

ITW INDEPENDENTLY PUBLISHED AUTHOR QUESTIONNAIRE

1. Independently Published Author Information

Your published author name:

Address:

City, State, Zip:

Phone:

Email:

2. List the last 5 books you have published, listing the publisher name or that the books are independently published under your name, the date published, and the number of books sold (not given away) to date for each book. Please provide proof of sales as outlined in the attached letter. (Minimum of 3 books published and sales in excess of \$1,000/month recommended for consideration.)

<u>Book Title</u>	<u>ISBN</u>	<u>Publisher</u>	<u>Date Published</u>	<u># of Books Sold</u>

3. Have you published under any other name? If so, please list.

4. Where were the books distributed for each book?

5. What marketing effort was made for each book? Explain.

6. What company did the marketing? Describe their marketing procedure.

7. Did any of the books receive editorial review by a copy editor/continuity editor? If so, who undertook the editing?

8. Have you sold film or other ancillary rights?

9. Have any of the books received any overseas distribution? If so, was any distributor or marketing organization involved? Which one? Describe if applicable.

10. List any major retailers such as Barnes & Noble, IndieBound, Amazon, iBooks, etc. that carry the book either regionally or nationwide. Provide purchase links for each.

11. Have any of the books received any critical reviews? If so, by whom? Please provide copies.

12. What is your upcoming release schedule? Do you have preorder links in place for the upcoming title(s)? If so, please provide.

13. Do you have a website? Please provide link.

14. Are you active on social media platforms such as Facebook, Twitter, Pinterest, etc? If so, please provide links.

15. Do you have a newsletter? If so, how often is it sent? How many subscribers?

16. Do you have a blog? If so, how often is it updated? How many followers?

17. Is copyright listed in your name for all of your books? If not, please provide name of copyright holder.

18. ITW also requires that you submit a copy of one of your books to ITW, P.O. Box 311, Eureka, CA 95502. If published on the Internet, provide a copy in electronic format.

Submitted on: _____
(Date)

RE: ITW IPA APPLICANT - PROOF OF SALES

Dear Author,

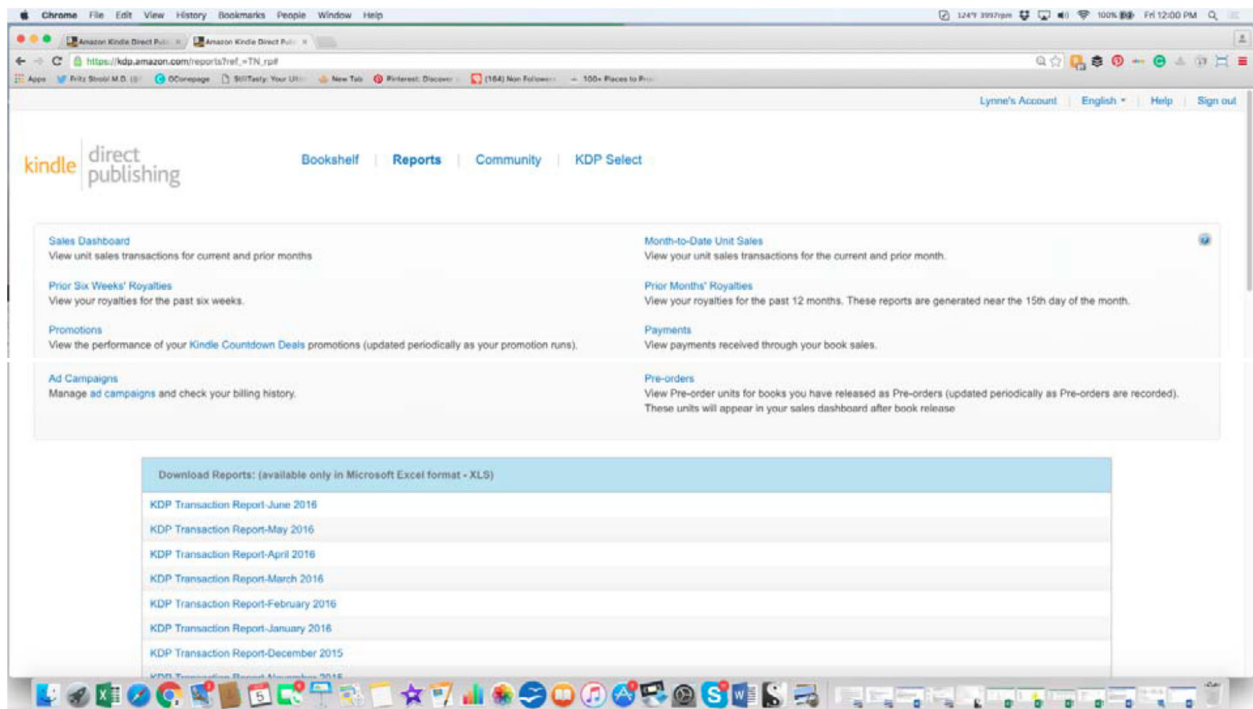
Thank you for your application for membership to International Thriller Writers. Before we can consider your application, we require documentation of proof of sales.

To be considered as an approved independent author, we ask that you demonstrate your commitment to being a novelist, which is why we inquire about how many books you've published and how many sales you've realized.

If Amazon is your primary distributor, please forward the following reports from your KDP account:

Prior Month's Royalties:

- Select a report for the past 12 months and download
- Attach Excel files with the data or take a screen shot as we have done to illustrate where to find this report...



Thank you and we look forward to considering your application.

Best wishes,
ITW Publishers Committee