

RED ROCK

# CREATIVE WRITING

SEMINAR

# 2019

Community Building  
245 N 200 W

## SATURDAY MARCH 2ND 9:00 AM TO 1:30 PM



**KIMBERLY JOHNSON**

**WRITING THE SENSES**

Kimberly Johnson is a poet, translator, and literary critic as well as BYU professor of poetry and Renaissance literature, advocating for attention to the most specific detail in both perception and language. Her collections of poetry include *Leviathan with a Hook, A Metaphorical God, and Uncommon Prayer*. She has also published book-length translations of Virgil and Hesiod. Her various works have appeared in publications including *The New Yorker, Slate, and Modern Philology*. Recipient of grants and fellowships from the John Simon Guggenheim Memorial Foundation, the National Endowment for the Arts, the Utah Arts Council, and the Mellon Foundation, Johnson lives in Salt Lake City with her two sons.



**AMY JARECKI**

**WRITING HEART-STOPPING HISTORICAL FICTION**

Amy Jarecki is a multi-award-winning and Amazon All-Star author with 29 books in print. She currently studies karate and can be found hiking around Saint George. Grabbing life and reaching for the stars, she has reinvented herself a number of times: she sang and danced with the Follies, was a ballet dancer, a plant manager, and an accountant in Australia. After earning her MBA from Heroit-Watt University in Scotland, she dived into the world of historical romance and hasn't returned. Learn more about her books on amyjarecki.com.



**REUBEN WADSWORTH**

**TURNING TEDIOUS TALES INTO FASCINATING FEATURES**

Reuben Wadsworth earned a Bachelor's degree in journalism from USU and a Master of Arts in history from UNLV. He devoted his graduate research and Master's thesis to the history of national park transportation, most notably Zion National Park's shuttle system. Once a sports reporter for *Deseret News*, sports editor for *Iron County Today*, grant writer, and travel writer, he transitioned to teaching. He reports for *St. George News*, exploring historical details about alluring places within the region. Returned to his native Hurricane to make a permanent home with his wife and three daughters, he teaches English and creative writing at Hurricane Middle School as well as history at DSU.

*In conjunction with the Redrock Seminar, come early and experience Poetry in the Park, March 1st, a day of poetry workshops and writing in Zion National Park. For registration and further information, visit [poetry-in-the-park.com](http://poetry-in-the-park.com)*



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