

NOV 10-12

2023

**NAUTILUS HOTEL
MIAMI BEACH**

**Festival
Experience
Guide**



**BEYOND
WORDS**

LIFE TO PAPER BOOK FESTIVAL

2023 FESTIVAL GUIDE

EVENT	WELCOME RECEPTION 6:30 PM - 8:30 PM Meet at the lobby bar of the Nautilus Sonesta to meet and greet!	Fri Nov 10
GATHER	REGISTRATION Nautilus Sonesta Bridge Room 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM Get your pass, totebag, grab a coffee or tea, and browse the market before we dive into a full day!	Sat Nov 11
TALK	YOUR STORY COULD BE SOMEONE'S SPARK. 10:00 AM - 10:30 AM Tabitha Rose, discusses how sharing your story can ignite inspiration and change in others.	Sat Nov 11
WORKSHOP	THE AUTHOR-EDITOR RELATIONSHIP 10:30 AM - 11:10 AM Don Loney tells stories from the editorial trenches, and a Q&A.	Sat Nov 11
PANEL	TRUTH AND YOUR PERSONAL NARRATIVE 11:30 PM - 12:30 PM Tabitha Rose hosts an intimate conversation with a panel of authors as they discuss the power of personal stories.	Sat Nov 11
GATHER	LUNCH BREAK 12:30 PM - 1:30 PM Grab some friends and grab some lunch!	Sat Nov 11

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WORKSHOP

SELF-PUBLISHING 101

Sat Nov 11

1:30 PM - 2:10 PM

Anne MacDonald will teach you the steps it takes to not only self-publish your book but self-publish your book successfully.

PANEL

THE IMPORTANCE OF DIVERSITY IN LITERATURE

Sat Nov 11

2:30 PM - 2:10 PM

Authors John Cordero, Rasheed Newson, Hussein-Al Baiaty, and Dia Finley in conversation.

WORKSHOP

MEDITATIVE CHARACTER CRAFTING: A SENSORY EXPLORATION

Sat Nov 11

2:30 PM - 3:10 PM

Founder, Tabitha Rose

TALK

LIFE TO LENS: CRAFTING YOUR CINEMATIC STORY

Sat Nov 11

3:30 PM - 4:00 PM

Monty Langford learn how to transform your personal narrative into a compelling film piece.

EVENT

JO FERRONE: DOREEN BY DOREEN

Sat Nov 11

5:00 PM - 6:00 PM

Join Jo Ferrone and friends to discuss her newest title, Doreen by Doreen.

EVENT

LITERARY DINNER PARTY

Sat Nov 11

8:00 PM - 11:00 PM

Step into the vibrant scene of 1980's NYC. Special guest author **Rasheed Newson**.
**don't forget to dress for the theme!*

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TALK

TELL ME A STORY

Sun Nov 12

10:00 AM - 10:15 AM

Tabitha Rose, a formerly lonely child who found her cure in stories.

WORKSHOP

WHY NO ONE CARES ABOUT YOUR BOOK

Sun Nov 12

10:20 AM - 11:00 AM

Hussein Al-Baiaty takes us through his Rising Authors Marketing Power Pack.

WORKSHOP

BUILDING A MULTI-LAYERED BOOK MARKETING STRATEGY

Sun Nov 12

11:00 AM - 11:30 AM

Jane Ubell-Meyer discusses creating a marketing strategy that resonates with your audience and stands out in a crowded literary landscape.

WORKSHOP

#BOOKSTAGRAM #BOOKTOK: BUILD COMMUNITY AROUND STORIES

Sun Nov 12

12:00 PM - 12:30 PM

Virginia Gil @theboozeandbooksclub in conversation with Hussein Al Baiaty, Brie Schuppe @narrativesandnightcaps, and Erin @literatureandlattesblog.

WORKSHOP

ROADMAP TO WRITING YOUR BRAVEST, BOLDEST, MOST INSPIRING BOOK

Sun Nov 12

12:40 PM - 2:00 PM

Tabitha Rose walks you through creating the outline for a book that can inspire a movement.

GATHER

LUNCH BREAK

Sun Nov 12

2:00 PM - 3:00 PM

Grab some friends and grab some lunch!



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PANEL	<p>CENSORSHIP IN FICTION Sun Nov 12</p> <p style="text-align: right;">3:00 PM - 3:40 PM</p> <p>Ginny Myers-Sain in conversation with DL Jennings, CV Shaw Ann Brooks & Jo Ferrone.</p>
PANEL	<p>ELEVATE YOUR CAREER WITH A BOOK Sun Nov 12</p> <p style="text-align: right;">3:40 PM - 4:20 PM</p> <p>April O'Leary in conversation with Dr. Tom Hudson, Elliott Haverlack, Becky Savage, Eurice E. Rojas & Cardsy B.</p>
WORKSHOP	<p>ASSEMBLING THE PERFECT PITCH PACKAGE Sun Nov 12</p> <p style="text-align: right;">4:40 PM - 5:20 PM</p> <p>Mark Gottlieb teaches us how to understand the submissions process.</p>
PANEL	<p>PATHWAYS TO PUBLISHING Sun Nov 12</p> <p style="text-align: right;">5:20 PM - 6:00 PM</p> <p>Rose Friel in conversation with Don Loney, April O'Leary, Tabitha Rose, Anne MacDonald & Edward Bajek.</p>
TALK	<p>BEYOND WORDS: THE JOURNEY AHEAD Sun Nov 12</p> <p style="text-align: right;">6:30 PM - 7:00 PM</p> <p>Tabitha Rose urges us to harness the power of stories to inspire change, and write the narratives of tomorrow.</p>
EVENT	<p>PURPLE QUILL LITERARY AWARDS Sun Nov 12</p> <p style="text-align: right;">7:00 PM - 7:45 PM</p> <p>Hosted by Sol Ballard. Remarks from Zibby Owens, winner of the Trailblazer Award.</p>