

14th Annual Writers' Conference



featuring the Former
U.S. Poet Laureate (2001-2003)

Billy Collins

October 6, 2014 / 7:00 p.m.

Princess Theatre, Decatur, AL
Calhoun Students, Faculty, and Staff: Free
Admission General Public: \$10

October 7, 2014 / 7:00 p.m.

Jackson Center, Huntsville, AL
Free Admission

Dubbed "The Most Popular Poet in America" by The New York Times and awarded the Mark Twain Prize for Humor in Poetry, Mr. Collins will be this year's featured speaker. He is an American phenomenon. No poet since Robert Frost has managed to combine high critical acclaim with such broad popular appeal.

Collins sees his poetry as "a form of travel writing" and considers humor "a door into the serious." It is a door that many thousands of readers have opened with amazement and delight.

Books will be available for purchase on site.

