

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

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WORKSHOPS

HOUSING & MEALS

MAP

STAFF INFO

SPECIAL EVENTS

MONDAY, JULY 8

- 1-4:00 Registration (Housing, Packets, Manuscripts)
- 5:00 Welcome Meeting with Brett, Lisa, Louis, Sands, Kaitlin
- 6:30 Dinner
- 7:30 Opening Talk by Vanessa Hua
"The Power of Stories: The Imaginative Leap of Empathy"

TUESDAY, JULY 9

- 7:30 am Making Workshops Work with Sands Hall
- 8:30-11:30 Morning Workshop
- 1:00 Craft Talk: "Eight Drafts in Search of a Story" by Ramona Ausubel
Panel: "And the Queen Died of Grief" - About Character with Devi Laskar, Patricia Meyer, Margaret Wilkerson Sexton, Héctor Tobar, Moderated by Jane Vandenburg
- 3:00 Panel: "Stories vs. the Novel: Toe to Toe" with Leland Cheuk, Dagoberto Gilb, Krys Lee, Gregory Spatz
Moderated by Andrew Tonkovich
- 4:00 Open Workshop with Sands Hall
- 5:30 Leland Cheuk, Rhoda Huffey, Krys Lee, Margaret Wilkerson Sexton,
- 6:30 Dinner
- 7:30 Staff read and talk about their work: Tyler Dilts, Alex Espinoza, Rachel Howard, Victoria Patterson

WEDNESDAY, JULY 10

- 8:30-11:30 Morning Workshop
- 1:00 Craft Talk: "Where Fiction and Memoir Meet" by Sands Hall
- 2:00 Panel: "Fabulist, Uncanny, Magical and Absurd: Alternate Realities in Fiction" with Ramona Ausubel, Wayétu Moore, Andrew Tonkovich
Moderated by Louis B. Jones
- 3:00 "How Independent Presses and Journals Will Save the World! A Sequel" with Leland Cheuk, Dagoberto Gilb, Andrew Tonkovich, Oscar Villalon
- 4:00 Open Workshop with Sands Hall
- 5:30 Short Takes Staff Readings: Greg Bills, Katharine Dion, Andrew Tonkovich, Jane Vandenburg
- 7:30 Staff Read and Talk About Their Work: Janet Fitch, Vanessa Hua, Julia Flynn Siler, Gregory Spatz

THURSDAY, JULY 11

- 8:30-11:30 Morning Workshop
- 1:00 Literary Agent Panel: Miriam Altshuler, Susan Golomb, Peter Steinberg, Jonah Straus moderated by Oscar Villalon
- 2:00 Agent and Author in Discussion: Susan Golomb and Wayétu Moore
- 2:30 Book Editor Panel: Ben George, Christine Pride, Jack Shoemaker
Moderated by Michael Carlisle

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- 3:30 Editor and Author in Discussion: Ben George and Katharine Dion
- 4:00 Open Workshop with Sands Hall
- 5:00 Reception for the Published Alums
- 5:30 Published alumni reading: Kate Hope Day, Devi Laskar, Wayétu Moore, Grace Talusan Introduced by Krys Lee
- 6:30 Dinner
- 7:30 "You Must Read This: The Narrative Technique that Stopped You In Your Tracks" with readings by various staff members.

FRIDAY, JULY 12

- 8:30-11:30 Morning Workshop
- 1:00 Sands Hall's Open Workshop for Adaptation Class participants. (By sign-up. At least 10 to run.)
Afternoon and evening off (No dinner provided)

SATURDAY, JULY 13

- 8:30-11:30 Morning Workshop
- 1:00 The Interview: Joyce Carol Oates by Capital Public Radio's Beth Ruyak
- 2:00 Legendary Author and Editor: A Conversation with Daniel Halpern and Amy Tan
- 3:00 Panel: "You Talkin' to Me?" About Dialogue with Janet Fitch, Rhoda Huffey, Michelle Latiolais, Louis B. Jones, moderated by Andrew Tonkovich
- 4:00 Open Workshop with Sands Hall
- 5:30 Short Takes Staff Readings: Frances Dinkelspiel, Tom Lutz, Patricia Meyer, Héctor Tobar
- 6:30 Dinner
- 7:30 Staff Read and Discuss Their Work: Daniel Halpern, Joyce Carol Oates, Amy Tan conversation to follow with Beth Ruyak

SUNDAY, JULY 14

- 8:30-11:30 Morning Workshop
- 1:00 Panel: "The King Died" - *About Plot* with Rachel Howard, Vanessa Hua, Victoria Patterson, moderated by Tyler Dilts
- 2:00 Panel: A Magnificent Obsession - Fulfilling the Obligations and Demands of Your Subject with Alex Espinoza, Frances Dinkelspiel, Janet Fitch, Julia Flynn Siler, moderated by Beth Ruyak
- 3:00 Beyond the Conference: Sustaining the Momentum with Ramona Ausubel, Tyler Dilts, Vanessa Hua, Victoria Patterson
Moderated by Lisa Alvarez
- 7:30 Tribute to Tom Rickman
The 49th Annual Invitational Follies

MONDAY JULY 15

- 9:30 Continental Breakfast for All followed by the Closing Talk by *LA Review of Books* Publisher and author, Tom Lutz:
Reading Under the Blanket

Goodbyes

The Bookstore is open most days 12:00 - 5:30. Most afternoon Events will take place in Bar One; 5:30 Short Takes Readings will take place in Plaza Bar. Dinner will be served outdoors each evening at 6:30. Weather permitting, Evening Events will take place outside after dinner. (Dress in layers; bring a jacket.) Open Workshop with Sands Hall will take place in the Pocket Bar.

*Patricia Meyer's Special Adaptation Class will take place in the Palisades (A) in the Village.

* Enrollment closed.