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Colorado Book Awards Online Mystery and Thriller Finalist Reading

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A burn patient, a car salesman, and a vigilante all walk into a bar. What happens next? Find out at the Mystery and Thriller Colorado Book Awards finalist reading on Wednesday, May 26 at 7 p.m. MT. Carter Wilson, four-time Colorado Book Award winner, will M.C. this Facebook and YouTube live event.

Register for this free event at coloradohumanities.org/programs/colorado-book-awards/

Finalists

Mystery

Death of a Car Salesman by Collin Brantmeyer (Ready Demolition Books)

Shadow Ridge: A Jo Wyatt Mystery by M.E. Browning (Crooked Lane Books/The Quick Brown Fox & Company)

Gone to Darkness by Barbara Nickless (Thomas & Mercer)

Thriller

The Burn Patient: A Vega and Middleton Novel by Sue Hinkin (Literary Wanderlust)

Winter Counts: A Novel by David Heska Wanbli Weiden (Ecco/HarperCollins)

Her Perfect Life: A Novel by Rebecca Taylor (Sourcebooks Landmark)

All finalist books are available for online order at [BookBar](https://bookbar.com), our presenting partner. Thanks to sponsors Outskirts Press and The Colorado Sun, winners will be announced and read briefly at a free celebration event June 26, 2021. Register at coloradohumanities.org/programs/colorado-book-awards/

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