AUTHOR QUESTIONNAIRE

Date

Name

Branch

Email

Phone

Address

Website

* Proposed title and subtitle (if any)
* In a few paragraphs, please tell us about your book.
* What expertise do you bring to this subject?
* Your book’s genre (Young Adult, Children's Book, Literary Fiction, Historical Fiction, Mystery, Romance, Non-fiction, and Memoir, etc.)
* Does your book include illustrations? Do you need recommendations for an illustrator?
* What is the completed manuscript word count?
* Has your manuscript been edited?
* Has your manuscript gone through a peer review?
* What is the end goal for your finished book? (E-book? Print-on-demand?)

Should Pen Women Press accept your project, the following information will be invaluable for the promotion of your book. Please include as many answers as possible.

* Is your book a first edition?
* Please write a two-sentence biography of yourself for the back cover of your book.
* Co-authors, if any. Please include name, contact info, and short bio.
* Please write a short (under 175 words) description of your book for marketing purposes.
* Write a bullet list of benefits and special features of this book, if applicable.
* Do you plan to include an index?
* Who will endorse your book? Endorsements are a major part of publicizing your book. An endorsement is a 2-5 line “blurb” from someone in the field of your book. Ideally, an endorser will attest to the practicality, usefulness, timeliness, etc. of your work. Three or four endorsements are a good target.
* Please list any blogs that may have a special interest in your book.

Please email your responses to Lucy Arnold, Publications Chair

penwomenpress@nlapw.org or lucy@lucyarnold.com