



# Dara Moskowitz Grumdahl

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**DARA MOSKOWITZ GRUMDAHL** is one of the most celebrated food writers in the country. She has won the James Beard Foundation Award—the highest honor in her profession—four times, and her work has been anthologized in the *Best Food Writing in America* series six times. Grumdahl has also won awards from the Association of Food Journalists, the Society of Professional Journalists, and the Association of Alternative Newsweeklies.

Grumdahl has been with *Minnesota Monthly* since January 2008. Prior to joining the magazine, she was the restaurant, food, and wine critic for the Twin Cities alternative weekly *City Pages*. Her work has also appeared in *USA Today*, *Gourmet*, *Bon Appetit*, *Midwest Living*, *Wine & Spirits*, and many other magazines.

A native of New York City, Grumdahl's association with *Minnesota Monthly* goes back to 1994, when, as a recent graduate of Carleton College, she won the magazine's annual fiction contest, the Tamarack Award.

*Minnesota Monthly* is dedicated to exploring the life and culture of the Twin Cities and the state of Minnesota. Each month, the magazine reaches more than 200,000 readers, and features some of the region's best writers, covering dining, travel, arts and entertainment, health, history, and local personalities. In 2008, the magazine won 12 excellence awards from the Minnesota Magazine & Publications Association, including gold awards for general excellence, feature writing, overall design, and cover design.

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