

SCHEDULE FOR 2017 AWC WRITING CONFERENCE

Friday-June 30

Time	Track 1	Track II
1:00-2:00	Registration/Bookstore Check In	Coffee Klatch with T.K. Thorne/Informal Critique Groups
2:15-3:15	Masterclass: Writing Your Story In Context to ... Something - Brooks	
3:30-4:30	Worldbuilding in Fantasy and Paranormal Romance-George	Breathing Life into Your Creation: A Deeper Look at Character-Teter
4:45-5:30	Open Mic	Concept/Story Line Pitches to Brooks
5:30-6:30	Open Mic	Networking/Bookstore/Informal Critique Groups
7:00-10:00	Welcome & Reception! (IZ Place-336 Rocky Ridge, Plz, Vestavia, AL)	

Saturday-July 1

8:00-9:00	Registration/Bookstore Check In	Coffee Klatch with T.K. Thorne/Informal Critique Groups
9:15-10:15	Writing Memoir-Horne	Writing Nature Into Fiction & Nonfiction-Datnow
10:30-11:30	Plotting A Mystery-Wkshop I-Malone	Hybrid Writing in Poetry: Release Your Creativity Wkshop I -Walker
11:30-1:00	Lunch On Your Own (List of venues and map in your bag)	
1:15-2:15	Masterclass: The Eternal and Often Misunderstood Nature and Purpose of Story Structure-Brooks	
2:30-3:30	Independent Screenplays in the Southern Voice- Carroll	Something There Is That Doesn't Love a Wall-Beitelman
3:45-4:45	Writing A Techno-Thriller-Keith	Writing As A Way Of Seeing-Horne
5:00-6:00	Building An Online Presence/ Persona- Stefanesque	Writing Christian Fiction-Malone

6:30-7:00	Cocktails-cash bar/Networking (IZ Place-336 Rocky Ridge, Plz, Vestavia, AL)	
7:00-7:30	Banquet & Awards (IZ Place)	
7:30-8:30	Keynote: Welcome to The Writing Conversation... Where Every Writer is On Their Own to Survive the Noise-Larry Brooks	
8:30-10:00	Networking at IZ	
Sunday-July 2		
8:00-9:00	Registration/Bookstore	Writing As A Political Act-Jones
9:15-10:30	Somebody's Gotta Die-Thorne	Your Story Research Needs Passion & Military Intelligence Training-Tilford
10:45-11:45	Plotting A Cozy Mystery-II-Malone	Hybrid Writing in Poetry: A New Way To Release Your Creativity II-Walker
12:00-1:30	Business Meeting & Lunch	
1:30-2:00	Bookstore Checkout	