

Town Meeting

May 04, 2022



Welcome / Announcements	President Foster
College Updates	President Foster
Student Government	LPCSG 2022 - 23 President Lara Wiedemeier
New Faces at LPC	President Foster
Recognition of Service	Amy Mattern
Retirements	President Foster
30 Year Service Awards	Various Presenters
20 Year Service Awards	Various Presenters
10 Year Service Awards	Various Presenters
5 Year Awards	President Foster
Don Milanese Award	President Foster
Classified Senate Awards	Classified Senate President, Jean O'Neil-Opipari
Academic Senate	Academic Senate President, Sarah Thompson



Special Edition of President Speaker Series - May 11, 2022



Dr. Clint Smith

author, scholar, poet, educator, and podcast host

Clint Smith is a staff writer at *The Atlantic*. He is the author of the narrative nonfiction book, *How the Word Is Passed: A Reckoning With the History of Slavery Across America*, which was a #1 *New York Times* bestseller, winner of the National Book Critics Circle Award for Nonfiction, the Hillman Prize for Book Journalism, the Stowe Prize, and selected by the *New York Times* as one of the 10 Best Books of 2021. He is also the author of the poetry collection *Counting Descent*, which won the 2017 Literary Award for Best Poetry Book from the Black Caucus of the American Library Association and was a finalist for an NAACP Image Award.





Author of
**The Invention of
Yesterday: A 50,000 Year
History of Human Culture,
Conflict, and Connection**

**Games Without Rules:
The Often-Interrupted
History of Afghanistan**

**West of Kabul,
East of New York**

**Destiny Disrupted:
A History
of the World Through
Islamic Eyes**

**LAS POSITAS COLLEGE LITERARY ARTS FESTIVAL
KEYNOTE SPEAKER**

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2010 Northern California
Book Award

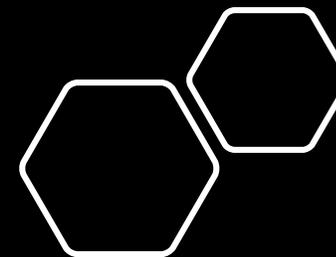
San Francisco
One City One Book
Selection

SF Writers Workshop
facilitator 20+ years

As heard on

The Bill Moyers Show
NewsHour with Jim Lehrer
The Oprah Winfrey Show
Hardball
NPR

 **Saturday, May 7th**
 **Las Positas College**



Registration and Festival Info:
[LasPositasCollege.edu/
Literary-Festival](http://LasPositasCollege.edu/Literary-Festival)



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Author of

Here, Bullet

Beatrice Hawley Award,
NY Times Editor's Choice
Poet's Prize

Phantom Noise

T.S. Eliot Prize in Poetry
Shortlist

*My Life as a
Foreign Country*

Powell's Best
Nonfiction List

Brian Turner served seven years in the US Army, including one year as an infantry team leader in Iraq with the 3rd Stryker Brigade Combat Team, 2nd Infantry Division.

"In Brian Turner's extraordinarily capable hands, language is war's undoing, in the sense that his words won't allow absurdity and terror to be anything less than real."

—Mark Doty

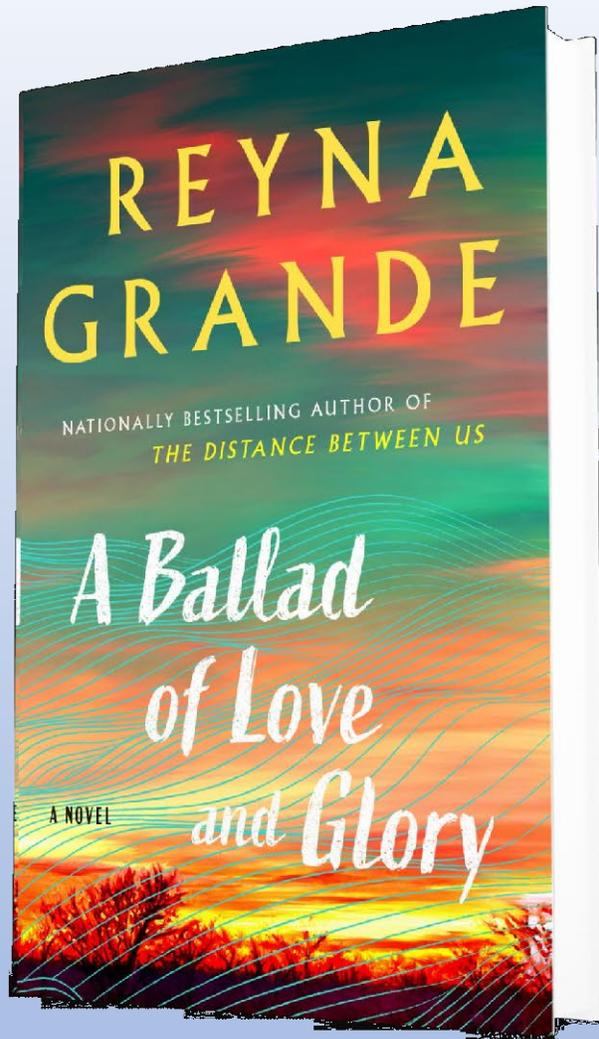
LAS POSITAS COLLEGE
LITERARY ARTS FESTIVAL
SPECIAL GUEST

**BRIAN
TURNER**

Saturday, May 7th, 1:00 PM
Las Positas College

Registration and Info:
**LasPositasCollege.edu/
Literary-Festival**





Las Positas College Literary Arts Festival
presents

Reyna Grande



Author of *A Ballad of Love and Glory*, *A Dream Called Home*, and *The Distance Between Us*, a National Books Critics Circle Awards finalist

Saturday, May 7th at 11:00 AM
Mertes Center for the Arts, Las Positas College
Free to the public

Festival schedule and info: laspositascollege.edu/literary-festival



Paul Guay

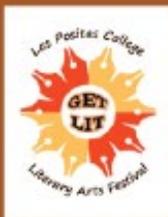
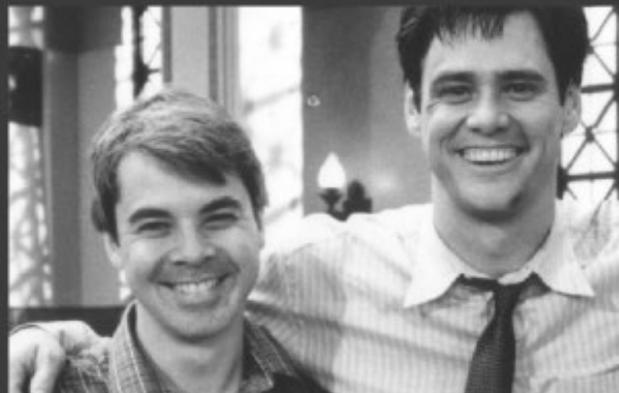
Screenwriter &
Script Consultant

Saturday, May 7th

**The Art and Craft
and Business of
Screenwriting**
11 AM-12:15 PM PT

**Screenplay
Outline
Workshop**
1:00-2:15 PM PT

Paul Guay's movies have grossed over half a billion dollars. He conceived and co-wrote *LIAR, LIAR*, at the time of its release the sixth-highest-grossing comedy in history. He co-wrote *THE LITTLE RASCALS* and *HEARTBREAKERS*, polished *THE NEVERENDING STORY*, and co-polished *MOUSE HUNT*. He teaches "Screenwriting: What's the Story?" and "Screenwriting: Adventures in Shorts" at ArtCenter College of Design, where he is the 2019 recipient of the Great Teacher Award.



MICHELLE CRUZ GONZALES



INCLUSIVE CHARACTERIZATION:
WRITING 'THE OTHER' WITHOUT STEREOTYPES
OR APPROPRIATION

1 PM Saturday, May 7th
Las Positas College Literary Arts Festival
Las Positas College

LAS POSITAS COLLEGE
LITERARY ARTS FESTIVAL PRESENTS

FOUR COLOR REPRESENTATION RACE & THE GRAPHIC NOVEL

Featuring Shawn Taylor, Jaimel Hemphill,
Thaddeus Howze, & Murphy Milburn

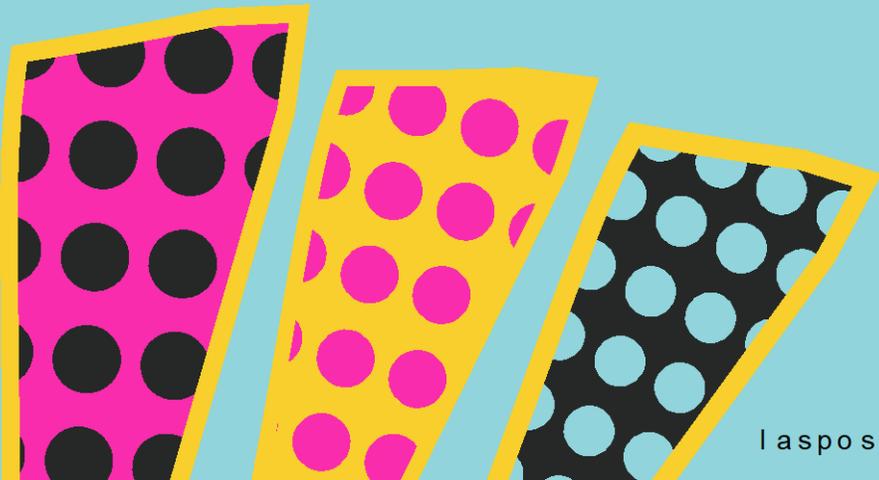
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live and
in person!



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GRAPHIC NOVEL WORKSHOP

YOUR STORY, YOUR WAY

Featuring

Shawn Taylor & Jaimel Hemphill

live and
in person!

2:30 PM Saturday, May 7th

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PRESENTS

word of mouth

a food & wine
writing panel

FEATURING

GABRIELLE MYERS

DEBORAH GROSSMAN

STEVEN KENT MIRRASOU

SARAH CAIN

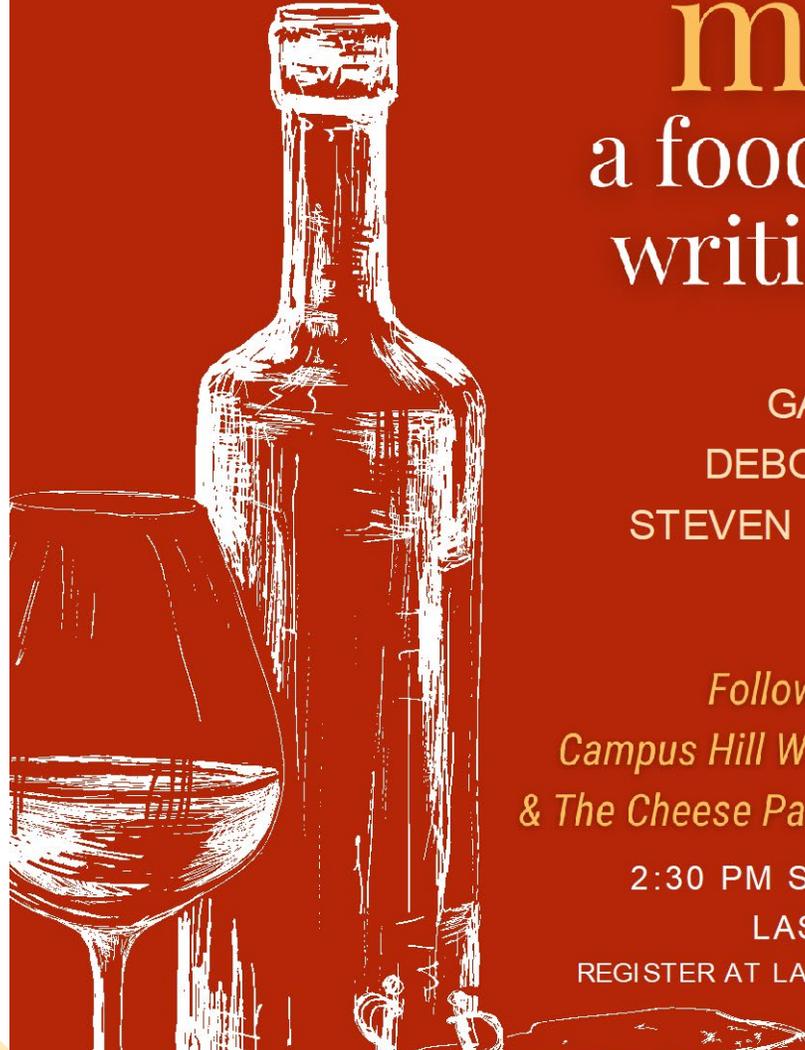
*Followed by a tasting with
Campus Hill Winery's David Everett
& The Cheese Parlor's Brandon Wood*

2:30 PM SATURDAY, MAY 7TH

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REGISTER AT LASPOSITASCOLLEGE.EDU/

LITERARY-FESTIVAL



Publication & Awards Ceremony for
Havik, the Las Positas College
Literary Anthology

Rm 2401

2:30-4:30 PM

LPC Literary Arts Festival
AAPI Author Panel

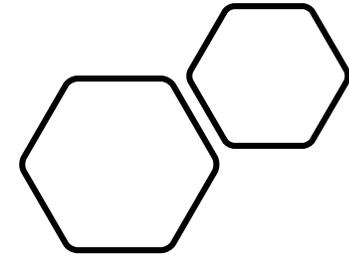
Jeff Yang, Phil Yu, and Philip Wang

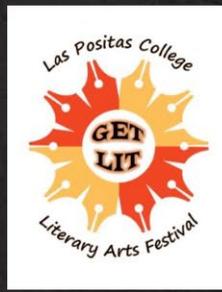
RISE: A Pop History of Asian America from the Nineties to Now



May 7, 2022
4:45 PM - 6:00 PM (via Zoom)

"RISE is a love letter to and for Asian Americans - a vivid scrapbook of voices, emotions, and memories from an era in which our culture was forged and transformed, and a way to preserve both the headlines and the intimate conversations that have shaped our community into who we are today."





Speak Your Peace **Poetry SLAM!**

Sign up to read your own poem

Or come to listen and judge!

\$200 in prizes will be awarded!

**Hosted by
Bri and Tri of Speak Easy Open Mic**

**Saturday, May 7th, 6:00 pm,
Black Box Theater**

For more info, contact Toby Bielawski: tbielawski@laspositascollege.edu

Sponsored by the Milanese Family Grant

PERFORMING JULY 28-31

ONE WEEKEND ONLY

*Little Shop of
Horror*

Tickets on sale at laspositascollege.edu/theater

LAS POSITAS COLLEGE IS PLEASED TO ANNOUNCE

The 32nd Annual Commencement Ceremony

Saturday, May 28, 2022 @ 10:00 am & 12:30 pm

PE COMPLEX - BUILDING 2500



CALLING ALL VOLUNTEERS

COME JOIN US!!



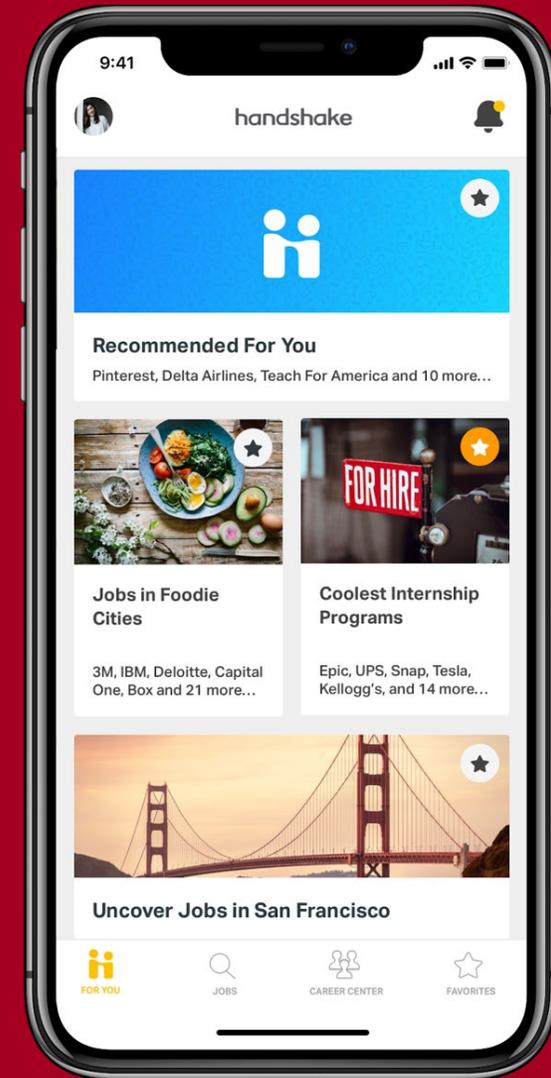
*** For more information or to volunteer contact: Yvette Nahinu x1406**

The Las Positas College Internship & Job Board Is Now Powered By **Handshake**: The #1 Way College Students Find Jobs

- Learn about virtual career events.
- Get alerts about positions you want.
- Find jobs and internships.
- Explore career paths.
- Attend virtual workshops to help you get hired.
- Connect with employers.
- Network with students and alumni for advice.

[For More Info Visit the LPC Career Center Website.](#)

[➔ Click Here to Sign Up Using Your Zonemail Address.](#)



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“The class is great and everyone working and going to college should take it.”

Visit the [WRKX](#) Page & FAQs [Chart](#) to Enroll

JOB AND INTERSHIP FAIR!

TUESDAY
MAY 10, 2022
10:30 AM-1:30 PM

LOCATED ON THE
QUAD AT LPC



Login to Handshake and see the complete list of employers!

