

LOS ANGELES

POETRY

FESTIVAL





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LOS ANGELES POETRY FESTIVAL

OCT. 22, FRIDAY • 7:30pm

GALA OPENING NIGHT

Salon de Barnsdall

Poets, playwrights, fiction writers and a lyricist — a cross-section of literary L.A.

Beyond Baroque presents

LISA ANN AUERBACK
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Japanese American Cultural

and Community Center presents:
AMY UYEMATSU

PEN West presents

JACK GRAPES
DAVID ULIN

Plaza de la Raza presents

HELENA VIRAMONTES

Los Angeles Poetry Festival presents

Playwright TONY ABATEMARCO's monologues and poetry, PHILIP LITTELL's urbane, witty songs, with accompanist ERIC CUNNINGHAM, the legendary WATTS PROPHETS, plus: ALEIDA RODRIGUEZ's poem "Felling the Tree," winner of the \$500 Greg Grummer Award, 1993.

GALLERY THEATER

BARNSDALL PARK
south side of Hollywood Blvd.
just west of Vermont Avenue.
DONATION: \$7
(213) 660-4306

OCT. 23, 8:00 p.m.

RARE READING \$5

Marilyn Hacker, winner of the National Book Award, Lamont Poetry Award, editor of the Kenyon Review, gives first L.A. reading in 20 years.
Plummer Park Auditorium (Hall A)
7377 Santa Monica, L.A.
(213) 483-5461

OCT. 30, SAT.

2:00 till dusk

**OPEN STREET READING
AT TO THE CURB BOOKSTORE**

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213-617-7543 - Tom

OCT. 30, SAT, 6:00pm

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2520 West View
Los Angeles
213-734-1164

OCT. 30, SATURDAY • 8:00pm

POETRY VIDEO NIGHT at EZTV
with winners from THE NATIONAL POETRY VIDEO FESTIVAL IN CHICAGO 1992-1993. Plus videos from Doug Knott, The Poetry Ensemble, Alexis Krasilovsky, Linda Albertano. Short works by Emmy winning filmmaker Gary Glaser.
8547 Santa Monica Blvd.
Hollywood
(310) 657-1532



OCT. 31, SUNDAY • 2:00pm

**PUBLICATION READING
for SPREADING THE WORD —**

Winners of 1992 LAMP Contest for poets age 6 through 50+, at MIDNIGHT SPECIAL BOOKSTORE

Gabriella Rose • Alexander Gabrowsky • Joan Clare Alba • Benna Bozanic • Alexei Hong • Matthew Joy • Rudy Perez • Telogo Morwe • Rana Hogarth • Rachel Reilich • Natalie A. Pollak • Felicia A. Martin • Quyen Duong • Luis Melendez • Jose Lopez • Darcy Staniforth • Nancy Akin • Elizabeth Adler • Ben Lamette • Hans David Bailey • Joyce Mitamura • June Hudson • Regina O'Melveny • Annie Reiner • Alex Luu • Peggy Wheeler • Eloise Klein Healy • Tess Olivia Funkhouser

1318 3rd Street Promenade
(south of Arizona)
Santa Monica
(310) 393-2923

NOV. 3, WEDNESDAY • 7 p.m.

Seminar de Otis
LOS ANGELES: A CITY LOST AND FOUND
(Four Writers Explore the Languages of L.A.)
Co-Sponsored by Otis Art Institute
Moderated by PAUL VANGELISTI

SAM EISENSTEIN, Fiction writer, dramatist, poet.

SUZANNE LUMMIS, poet, playwright, journalist.

SANDRA TSING LOH, cultural critic, journalist.
and a fourth person TBA

Otis Art Institute
2410 Wilshire Blvd.
Los Angeles
(213) 550-1616

NOV. 6, SATURDAY • 2:30pm

INTRODUCING . . .!
(Four Poets Who Need No Introduction Present Eight Important New Poets Who Do) at the BURBAGE THEATRE

Luis Alfaro presents:
TERESA MENDOZA
MICHELE M. SERROS

Suzanne Lummis presents
CAROL COLIN
ROCCO RUSSO

Akilah Nayo Oliver presents
PAM WARD
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Terry Wolverton presents
MICHAEL NIEMOELLER
ANA CASTANON

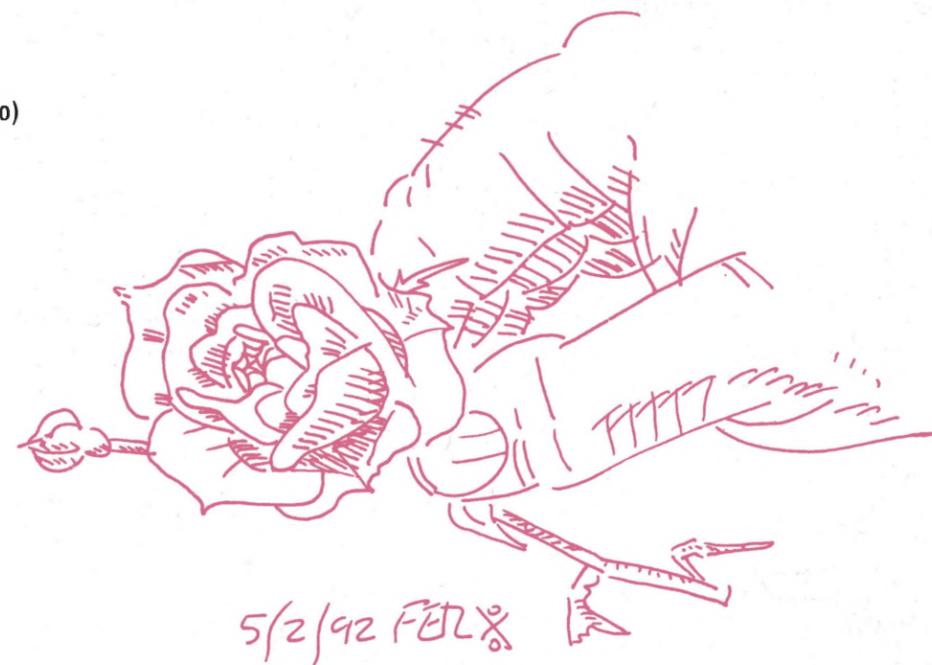
The Burbage Theatre
2330 Sawtelle Blvd., L.A.
\$6 admission
(310) 478-0897

NOV. 6, SATURDAY • 8:00pm
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Salon de LATC

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