

THE WALTER
SCOTT PRIZE
FOR HISTORICAL
FICTION



2021

Winner: *The Mirror and the Light* by Hilary Mantel

Shortlist: *The Tolstoy Estate* by Steven Conte

A Room Made of Leaves by Kate Grenville

Hamnet by Maggie O'Farrell

The Dictionary of Lost Words by Pip Williams

2019

Winner: *The Long Take* by Robin Robertson

Shortlist: *A Long Way From Home* by Peter Carey

After The Party by Cressida Connolly

The Western Wind by Samantha Harvey

Now We Shall Be Entirely Free by Andrew Miller

Warlight by Michael Ondaatje

2017

Winner: *Days Without End* by Sebastian Barry

Shortlist: *A Country Road, A Tree* by Jo Baker

The Vanishing Futurist by Charlotte Hobson

The Good People by Hannah Kent

Golden Hill by Francis Spufford

Mothering Sunday by Graham Swift

The Gustav Sonata by Rose Tremain

2015

Winner : *The Ten Thousand Things* by John Spurling

Shortlist : *The Zone of Interest* by Martin Amis

The Lie by Helen Dunmore

Viper Wine by Hermione Eyre

In the Wolf's Mouth by Adam Foulds

Arctic Summer by Damon Galgut

A God in Every Stone by Kamila Shamsie

2013

Winner: *The Garden Of Evening Mists* by Tan Twan Eng

Shortlist: *Toby's Room* by Pat Barker

The Daughters Of Mars by Thomas Keneally

Bring Up The Bodies by Hilary Mantel

The Streets by Anthony Quinn

Merivel by Rose Tremain

2020

Winner: *The Narrow Land* by Christine Dwyer Hickey

Shortlist: *The Parisian* by Isabella Hammad

To Calais, in Ordinary Time by James Meek

Shadowplay by Joseph O'Connor

The Redeemed by Tim Pears

A Sin of Omission by Marguerite Poland

2018

Winner: *The Gallows Pole* by Benjamin Myers

Shortlist: *Manhattan Beach* by Jennifer Egan

Sugar Money by Jane Harris

Grace by Paul Lynch

The Wardrobe Mistress by Patrick McGrath

Miss Boston and Miss Hargreaves by Rachel Malik

2016

Winner: *Tightrope* by Simon Mawer

Shortlist: *Sweet Caress* by William Boyd

A Place Called Winter by Patrick Gale

Mrs Engels by Gavin McCrea

End Games in Bordeaux by Allan Massie

Salt Creek by Lucy Treloar

2014

Winner : *An Officer and a Spy* by Robert Harris

Shortlist : *Life After Life* by Kate Atkinson

The Luminaries by Eleanor Catton

Harvest by Jim Crace

Fair Helen by Andrew Greig

The Promise by Ann Weisgarber

2012

Winner: *On Canaan's Side* by Sebastian Barry

Shortlist: *The Sisters Brothers* by Patrick de Witt

Half Blood Blues by Esi Edugyan

The Stranger's Child by Alan Hollinghurst

Pure by Andrew Miller

The Quality of Mercy by Barry Unsworth

2011

Winner: *The Long Song* by Andrea Levy

Shortlist: *C* by Tom McCarthy

The Thousand Autumns of Jacob de Zoet by David Mitchell

Ghost Light by Joseph O'Connor

Heartstone by C J Sansom

2010

Winner: *Wolf Hall* by Hilary Mantel

Shortlist: *Hodd* by Adam Thorpe

Lustrum by Robert Harris

Sacred Hearts by Sarah Dunant

Stone's Fall by Iain Pears

To Kill a Tsar by Andrew Williams

The Glass Room by Simon Mawer

The Quickening Maze by Adam Foulds