
Congratulations, Sarah!

MFA student Jason Bradford has two poems forthcoming in *Jellyfish Magazine*.

Congratulations, Jason!


Congratulations, Jonathan!

MFA student Katharine Johnsen’s poem "Consolation" was accepted by *Painted Bride Quarterly* and will be in issue 89. Her poem "Subscription" was accepted by *Ninth Letter* and will be out in their next issue. Her poem "Impression" is in the current issue of the *Birmingham Poetry Review*. And "Birthday" and "The Obituaries" are now appearing in the March issue of *Tampa Review Online*.

Congratulations, Kate!

Congratulations, Sally!

MFA student Katie Prince has a poem, “There is a world in which the big dipper is the freckles on my arm,” in Smoking Glue Gun. Read it at http://smokinggluegun.com/2014/02/25/katie-prince/.

Congratulations, Katie!


Congratulations, Joe!

BFA alum ('12) Renee Sloan brought home three awards at the North Carolina Press Association’s awards ceremony on February 27. Sloan received the honors for her work with The Brunswick Beacon, a weekly newspaper in Shallotte, N.C. and The State Port Pilot, a weekly newspaper in Southport, N.C. She brought home first place in profile feature writing for her story "Oyler among first women to serve in U.S. Marine Corps" and second place for online breaking news for her coverage of an indictment in a year-old murder case. She also took home a second-place award for arts and entertainment reporting. Sloan currently works as a staff writer for The State Port Pilot newspaper in Southport. Her beats include education, religion, features, and performing arts.

Congratulations, Renee!
MFA alum Samantha Deal ('13) was accepted to the PhD program in English & Creative Writing at the University of Wisconsin at Milwaukee.

Congratulations, Sam!

MFA alum Regina DiPerna ('13) has been nominated for a Pushcart by the Cincinnati Review for her poem "Death, Naked" which appeared in their Winter 2013 issue. Her collection "A Map Of Veins" was chosen as a semi-finalist in Perugia Press' poetry prize. And she has three poems in the new issue of The Boiler Journal, online at http://theboilerjournal.com/2014/03/10/regina-diperna/.

Congratulations, Regina!

MFA alum ('11) Jeremy Hawkins' debut novel, The Last Days of Video, which was his MFA thesis, will be published by Soft Skull Press (an imprint of Counterpoint) in 2015.

Congratulations, Jeremy!

MFA alum ('13) Anna Sutton has a poem at SunDogLit: http://sundoglit.com/sutton/.

Also, she has two poems forthcoming in Pinch Journal, one of which she wrote while at her residency at the Vermont Studio Center.

Congratulations, Anna!
The March issue of Wilmington’s Salt magazine features a wealth of Creative Writing folks as columnists: faculty members Clyde Edgerton and Virginia Holman, and MFA alums Anne Barnhill ('01), Jason Frye ('05), and Dana Sachs ('00). Also included is a poem by Lavonne J. Adams titled “Winter, Halyburton Park.”

A link to the digital magazine is here: http://issuu.com/saltmagazinenc/docs/march_2014_salt

Phil Furia hosts the daily segment ‘The Great American Songbook’ on WHQR 1:30-2:00pm, and during the Morning Edition on Fridays at 6:00am.

Philip Gerard is a regular commentator on WHQR—listen to his broadcast segments every other Thursday at 7:35a, 8:50a, or 5:45p, or online in the WHQR Thursday Commentaries at www.whqr.org/people/philip-gerard.

Philip Gerard is featured this month in Our State magazine with his next installment of the series “The Civil War: Life in North Carolina.” This rich and complex story will continue monthly through May 2015 and can be read at ourstate.com/civil-war. Listen to an interview about the series here.

“The war magnified the best and the worst of the human spirit and bequeathed us a legacy that, a century and a half later, we still ponder.”