

Friday

Prose

Poetry

Graphic Novel

Screenwriting

Publishing & Marketing

Other

Holt Conference

Vocational 1

Vocational 2

Assembly 2

Assembly 1

Assembly Auditorium

7:30 – 8:15

Breakfast

8:15 – 12:00

Registration at Assembly Hall (open until 7:30)

12:00 – 12:45

Lunch

1:00 – 1:45

Assembly Auditorium: Welcome Remarks and Business Meeting – All members welcome!

2:00 – 3:15

Experimental Poetry
Elizabeth Savage

So You Want to
be a Writer
Diane Tarantini

Graphic Novel
Writing Basics
Danny Boyd

Writer's Studio

3:30 – 4:45

What am I Writing?
Tobi Doyle & S.G.
Redling

The Power of the
Prompt
Connie Kinsey

Persona Poetry
Doug Van Gundy

People's Choice
Prose

5:00 – 6:00

Dinner

6:15 – 7:30

Examining
Screenwriting Part
One
Doc Benson

Live Your Passion
Larry Schardt

Observation and
Detail
Valerie Nieman

People's Choice
Poetry

Writer's Studio

7:45 – ?

Assembly Auditorium: Open Mic Night

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Saturday

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7:30 – 8:15

Breakfast

8:30 – 9:00

Assembly Auditorium: Opening Remarks

9:15 – 10:30

Four Phases of Reach
Becky Robinson

Read, Write, Speak
Connie Kinsey

Creating & Formatting Graphic Novel Story
Pell & Tener

Ready to Submit Your Book?
Doyle & Redling

Writer's Studio

10:45 – 12:00

Creating Complex Characters
Valerie Nieman

12 Step Process
Tarantini & Smith

Putting Together a Team
Pell & Tener

Collaboration
Savage & Van Gundy

People's Choice Prose

12:00 – 1:00

Lunch

1:15 – 2:30

Tools to Enhance Success
Larry Schardt

Platform 101
Diane Tarantini

Pros & Cons of Approaches
Becky Robinson

Writing a Synopsis
Doyle, Redling, & Barry

People's Choice Poetry

2:45 – 4:00

Literary Citizenship & Feats of Derring-Do
Connie Kinsey

Examining Screenwriting Part Two
Doc Benson

Shorter Poetry Forms
Doug Van Gundy

Adaptation Mediums
Daniel Boyd

Writer's Studio

People's Choice Youth

4:15 – 5:30

Editing & Publishing Your Poetic Works
Elizabeth Savage

Marketing & Crowdfunding
Pell & Tener

All Into the Pool
Valerie Nieman

Success That Rocks
Larry Schardt

5:30 – 6:00

Banquet Preparation

6:00 – 7:30

Dining Hall: West Virginia Writers, Inc. Annual Banquet with Keynote Speaker Eric Eyre

7:30 – ?

Entertainment

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Assembly Auditorium

7:30 – 8:15

Breakfast

8:15 – 9:00

Cedar Lakes Checkout

9:00 – 10:15

Character Driven Revisions
Doyle, Redling, & Barry

Examining Screenwriting
Part Three
Doc Benson

Writer's Studio

10:30 – 11:45

How to Revise Your Own Poetry
Doug Van Gundy

Q & A
Danny Boyd

12:00 – 1:00

Lunch