2015 CALLALOO CREATIVE WRITING WORKSHOP

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The Center for the Study of Slavery & Justice
Brown University
Providence, Rhode Island

May 31-June 13, 2015

Application Deadline
February 15, 2015

Workshop Leaders

Gregory Pardlo

Gregory Pardlo is the author of Totem, which received the APR/ Honickman Prize in 2007, and Digest (Four Way, 2014). His poems have appeared or are forthcoming in American Poetry Review, Boston Review, The Nation, Ploughshares, Tin House, and two editions of Best American Poetry, as well as anthologies, including Angles of Ascent: A Norton Anthology of Contemporary African American Poetry (W. W. Norton, 2013).

Vievee Francis

Vievee Francis is the author of Horse in the Dark (2012), which won the Cave Canem Northwestern University Poetry Prize for a second collection, and Blue-Tail Fly (Wayne State University, 2006). Her third book, Forest Primeval, is slated for release in 2015 (Northwestern University Press).

Maaza Mengiste

Maaza Mengiste, author of the novel Beneath the Lion’s Gaze, has received fellowships from Yaddo, the Virginia Center for the Creative Arts, the Prague Summer Program, and the Emily Harvey Foundation. She was the 2013 Pinterburgh Fellow and a Runner-up for the 2013 Dayton Literary Peace Prize. Her second novel, The Shadow King, is forthcoming.

Ravi Howard

Ravi Howard was a finalist for The Hemingway Foundation/PEN Award and for the Hurston/Wright Legacy Award for his debut novel, Like Trees, Walking (HarperCollins, 2007). In 2008, he won the Ernest J. Gaines Award for Literary Excellence. His second novel, Driving the King, will be published by HarperCollins in January 2015.

How to apply

Applications must be submitted online at <http://callaloo.expressacademic.org> no later than February 15, 2015. Each applicant must submit a brief cover letter and writing sample (no more than five pages of poetry or twelve pages of prose fiction). To complete & submit your application, go to callaloo.tamu.edu/node/232

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