

26th Annual Women Writing the West Conference Registration

CLIMBING HIGHER: Endless Vistas, Unlimited Vision

The Antlers Hotel, Colorado Springs, CO
October 15- October 18, 2020

(Registration also available online at www.womenwritingthewest.org)

First Name _____ Last Name _____
Mailing Address _____
City _____ State _____ Zip _____
Phone _____ E-Mail _____

- * If available, I wish to schedule a publisher/agent appointment (see details on reverse) Yes () No ()
- * Please contact me about selling my books in the conference bookstore Yes () No ()
- * This will be my first time attending a WWW Conference Yes () No ()
- * I have a life threatening food allergy—please contact me for details Yes () No ()

Step 1: CONFERENCE FEES: Regular conference registration includes breakfasts & complimentary evening social hours for hotel guests, Thursday evening reception, Friday luncheon, Saturday luncheon, and Saturday banquet. Single day registration does not include meals. See reverse for highlights. Detailed information on website!

Early Registration Postmarked by June 30, 2020

___ @ \$280 – WWW member
___ @ \$325 – Non-member
___ @ \$140 – Friday only, no meals
___ @ \$150 – Saturday only, no meals

Registration after June 30, 2020

___ @ \$310 – WWW member
___ @ \$360 – Non-member
___ @ \$155 – Friday only, no meals
___ @ \$165 – Saturday only, no meals

Step 2: ADD-ON OPTIONS: Please see website or reverse for detailed information on each.

BASIC REGISTRATION SUBTOTAL \$ _____

Guest tickets for Thursday Evening WILLA Finalist Reception and Readings # ___ @ \$25 each = \$ _____
(Reception included in full conference registration)

Thursday October 15 Pre-Conference Add-On Afternoon Educational Sessions

(select one per person): \$35 Member/\$40 Non-member \$ _____
___ Query Letter Boot Camp with Angie Hodapp
___ Self-Publishing Step by Step with Polly Letofsky
___ Roundtable Advance Critique with editor/agent (we will contact you with editor/agent choices)

Friday, October 16 Walking Tour/Presentations @ Pioneer Museum # ___ @ \$20 each \$ _____

Sunday, October 18 Garden of the Gods, Manitou Springs/Miramont Castle # ___ @ \$45 each \$ _____

Step 3: EXTRA MEALS FOR GUESTS or SINGLE DAY ATTENDEES

___ \$45 per person Friday luncheon \$ _____
___ \$45 per person Saturday luncheon \$ _____
___ \$60 per person Saturday evening WILLA banquet \$ _____

ADD-ON EVENT SUBTOTAL \$ _____

EXTRA MEAL SUBTOTAL \$ _____

Note: We will not be including continental breakfasts this year. The Antlers offers a full breakfast buffet and will make discount coupons for \$15 each (self-pay) available to our attendees. That's by far less expensive than including continental breakfast and related service fees. This allowed us to keep registration prices lower.

Step 4: SELECT YOUR MEAL CHOICES (yourself and all guests)

Friday LAURA Award and DOWNING Journalism Award banquet

- # ___ I will not be attending this meal
- # ___ 5-Cheese Stuffed Portobello Mushroom with Romesco Sauce (veg, GF)
- # ___ Herb Roasted Chicken Breast with Wild Mushroom Demi-Glace (GF)
- # ___ Salmon Filet with Lemon Buerre Blanc (GF)

Saturday WILLA Literary Finalist Award luncheon

- # ___ I will not be attending this meal
- # ___ Stuffed Portobello with Ratatouille of Five Cheese Stuffing (veg, GF)
- # ___ Sliced Herb Crusted Pork Loin with Sauce Robert (GF)
- # ___ Chicken Marsala with Mushroom and Pancetta Marsala Wine Sauce (GF)

Saturday WILLA Literary Award Banquet

- # ___ I will not be attending this meal
- # ___ Roasted Vegetable Wellington with Fresh Tomato Basil Sauce (veg, GF)
- # ___ Pan-Seared Chicken Breast with Prosecco Cream (GF)
- # ___ Beef Medallions with Madeira Sauce (GF)

Step 5: PAYMENT: To register online and pay via Paypal, go to the website: www.womenwritingthewest.org. Or mail in this form with check/money order payable to Women Writing the West and mail to Pam Nowak. Please note that Pam will be moving during the registration period so please pay attention to dates below. Online registration encouraged.

If you are snail-mailing in your form and payment, please email Pam at WWWconference2020@hotmail.com to alert her so she can watch for it. Mail to Pam Nowak-WWW at the appropriate address (depending on when you mail it).

Dates receiving mail at this address:

Prior to March 16:	22940 E. Roxbury Dr. Unit B	Aurora, CO 80016
March 16-April 15:	597 Vista Drive	Castle Rock, CO 80104
April 16-April 30:	do not mail during this time frame—unsure of address	
After May 1:	9224 Crystal Creek Lane NW	Albuquerque, NM 87120

CONFERENCE HIGHLIGHTS

Full conference details are on the website (www.womenwritingthewest.org). The conference will include all our wonderful usual conference activities including the Thursday Evening Reading Reception, Book-sale and Gala Signing, Silent Auction, Pitch Appointments, and more! Keynotes will be W. Michael Gear and Kathleen O' Neal Gear, Margaret Coel, and special presenter Bob Boze Bell. General session and breakouts on marketing, craft, creativity, editor/agent panels, and more! Updates on website as sessions are finalized. Several special sessions planned!

THURSDAY AFTERNOON ADD-ON EDUCATIONAL SESSIONS: Choose One! 1:00 p.m. to 4 p.m. Thursday, October 15, 2020. **"Query Letter Boot Camp"**—A hands-on guide to making query letters sparkle with Angie Hodapp. **"Self-Publishing Step-by-Step"**—Polly Letofsky will cover what and how to get your self-pub work out there. **"Roundtable Advance Critique"**—Join one of our guest editors or agents for a group critique session. Submit your first ten manuscript pages in advance and receive critique comments from other participants and the editor/agent. You will be contacted to select the editor/agent best suited to your genre and given instructions for submitting your pages. Requires advance submission and reading and critiquing others' pages. Intended for those comfortable with and open to receiving critique. Editors/Agents participating to date: Deni Dietz, Shannon Hasson with more TBA

TOURS: Friday is a walking tour to the Pioneer Museum with special presentations in the restored historic district courtroom. Learn about William Palmer and Spencer Penrose and their wives and enjoy a visit from Helen Hunt Jackson! Followed by docent-led tour of museum. On Sunday, take a bus tour through the spectacular Garden of the Gods then visit historic Manitou Springs. Wander the town or visit Miramont Castle for a tour.

EDITORS & AGENTS: Lauren Bridges (Wolfpack Publishing), Artie Crisp (History Press), Deni Dietz (Five Star Frontier Fiction), Shannon Hasson (Marsal Lyon Literary Agency), Angie Hodapp (Nelson Literary Agency), Becky Lejeune (Bond Literary Agency), with invites still out. Special journal editors Bob Boze Bell (True West Magazine) and Mona Neely (Colorado Country Life).

HOTEL: See guest room rates, hotel information, and reservation instructions/link on website. Room rates start at \$144/night. Guaranteed room rate through noon on **September 14, 2020.** Shuttle information on website.

TOTAL ENCLOSED

Registration	\$ ___
Add-On Events	\$ ___
Extra Meals	\$ ___

TOTAL
\$ _____

REFUND POLICY: All refunds subject to \$20 processing fee.

REGISTRATION REFUND DEADLINE: September 15, 2020. No refunds after this date for any reason.