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Hispanic Heritage Month

JOIN US FOR A LECTURE BY DISTINGUISHED PUERTO RICAN POET



VICTOR HERNANDEZ CRUZ

THE ORIGINAL AMERICA

GENERAL LECTURES HALL 150

THURSDAY OCTOBER 18TH 3:00 PM

Free and Open to the Public

Victor Hernandez Cruz is the author of numerous collections of poetry, including *Beneath the Spanish* (Coffee House Press, 2017); *In the Shadow of Al-Andalus* (Coffee House Press, 2011); *The Mountain in the Sea* (Coffee House Press, 2006); and *Maraca: New and Selected Poems 1965-2000* (Coffee House Press, 2001), which was selected for the shortlist of the Lenore Marshall Poetry Prize and the International Griffin Poetry Prize. His earlier works include: *Panoramas* (Coffee House Press, 1997); *Red Beans* (Coffee House Press, 1991); and *Tropicalization* (Reed & Cannon Co, 1976). He has received fellowships from the Guggenheim Foundation and the National Endowment for the Arts.



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