

Tori Bovalino

YA AUTHOR

Short Biography (71 words)

Tori Bovalino is originally from Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania and currently lives in London. She holds a BA in English and anthropology from the University of Pittsburgh and an MA in Creative Writing from Royal Holloway, University of London. She is currently a student in Royal Holloway's Creative writing and practice-based PhD program. Tori is obsessed with chai tea, oversized sweaters, and talking about Pittsburgh. She is active on social media as @toribov.

Long Biography (136 words)

Tori Bovalino grew up near Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, and never knew she wanted to live abroad until she was already in London. She's awful at picking favorites, but her consistent go-to books are *Pride and Prejudice*, *Fire*, and *The Picture of Dorian Gray*. She's enamored with books that make her cry.

Tori holds a BA in English fiction writing and anthropology and a minor in German from the University of Pittsburgh and an MA in Creative Writing from Royal Holloway, University of London. She is currently on the Creative and practice-based PhD course at RHUL, researching the relationship between Russian folklore and YA fantasy novels. In her free time, Tori enjoys reading (duh), embroidering, and traveling.

She is represented by Dr. Uwe Stender and Amelia Appel at TriadaUS Literary Agency. She writes short stories, poetry, and novels.