

Thursday, Nov. 4

10:30-11:30 am Write in with Polly McCann

6:30-7:30 pm Kick-off with Michelle Tea and Alyssa Cole
Moderated by Philip Denver

Friday, Nov. 5

8:30-9 am Meet Your Conference Organizers:
Melanie Fuemmeler, Chris Koppenhaver,
Cassandra Gillig, Helen Hokanson, and Joseph Keehn

9-10 am The Cold Eye: Editing Your Own Poetry with Al Ortolani

9-11 am Writing About Pleasure with Charlesia McKinney

10-11 am Coffee with Philip Denver

10 am-Noon Building Memorable Characters with Alyssa Cole

11 am-Noon Learn How to Write Anything: Deliberate Practice and
Crafting Writers with Joe Milan

11:30 am-12:30 pm Book Discussion “Broken Places & Outer Spaces”
with Jessica Conoley

Noon-1 pm Lunch with Philip Denver

1-2 pm Overcoming Writers Block with Tarot and Other Tricks
with Michelle Tea

1:30-3:30 pm Recess with Mary Silwance

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3:30-4:30 pm Recess with Mary Silwance

4-5 pm Playing with Someone Else’s Toys: Writing Licensed
Fiction with Orrin Grey

4-6 pm Overcoming Writers Block with Michelle Tea

6:30-7:30 pm Book Discussion, “Writing Down the Bones”
with Jessica Conoley

Saturday, Nov. 6

9-10 am Coffee with Philip Denver

10-11 am Getting Out of My Own Way: Debunking Writing Myths
with Charlesia McKinney

10:30-11:30 am Write in with Polly McCann

11:30 am-12:30 pm I Wrote That? The Value of the Critique Group
with Virginia Brackett, Nick Lopez, George Pettigrew,
and HC Palmer

11:30 am-12:30 pm Book Discussion, “Writing Down the Bones”
with Jessica Conoley

Noon-2 pm The Everyday Poem: Writing from Today’s Point of
View, a Poetry Workshop with Al Ortolani

1-2 pm Lunch with Philip Denver

1-2 pm Building Your DIY Writing Career with Michelle Tea

2-3 pm Inspiration Scavenger Hunt with Mary Silwance

2:30-3:30 pm Genre-bending for Beginners with Alyssa Cole

3-5 pm Writing From the Movies, Not For the Movies
with Orrin Grey

4-5 pm Writing for Kids with Aisha Saeed

6:30-7:30 pm Book Discussion Broken Places & Outer Spaces
with Jessica Conoley

Sunday, Nov. 7

10:30-11:30 am Write in with Polly McCann

11 am-Noon Book Discussion with Alyssa Cole