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This Job is the Worst

Share stories from your most terrible employment experience

Indianapolis — Brad King, Amber Peckham, and Jessica Dyer are seeking narrative essay, poetry, and short story submissions for an edited book collection titled *Bad Jobs & Bullshit*. This collection is about the sometimes sweaty, sometimes sentimental, and always entertaining hours we've spent at the shittiest jobs imaginable. Whether it's staffing third shift at a rural gas station or hunching under the soul-sucking fluorescent lights of a corporate desk farm, everyone has a story of *that* job.

To be considered, authors can send their submissions to submit@thegeekypress.com. Submissions must be received by February 1, 2016 and include the following:

- Author's name, address and contact information
- Essays and Short Stories: Submit completed work between 1,000 and 5,000 words
- Poetry: Submit completed work; no more than 5 pages
- Bio: 150-200 words

The combination of all accepted essays, poetry and short stories, (not including footnotes or works cited), will be published by The Geeky Press. *Bad Jobs & Bullshit* will be distributed in print and digital formats through major retail outlets, including Amazon, Barnes & Noble, open publishing platforms including Kobo, and all library catalogs. Contributing authors will receive an equal division of the royalties, and will retain the copyright in their work.

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About The Geeky Press

The Geeky Press is a small writers collective based in Indianapolis, Indiana, run by Brad King, an associate professor in the Ball State University's Department of Journalism, and Amber Peckham, an Indianapolis-based writer. The group runs a blog about writing and literature, hosts a podcast, puts on live events, and supports literacy in the region. Find The Geeky Press online at www.thegeekypress.com, Facebook at www.Facebook.com/TheGeekyPress, or on Twitter at [@TheGeekyPress](https://twitter.com/TheGeekyPress)

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