

Mountain Writers Series

PAULANN PETERSEN



Poetry Writing Workshop

10 AM– 4:30 PM, Saturday

June 2, 2012

Multnomah Friends Meeting House

4312 S.E. Stark Street

Portland, OR

Workshop fee: \$70

(One-day session)

Downstream: Writing with the Current

—Join Paulann Petersen in a writing workshop dedicated to creation of new work. Using notable poems as springboards, we'll turn ourselves loose in the river of words, letting language carry us along in its current, generating considerable new work as we go. The goal is to have each participant leave the workshop with an outpouring of new material ready to be fashioned into poems. All levels of experience are welcome.

- **Date & Time:** 10 AM – 4:30 PM, with midday lunch break
- **Enrollment:** Minimum 5; maximum 15
- **Place:** Multnomah Friends Meeting House, 4312 SE Stark, Portland OR — street parking available
- **Cost:** \$70 [Deposit of \$25 nonrefundable]

Secure online Paypal registration: www.mountainwriters.org
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—**Paulann Petersen** is Oregon's current Poet Laureate. A former Stegner Fellow at Stanford University, Petersen is the author of four full-length collections of poems, *The Wild Awake* (Confluence Press, 2002); *Blood Silk* (Quiet Lion Press, 2004); *A Bride of Narrow Escape* (Cloudbank Books, 2004); and most recently *The Voluptuary* (Lost Horse Press, 2010), as well as a number of chapbooks. She serves on the board for Friends of William Stafford and was recognized in 2006 for her contributions to Oregon's literary life with Literary Arts' 2006 Holbrook Award.



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