



48th Annual ODU Literary Festival

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Oct. 5-10, 2025



Event information and access links are available at odu.edu/litfest.
All readings are free and open to the public.

Sunday, Oct. 5

- 11:00 AM Young Adult Event: P. Djèlí Clark, *Prince Books, 109 E. Main Street*
- 4:00 PM Opening Reception, *The Green Onion, 1603 Colley Avenue*

Monday, Oct. 6

- 12:00 PM MFA Alumni and Student Readings: Gregory Grosvenor and January Gill O'Neil, *Constellate Launch Party, University Theatre*
- 1:30 PM Elizabeth White, *University Theatre*
- 3:00 PM Ariana Benson, *University Theatre*
- 4:30 PM P. Djèlí Clark, *University Theatre*
- 7:00 PM 2025 Edith and Forrest P. White Writer-in-Residence: Lauren Oyler, *University Theatre*

Tuesday, Oct. 7

- 12:30 PM Workshop: Kristen Renee Miller, *mpark*
- 3:00 PM Kristen Renee Miller, *University Theatre*
- 4:30 PM Annabelle Tometich, *University Theatre*
- 7:00 PM Crystal Wilkinson, *University Theatre*

Wednesday, Oct. 8

- 12:00 PM Workshop: Crystal Wilkinson, *Baron & Ellin Gordon Art Galleries*
- 3:00 PM Faculty Reading: Princess Joy L. Perry, *University Theatre*
- 4:30 PM Musical Event: Tim Seibles and Chris Brydger, *University Theatre*
- 7:00 PM Tony Tulathimutte, *University Theatre*

Thursday, Oct. 9

- 12:30 PM Workshop: Kindra McDonald Greene, *Elizabeth River Trail*
- 2:00 PM Erika Howsare, *in front of Webb Center*
- 3:30 PM Kindra McDonald Greene and JJJJerome Ellis, *in front of Webb Center*
- 6:30 PM Shadows of the Imagination: A Game Jam, *Monarch Hall 2116*
visit itch.io/jam/shadows-of-the-imagination for more information
- 7:30 PM The Great Filipino American ASWANG Pageant, *University Theatre*,
with panel to follow, tickets at RougeVA.org

Friday, Oct. 10

- 7:00 PM What We Ask of Flesh (Remica Bingham-Risher, Christal Brown, and INSPIRIT, a dance company), *Attucks Theatre, 1010 Church Street*,
free tickets at ODUArtsTix.com

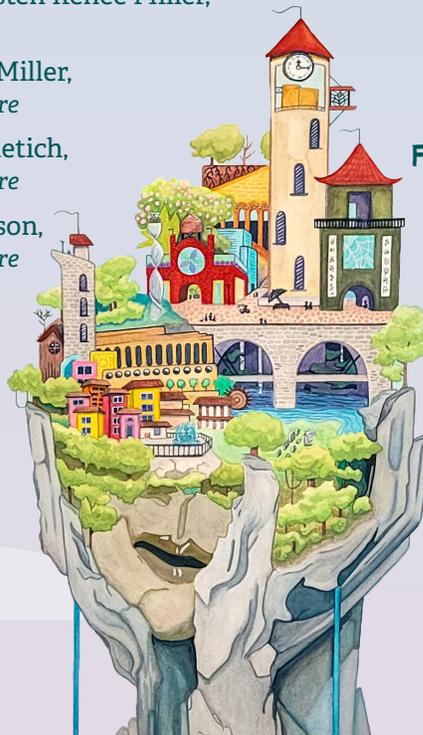


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2025, *Isle of Dreams*,
Watercolor on paper, 22x30 in.



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