

Colgate Writers' Conference

Evening Readings Free and Open to the Public

All readings will begin at 7:30 pm in Meyerhoff Auditorium, 101 Ho Science Center.

- June 19** **Peter Balakian** is the author of nine books, six of poetry, the most recent of which is the epic *Ziggurat*.
- June 20** **Dana Spiotta**, is the author of *Eat the Document*, *Lightning Field*, and as of July 2011, *Stone Arabia*.
John Robert Lennon is a prolific author of short stories and novels; his most recent, *Castle*, was released in April of 2009.
- June 21** **Carrie Brown** is the author of five novels, most recently *The Rope Walk*, and a collection of short stories.
Jennifer Brice has taught creative nonfiction and literature at Colgate since 2003. *Unlearning to Fly* is her latest book.
- June 22** **Greg Ames** is the author of *Buffalo Lockjaw*, winner of the 2009 NAIBA Book of the Year Award.
Betsy Andrews is the author of *New Jersey*, winner of the 2007 Brittingham Prize in Poetry.
- June 23** **Jasmine Bailey's** chapbook of poems, *Sleep and What Precedes It*, won the Longleaf Press 2009 Chapbook Prize.
Brian Hall is the author of three nonfiction works and five novels, the most recent of which is *Fall of Frost*.
- June 24** **Jennifer Smith** has published two novels for young adults, *The Comeback Season* and *You Are Here*.
Jennifer Vanderbes' first novel, *Easter Island*, was named "a best book of the year" by *The Washington Post* and *The Christian Science Monitor*.

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Morning Craft Talks Free and Open to the Public

All talks will begin at 9:00 am in Meyerhoff Auditorium, 101 Ho Science Center.

- June 20** **Finishing the Damn Thing**
Brian Hall is the author of three nonfiction works and five novels, the most recent of which is *Fall of Frost*.
- June 21** **Opening (Remarks)**
Jennifer Brice has taught creative nonfiction and literature at Colgate since 2003. *Unlearning to Fly* is her latest book.
- June 22** **Transitions**
Jennifer Vanderbes' first novel, *Easter Island*, was named "a best book of the year" by *The Washington Post* and *The Christian Science Monitor*.
- June 23** **The Shape of the Novel**
John Robert Lennon is a prolific author of short stories and novels; his most recent, *Castle*, was released in April of 2009.
- June 24** **Telescopic Writing: How Images Take Us Deep**
Peter Balakian is the author of nine books, six of poetry, the most recent of which is the epic *Ziggurat*.
- June 25** **The Difficult Art of Happiness**
Carrie Brown is the author of five novels, most recently *The Rope Walk*, and a collection of short stories.

