

# Great Writers Great Readings

A YEARLONG CELEBRATION  
2007-2008



Kiran Desai

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## Kiran Desai

Author of *Hullabaloo in the Guava Orchard* and *The Inheritance of Loss*, winner of the Man Booker Prize and the National Book Critics Circle Award.

**Monday, October 29, 2007**  
7 p.m.

## Edmund White

Novelist and nonfiction writer who has written and edited more than 20 books, including *Forgetting Elena*, *Nocturnes for the King of Naples*, *Caracole* and the autobiographical *A Boy's Own Story*.

**Monday, November 19, 2007**  
11:15 a.m.

## Jonathan Lethem

MacArthur Fellow whose novels include *Motherless Brooklyn*, winner of the National Book Critics Circle Award; the best-selling *The Fortress of Solitude*; and 2007's *You Don't Love Me Yet*.

**Wednesday, February 27, 2008**  
11:15 a.m.

## Lynn Nottage

Playwright of *Intimate Apparel*, winner of the New York Drama Critics' Circle Award for Best Play and the Outer Critics Circle Award for Best Play.

**Wednesday, April 9, 2008**  
11:15 a.m.



Edmund White



Jonathan Lethem

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Lynn Nottage

All readings take place at the  
Leo A. Guthart Cultural Center Theater,  
Joan and Donald E. Axinn Library, First Floor  
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