
KATHLEEN NALLEY

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Education

- **MFA, Creative Writing/Poetry**, Converse College, 2012, GPA: 4.0/4.0
- **B.A., with honors**, University of South Carolina, 1993
 - Major: English, writing concentration
 - Minor: Psychology
- **Diploma, Creative Writing**, Fine Arts Center of Greenville, 1990

Teaching Interests

Poetry, Creative Writing, 20th & 21st Century Literature, World Literature, Holocaust Literature, American Literature, Southern Literature, Dystopian Literature, African American Literature, Technical Writing

Teaching Experience

- Senior Lecturer, Clemson University Department of English (Fall 2019-present)
 - 20th & 21st Century Literature, African American Literature, World Literature, Technical Writing
- Lecturer, Clemson University Department of English (Fall 2013-Fall 2019)
 - World Literature, American Literature, Technical Writing, Intro to Poetry, 20th and 21st Century Literature
- Adjunct Instructor, Greenville Technical College Department of English (Fall 2012)
 - Taught two sections of English 101

Publications

- A collaborative poetry manuscript, *CRUDE*, currently being shopped to publishers
- *Written in Dirt* (re-issued version of *Gutterflower*), Sable Press, NC, TBD
- *Gutterflower* (poetry, full-length collection), selected for the Bryant-Lisembee Editor's Prize, Red Paint Hill Press, TN, October 2017
- *American Sycamore* (poetry chapbook), Finishing Line Press, January 2015
- *Nesting Doll* (poetry chapbook), winner of the S.C. Poetry Initiative Prize 2010, Stepping Stones Press, 2013

Miscellaneous Publications

- Poetry has been published or is scheduled to appear in various literary journals and anthologies including: *Limp Wrist* journal, *Ice on a Hot Stove* anthology, *small house* anthology, *Archive: SC Poetry Since 2005*, *Red Sky* anthology, *Poets Respond to Race* anthology, *concis*, *Fall Lines*, *New Flash Fiction Review*, *Slipstream*, *Rivet*, *storySouth*, *Melancholy Hyperbole*, *Kakalak Anthology*, *Night Block*, *Night Owl*, *The Bitter Southerner*, *Real South*, *Emrys*, *Country Dog Review*, *BlossomBones*, and *SMITH*.
- Poem selected for distribution in guerilla poetry project, Columbia, SC, 2017
- Poem featured on the Comet bus system throughout Columbia, SC, 2016
- Book reviews have been published in *south85 journal*, *Southern Humanities Review*, and *Night Owl*
- Feature articles have appeared in *TOWN*, *edibleUpcountry*, and *At Home* magazines

Appearances

Readings, panels, and lectures:

- *TOWN* magazine featured poet, April 2020
- *Emrys* Journal featured poet, April 2020
- Circle of Poets, M. Judson Books, Greenville, SC, April 2019
- Deckle Edge Literary Festival, Columbia, SC, March 2019

- Gathering of Poets, Winston-Salem, NC, March 2019
- Small House Reading, Greenville, NC, October 2018
- Converse College, MFA Alumni Reading, June 2018
- Columbia Poetry Reading, Columbia, SC, June 2018
- Party of Poets, M. Judson Books, April 2018
- Page Pairings, M. Judson Books, December 2017
- Mind Gravy Poetry, Columbia, SC, December 2017
- *Gutterflower* Launch, M. Judson Books, November 2017
- Pints & Poets, Hurricane Relief, Spartanburg, SC, September 2017
- Small House Reading, Greenville, September 2017
- Pints & Poets Series, Hub City Tap House, Spartanburg, February 2017
- M. Judson Books, December 2016
- Pendleton Poetry Series, Pendleton, SC, October 2016
- M. Judson Books, October 2016
- Hub City Books, Spartanburg, SC, October 2016
- Tapps Art Center, Columbia, SC, July 2016
- Peace Center for the Performing Arts, Greenville, SC, March 2016
- Converse Word Bites series, Spartanburg, SC, October 2015
- Mind Gravy, Columbia, SC, August 2015
- M. Judson Books, Greenville, SC, August 2015
- Featured author, “A Punch of Poetry” panel with Marjory Wentworth and Ray McManus, SC Book Festival, Columbia, SC, May 2015
- Emrys Foundation, Greenville, SC, February 2015
- East Bay Meeting House, Charleston, SC, January 2015
- Nick’s, Dept. of English, Clemson University, 2014
- Writer’s Harvest, Clemson University, 2014
- Front Porch Arts Collective, Greenville, SC, 2014
- Hub City Books, Spartanburg, SC, 2014
- *Emrys Journal* launch, Greenville, SC, 2013
- Monday Night Blues, East Bay Meeting House, Charleston, SC, 2013
- Featured presenter, “Their Story: The Ethics of Appropriation in Holocaust Poetry,” Tryon, N.C., 2012
- Columbia Museum of Art, S.C. Poetry Initiative, 2010
- Panelist for Clemson University’s President’s Commission on Women, 2010

Literary Service:

- Adjudicator, ARMES, Fine Arts Center of Greenville, May 2020
- Judge, SC State Library, “Young Minds Dreaming” SC student poetry contest, March 2021, March 2020, March 2019, March 2018
- Board Member, Emrys Foundation, March 2019-2021
- Moderator, In Conversation with Memoirist Cinelle Barnes, M. Judson Books, July 2018
- Judge, Poetry Out Loud Student Poetry Competition, Spartanburg County Library, May 2018
- Facilitator, Poetry Bookclub, M. Judson Books, Spring 2018
- Panel Moderator, ReadUp! Literary Festival, Greenville, SC, October 2017
- Guest Writer/Presenter, Converse College, October 2017
- Facilitator, Let’s Talk About It!, SC Humanities Council, Oconee County Library, October 2016-present

Professional Editorial Experience

- Freelance Writer, 1993-present
- Associate Editor, *edible Upcountry* magazine, 2016
- Poetry Editor, *south85 literary journal*, 2011-2014
- Co-creator and Editor, *The EXCHANGE* magazine, 2009-2013 (print, digital, and app formats)
- Co-creator and Editor-in-Chief, *Grape Anticipation* magazine, 2008-2010
- Co-creator and Managing Editor, *Designer Dream Homes*, *Designer Dream Homes Presents*, *Southern Floor Plans* and *At Home with Donald A. Gardner* magazines; and *All Things Southern*, *Basement Home Plans*, and *Country Dream Homes* trade books, 2003-2005.

Marketing and Communications Experience

- Bookseller, M. Judson Booksellers, Greenville, SC, 2015-2020
- Director of Marketing and Communications, College of Business and Behavioral Science, Clemson University, 2009-2013
- Public Information Director, Office of Creative Services, Clemson University, 2006-2009
- Managing Editor, Designs Direct Publishing, LLC, 2003-2006
- Writer and Graphic Designer, Oconee Memorial Hospital, 2000-2003
- Public Information Director, Office of Publications and Promotion, Clemson University, 1997-2000
- Writer and Graphic Designer, HomeGold, 1995-97

Academic and Professional Honors

- Successfully proposed the City of Greenville to create the city's first Poet Laureate Position, 2021
- Holman Award for Teaching, Clemson University Department of English, March 2021
- Idol-South Award for Writing, Clemson University Department of English, April, 2017
- Bryant-Lisembee Editor's Prize for full-length manuscript, Red Paint Hill Press, 2016
- Saluda River Poetry Prize, Jasper/Fall Lines, 2016
- Honorable mention for the Carrie McCray Nickens Fellowship by the S.C. Academy of Authors, 2012
- *Nesting Doll*, chapbook, won the SC Poetry Initiative Prize (2010) and published by Stepping Stones Press (2013)
- CASE Region III Award of Excellence for *The EXCHANGE*, 2010, 2011, and 2012
- CASE Region III Special Merit Award in Overall Alumni Relations Programs, 2010 and 2011
- CASE Region III Special Merit Award for Media Relations, "Bite Counter," 2011
- CASE Region III Award of Excellence for the Macaulay Fundraising Campaign, 2010
- Strategized, wrote, and produced a direct-mail publication that raised almost \$500,000 for Clemson University Athletics, 2009
- Strategized, wrote, and produced numerous proposals for Clemson University Advancement, which have raised multiple millions of dollars
- *Designer Dream Homes* magazine was ranked #1 in its category at Lowe's and Home Depot nationwide throughout my tenure as managing editor
- Gold Wallie Award for the advertising campaign *From the Mouths of Babes*
- Gold Wallie Award for a single audience publication
- Silver Wallie Award for a direct mail campaign *From the Mouths of Babes*
- National first-place award for advertising campaign *From the Mouths of Babes* from the Healthcare Marketing Report
- National first-place award for *OMHToday* magazine from the Healthcare Marketing Report
- CASE Region III Grand Prize for *Hurricane Hugo, 10th Anniversary* publication
- Bronze Medal from the National Admissions Council for *Clemson Choice*
- Graduated cum laude from USC, was a Golden Key Honor Society member, an Abney Scholar, and Dean's and President's List member
- Honored as poetry scholar at the SC Celebration of the Arts, 1990
- Designated for achievements in poetry by the Archibald Rutledge Foundation, 1990

References

- **Denise Duhamel**, professor and poet, Florida International University, denise.duhamel@gmail.com
- **Rick Mulkey**, director of the Converse College MFA program and poet, rick.mulkey@converse.edu
- June Wilcox, owner M. Judson Booksellers and Auburn Oil Co. Booksellers, june@mjudsonbooks.com