For over two decades, APALA has presented the Asian Pacific American Award for Literature.

This nationally recognized award honors and recognizes individual work about Asian Americans, Native Hawaiians, Pacific Islanders and their heritage, based on literary and artistic merit.

We honor winners and honorable mentions in five categories. Our Literature Awards list is referenced in classrooms and libraries all over the country and many of our authors are bestsellers.

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ABOUT

APALA is a nonprofit organization dedicated to enhancing leadership opportunities through informed dialogue that addresses the needs of Asian American, Native Hawaiian and Pacific Islander library workers and those who serve these communities.

We fund library research grants, provide scholarships for AANHPI student education, and award travel grants so AANHPI librarians can access professional development.

Our literacy outreach programs reach hundreds of Asian American, Native Hawaiian, Pacific Islander and American Indian/Alaska Native families every year: we celebrate and explore their stories through books, oral traditions, and art to provide an interactive, enriching experience.

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