The Lena M. Shull Book Contest is an annual contest for a full-length poetry manuscript written by a resident of North Carolina. The manuscript must not have been previously published.

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The winning manuscript will be published by St. Andrews University Press, and the poet will receive $250, fifty copies of their book, and will be a featured reader at McIntyre’s Books & .

The entry fee is $25 per manuscript. Entrants may submit more than one manuscript.

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