

# BOTH WORLD SCIENCE FICTION CONVENTION – 2022 SITE SELECTION BALLOT

## Rules (please read carefully):

**Eligibility:** To be eligible to vote, you must be a living, natural person and either a Full Attending or Supporting Member of CoNZealand. Ballots cast for memberships held by non-natural persons, such as “Guest of” memberships, clubs, toys, et cetera, may only be voted as “No Preference.” Please note that Day Passes do NOT include voting rights.

If you do not have a membership and want to vote, you may purchase a Supporting Membership on the CoNZealand website ([members.conzealand.nz/memberships](http://members.conzealand.nz/memberships)). CoNZealand memberships cannot be purchased via a ballot submitted by mail.

You must also pay an Advance Supporting Membership (Voting) Fee of NZ\$72 to vote in the 2022 Worldcon site selection. Payment may only be made online, using your credit card, on the CoNZealand website.

Follow the instructions on the website at [members.conzealand.nz/reservations](http://members.conzealand.nz/reservations). Please use the subpage for paying the voting fee for the Worldcon site selection. You will receive a voting token; enter it on your ballot as proof of payment.

NO CHEQUES OR CASH ARE ACCEPTED BY MAIL.

Postal ballots must be received by Monday, 13 July, 2020.

You may cast your signed ballot by postal mail, or as a PDF by email, sent to: [siteselection2022vote@conzealand.nz](mailto:siteselection2022vote@conzealand.nz).

PDF ballots must be received by Wednesday, 29 July, 2020, 12:00 pm (noon) Wellington time.

**Voting:** Site Selection ballots are tallied by preferential balloting procedures. The winner is the first option to receive a majority of those ballots expressing a preference. Indicate your favourite selection with a “1,” your next favourite with a “2,”

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and so on. If you mark an “X” with no other marks, that will count as a “1” for that option and no other preferences. Please do not use any marks other than these.

### Mailing Instructions:

1. Mark your vote and fill in the membership and payment details on the other side of this sheet.
2. Include your name and address on your ballot. In addition to this information being used to validate the ballot, we will provide it to the winning bid so that they know who their members are. This information will be kept confidential.
3. Sign your ballot with a pen.
4. After filling out both sections of the ballot and signing it, fold the ballot along the dashed lines below, then tape the fold shut at the solid line, in order to conceal your vote from casual viewing prior to the ballot count.
5. Ballots may be submitted by postal mail to:

CoNZealand Site Selection  
C/- Alan Stewart  
PO Box 7111  
RICHMOND VIC 3121  
AUSTRALIA

The deadline for receipt of mail-in ballots is Monday, 13 July, 2020.

Ballots may be submitted by email as a PDF to [siteselection2022vote@conzealand.nz](mailto:siteselection2022vote@conzealand.nz). PDFs must be signed, but may contain an electronic signature.

For the full details of the site selection rules, see Article 4 of the WSFS Constitution. If you have any questions regarding this ballot or the application of Article 4 to the selection of the 80th Worldcon, contact us at the address above or at [siteselection@conzealand.nz](mailto:siteselection@conzealand.nz).

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**Voter Identification** (please print or type clearly):

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Badge name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Address 2nd line \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State/Province/Prefecture \_\_\_\_\_

Country \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP/Postal Code \_\_\_\_\_

Email address \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

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Unsigned ballots will be considered "No Preference" if otherwise valid

I would like to receive paper publications from the winning bid. (There may be an additional cost for this option, at the bid's discretion.) YES  NO

I give my permission to the winning bid to publish my name as a member on their website and/or in print progress reports: YES  NO

**Advance Membership (Voting) Fee** — includes a Supporting membership in the 80th Worldcon:

I have paid my Worldcon 2022 voting fee on the CoNZealand website; my voting token is: \_\_\_\_\_

## Eligibility to Vote:

You must be an Attending ('Adult'/'Young Adult') or Supporting Member of CoNZealand to vote.

I am a member of CoNZealand. My membership number (if known) is: \_\_\_\_\_.

Membership number can be retrieved from the CoNZealand membership page at [members.conzealand.nz](http://members.conzealand.nz) when you are logged in and can see your membership details.

All data collected herein is subject to the right of access and the right to rectify data, as prescribed by the EU Data Protection Directive. All data is collected by CoNZealand, the 78th World Science Fiction Convention, and will be shared with the winning bid for the right to host the 80th World Science Fiction Convention for use in their membership database and in related communications and activities.

We must receive mail-in ballots by Monday, 13 July, 2020.

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## Chicago in 2022 (Chicago, IL, USA)

Facilities: Hyatt Regency Chicago.

Dates: 1–5 September 2022 (Labor Day weekend)

Committee: Helen Montgomery (co-chair), Dave McCarty (co-chair), David Abzug, Gary Agin, James Bacon, Pam Burr, Gadi Evron, David Hirsch, RJ Johnson, Douglas Killings, Kerry Kuhn, Sandra Levy, Siobhan Murphy, Brian Nisbet, Chris Rose, Ann Marie Rudolph, Jason Spitzer, Bill Thomasson, Barbara van Tilburg, Tom Veal, Leane Verhulst, Ben Yalow.

## Jeddicon 2022 (Jeddah, Saudi Arabia)

Facilities: King Faisal Conference Centre, Jeddah, Saudi Arabia

Dates: 4–8 May 2022

Committee: Yasser Bahjatt (chair), Khalid Alsameti, Rami Hamzah, Dr. Ashraf Fagih, Ahmad Sabbagh, Tamim Kashgari, Mohammed Albakri, Raneen Bukhari, Thamer Alturaif.

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**Write-in:** \_\_\_\_\_

In order to win, a Write-in bid must file the required paperwork with CoNZealand 2020 before the close of voting.

## No Preference

Equivalent to an abstention or blank ballot, a vote for No Preference means that, when it becomes your highest remaining choice, you don't care which option wins. We will not count any of your choices numbered after this choice.

## None of the Above

A vote for None of the Above indicates that you are opposed to all of the options. If None of the Above wins, the WSFS Business Meeting at CoNZealand 2020 will select the site.