

Biography: Megan Chance

Megan Chance is the bestselling, critically acclaimed author of several novels. Her novels *Glamorous Notions* and *Bone River* were Amazon Editors' Picks, *Glamorous Notions*, *A Splendid Ruin* and *A Drop of Ink* were Editor's Choice picks from the Historical Novel Society, and *An Inconvenient Wife* was an IndieNext pick. Critics love the work of Megan Chance. *Booklist* calls her writing "Provocative and haunting." "Magical," says *The Kitsap Sun*. "Stellar characterization, terrific dialogue," praises *Publishers Weekly*. "Impossible to stop reading," raves the *Seattle Times*.

In addition to her historical fiction novels, *Glamorous Notions* (2025) *A Dangerous Education* (2023), *A Splendid Ruin* (2021), *A Drop of Ink* (2017) *The Visitant* (2015), *Inamorata* (2014), *Bone River* (2012), *City of Ash* (2011), *Prima Donna* (2009), *The Spiritualist* (2008), *An Inconvenient Wife* (2004) and *Susannah Morrow* (2002), Ms. Chance is the author of the young adult *Fianna Trilogy*, short stories, and eight historical romance novels. Her novels have been translated into several different languages.

She is also a popular workshop speaker whose speaking credits include the Pacific Northwest Writers Conference, Romance Writers of America National Conference, Edmonds Write on the Sound Conference, the Assistance League, Timberland Regional Libraries, and many others.

Ms. Chance was born in Columbus, Ohio, and moved to Washington State as a girl. She is a graduate of Western Washington University. Megan Chance lives in the Pacific Northwest.

Author of:

Historical Fiction:

The Vermilion Sea, Lake Union Publishing, February 2026, 978-1-662533501
Glamorous Notions, Lake Union Publishing, January 2025, 978-1662515774
A Dangerous Education, Lake Union Publishing, February 2023, 978-1-79978878-2
A Splendid Ruin, Lake Union Publishing, January 2021, 978-1542022392
A Drop of Ink, Lake Union Publishing, January 2017, 978-1503940994
The Visitant, Lake Union Publishing, September 2015, 978-1503945173
Inamorata, Lake Union Publishing, July 2014, 978-1477823033
Bone River, Amazon Publishing, December 2012, 978-1-612-18484-5
City of Ash, Crown Books/Broadway Paperbacks, June 2011, 978-0-307-46103-2
Prima Donna, Crown Books/Three Rivers Press, December 2009, 978-0-307-46101-8
The Spiritualist, Crown Books/Three Rivers Press, June 2008, 978-0-307-40611-8
An Inconvenient Wife, Warner, April 2004, 0-446-52956-7
Susannah Morrow, Warner, October 2002, 0-446-52953-2

Young Adult Fiction:

The Veil (Book 3 of the Fianna Trilogy), Skyscape, August 2015, 978-1503945715

The Web (Book 2 of the Fianna Trilogy), Skyscape, January 2015, 978-1477827093
The Shadows (Book 1 of the Fianna Trilogy), Skyscape, June 2014. 978-1477847183

Short Stories:

We Shall Take Our Lives into Our Own Keeping, Tales from Suffragette City, October 2020, Henry Holt, 978-1-250-24132-0
Tales of the Fianna: Underwave's Daughter, Nov. 2015, ISBN 978-1-936632-11-4
Tales of the Fianna: The Fair-Haired Girl, November 2015, ISBN 978-1-936632-10-7
Tales of the Fianna: The Gift of the Deer, October 2015, ISBN 978-1-936632-09-1
Tales of the Fianna: The Lovespot, October 2015, ISBN 978-1-936632-08-4
The Elopement, July 2014, Amazon Storyfront,

Historical Romance:

A Season in Eden, HarperChoice, November 1999, 0-06-108705-X
The Gentleman Caller, HarperChoice, December 1998, 0-06-108704-1
The Way Home, HarperPaperbacks, 1997, 0-06-108491-3
Fall from Grace, HarperMonogram, 1997, ISBN 0-06-108489-1
A Heart Divided, Dell, 1996, ISBN 0-440-22081-5
The Portrait, Dell, 1995, ISBN 0-440-22080-7
After the Frost, Dell, 1994, ISBN 0-440-21488-2
A Candle in the Dark, Dell, 1993, ISBN 0-440-21487-4

Awards:

2017 Editors' Choice, Historical Novels Review
2012 Amazon Editors' Pick for December
2012 Editors' Choice, Historical Novels Review
2008 Borders Original Voices pick for June
2006 IndieNext Summer pick
2000 **RT Bookclub** nomination for Career Achievement
1998 **RT Bookclub** Reviewer's Choice nomination
1997 **RT Bookclub** nomination for Career Achievement in Innovative Romance
1997 **RT Bookclub** Reviewer's Choice nomination for Best Innovative Romance
1997 Greater Seattle Chapter RWA Emerald City Keeper Award for Best Historical Romance
1996 **RT Bookclub** Reviewer's Choice nomination for Best Victorian Romance
1995 **RT Bookclub** Reviewer's Choice Certificate of Excellence for Historical Romance
1994 **RT Bookclub** Reviewer's Choice Certificate of Excellence for Historical Romance
1994 Puget Sound Romance Readers' Sunrise award, for most promising new author
1994 nomination for **Romance Writers of America's** Golden Choice (Favorite Book of the Year)

1994 **Romance Writers of America** RITA award for excellence in Romantic Fiction
1993 **RT Bookclub** Reviewer's Choice Award for Best First Historical Romance