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# SAN FRANCISCO WRITERS CONFERENCE

February 14-17, 2019—Presidents Day Weekend

Pre & Post Event Master Classes (on February 14 & 18.)

It's all happening at our new venue...the **Hyatt Regency Embarcadero**



**Keynoters will include:**

## CATHERINE COULTER

Queen of romantic thrillers and *New York Times* bestselling author of more than 80 books returns to the SFWC!

## JANE FRIEDMAN

Author—*The Business of Being a Writer* and *Publishing 101*—and former editor-in-chief of *Writers Digest*



## JOSE ANTONIO VARGAS

Pulitzer Prize-winning journalist, Emmy-nominated filmmaker, founder of **Define American**, a non-profit that fights hate through the power of storytelling, and author of *Dear America: Notes of an Undocumented Citizen*.

- Network with 100+ presenters—**authors, literary agents, editors, publishers**—and fellow writers.
- Enjoy any of **70+ sessions and workshops** at the main event. Go to sessions that fit your writing needs and goals.
- Also includes three breakfasts, a keynote luncheon with Catherine Coulter, SFWC Gala party, Poetry & Jazz, SFWC reusable Goodie Bag, creativity walks in SF & pitch sessions.
- **'Practice Your Pitch'** with the Tri-Valley Writers and the **Ask-a-Pro** session...both included.
- Consult with an **editor or publicist/book coach**. (Yes...It's included.)
- Attendees' books can be in the on-site bookstore (on consignment)
- Optional 15-minute **Agent One-on-One Consults** & a one-hour session of our signature event **Speed Dating with Agents** are available for attendees only!
- In-depth **pre/post event Master Classes** (Thursday & Monday) are open to all writers.

This is a life-changing event that will help writers launch their writing career—and become successfully published authors.

For event details, current presenter list, and online registration, go to:

[www.SFWriters.org](http://www.SFWriters.org)

**\$850 through January 31<sup>st</sup>**. (Full price will be \$895)

**Speed Dating with Agents** is still only an additional \$75 and available to attendees only.

Reserve a room at the **Hyatt Regency Embarcadero** with code **WR19** until 1/21 (based on space available). 415-788-1234

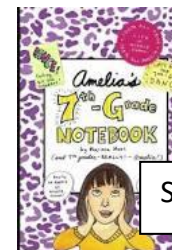
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If you want to be a sponsor or scholarship benefactor, please write to **Barbara Santos** at [Barbara@SFWriters.org](mailto:Barbara@SFWriters.org).

Questions about the event or SFWC? Contact us at [registrations@SFWriters.org](mailto:registrations@SFWriters.org)



**FREE!** Journaling Workshop with **Marissa Moss** Friday, Feb. 15.

Sorry...it's full! rg

**NEW!** On SATURDAY, February 16  
**SFWC POETRY SUMMIT**

*Get Your Poetry Published!*

Followed by Poetry & Jazz featuring celebrity poet band—COPUS.

This track is Included with SFWC registration or available as a one-day event for \$195. See the website for details.