



PROFILE

Published author of fiction, essays, creative nonfiction, and poetry in numerous publications, ranging from *O. Henry* and *Romantic Homes* to *News & Observer (Raleigh)* and *The Rumpus*

SELECTED AWARDS

Starving Artist Contest, Franklin County Writers' Guild, 1st Prize, Fiction, 2019
Women on Writing, 1st Prize for Creative Nonfiction, Winter '19 and Flash Fiction, Summer '18
Rose Post Nonfiction Prize '19, 2nd Place
Doris Betts Fiction Prize, 1999 and 2000
Pushcart Prize Nominee

BOOKS

Waiting for the Wood Thrush, Poetry Collection, Finishing Line Press, 2019

Naked and Hungry, Novel, Ingalls Publishing Group, 2011

CONTACT

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ASHLEY MEMORY

Writer and Teacher

EXPERIENCE

Central Carolina Community College, Pittsboro, N.C., Instructor, Creative Writing Program

2015-Present

Lead fiction, nonfiction, and poetry workshops

The Charlotte Center for Literary Arts, Inc., Charlotte, N.C., Instructor

2019-Present

Lead fiction, nonfiction, and submission workshops

The Joyful Jewel, Instructor, Pittsboro, N.C.

2019-Present

Lead fiction, nonfiction, and poetry workshops

Randolph County Public Library (Randolph Writers), Asheboro, N.C.

2019-Present

Lead fiction, nonfiction, and poetry workshops

EDUCATION

University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, B.A. English

1985-1989

Central Carolina Community College in Pittsboro

Certificate in Creative Writing, 2015

SKILLS

Writing. Fiction, nonfiction, and poetry.

Teaching. Advise, mentor and inspire.

Editing. Copyediting and proofreading.

Public Relations. Press releases and speechwriting.

Marketing. Communication strategy and event design.