

# Mountain Writers Series at The Press Club



Reading  
8:00 PM, Wednesday

June 15, 2011

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Portland OR

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## MAXINE SCATES & MARTHA SILANO

—**Maxine Scates** is the author of three books of poetry, *Undone* (New Issues, 2011), *Toluca Street* and *Black Loam*. She is co-editor, with David Trinidad, of *Holding Our Own: The Selected Poems of Ann Stanford*. Her poems have been widely published in such journals as *AGNI*, *The American Poetry Review*, *Ironwood*, *The Massachusetts Review*, *Ploughshares* and *The Virginia Quarterly Review*. Her work has received the Agnes Lynch Starrett Poetry Prize, the Oregon Book Award for Poetry, the Lyre Prize, and a Pushcart Prize. She has taught at Lane Community College, Lewis and Clark College and most recently Reed College. She lives in Eugene, Oregon.

—**Martha Silano**'s books are *The Little Office of the Immaculate Conception*, chosen by Campbell McGrath as the winner of the 2010 Saturnalia Books Poetry Prize, *Blue Positive*, and *What the Truth Tastes Like*. Her poems have appeared in *American Poetry Review*, *TriQuarterly*, *AGNI*, *The Best American Poetry 2009*, and elsewhere. Martha has been awarded grants and fellowships from Washington State Artist Trust, Seattle 4-Culture, the Arizona Poetry Center, and the Millay Colony for the Arts, among others. She teaches at Bellevue College.

