2017 – Imbolo Mbue, Behold the Dreamers
Viet Dinh, After Disasters
Louise Erdrich, LaRose
Garth Greenwell, What Belongs to You
Sunil Yapa, Your Heart is a Muscle the Size of a Fist

2016 – James Hannaham, Delicious Foods
Julie Iromuanya, Mr. and Mrs. Doctor
Viet Thanh Nguyen, The Sympathizer
Elizabeth Tallent, Mendocino Fire
Luis Alberto Urrea, The Water Museum

2015 – Atticus Lish, Preparation for the Next Life
Jeffery Renard Allen, Song of the Shank
Jennifer Clement, Prayers for the Stolen
Emily St. John Mandel, Station Eleven
Jenny Offill, Dept. of Speculation

2014 – Karen Joy Fowler,
We Are All Completely Beside Ourselves
Daniel Alarcón, At Night We Walk In Circles
Percival Everett, Percival Everett by Virgil Russell
Joan Silber, Fools
Valerie Trueblood, Search Party: Stories of Rescue

2013 – Benjamin Alire Sáenz,
Everything Begins and Ends at the Kentucky Club
Amelia Gray, Threats
Laird Hunt, Kind One
T. Geronimo Johnson, Hold It 'Til It Hurts
Thomas Mallon, Watergate

2012 - Julie Otsuka, The Buddha in the Attic
Russell Banks, Lost Memory of Skin
Don DeLillo, The Angel Esmeralda: Nine Stories
Anita Desai, The Artist of Disappearance
Steven Millhauser, *We Others: New and Selected Stories*

2011 - Deborah Eisenberg, *The Collected Stories of Deborah Eisenberg*

Jennifer Egan, *A Visit From the Good Squad*
Jaimy Gordon, *Lord of Misrule*
Eric Puchner, *Model Home*
Brad Watson, *Aliens in the Prime of Their Lives*

2010 - Sherman Alexie, *War Dances*

Barbara Kingsolver, *The Lacuna*
Lorraine López, *Homicide Survivors Picnic*
Lorrie Moore, *A Gate at the Stairs*
Colson Whitehead, *Sag Harbor*

2009 - Joseph O'Neill, *Netherland*

Sarah Shun-lien Bynum, *Ms. Hempel Chronicles*
Susan Choi, *A Person of Interest*
Richard Price, *Lush Life*
Ron Rash, *Serena*

2008 - Kate Christensen, *The Great Man*

Annie Dillard, *The Maytrees*
David Leavitt, *The Indian Clerk*
T.M. McNally, *The Gateway: Stories*
Ron Rash, *Chemistry and Other Stories*

2007 - Philip Roth, *Everyman*

Charles D’Ambrosio, *The Dead Fish Museum*
Deborah Eisenberg, *Twilight of the Superheroes*
Amy Hempel, *The Collected Stories of Amy Hempel*
Edward P. Jones, *All Aunt Hagar’s Children*

2006 - E.L. Doctorow, *The March*

Karen Fisher, *A Sudden Country*
William Henry Lewis, *I Got Somebody in Staunton James*
Salter, *Last Night*
Bruce Wagner, *The Chrysanthemum Place*
2005 - Ha Jin, War Trash

Jerome Charyn, *The Green Lantern*
Edwidge Danticat, *The Dew Breaker*
Marilynne Robinson, *Gilead*
Steve Yarbrough, *Prisoners of War*


Frederick Barthelme, *Elroy Nights*
ZZ Packer, *Drinking Coffee Elsewhere*
Caryl Phillips, *A Distant Shore*
Tobias Wolff, *Old School*

2003 - Sabina Murray, The Caprices

Peter Cameron, *The City of Your Final Destination*
William Kennedy, *Roscoe*
Victor LaValle, *The Ecstatic*
Gilbert Sorrentino, *Little Casino*

2002 - Ann Patchett, Bel Canto

Karen Joy Fowler, *Sister Noon*
Jonathan Franzen, *The Corrections*
Claire Messud, *The Hunters*
Manil Suri, *The Death of Vishnu*

2001 - Philip Roth, The Human Stain

Michael Chabon, *The Amazing Adventures of Kavalier and Clay*
Millicent Dillon, *Harry Gold*
Denis Johnson, *The Name of the World*
Mona Simpson, *Off Keck Road*

2000 - Ha Jin, Waiting

Frederick Busch, *The Night Inspector*
Ken Kalfus, *Pu-239 And Other Russian Fantasies*
Elizabeth Strout, *Amy and Isabelle*
Lily Tuck, *Siam, or the Woman Who Shot a Man*
1999 - Michael Cunningham, The Hours
Russell Banks, Cloudsplitter
Barbara Kingsolver, The Poisonwood Bible
Brian Morton, Starting Out in the Evening
Richard Selzer, The Doctor Stories

1998 - Rafi Zabor, The Bear Comes Home
Donald Antrim, The Hundred Brothers
Rilla Askew, The Mercy Seat
Mary Gaitskill, Because They Wanted To
Francisco Goldman, The Ordinary Seaman

1997 - Gina Berriault, Women in their Beds
Daniel Akst, St. Burt's Obituary
Kathleen Cambor, The Book of Mercy
Ron Hansen, Atticus
Jamaica Kincaid, The Autobiography of My Mother

1996 - Richard Ford, Independence Day
Madison Smart Bell, All Souls’ Rising
William Gass, The Tunnel
Claire Messud, When the World Was Steady
A.J. Verdelle, The Good Negress

1995 - David Guterson, Snow Falling on Cedars
Frederich Busch, The Children in the Woods
Ursula Hegi, Stones from the River
Joyce Carol Oates, What I Lived For
Joanna Scott, Various Antidotes

1994 - Philip Roth, Operation Shylock
Stanley Elkin, Van Gogh's Room at Arles
Dagoberto Gilb, The Magic of Blood
Fae Myenne Ng, Bone
Kate Wheeler, Not Where I Started From
1993 - E. Annie Proulx, Postcards

Robert Olen Butler, *A Good Scent from a Strange Mountain*
Francisco Goldman, *The Long Night of White Chickens*
Maureen Howard, *Natural History*
Sylvia Watanabe, *Talking to the Dead*

1992 - Don DeLillo, Mao II

Stephen Dixon, *Frog*
Paul Gervais, *Extraordinary People*
Allan Gurganus, *White People*
Bradford Morrow, *The Almanac Branch*

1991 - John Edgar Wideman, Philadelphia Fire

Paul Auster, *The Music of Chance*
Joanne Meschery, *A Gentleman’s Guide to the Frontier*
Steven Millhauser, *The Barnum Museum*
Joanna Scott, *Arrogance*

1990 - E.L. Doctorow, Billy Bathgate

Russell Banks, *Affliction*
Molly Gloss, *The Jump-Off Creek*
Josephine Jacobsen, *On the Island*
Lynne Sharon Schwartz, *Leaving Brooklyn*

1989 - James Salter, Dusk

Mary McGarry Morris, *Vanished*
Thomas Savage, *The Corner of Rife and Pacific*
Isaac Bashevis Singer, *The Death of Methuselah*

1988 - T. Coraghessan Boyle, World's End

Richard Bausch, *Spirits*
Alice McDermott, *That Night*
Cynthia Ozick, *The Messiah of Stockholm*
Lawrence Thornton, *Imagining Argentina*

1987 - Richard Wiley, Soldiers in Hiding

Richard Ford, *The Sportswriter*
Charles Johnson, *The Sorcerer's Apprentice*
Janet Kauffman, *Collaborators*
Maureen Howard, *Expensive Habits*

**1986 - Peter Taylor, The Old Forest and Other Stories**

William Gaddis, *Carpenter's Gothic*
Larry McMurtry, *Lonesome Dove*
Hugh Nissenson, *The Tree of Life*
Helen Norris, *The Christmas Wife*
Grace Paley, *Later the Same Day*

**1985 - Tobias Wolff, The Barracks Thief**

Harriet Doerr, *Stones for Ibarra*
Donald Hays, *The Dixie Association*
David Leavitt, *Family Dancing*
James Purdy, *On Glory's Courses*

**1984 - John Edgar Wideman, Sent for You Yesterday**

Ron Hansen, *The Assassination of Jesse James by the Coward Robert Ford*
William Kennedy, *Ironweed*
Jamaica Kincaid, *At the Bottom of the River*
Bernard Malamud, *The Stories*
Cynthia Ozick, *The Cannibal Galaxy*

**1983 - Toby Olson, Seaview**

Maureen Howard, *Grace Abounding*
Bobbie Ann Mason, *Shiloh and Other Stories*
George Steiner, *The Portage to San Cristobal of A.H.*
Anne Tyler, *Dinner at the Homesick Restaurant*
William S. Wilson, *Birthplace*

**1982 - David Bradley, The Chaneysville Incident**

Donald Barthelme, *Sixty Stories*
Richard Bausch, *Take Me Back*
Mark Helprin, *Ellis Island and Other Stories*
Marilynne Robinson, *Housekeeping*
Robert Stone, *A Flag for Sunrise*
1981 - Walter Abish, How German Is It?

Shirley Hazzard, *The Transit of Venus*
Walker Percy, *The Second Coming*
Gilbert Sorrentino, *Aberration of Starlight*
John Kennedy Toole, *A Confederacy of Dunces*