

Sirens

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 24, 2017

	SLATE MOUNTAIN	KELLER MOUNTAIN	CRYSTAL PEAK
7:00 a.m.	Sirens Studio Registration Pickup <i>Meet up here at 7:00 a.m. to exercise with others.</i>	<i>Room open for quiet yoga and stretching.</i>	<i>Room open for quiet meditation.</i>
8:00 a.m.	Sirens Studio Registration Pickup <i>Smoothies!</i>	<i>Room open.</i>	<i>Room open.</i>
	Information Desk	Reading Intensive	Reading Intensive
9:00 a.m.	<i>Our staff will be here to address questions and concerns.</i>	Everything and the Kitchen Sink: Tracing Lineages of Fantasy Literature Suzanne Rogers Gruber	Writer as Reader Victoria Schwab
10:00 a.m.	<i>We will have this room open for quiet chatting during the intensives.</i>		
	Information Desk	Career Intensive	Writing Intensive
11:00 a.m.	<i>Our staff will be here to address questions and concerns.</i>	Know Your Next Step: Navigating Career Pathways and the Leadership Pipeline Joy Kim	Making Magic B R Sanders
Noon	<i>We will have this room open for quiet chatting during the intensives.</i>		
1:00 p.m.	Lunch Break: On Your Own <i>Meet at Slate Mountain at 1:00 p.m. to join a group for lunch.</i>		

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	SLATE MOUNTAIN	KELLER MOUNTAIN	CRYSTAL PEAK
2:00 p.m.			
3:00 p.m.	Discussion Space <i>Conversations welcome!</i>		Quiet Space
4:00 p.m.			
5:00 p.m.			
6:00 p.m.	Dinner Break: On Your Own <i>Meet at Slate Mountain at 6:00 p.m.</i> <i>to join a group for dinner.</i>		
7:00 p.m.			
8:00 p.m.			
9:00 p.m.		Film Screening	
10:00 p.m.			

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WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 25, 2017

	SLATE MOUNTAIN	KELLER MOUNTAIN	CRYSTAL PEAK	DENVER INT'L AIRPORT	
7:00 a.m.	Sirens Studio Registration Pickup <i>Meet up here at 7:00 a.m. to exercise with others.</i>	<i>Room open for quiet yoga and stretching.</i>	<i>Room open for quiet meditation.</i>		
8:00 a.m.	Sirens Studio Registration Pickup <i>Smoothies!</i>	<i>Room open.</i>	<i>Room open.</i>		
	Information Desk	Reading Intensive	Reading Intensive		
9:00 a.m.	<i>Our staff will be here to address questions and concerns.</i>	Rewriting <i>Rogue One</i> : Narratives That Explore Complex Relationships Between Women Kate Elliott	Reading Past the White Veil: Identifying Issues of Race in Fantasy and Science Fiction Zoraida Córdova		
10:00 a.m.	<i>We will have this room open for quiet chatting during the intensives.</i>				
	Information Desk	Career Intensive	Writing Intensive		
11:00 a.m.	<i>Our staff will be here to address questions and concerns.</i>	Making Time and Finding Purpose in Your Busy Life—What's Holding You Back? Mette Ivie Harrison	Writing What Scares You Kiini Ibura Salaam		
Noon	<i>We will have this room open for quiet chatting during the intensives.</i>				
1:00 p.m.	Lunch Break: On Your Own <i>Meet at Slate Mountain at 1:00 p.m. to join a group for lunch.</i>				Sirens Shuttle <i>Meet at 1:45 p.m. for a 2:00 p.m. departure.</i>

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	SLATE MOUNTAIN	KELLER MOUNTAIN	CRYSTAL PEAK	8100 BILLIARDS / PRIVATE DINING
2:00 p.m.	<p>Discussion Space <i>Conversations welcome!</i></p>		<p>Quiet Space</p>	
3:00 p.m.				
4:00 p.m.				
5:00 p.m.				
6:00 p.m.	<p>Dinner Break: On Your Own <i>Meet at Slate Mountain at 6:00 p.m. if you don't have a Sirens Supper ticket and would like to join a group for dinner.</i></p>			
7:00 p.m.			<p>Sirens Supper <i>Separate ticket required</i></p>	
8:00 p.m.				

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THURSDAY, OCTOBER 26, 2017

	JACK DEMPSEY	GROUSE MOUNTAIN	MCCOY'S PEAK	DENVER INT'L AIRPORT
8:00 a.m.	Breakfast Meetup <i>Meet at 8:00 a.m. at the 8100 Mountainside Bar and Grill to join a group for breakfast at the hotel.</i>			
9:00 a.m.				
10:00 a.m.				
11:00 a.m.				
Noon	Lunch Meetup <i>Meet at noon in the main hotel lobby to join a group for lunch.</i>			
1:00 p.m.				Sirens Shuttle <i>Meet at 1:45 p.m. for a 2:00 p.m. departure.</i>
2:00 p.m.				
3:00 p.m.		Registration Pickup Begins <i>Information desk, Narrate Bookstore, and community room open at 3:00 p.m.</i>		
4:00 p.m.		<i>Afternoon tea available starting at 3:00 p.m.</i>		
5:00 p.m.	Sirens Orientation <i>New to Sirens? Please join us at 5:00 p.m. for a brief orientation.</i>	Dinner Excursion: On Your Own <i>Meet here at 5:30 p.m. to join a group for dinner.</i>		
6:00 p.m.				
7:00 p.m.			Dessert Reception	
8:00 p.m.			Welcome Remarks	
9:00 p.m.			Guest of Honor Keynote Address <i>N. K. Jemisin</i>	
10:00 p.m.				

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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 27, 2017

	MOLLY BROWN	JACK DEMPSEY	MOUNT JACKSON	GROUSE MOUNTAIN	MCCOY'S PEAK
8:00 a.m.				Books and Breakfast	
9:00 a.m.				Information desk, Narrate Bookstore, and community room open at 8:00 a.m.	Writing the Fantastic: Magic and Power Guests of Honor Panel Zoraida Córdova, N. K. Jemisin, Victoria Schwab, Amy Tenbrink
10:00 a.m.	The Magic of "Women's Work" Roundtable Discussion Amanda Helms	Our Trashy Grandmother: Historical (Mis)Perceptions of the Fantasy Genre Paper/Presentation Lyta Gold	Becoming a Better Reader Panel Faye Bi, s.e. smith, Amy Tenbrink		
11:00 a.m.	Coming Out Mage: Gender and Sexual Identity Explored in Fantasy Literature Roundtable Discussion Kate Larking	"Cold as a Witch's Tit": Gender and Magic in Early Modern Witch Trials Paper/Presentation Gillian Chisom	Headology: Female Power, Social Leverage, and Emotional Labor... Paper and Roundtable Discussion Cora Anderson	Hiking with Faye Meet here for a walk outside.	
Noon					Guest of Honor Keynote Lunch <i>Zoraida Córdova</i>
1:00 p.m.					

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	MOLLY BROWN	JACK DEMPSEY	MOUNT JACKSON	GROUSE MOUNTAIN	MCCOY'S PEAK
2:00 p.m.	Sign-Up Space Available	Sign-Up Space Available	Author Signings <i>Come here to have your books signed.</i>	Books with Sirens <i>Join Amy and other Sirens staff for book recommendations.</i>	
3:00 p.m.	The Magical Girls of Anime and Manga <i>Roundtable Discussion</i> Andrea Horbinski	Crafting Works of Marginalized Resistance... <i>Paper/Presentation</i> Maria Dones, Hannah Warren	The Magic of Beauty... <i>Panel</i> Faye Bi, Dhonielle J. Clayton, Zoraida Córdova, Kate Elliott, Kiini Iburu Salaam	<i>Information desk, Narrate Bookstore, and community room open until 11:00 p.m.</i>	
4:00 p.m.	Kissing the Witch: Fantasy Women as Lovers <i>Roundtable Discussion</i> Catherine Lundoff	Turn Inspiration into Action... <i>Presentation and Workshop</i> Katie Hoffman	Poor Unfortunate Souls... <i>Panel</i> Nicole Brinkley, E.K. Johnston, Katherine Locke, Natalie C. Parker, Shveta Thakrar		
5:00 p.m.	Fight-Writing Tactics <i>Workshop</i> Blair MacGregor	Making Money in Fantasy Publishing <i>Afternoon Class</i> Sara Megibow	The Magic of Costuming <i>Afternoon Class</i> Jo O'Brien, Susie O'Brien		
6:00 p.m.				Dinner Excursion: On Your Own <i>Meet here at 6:00 p.m. to join a group for dinner.</i>	
7:00 p.m.					
8:00 p.m.	Sign-Up Space Available	Sign-Up Space Available		<i>Information desk, Narrate Bookstore, and community room open until 11:00 p.m.</i>	Bedtime Stories Guest of Honor Reading N. K. Jemisin
9:00 p.m.	Sign-Up Space Available	Sign-Up Space Available			Bedtime Stories Guest of Honor Reading Zoraida Córdova
10:00 p.m.	Sign-Up Space Available	Sign-Up Space Available			Bedtime Stories Guest of Honor Reading Victoria Schwab

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	MOLLY BROWN	JACK DEMPSEY	MOUNT JACKSON	GROUSE MOUNTAIN	MCCOY'S PEAK
8:00 a.m.				Books and Breakfast	
9:00 a.m.	Sorcerous Sources: Emotion in Magic Systems <i>Roundtable Discussion</i> Bethany Powell	The Link Between Science and Magic <i>Panel</i> Rhoda Belleza, Kamilla Benko, Miriam Weinberg	Who's a Witch? Gender, Power, and Magical Systems <i>Panel</i> Robyn Bennis, Dhonielle J. Clayton, Kate Elliott, s.e. smith, Shveta Thakrar	<i>Information desk, Narrate Bookstore, and community room open at 8:00 a.m.</i>	
10:00 a.m.	The Price of Power <i>Roundtable Discussion</i> Meg Belviso	Sorceresses Transgress: Examining Treatment of Female Magic Users <i>Paper/Presentation</i> Casey Blair	Conversations with Octavia Butler <i>Panel</i> K. Tempest Bradford, N. K. Jemisin, Kiini Ibura Salaam		
11:00 a.m.	The Socioeconomics of Magic... <i>Roundtable Discussion</i> Emma Whitney	Intersecting Magics... in Nnedi Okorafor's <i>Binti</i> <i>Paper/Presentation</i> Alyssa Collins Mrs Whatsit, Mrs Who... and Ava DuVernay <i>Paper/Presentation</i> Sarah R. Kozloff	Publishing Magic, More or Less <i>Paper/Presentation</i> Hallie Tibbetts		
Noon					Guest of Honor Keynote Lunch <i>Victoria Schwab</i>
1:00 p.m.					

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2:00 p.m.	Sign-Up Space Available	Sign-Up Space Available	Author Signings <i>Come here to have your books signed.</i>	Books with Sirens <i>Join Amy and other Sirens staff for book recommendations.</i>	
3:00 p.m.	The Nonhuman in Fantasy... <i>Roundtable Discussion</i> Jessica Silbaugh-Cowdin	The Beauty of Feminism, the Beast of Patriarchy... <i>Paper/Presentation</i> Nivair H. Gabriel	Reader, I Married Them... <i>Panel</i> Zoraida Córdova, Kate Elliott, Tessa Gratton, N. K. Jemisin, Rebecca Roanhorse	<i>Information desk, Narrate Bookstore, and community room open until 11:00 p.m.</i>	
4:00 p.m.	Reluctant Heroines <i>Roundtable Discussion</i> Cass Morris	Tools and Techniques for the Reluctant Rewriter <i>Workshop</i> B R Sanders	The Unicorn Fallacy... <i>Panel</i> Julia Ember, C.B. Lee, Shveta Thakrar		
5:00 p.m.	Bewbs and Brains: Talking About Our Favorite Smart and Sexy Women... <i>Roundtable Discussion</i> Kristen Blount	The Power of Contracts <i>Paper/Presentation</i> Amy Boggs	Creating Proposals and Compendium Submissions for Sirens <i>Paper/Presentation</i> Sirens Staff		
6:00 p.m.				Dinner Excursion: On Your Own <i>Meet here at 6:00 p.m. to join a group for dinner.</i>	
7:00 p.m.					
8:00 p.m.				Murder Mystery <i>Players should pick up game materials promptly at 8:00 p.m.; the game ends when the murderer is caught!</i>	Toil and Trouble Ball Silent Auction <i>The silent auction ends at 10:00 p.m.</i>
9:00 p.m.				<i>Information desk, Narrate Bookstore, and community room open until 11:00 p.m.</i>	
10:00 p.m.					

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SUNDAY, OCTOBER 29, 2017

	GROUSE MOUNTAIN	MCCOY'S PEAK
7:00 a.m.		
8:00 a.m.	<i>Information desk, Narrate Bookstore, and community room open until noon</i>	Breakfast <i>Available from 7:45 to 9:00 a.m.</i>
9:00 a.m.		Live Auction, Closing Remarks, and 2018 Announcements <i>Beginning at 8:00 a.m.</i>
10:00 a.m.		
11:00 a.m.	Sirens Shuttle	
Noon	<i>To return to Denver International Airport, please meet in the main hotel lobby at 10:45 a.m. for an 11:00 a.m. departure and at 11:45 a.m. for a noon departure. Everyone has an assigned shuttle departure time; please visit our information desk to confirm yours.</i>	