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A Word from the Writing Team



ANNOUNCEMENTS

Join us for First Friday Writing Retreats Starting October 6th

The OPWPC monthly virtual retreats return this Friday. Drop in at any time or stay for the full day from 9 AM to 4 PM. Whatever stage of the writing process you are in, you can work independently, get feedback from a member of the OPWPC team, or consult a Scott librarian in a chat room. Sometimes all you need is dedicated time, so take advantage of this opportunity. Register [here](#).

Creative Writing Publication Opportunity: LGBTQ+ Theme

The OPWPC is once again collaborating with the Eakins Writing Council to launch this year's Yeo Writing Prize and *Evanescent: A Journal of Literary Medicine*. This year's theme is LGBTQ+ topics, and submission opens for poems, essays, and short stories on October 11, National Coming Out Day. Stay tuned for more. As a reminder, the most recent issue of *Evanescent* can still be picked up from Scott or Gutman.



PUBLICATION SPOTLIGHT

Congratulations to Ahmad Qais Munhazim on their paper "Afghan Muslim Aunties and Their Queer Gifts" published in *South Asia: Journal of SouthAsian Studies* on February 12, 2023.



REMINDERS

Consultations Available

Contact us any time for feedback on your scholarly writing; you can send your in-progress papers, posters, and conference presentations. If you'd like to discuss your writing or practice a presentation, reach out to:

liz.declan@jefferson.edu or Pamela.Walter@Jefferson.edu.

Scott Memorial Library renovations

The fourth floor of Scott Memorial Library remains closed for the foreseeable future while the Archives are undergoing an exciting renovation. Stay tuned for more news on that closer to the new year.

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