

Nebraska Book Festival: Deliberate Shapes and Senses

The Thompson Center, University of Nebraska at Omaha

Friday: April 25, 2014

KEYNOTE: 7:00 p.m. Don Welch Bootstrapper Hall

Saturday: April 26, 2014

VENDORS Centennial Hall

WORKSHOPS 9:00-10:45 a.m.

Karen Shoemaker Andersen Hospitality Room
“Family Stories into Literature” will focus on writing fiction and non-fiction.

Tosca Lee Rhoden Board Room
“Creating Unforgettable Characters” in fiction.

READINGS 12 noon-1:00 p.m.

Session 1: Bootstrapper Hall

Cindy Grady: Introductions

A.E. Fairfield: *The Polaris Effect*

Nancy Isom: *A Name to Remember*

Marcia Calhoun Forecki: *Blood of the White Bear*

Session 2: Andersen Hospitality Room

Rod Wagner: Introductions

Benjamin Vogt: *Afterimage*

Marge Saiser: *Losing the Ring in the River*

Mary Kay Stillwell: *Fallen Angels*

READINGS 1:15-2:00 p.m.

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Charles Johanningsmeier: Introductions

John Price: *Daddy Long Legs: The Natural Education of a Father*

David S. Atkinson: *The Garden of Good and Evil Pancakes*

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Molly Fisher: Introductions

Tosca Lee: *Iscariot*

Eileen Wirth: *From Society Page to Front Page: Nebraska Women in Journalism*

READINGS 2:15-3:00 p.m.

Session 1: Bootstrapper Hall

Marvel Maring: Introductions

Jim Reisdorff: *Un-Driving the Gold Spike*

Darrell Wendt: *Confessions of a Railroad Crew Van Driver*

Session 2: Andersen Hospitality Room

Lisa Kovanda, Brian Thomas: *Modified Flight Plain*

Kent Krause: *Behind in the Count*

READINGS 3:15-4:00 p.m.

Session 1: Bootstrapper Hall

Paul Dickey: *Wires Over the Home Place*

Kelly Madigan: *The Edge of Known Things*

Session 2: Andersen Hospitality Room

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Cindy Grady: Introductions

Lucy Adkins, Becky Breed: *Writing in Community: Say Goodbye to Writer's Block and Transform Your Life*

Laura Madeline Wiseman: *Women Write Resistance: Poets Resist Gender Violence*

BENNETT AWARD 4:00 p.m.

Bootstrapper Hall

RECEPTION 4:30 p.m.

Concourse/Lobby

SEVEN DOCTORS PROJECT

6:00 -7:30 p.m.

Bootstrapper Hall