

DIP report for Gillian Conoley Academic Year 2019-2020

During my Difference in Pay leave, I went on a book tour to promote *A Little More Red Sun on the Human: New and Selected Poems*, which came out with Nightboat Books (NY) in October 2019. I gave poetry readings at the locations listed below and read at venues ranging from universities to libraries to non-profit literary spaces across the country.

I also worked on my new collection of poetry, my 10th book, which will be published by Nightboat Books in 2022. Titled *In the Next Next World*, this book is now more than halfway complete, with a goal of completing the book by August 2021.

Readings for 2019-20 tour for *A Little More Red Sun on the Human: New and Selected Poems*

Litquake Book Festival, Grace Cathedral, San Francisco, October 12, 2019, 7 pm.

Napa Valley Writers Fest 20th Year Celebration, Litquake, October 13, 5 pm.

City Lights Books, Launch for *A Little More Red Sun on the Human: New and Selected Poems*, Oct. 22, 7 pm.

So-and-So Bookstore, Raleigh, North Carolina, October 25, 2019, 7 pm.

New Dominion Bookstore, Charlottesville, VA, October 26, 2019.

University of Massachusetts, Amherst, MA. Jones Library, October 27, 3 pm.

University of Richmond, Richmond, VA. Oct 30, 2019, 7 pm.

City Lights Bookstore, 100 Years of Surrealism, with Norma Cole and Alan Bernheimer, San Francisco, Nov. 5, 7 pm.

Moe's Bookstore, Berkeley, 7 pm.

City Lights Bookstore, Panel on Women in Surrealism, San Francisco Nov. 9, 2019.

Colorado State University, Eye to Eye Reading Series, Fort Collins, November 12, 7 pm.

University of Colorado, Boulder, November 14, 7 pm.

Dominican College MFA Program Writer in Residence, January 2020.

Malvern Books, Austin, Texas, Book launch, March 3, 2019, 7 pm.

Associated Writing Programs, March 4-7, San Antonio. Events TBA.

New York University, Lillian Vernon Writers' House, Spring 2020 TBA. (postponed due to pandemic)

Los Angeles Times Book Fair, April 18-19, 2020. (postponed due to pandemic)

Sacramento Poetry Festival, April 2020, date TBA. (postponed due to pandemic)

Sonoma Writers' Festival, Green Music Center, The Prelude, April 24, 6:30 pm. (postponed due to pandemic)

Upcoming Residences:

Vermont Arts Studio, Writer in Residence, February 4-9, 2021.