

Literary Arts Announces the 2007-2008 Portland Arts & Lectures Season

Portland, Ore. - Literary Arts is pleased to announce five speakers for the 2007-2008 Portland Arts & Lectures series. A sixth event will be announced in June.

Orhan Pamuk

Tuesday, October 16, 2007

Author of *Snow* and recipient of this year's Nobel Prize for Literature.

Colson Whitehead

Tuesday, January 15, 2008

MacArthur Fellow and author of the hit novels *Apex Hides the Hurt* and *The Intuitionist*.

Mary Oliver

Tuesday, February 5, 2008

Beloved Pulitzer Prize-winning poet, author of *American Primitive*.

Stephen Sondheim, in conversation with Frank Rich

Tuesday, March 11, 2008

Musical composer and lyricist, author of *Sweeney Todd* and *A Little Night Music*.

Marjane Satrapi

Monday, April 7, 2008

Author of graphic novel *Persepolis*, due out as a feature film this fall.

Season tickets are on sale now: \$245 Patron; \$170 Reserved; \$120 General Admission; \$100 Senior/College.

Tickets to individual events will be available in September.

For ticketing information and questions regarding these events, please visit www.literary-arts.org or call 503.227.2583.

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