

# Renaissance Online Magazine

**Renaissance Online Magazine (ROM)** is a non-profit, monthly magazine, published exclusively online. The editors encourage unsolicited submissions but recommend that potential contributors visit the magazine and browse our archives before submitting. ROM can be found at [www.renaissancemag.com](http://www.renaissancemag.com). Please write with a specific department in mind and note the section within the cover letter of all submissions.

ROM prefers email submissions but will consider traditionally mailed pieces. For emailed pieces, please cut-and-paste the work into the body of an email. Only use attachments as a last resort to avoid software conflicts and potential virus complications. If an attachment is necessary, save your document as "text-only" and attach *one* copy to the email.

## DEPARTMENTAL POLICIES

- Technology:** Published in *Bytes and Picas*. Currently seeking dedicated writers for news and reviews of the gadget culture, including video games, technology, the internet and marketing strategies. Please query for more information. Pieces will need to be thought-provoking and issue oriented. Word counts will range from 500-800.
- Reviews:** Review opportunities exist in television, music, movies and books. Our most pressing need is to find a dedicated television writer — someone who is familiar with industry trends and can write an entertaining, monthly piece on television programs and trends. ROM also reviews books of poetry occasionally; open to unsolicited reviews, but query first. Reviews must be unbiased and not PR for the publisher. Please query first.
- Essays:** Published in the section *That's Life*. Pieces should be about true-life events and fall between 800-1000 words. Work should present a thought-provoking dialogue on a current and/or news-worthy topic. *Always in demand*.
- Sports:** Please query first. Opportunities exist for monthly baseball, football and basketball writers as well as a general sports columnist. Pieces will need to be thought-provoking and issue oriented, not game stories. Word counts will range from 500-800.
- Fiction:** Pieces from 800-2000 words (approx. 3-8 double-spaced pages). Serial fiction is also considered, but please query with idea before submitting. Wide range of fiction considered but will not read lewd or sexually graphic works.
- Poetry:** Work should be cerebral (no limericks or the like). Will consider multiple submissions (not to exceed five) and publish up to three poems per poet. Poetry should reveal a strong emotion and be able to elicit a response from the reader. No nursery rhymes or profane works. *Contact: Nicholas Twemlow*.
- Other:** Humor and Food for Thought pieces are only considered from query.

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