

PRESS RELEASE

The *RTÉ Guide* and Penguin Ireland have joined forces to launch a short story competition for budding writers ...

The short story should be no more than 1,500 words and entries should be sent to: **The Books Competition, *RTÉ Guide*, RTÉ, Donnybrook, Dublin 4.** It should be an original work, neither previously published nor broadcast. **The closing date is Friday 6 August.**

The winner will be published in the *RTÉ Guide* and will win a place on a one-day writer's workshop hosted by Penguin Ireland and Dublin City Libraries on Friday 10 September in Pearse Street Library, Dublin 2. One hundred of the best runner-up entrants will also be selected to attend the one-day workshop. The event is free and refreshments will be provided.