



Call for Authors/Presenters

GLBA Trade Show 2008

October 3-5

Hyatt Regency, Dearborn, Michigan (Suburban Detroit)

The Opportunities: Our program includes several book & author meal functions, a “new voices” reading room, workshop/author panels, and autographings. We try to balance speakers by having new, established, and celebrity authors and writers representing various genres as well as fiction and nonfiction. We’re also open to other suggestions for presenters and promotions. Give us a call – we’ll try to work something out.

The Location: We have returned to Dearborn after a successful Chicago show. Dearborn is central to our region, in the midst of the rich bookstore market in southeast Michigan, including Ann Arbor and the Detroit metropolitan area and is easily accessible by car, Amtrak or air through Detroit Metro Airport.

Administrative Fee: A \$50 administrative fee will be charged for all confirmed authors.

Show Schedule:

Thursday, Oct 2

- TBA

Friday, Oct 3

- Workshops
- Great Lakes Book Awards Luncheon
- Workshops
- Autographing
- Author Feast

Saturday, Oct 4

- Breakfast with the Board
- Trade Exhibits
- Reception with Reading Room
- Book & Author Banquet

Sunday, Oct 5

- Children’s Book & Author Breakfast
- Workshops/Author Panels
- Plenary Session
- Autographing

Please submit your suggestions in writing to Trade Show Authors at joanj@books-glba.org, or fax 616-842-0051, or by mail to: GLBA, 208 Franklin Street, Grand Haven, MI 49417. Questions? Contact Rita Williams at 330-995-9726 or ritaw@books-glba.org or Jim Dana at jimd@books-glba.org or 616-847-2460.

Author/Speaker: _____ **Title:** _____

ISBN: _____ **Release Date:** _____

Publisher: _____ **Imprint:** _____

Publisher Contact: _____ **E-mail:** _____

Phone: _____ **Fax:** _____

Please send catalog pages, ARC, or other material about the author/illustrator or presenter for review and for publicity. Check all events that the author/presenter could participate in.

Authors Feast **Autographing Friday** **Autographing Sunday**

The Book & Author Banquet **Children’s Breakfast** **Reading Room**

Plenary Session **Poetry Reading Room (tentative)**

A workshop or author panel. Topic: _____

Are there any day(s) the author is definitely NOT available? Fri Sat Sun

Additional information:

- A \$50 administration fee is charged for each confirmed author
- We request 100 books or galleys for autographings, 225-240 for authors featured at food events
- Shipping instructions will be sent with confirmation, as well as hotel, travel, and badge information.
- Shipping, delivery and drayage charges for autographing/event books are the responsibility of the publisher