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Writing and Translating at the International Writing Program, 1967-2017

Monday, April 17

11:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. | 1117 University Capitol Centre
OPENING RECEPTION AND LECTURES ON NAKAGAMI KENJI (IWP 1982) with Professor Anne McKnight, Shirayuri College and Professor Eri Watanabe, Shizuoka University

* Lunch provided

7 - 8 p.m. | Shambaugh House, 430 North Clinton St.

Tuesday, April 18

2 - 3:15 p.m. | 1117 University Capitol Centre
ROUNDTABLE DISCUSSION: TransPacific Poetics with Sawako Nakayasu, translator, and Lisa Samuels, author

* Refreshments provided

7 - 8 p.m. | Prairie Lights, 15 South Dubuque St

Wednesday, April 19

4 - 5 p.m. | Shambaugh House, 430 North Clinton St.
POETRY READING: “More Wet than Water: Two Contemporary Poets” with Forrest Gander and Sawako Nakayasu

7 - 9 p.m. | Theatre B, Theatre Building
POETRY AND MULTIMEDIA PERFORMANCE: “Gozo: The Medium is the Messenger” with Gozo Yoshimasu, Forrest Gander, Sawako Nakayasu, and Kyoko Yoshida, featuring the Laptop Orchestra with Professor Jean-François Charles, conductor

Thursday, April 20

2:15 - 3:15 p.m. | 318 Phillips Hall
TRANSLATION WORKSHOP: “How Literature Travels: Translators Between Languages” with Gozo Yoshimasu, Forrest Gander, Kyoko Yoshida, Nori Nakagami and Anne McKnight

6:30 - 9:50 p.m. | 2390 University Capitol Centre
TRANSLATION WORKSHOP SPONSORED BY EXCHANGES: “Translation Deep Dive: Gozo and the Sea of Translators” with Gozo Yoshimasu, Forrest Gander, Sawako Nakayasu, and Kyoko Yoshida

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