

CELEBRATE NATIONAL POETRY MONTH WITH OREGON'S POET LAUREATE



PAULANN PETERSEN

Poetry Reading

12:30-2:00 PM

Tuesday, April 17, 2012

Concordia University

George R. White Library & Learning Center

First Floor: GRW 108

2900 NE Liberty, Portland

Free & open to the public

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A former Stegner Fellow at Stanford University, Paulann Petersen's poems have appeared in numerous publications including *Poetry*, *The New Republic*, *Prairie Schooner* and *Wilderness Magazine*. She is the author of four full-length collections of poems, *The Wild Awake* (2002); *Blood Silk* (2004); *A Bride of Narrow Escape* (2004); and *The Voluptuary* (Lost Horse Press, 2010), as well as four chapbooks: *Under the Sign of a Neon Wolf*, *The Animal Bride*, *Fabrication*, and *The Hermaphrodite Flower*. Her work has been selected for the web site *Poetry Daily* and *For Poetry in Motion*. The recipient of Oregon Literary Arts' 2006 Holbrook Award, she has taught a number of poetry workshops for colleges, libraries, and writers' conferences, including *Fishtrap*, Oregon Writers' Workshop in Portland (Northwest College of Art, Portland Art Museum), Mountain Writers Series, Oregon State Poetry Association, The Creative Arts Community at Menucha, Northwest Writing Institute at Lewis & Clark College and the Lifelong Learning Institute at Chemeketa Community College. She serves on the board for Friends of William Stafford, organizing the annual January William Stafford Birthday Events. She makes her home

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