONFICTION:** #1《太阳透过玻璃》薛舒 *The Sun Shines through the Glass*, by Xue Shu

#2《独留明月照江南》马小起 *Leaving the Full Moon Alone to Brighten Jiangnan,* by Ma Xiaoqi

#3《西高地行记》阿来 *A Visit to the West Highland*, by Alai

#4《云梦泽唉》舒飞廉 *Yunmeng Marsh*, by Shu Feilian

#5《盐镇》易小荷 *Yan Township,* by Yi Xiaohe

**NOVELETTES:** #1《鱼缸与霞光》韩松落 *Fish Tanks and the Evening Sun*, by Han Songluo

#2《去云那边》须一瓜 *To the Other Side of the Clouds,* by Xu Yigua

#3《碾压甲骨的车轮》迟子建 *Wheels that Crushed Bones*, by Chi Zijian

#4《出山》龚万莹 *Leaving the Mountains*, by Gong Wanying

#5《快活天》糖匪 *Jolly Days*, by Tangfei

#6《月光草原》杨方 *Moonlight Grassland*, by Yang Fang

#7《一个陌生女人的来信》黎紫书, *Letter from an Unknown Woman*, by Li Zi Shu

#8《表舅纪》北村 *Records of Uncle*, by Bei Cun

#9《花问》计文君 *Inquiries of Flowers*, by Ji Wenjun

#10《回到那个初夏》王啸峰 *Returning to That Early Summer*, by Wang Xiaofeng

**SHORT STORIES:** #1《午夜的海晏县大街》索南才让 ”Midnight on Haiyan County Main Street” by Sonam Tsering

#2《音声轶话》牛健哲 “Tales of Sound and Music” by Niu JIanzhe

#3《热带刺客》赵挺 “The Tropical Assassin” by Zhao Ting

#4《香山来客》双雪涛 “The Guest from Fragrant Hills” by Shuang Xuetao

#5《骷髅》穆萨 “The Skeleton” by Musa

#6《穿过一片玉米地》周于旸 “Going through a Corn Field” by Zhou Yuyang

#7《讲苏州话的人》阮夕清 “The Person Who Speaks Suzhounese” by Ruan Xiqing

#8《华强北往事》邓一光 “The Old Days of Huaqiangbei” by Deng Yiguang

#9《双桨》别鸣 “Two Oars” by Bie Ming

#10《天空划过一条白线》东西 “A White Line Crosses the Sky” by Dong Xi

**2023 The Yangtze River Review Literature Charts 扬子江文学评论排行榜 (Released Jan 22)**

**NOVELS:** #1《欢迎来到人间》毕飞宇 *Welcome to Humanity*, by Bi Feiyu

#2《河山传》贾平凹 *A Biography of Mountains and Rivers*, by Jia Pingwa

#3《星空与半颗树》陈彦 *The Starry Night and Half of a Tree*, by Chen Yan

#4《万川归》朱辉 *Rivers Flow into the Sea*, by Zhu Hui

#5《信天翁要发芽》李宏伟 *Albatrosses Are About to Sprout*, by Li Hongwei

**NOVELETTES:** #1《碾压甲骨的车轮》迟子建 *Wheels that Crushed Bones*, by Chi Zijian

#2《落日珊瑚》孙频 *Sunset Corals*, by Sun Pin

#3《逍遥仙儿》石一枫 *Carefree Sprites*, by Shi Yifeng

#4《穿行》陈思安 *Passing Through*, by Chen Si’an

#5《戏台》罗伟章 *The Theater Stage*, by Luo Weizhang

#6《两次别离》田耳 *Two Farewells*, by Tian Er

#7《一个陌生女人的来信》黎紫书, *Letter from an Unknown Woman*, by Li Zi Shu

#8《花问》计文君 *Inquiries of Flowers*, by Ji Wenjun

#9《出山》龚万莹 *Leaving the Mountains*, by Gong Wanying

#10《心海图》林森 *The Heart and the Sea*, by Lin Sen

**SHORT STORIES:** #1《不可能死去的人》鲁敏 “The Person Impossible to be Dead” by Lu Min

#2《昙花现》黄咏梅 “Udumbara Has Bloomed” by Huang Yongmei

#3《华强北往事》邓一光 “The Old Days of Huaqiangbei” by Deng Yiguang

#4《生活链》叶弥 “Life Chains” by Ye Mi

#5《松木的清香》万玛才旦 “The Aroma of Pinewood” by Pema Tseden

#6《豹猫穿过丁香花丛》潘向黎 “The Leopard Cat Passes Through the Lilac Bushes” by Pan Xiangli

#7《小亲疙瘩》莫言 “Dear Sweetie” by Mo Yan

#8《麦田望不掉边》汤成难 “The Boundless Wheat Field” by Tang Chengnan

#9《天空划过一条白线》东西 “A White Line Crosses the Sky” by Dong Xi

#10《空气中弥漫的歌声》叶兆言 “The Song That Permeates in the Air” by Ye Zhaoyan

**POETRY:** #1《祁连山诗抄（组诗十八首）》叶舟 *Eighteen Poems of the Qilian Mountains*, by Ye Zhou

#2《沉（组诗）》傅元峰 *Sinking*, by Fu Yuanfeng

#3《给反对屈原者（九首）》宋琳 *Nine Poems for Those Against Qu Yuan*, by Song Lin

#4《旧宇新寰（组诗）》陈先发 *Old Universe, New Universe*, by Chen Xianfa

#5《夜伐与虚构》雷平阳 *The Night Attack and Fiction*, by Lei Pingyang

#6《韩东的诗（十二首）》韩东 *Han Dong’s Twelve Poems*, by Han Dong

#7《胡弦的诗（八首》胡弦 *Hu Xian’s Eight Poems*, by Hu Xian

#8《世界的散文》耿占春 *The World’s Prose*, by Geng Zhanchun

#9《奉养天下春风（组诗）》薄暮 *Looking After the Zephyrs around the World*, by Bo Mu

#10《西楼夜凭栏（组诗）》李元胜 *Leaning on the West Terrance Rails at Night*, by Li Yuansheng

**NONFICTION:** #1《陀思妥耶夫斯基一生的九个瞬间》刘文飞 *Nine Moments of Dostoevsky's Life*, by Liu Wenfei

#2《独留明月照江南》马小起 *Leaving the Full Moon Alone to Brighten Jiangnan,* by Ma Xiaoqi

#3《从城南到城北》孙郁 *From the South to the North of the City*, by Sun Yu

#4 “万物生”专栏,《收获》杂志 阿来 “Sprouting Lives”, a column in *Harvest Magazine*, by Alai

#5《忆德公》李洱 *Remembering Degong*, by Li Er

#6《故人三题》杨苡 *Words of Three Old Friends*, by Yang Yi

#7《横断浪途》七堇年 *Drifting Across the Hengduan Mountains*, by Qi Jin Nian

#8 “履霜志”专栏，《山花》杂志 黄德海 “Treading Frost,” a column in *Shanhua Magazine*, by Huang Dehai

#9《入神记》李世许 *Mesmerization*, by Li Shixu

#10《人们叫我机师傅》陈年喜 *People Call Me Master Mechanic*, by Chen Nianxi

**2023 Chinese Association of Contemporary Literature Charts 中国当代文学研究会年榜 (Released Jan 29)**

**NOVELS:** #1《星空与半颗树》陈彦 *The Starry Night and Half of a Tree*, by Chen Yan

#2《欢迎来到人间》毕飞宇 *Welcome to Humanity*, by Bi Feiyu

#3《阿娜阿畔》阿舍 *A’Na and A’Pan*, by Ashe

#4《信天翁要发芽》李宏伟 *Albatrosses Are About to Sprout*, by Li Hongwei

#5《直溪》储福金 *Zhixi*, by Chu Fujin

#6《换届》张平 *The Reelection*, by Zhang Ping

#7《河山传》贾平凹 *A Biography of Mountains and Rivers*, by Jia Pingwa

#8《草木志》老藤 *Records of Grass and Wood*, by Laoteng

#9《云落图》张楚 *Falling Clouds*, by Zhang Chu

#10《大辽河》津子围 *The Daliao River*, by Jin Ziwei

**NOVELETTES:** #1《老宅》麦家 *The Old House*, by Mai Jia

#2《逍遥仙儿》石一枫 *Carefree Sprites*, by Shi Yifeng

#3《戏台》罗伟章 *The Theater Stage*, by Luo Weizhang

#4《海边的向日葵》肖勤 *Sunflowers by the Sea*, by Xiao Qin

#5《月光草原》杨方 *Moonlight Grassland*, by Yang Fang

#6《花问》计文君 *Inquiries of Flowers*, by Ji Wenjun

#7《渔火》沈念 *Lights on Fishing Boats*, by Shen Nian

#8《去云那边》须一瓜 *To the Other Side of the Clouds,* by Xu Yigua

#9《渔家姑娘在海边》林那北 *The Fisherman’s Daughter is by the Sea*, by Lin Nabei

#10《裸露的山体》娜仁高娃 *The Naked Body of the Mountain*, by Narangua

**SHORT STORIES:** #1《天空划过一条白线》东西 “A White Line Crosses the Sky” by Dong Xi

#2《音声轶话》牛健哲 “Tales of Sound and Music” by Niu JIanzhe

#3《手稿，猴子，或行李箱奇谈》徐则臣 “A Strange Tale about Manuscripts, Monkeys, or Suitcases” by Xu Zechen

#4《午夜的海晏县大街》索南才让 ”Midnight on Haiyan County Main Street” by Sonam Tsering

#5《假装是一棵桃树》蔡测海 “Pretending to Be a Peach Tree” by Cai Cehai

#6《热带刺客》赵挺 “The Tropical Assassin” by Zhao Ting

#7《华强北往事》邓一光 “The Old Days of Huaqiangbei” by Deng Yiguang

#8《春天果然短暂》马小淘 “Spring was Short, Of Course” by Ma Xiaotao

#9《抠绿大师II･陨石》孙睿 “The Green-Cropping Master II: The Asteroid” by Sun Rui

#10《风动芰荷》艾玛 “Wind Moves the Lotus Flowers” by Aima

**POETRY:** #1《水调歌头》胡弦 *Water Melody*, by Hu Xian

#2《欢喜》鲁娟 *Joy*, by Lu Juan

#3《向晚》马累 *At Dusk*, by Ma Lei

#4《宿墨与量子男孩》欧阳江河 *Overnight Ink and the Quantum Boy*, by Ouyang Jianghe

#5《剩山》赵野 *The Leftover Mountain*, by Zhao Ye

#6《略多于悲哀——陈东东四十年诗选：1981-2021》陈东东 *Slightly More than Sadness—Selected Poems by Chen Dongdong, 1981-2021*, by Chen Dongdong

#7《我在双鱼座上给你写信》李亚伟 *I’m Writing a Letter to You from Pisces*, by Li Yawei

#8《漫游：于坚诗选2011-2021》于坚 *Voyages: Selected Poems by Yu Jian, 2011-2021*, by Yu Jian

#9《西川的诗》西川 *Xi Chuan’s Poetry*, by Xi Chuan

#10《一个拣鲨鱼牙齿的人：胡续冬诗选》胡续冬 *A Man Who Picks Shark Teeth: Selected Poems by Hu Xudong*

**PERSONAL NARRATIVES:** #1《小虫子》庞余亮 *Little Worms*, by Pang Yuliang

#2《纸上万物浮现如初》王芸 *Everything Appears in Their Earliest Form on the Surface of Paper*, by Wang Yun

#3《西高地行记》阿来 *A Visit to the West Highland*, by Alai

#4《那些无法赞美的》木叶 *Things That Can’t Be Praised*, by Mu Ye

#5《丝路：行走的植物》沈苇 *The Silk Road: Plants that Walk*, by Shen Wei

#6《蓝英年随笔》蓝英年 *Lan Yingnian’s Essays*, by Lan Yingnian

#7《不要怕》刘年 *Don’t Be Afraid*, by Liu Nian

#8《故乡那么辽阔，为何还要远行》王选 *Why Do We Leave Our Hometown When It’s Already So Vast*, by Wang Xuan

#9《长安道上：缤纷的唐人世界》董乃斌 *On the Streets of Chang’an: The Colorful World of the Tang People*, by Dong Naibin

#10《苍穹驿站》苏沧桑 *Heaven’s Posting Station*, by Su Cangsang

**REPORTAGE:** #1《我在北京送快递》胡安焉 *I Deliver Parcels in Beijing*, by Hu Anyan

#2《杭州传：住在天堂》王旭烽 *Living in Heaven: A Biography of Hangzhou*, by Wang Xufeng

#3《奔跑的中国草》钟兆云 *China’s Running Grass*, by Zhong Zhaoyun

#4《将军和他的树》鲁顺民 *The General and His Trees*, by Lu Shunmin

#5《我和我的角色》濮存昕 *My Characters and I*, by Pu Cunxin

#6《大国制造》纪红建 *Made in the Great Nation*, by Ji Hongjian

#7《石榴花开》何建明 *Pomegranate Flowers Have Bloomed*, by He Jianming

#8《仰望星空：共和国功勋孙家栋》黄传会 *Gazing at the Starry Sky: Sun Jiadong, Medal of the Republic*, by Huang Chuanhui

#9《西藏妈妈》徐剑 *Tibetan Moms*, by Xu Jian

#10《苍生大医》李琭璐 *The Doctor of the Common People*, by Li Lulu

**2024 One Way Street Book Award 单向街文学奖 (Winners Mar 24)**

**WINNERS** (OWS also nominates works of translation. This list includes only winning works written in Chinese):

《赶时间的人：一个外卖员的诗》王计兵 *Those Who Chase Time: Poems by a Delivery Worker*, by Wang Jibing

《我在北京送快递》胡安焉 *I Deliver Parcels in Beijing*, by Hu Anyan (memoir)

《五四婚姻》孔慧怡 *May Fourth Marriages*, by Eva Hung (nonfiction)

**2024 Dangdai LIterature Prize 当代文学奖 (Winner Apr 28)**

**WINNERS:** 《欢迎来到人间》毕飞宇 *Welcome to Humanity*, by Bi Feiyu

《星空与半颗树》陈彦 *The Starry Night and Half of a Tree*, by Chen Yan

《换届》张平 *The* *Reelection*, by Zhang Ping

《河山传》贾平凹 *A Biography of Mountains and Rivers*, by Jia Pingwa

《信天翁要发芽》李宏伟 *Albatrosses Are About to Sprout*, by Li Hongwei

**2023 Douban Books of the Year – Chinese Fiction**

#1《太白金星有点烦》马伯庸 *Taibai Jinxing Has Been Cranky*, by Ma Boyong

#2《豆子芝麻茶》杨本芬 *Bean and Sesame Tea*, by Yang Benfen

#3《在小山和小山之间》李停 *Between Hills and Hills*, by Li Ting

#4《老实好人》顾湘 *Well-Behaved Good People*, by Gu Xiang

#5《孔雀菩提》焦典 *Peacocks and Bodhi*, by Jiao Dian

#6《缓步》班宇 *Slow Steps*, by Ban Yu

#7《有人跳舞》辽京 *Someone Was Dancing*, by Liao Jing

#8《晚春》三三 *A Late Spring*, by Sansan

#9《平乐县志》颜歌 *A Chorograph of Pingle Township*, by Yan Ge

#10《雪春秋》郑在欢 *Snow Spring Autumn*, by Zheng Zaihuan

**2023 Douban Books of the Year – Chinese Nonfiction**

**\*NOTE: This list includes a few academic and commercial titles. We’re only listing the five books of literary nonfiction in the chart.**

#1《我在北京送快递》胡安焉 *I Deliver Parcels in Beijing*, by Hu Anyan

#2《老派少女购物路线》洪爱珠 *Where the Old-Fashioned Little Miss Goes Shopping*, by Hung Ai-Chu

#6《白色绵羊里的黑色绵羊》双雪涛 *The Black Sheep inside the White Sheep*, by Shuang Xuetao

#7《那个苹果也很好：在巴黎学会自由》栾颖新 *That Other Apple Is Also Great: Learning about Freedom in Paris*, by Luan Yingxin

#8《鳄鱼》莫言 *The Allegator*, by Mo Yan