

# 2022 Festival Schedule **Saturday, September 17**

## SKYSCAPES

9:30am -  
10am

**Morning Music**  
*Anupama Bhagwat and Nitin Mitta*  
Presented by  
Colorado Fine Arts Association

10:15am -  
10:45am

**1. Inaugural Address**  
Address by Namita Gokhale,  
William Dalrymple, Sanjoy K. Roy,  
David Farnan (Director of Library  
& Arts, Boulder Public Library) and  
Aaron Brockett (the Honorable  
Mayor of the City of Boulder)

10:45am -  
11:45am

**2. Scorching Love: Gandhi's Letters to his son Devdas**  
*Gopalkrishna Gandhi in conversation  
with Sanjoy K. Roy*

12:00pm -  
1:00pm

**6. A Matter of Trust**  
*Meenakshi Ahamed and Ken Juster in  
conversation with Seema Sirohi*

1:15pm -  
2:15pm

**10. Homo Irrealis**  
*André Aciman in conversation with  
David Nasaw*

2:30pm -  
3:30pm

**13. The Long Night of Noir**  
*Manuel Ramos,  
David Heska Wanbli Weiden and  
Ausma Zehanat Khan in conversation  
with Claudia Cragg*

3:45pm -  
4:45pm

**17. The Last Queen:**  
**Maharani Jindan Kaur**  
*Chitra Banerjee Divakaruni in  
conversation with Sanjoy K. Roy*

5:00pm -  
6:00pm

**21. William Dalrymple:**  
**The Privatized Imperialists**  
*William Dalrymple introduced by  
Sanjoy K. Roy*

## CANYON THEATER

**3. Fiction and the Spaces in Between**  
*Neel Patel and Sanjena Sathian in  
conversation with  
Manasi Subramaniam*

**7. The Silk Road- A Fantasy?**  
*Valerie Hansen in conversation with  
William Dalrymple*

**11. Acrobat**  
*Nandana Sen in conversation with  
Sanjoy K. Roy*

**14. Making Meritocracy: Lessons from  
China and India**  
*Tarun Khanna in conversation with  
Liaquat Ahamed*

**18. Displacement:**  
**Of Migrants and Exile**  
*David Nasaw in conversation with  
Thomas Pegelow Kaplan*

**22. Women Who Wear Only  
Themselves**  
*Arundhati Subramaniam in  
conversation with  
Manasi Subramaniam*

## STEPS

**4. Let's Play Music Together**  
*Visda Carson, Travis LaBerge*

*Boulder Rotary Club*  
**8. Peacebuilding Session I:  
Understanding & Addressing  
America's Polarization**  
*Stephen Hawkins in conversation  
with Randall Butler*  
*For Teenagers and Adults*

*Boulder Rotary Club*  
**12. Peacebuilding Session II: Enabling  
Constructive Conversations**  
*Gordon Gamm and Randall Butler  
interviewed by Maeve Conran*  
*For Teenagers and Adults*

*Boulder Rotary Club*  
**15. Rotary Peacebuilding Session III:  
This is Our Common Ground: Sharing  
Stories that Serve a Severed World**  
*Pedro Silva*

*Boulder Rotary Club*  
**19. Rotary Peacebuilding Session IV:  
Practicalities In Peacebuilding**  
*William Timpson, Patty Limerick,  
Randall Butler*  
*For Teenagers and Adults*

*Boulder Rotary Club*  
**23. Rotary Peacebuilding Session V:  
The Pedagogy of Power for the  
Powerless in Modern States**  
*Ajume Wingo in conversation with  
Randall Butler*  
*For Teenagers and Adults*

## BROOK

**5. Echo Composition:**  
**An Ecopoetic Writing Workshop**  
*Reed Bye with Beyond Academia  
Free Skool*  
*For Teenagers and Adults*  
*Bring your laptop or favorite writing tools!*

**9. The Political. The Personal.**  
**The Poetic.**  
*A Writing Workshop with  
Suzi Q. Smith*  
*For Teenagers and Adults*  
*Bring your laptop or favorite writing tools!*

**16. The Word, A Storytelling  
Sanctuary: Readings**  
*Suzi Q. Smith, Confidence Omenai,  
Bianca Mikahn, Joe Ponce, Ahja Fox,  
and Manuel Aragon*

**20. 21st Century Soulutions: Blending  
Mediums, Blurring Time**  
*Ramon Gabrielloff-Parish and  
Michelle Gabrielloff-Parish*  
*For Teenagers and Adults*  
*Bring your laptop or favorite writing tools!*

# 2022 Festival Schedule **Sunday, September 18**

	SKYSCAPES	CANYON THEATER	STEPS	BROOK
10:00am - 10:30am	Morning Music <i>Elisa Garcia Quartet</i>			
10:45am - 11:45pm	24. Tomb of Sand: Translations and Transformations <i>Daisy Rockwell in conversation with Manasi Subramaniam</i>	25. Identity, Community and the Search for the Self <i>Steven Dunn in conversation with Arsen Kashkashian</i>		26. Nothing Just IS: An Exploration of the Unknown <i>Writing Workshop with Jovan Mays</i> <i>For Teenagers and Adults</i> <i>Bring your laptop or favorite writing tools!</i>
12:00pm - 1:00pm	27. The Earliest Buddhist Texts- New Discoveries from Gandhara and the Karakorums <i>Jason Neelis in conversation with William Dalrymple</i> <i>Presented by BluOne Ink</i>	28. Sri Aurobindo: Philosopher, Guru and Poet <i>Pariksith Singh in conversation with Arundhathi Subramaniam</i>		
1:15pm - 2:15pm	29. Akia: The Other Side <i>Norma Dunning* in conversation with Natalie Avalos</i> <i>*Writers' participation is sponsored by the Consulate General of Canada in Denver.</i>	30. Food for Healing <i>Richard Freeman, Mary Taylor and Miguel Gil in conversation</i> <i>Presented by Organic India</i>		31. Creating Multi-dimensional Characters for the Stage <i>With Ami Dayan</i> <i>For Teenagers and Adults</i> <i>Bring your laptop or favorite writing tools!</i>
2:30pm - 3:30pm	32. Blinded by the Light: The Life and Times of Sarfraz Manzoor <i>Sarfraz Manzoor introduced by Maeve Conran</i>	33. Ramacharitmanas: The Epic of Ram <i>Philip A. Lutgendorf in conversation with Arundhathi Subramaniam</i> <i>Presented by BluOne Ink</i>	34. Untamed: Words that Gnaw <i>Jovan Mays emcees Melissa May, Genell 'Rukus' Ellison, Jozer G, and Von Disco</i> <i>For Teenagers and Adults</i>	
3:45pm - 4:45pm	35. The Holly: The Struggle to Save an American Neighborhood <i>Julian Rubinstein and Terrance Roberts in conversation with Hillary A. Potter</i>	<i>Sponsored by the Consulate General of Canada in Denver.</i>	37. The Auroras: When Poetics Commune with the Ellis Island of the Plains <i>Inaugural Laureate, Jovan Mays in Conversation with Current Laureate, Ahja Fox and Emeritus Laureate</i> <i>For Teenagers and Adults</i>	38. The Yellow Witch <i>with Marlow Brooks and Will Thomas</i> <i>For Teenagers and Adults</i>
5:00pm - 6:00pm	39. No One Is Talking About This <i>Patricia Lockwood in conversation with Maeve Conran</i>	40. Dreaming the Multiverse <i>Bobby LeFebre, Ahja Fox and Arundhathi Subramaniam introduced by Manasi Subramaniam</i> <i>Presented by BluOne Ink</i>		The Yellow Witch: Q&A

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