A Conversation with Jaki Shelton Green

Wednesday, February 13, 2019
4:00 pm in Education Building 162

Book Signing to Follow

The College of Arts and Sciences, Graduate Liberal Studies Program, Department of English and Women’s and Gender Studies Program welcome North Carolina Poet Laureate Jaki Shelton Green’s return to campus.

Jaki Shelton Green is founder of SistaWRITE and 2014 inductee into the NC Literary Hall of Fame. She received the 2010 Fine Arts Emerald Award (Raleigh LINKS), and in 2009, was selected first NC Piedmont Laureate. Dr. Green teaches documentary poetry at Duke University Center for Documentary Studies. She is author of Dead on Arrival, Dead on Arrival and New Poems, Masks, Conjure Blues, singing a tree into dance, breath of the song, Blue Opal, a play and Feeding the Light. She is the co-editor of two anthologies: Poets for Peace, Immigration Emigration and Diversity published by Chapel Hill Press, Inc. Her poetry has appeared in numerous publications such as The Crucible, The African-American Review, Obsidian, Poets for Peace, Immigration Emigration and Diversity, Ms. Magazine, Essence Magazine, KAKALAK, Callaloo, Cave Canem African American Writers Anthology, The Pedestal Magazine, 27 Views of Hillsborough, Solo Press Anthology, What Matters Anthology, Home is Where: An Anthology of African American Poetry from the Carolinas, When Women Waken (Women Writers, Women Books) NC Literary Trails of North Carolina.

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