

18th Annual Writing the Rockies Conference

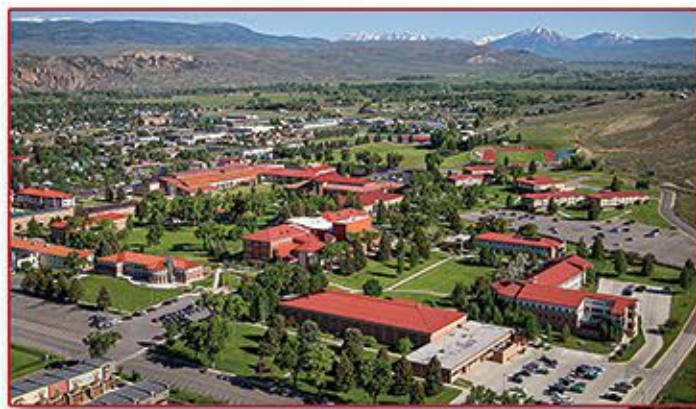
July 19 - 23, 2017

Western State Colorado University
Gunnison, Colorado

Join us for one of America's great writing conferences.

Creative Nonfiction • Genre Fiction • Poetry • Publishing • Screenwriting

Workshops • Panels • Seminars • Film Screenings • Lectures • Readings • Opera



Western State Colorado University campus,
home of Writing the Rockies.

WtR 2016 faculty and participants on the trail to West Maroon Pass.



Photo: Andrew Sellon

KEYNOTE SPEAKERS

- **Mike Reiss:** Four-time Emmy Award-winner for *The Simpsons*
- **Alice Quinn:** Executive Director of the Poetry Society of America, Former Poetry Editor of *The New Yorker*
- **David Anthony Durham:** Award-winning novelist, *New York Times* Notable Book author
- **Sean Prentiss:** Author of *Finding Abbey*, 2015 National Outdoor Book Award winner for History/Biography
- **Duane L. Vandenbusche:** Leading Historian of Colorado's Western Slope
- **Sandra Bond:** Owner of Bond Literary Agency

Speakers, Presenters, and Workshop Leaders

Creative Nonfiction: Kelsey L. Bennett, Brian Calvert, Alissa Johnson, Kase Johnstun, Valerie Lester, Sean Prentiss, George Sibley, Mark Todd

Genre Fiction: Russell Davis, David Anthony Durham, Candace Nadon, Clay Reynolds, Michaela Roessner

Poetry: Bruce Bennett, Thomas Cable, Natalie Gerber, Art Goodtimes, Emily Grosholz, William Hausdoerffer, Jodie Hollander, Julie Kane, Alice Quinn, David J. Rothman, Jan Schreiber, Marilyn L. Taylor, Frederick Turner

Publishing: Sandra Bond, Kyle Harvey, Uche Ogbuji, Danny Rosen, Caleb Seeling, Mark Todd

Screenwriting: Michael Brody, Trai Cartwright, J S Mayank, Mike Reiss, Bob Shayne

New Opera Workshop

Lottie Silks, by Jay Perrotta, libretto by Enid Holden. Director: Dough Fitch. Music Director, Ben Makino.

Special Presentation

Through the Looking Glass Darkly, written and performed by Andrew Sellon.

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