

# ALABAMA WRITERS SYMPOSIUM



**MARCH 31  
& APRIL 1  
2016**



Join us for two days in Monroeville to meet our guests and join the fun of Alabama's literary family reunion! Favorite writers and scholars lead lively, interactive sessions:

E.O. Wilson • Greg Neri • Kim Cross  
• Wayne Flynt • Nancy Anderson •  
Chervis Isom • William Cobb • Kirk Curnutt  
• Dan Puckett • Ben Raines • Kerry Madden •  
Marianne Moates • Jennifer Horne  
• Don Noble • PowerLines Poetry •  
Artisans from the Poarch Band of Creek Indians

## REGISTER TODAY! EXPLORE THE ELEPHANT IN THE ROOM!

Nobody's talking about it, but everyone knows it's there. Are you brave enough to bring up the obvious or just Southern enough to try sweeping it under your grandmother's braided rag rug? Either way, you won't want to miss E.O. Wilson's timely observations of the environment, Kirk Curnutt's eye on Aphrodite, Kim Cross's emotional stories of loss and survival, and Greg Neri's whole new look at the childhood friendship of Monroeville's own writing titans. Enjoy these sessions and more March 31 and April 1 at the 19th annual Alabama Writers Symposium in Monroeville, Alabama.

## NEW EVENTS THIS YEAR

- Fun sessions with popular Alabama writers & scholars on Thursday and Friday. Join the discussion and tackle the Elephant in the Room!
- Thursday night Awards Gala honoring 2016 Harper Lee and Eugene Current-Garcia award winners with guest speaker Harper Lee Award Winner, E.O. Wilson
- Fish Fry Luncheon on Friday
- Friday discussion sessions with the 2016 award winners

## THE ALABAMA WRITERS SYMPOSIUM TURNS 19

With new dates and new ideas, we have a new plan for bringing writers and readers together. We will celebrate in Monroeville at the Alabama Southern campus and the downtown district, from an exploration of oral histories to a treasure hunt for Truman Capote around the historic courthouse museum.



## E.O. WILSON • 2016 HARPER LEE AWARD WINNER

Join us for the Awards Gala Thursday, March 31 to welcome and honor E.O. Wilson, world-renowned biologist, author of 31 books and Professor Emeritus at Harvard University. Wilson has received more than 100 awards including the National Medal of Science and two Pulitzer Prizes for non-fiction. In 1995 *Time* magazine named him one of the 25 most influential Americans, and in 2000 both *Time* and *Audubon* magazines named him one of the century's 100 leading environmentalists.

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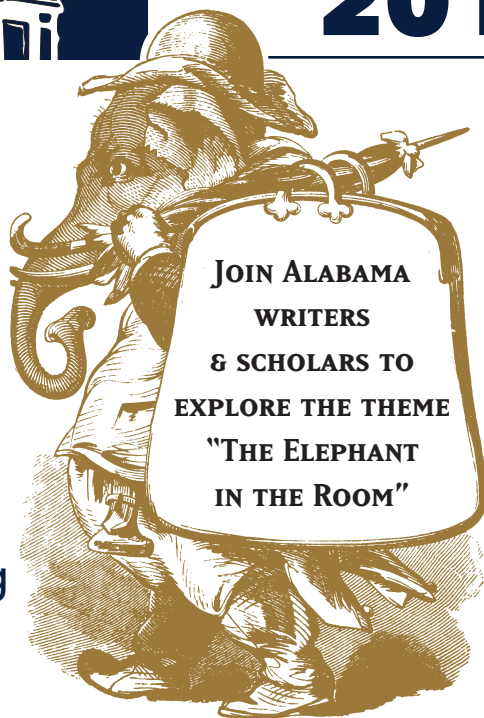


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## REGISTRATION DEADLINE FRIDAY, MARCH 18, 2016

Questions? Call (251) 575-8223  
Form online at [www.WritersSymposium.org](http://www.WritersSymposium.org)

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### 2016 REGISTRATION FEES *Fees are listed per person*

- Comprehensive Ticket • March 31 & April 1 ..... \$125
- Discussions only ..... FREE
- Total Registration ..... \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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