

NOVEMBER 2023 NEWSLETTER

The Monthly Newsletter of the David G. Pollart Center for Arts and Humanities



Faculty Fellow

Dr. Alan Alexander Malfavon

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“From an academic standpoint, my book is unique in that it is the first English-language book that examines the lives of Afro-Mexican men of Veracruz during the transition of Mexico from colony to nation, centering their political and social agency as instrumental for the formation of independent Mexico.”

Publicly Engaged Fellowship Cohort, 2023-2024

Bailey Kopp, MA Student, School of Music

Cassidy Fairchild, MA Student, School of Music

Drew Gamboa, PhD Student, Department of History

Kassandra Castillo, PhD Student, School of Languages, Cultures, and Race

Kate Uhm, MFA Student, Department of Art

Rachael Wolney, PhD Candidate, Department of English

CAH-Sponsored Events

“An Evening of Passion, No Regrets in the Morning”

Date & Time: **Tuesday, November 28, 2023 from 7:30-9 PM PT**

Venue: **Pullman High School**

Description

The concert by Portland Opera Young Artists will be at Pullman High School is titled “An Evening of Passion, No Regrets in the Morning.” This event is sponsored by WSU’s David G. Pollart Center for Arts and Humanities, Pullman High School Drama Club, and the WSU School of Music.

Announcement

The graphic is a vertical rectangular poster. At the top, the text "Campus Civic Poet Award" is written in a large, bold, black sans-serif font. To the right of the text is a red silhouette of a hand holding a microphone. Below the title, the text "The CCP Award recognizes a student's commitment to poetry and civic engagement" is centered in a smaller black font. Underneath that, "Apply Now!" is written in a large, bold, black font. A dark red horizontal band contains the text "Win \$500! Win \$500! Win \$500!" in white, bold, italicized font. The bottom section of the graphic has a dark red background with white text. It starts with "How to apply:" followed by a bulleted list: "- submit 3-5 poems of original work" and "- include 200 word statement on your commitment to civic engagement". At the bottom of this section, it says "send submissions to kimberly.pedersen@wsu.edu by November 15th".

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What: \$500 Campus Civic Poet Award

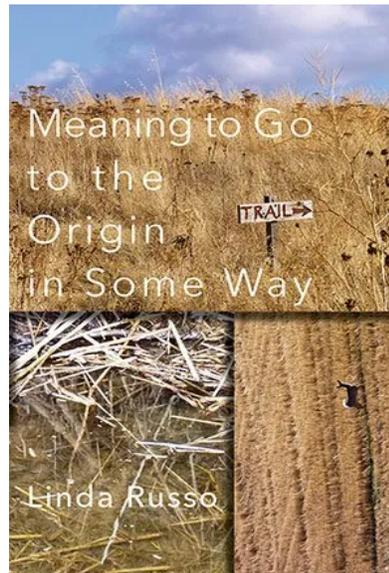
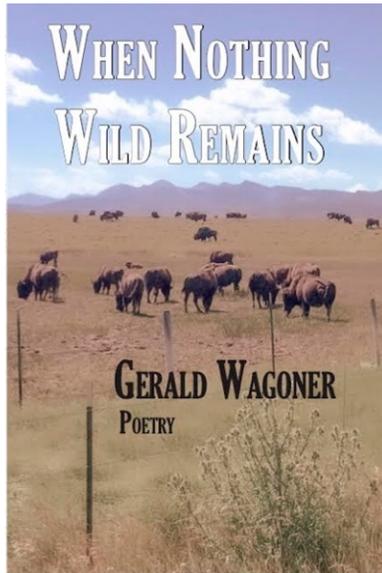
Who Should Apply: any student enrolled on the WSU-Pullman campus whose poetry demonstrates a commitment to civic engagement. The poems needn't be published. Students of any major are encouraged to apply.

What to Submit: 3-5 poems of original work and a 200-word statement on your commitment to civic engagement

How to Apply: Submit all materials **in a single document** named **YourName_CCP Award Submission** to kimberly.pedersen@wsu.edu

Deadline: Nov. 15th

WSU Arts and Humanities Events



Poetry Reading with Linda Russo & Gerald Wagoner

Sponsored by the Department of English

Date & Time: Wednesday, November 1, 2023 from 6:00-7:00 PM PT

Venue: Bruised Books, 235 E. Main Street, Pullman

Presenter Bios:

Poet, curator, and creative collaborator **Linda Russo** practices poetry as an engagement within more-than-human lifeworlds. She is currently a “poet-in-prairie-remnant-residence” with the Palouse Land Trust, a collaboration organized by [Writing The Land](#), whose mission is to promote land trust projects nationally by connecting them with poets in their region. A 2023 Artist Trust GAP recipient, she is the author of three books of poems, including *Participant* (Lost Roads) and *Meaning to Go to the Origin in Some Way* (Shearsman), and many other works. She teaches in the English Department at WSU and directs *EcoArtsonthePalouse.com*.





Gerald Wagoner's *When Nothing Wild Remains* (Broadstone Books, 2023) looks out across miles and years to the northwestern to address how Americans have struggled to come to terms with the changing realities of a national identity forged in openness and wild places such as those where Wagoner grew up. With a BA in Creative Writing from the University of Montana and an MFA Sculpture from SUNY Albany, he's taught Art and English in New York. Since 2021 he has curated A Persistence of Cormorants, a summer outdoors poetry reading series in Brooklyn NY.

Calendar of Events

Event	Details
Jazz Festival	Wednesday, November 1, 2023 All Day Kimbrough Concert Hall
Ida Lou Anderson Open House *Free & Open to the Pullman Community	Wednesday, November 1, 2023 4-6 PM PT Chancellor's House - WSU Pullman, 755 NE Campus St., Pullman, WA 99164
Ida Lou Anderson Open House *Free & Open to the Pullman Community	Thursday, November 2, 2023 11 AM - 1 PM PT Chancellor's House - WSU Pullman, 755 NE Campus St., Pullman, WA 99164
Atrium Recital Series	Friday, November 3, 2023 12:10-1 PM PT Terrell Library Atrium, Pullman, WA 99164
Vocal Extravaganza	Friday, November 3, 2023 7:30-9 PM PT Bryan Hall Theatre Watch Live

Orchestra Festival	Friday, November 3, 2023 8-8:30 PM PT Kimbrough Concert Hall Watch Live
WSU Symphony Orchestra	Thursday, November 7, 2023 7:30-9 PM PT Bryan Hall Theatre Watch Live
Guest Artist: Sun Huh, violin	Wednesday, November 8, 2023 7:30-9 PM PT Bryan Hall Theatre Watch Live
Student Recital: Jake Russell, cello	Thursday, November 9, 2023 7:30-9 PM PT Bryan Hall Theatre Watch Live
Opera Workshop Masquerades and Mayhem	Thursday, November 16, 2023 7:30-9 PM PT Bryan Hall Theatre Watch Live
Jazz Concert	Friday, November 17, 2023 3:10-4 PM PT Kimbrough Concert Hall Watch Live
Guitar Studio Concert	Monday, November 27, 2023 5:10-6 PM PT Kimbrough Concert Hall Watch Live
WSU Symphonic Band and Symphonic Wind Ensemble	Wednesday, November 29, 2023 7:30-9 PM PT Bryan Hall Theatre Watch Live



To submit an event to the David G. Pollart Center for Arts and Humanities Newsletter & Calendar, please email us at arts.humanities@wsu.edu! We are excited to spread the word surrounding events across WSU that resonate with our theme **Connecting Communities** for the 2023-2024 school year.

Please Note: Check departmental, program, and event sites for more information about up-to-date location/online access information.