ENG 263 Short Fiction Workshop Public Reading

Thursday, December 8th, 5:00 PM Writers & Books 740 University Avenue, wab.org

Paul Scholtz (He/Him)	On Kaiju and Hamsters
	"Doesn't your sister have a hamster or something?"
Isaiah Gonsalves (He/Him)	The Long Blink
	"If you ask me, I've mastered the art of time traveling."
Alyiah Sinkler (She/Her)	Self-Repair
	"Who are you?"
Rosetta Famellette (She/Her)	In the Wizard's Tower
	"Ciana opened her mouth, but Kyle had trapped the words in her throat."
Ryan Guerin (He/Him)	Blood Games™
	"The pen hovered over the paper, poised to sign another life away. Bill shakily
	sighed, the sound bouncing around the bare walls of the meeting room."
Alexes Snow (She/Her)	Just One Job
	"Mika's hand began to shake before slowly lowering his gun."
lkram Boujir (She/Her)	Golden Skin
	"Purple, green bruised, cut bleeding screaming for help"
Kate Roberts (She/Her)	Guided Meditation for Self-Improvement
	"For best results, carefully follow all instructions."
Sean Nash (He/Him)	The Devotion of My Attention
	"The procession of antiquities bending in regards of my holy mission"
Harvey Botzman (He/Him)	On Mountains High
	"We violently seized each other and rocked with a frequency of an earthquake."
Justine Alfano (She/Her)	Wildflowers
	"I made sure my steps sounded strong and stable. I wanted them to shake her."

MCC's Creative Writing Program is designed for students who are interested in cultivating the strong writing skills that writing careers will require. The Program includes courses conducive to transferring into a baccalaureate degree in English and/or Creative Writing, while keeping pathways open for baccalaureate degrees that emphasize more professional writing as well. Accordingly, the Program is structured so students can (1) deepen their skills through scaffolded coursework and (2) broaden their experience with multiple genres and career pathways. The Program culminates in a capstone course that familiarizes students with submission processes, transfer opportunities, and publishing/reading venues both in Rochester and around the country, preparing them for the next stage of their personal/professional lives as writers.

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