Saturday, March 25, 2023
Joseph Meyerhoff Symphony Hall

10:00 am - 12:00 pm ($10)
One-on-One 30-Minute Editorial Critique Sessions:
Bret McCabe, Rebekah Kirkman, Chelsea Lemon Fetzer, Rosalia Scalia, Kathy Flann, Lisa Snowden-McCray

11:00 am - 12:15 pm
OF MOURNING & MEMORY: BROWN GIRL AND MUSLIM, THE POETRY OF LOSS & AWAKENINGS
FATIMAH ASGHAR, a reading & conversation with Nafisa Isa

11:30 am - 12:45 pm
EVERYONE IS WELCOME: WRIGHT'S LIGHT, IMAGINING WHAT COMES NEXT
Featuring Tonee Moll, Rahne Alexander, Unique Robinson, MEGAN MILKS*, and Imani Spence

12:30 pm - 1:45 pm
NEVER QUIET LIKE THIS
Hedgebrook introduces CARMEN MARIA MACHADO* in conversation with Nicole Shavian Junior

1:00 pm - 2:15 pm
THE 'STATE' OF BALTIMORE: SHEDDING LIGHT ON CRITICAL ISSUES
Featuring Joshua Davis, Alannah Nichole Davis, Lawrence Brown, and Nneka N'namdi

2:00 pm - 3:15 pm
LITTLE DEVILS WITH UNCHAINED ARMS
HANIF ABDURRAQIB* in conversation with Jason Reynolds

2:30 - 3:30 pm
VICIOUS DEATHS, A CONVERSATION
An original CJ Philip production and youth-centered, musical adaptation of the opera Carmen

3:30 pm - 4:45 pm
I'VE BEEN IN SORROW'S KITCHEN: THE MANY WAYS WE WEAR OUR GRIEF
A procession of artists in an eclectic exploration of loss featuring Allen Xing, Kathy Flann, Mejdulene Shomali, Chin-Yer, Gayle Danley, Kisha Webster (Greenmount West Community Center), Kondwani Fidel, and Black Assets

5:00 pm - 6:15 pm
MY BROKEN LANGUAGE
Baltimore/DC Bushwick Book Club centers Quiara Alegría Hudes' work with a musical interpretation curated by Sea Griffin, featuring Boy Meets Pearl, Lou Black, and Antonio Villaronga

5:30 pm - 6:45 pm
THE WRITER'S ROOM (Registration required)
MEGAN MILKS 1:00 pm - 1:30 pm
CARMEN MARIA MACHADO 2:00 pm - 2:30 pm
HANIF ABDURRAQIB & FATIMAH ASGHAR 5:00 pm - 5:45 pm

Tuesday, March 28, 2023
Chesapeake Shakespeare Theater 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm
CATCHING THE LIGHT WITH JOY
A reading and conversation with Brendan Basham featuring former U.S. Poet Laureate JOY HARJO

Friday, March 31, 2023
Busboys and Poets - Baltimore 7:00 pm - 9:30 pm
UNSHUTTERED POETS: POETRY AT THE CENTER OF HISTORY & REMEMBRANCE
Musical guest Jahiil will perform and featured guests include Patricia Smith, Ephraim Nehemiah, Zeina Azzam, Sean Murphy, Kathleen Hellen, Tara Elliott, and Jalynn Harris: Master of Ceremonies

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