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## VOICES IN CONTEMPORARY POETRY

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7:00 PM

*A Poetry Reading Featuring*

Dilruba Ahmed  
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**Dilruba Ahmed's** first book of poetry, *Dhaka Dust* (Graywolf, July 2011), won the Bakeless Prize awarded by the Bread Loaf Writers' Conference. A graduate of Warren Wilson College's MFA Program, she lives in Swarthmore, Pennsylvania.

**Megan Gillespie** is a graduate of the University of Virginia and the MFA Program for Writers at Warren Wilson College. Her work has appeared in *The Florida Review*, *New Delta Review* and *Cimarron Review*. She is an urban educator in Philadelphia.

**Chloe Martinez** received the M.F.A. for Writers from Warren Wilson College and the M.A. in Creative Writing from Boston University. Her poetry has appeared in *The Cortland Review*, *The Normal School*, and *Slush Pile*. She lives in Haverford, PA.

**Iain Haley Pollock** lives in Philadelphia and teaches English at Chestnut Hill Academy. His first book of poems, *Spit Back a Boy*, won the 2010 Cave Canem Poetry Prize and will be published by University of Georgia Press in June 2011.



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