

TRANSFORMATION THROUGH WRITING

A Writing Workshop for Every Writer

Open summer with a transformative writing workshop at Camp Washington

Join us June 21-23 (Friday 4 p.m. - Sunday 12 p.m.) at Camp Washington, a natural and restorative setting, which will give writers both solace and inspiration. This workshop will be led by Davyne Verstandig, a lecturer in English and Creative Writing at the University of Connecticut.

"My writing mantra is "My mind is in the ink." By joining me in this approach you will follow your mind, writing with prompts that will help you discover the best way to tell your story in memoir, fiction, poetry, or experimental writing. Some of you may be beginning a piece; some brushing up one or revising work, and all will have work to develop when you return home."

Revisit, revision, and repair yourself through writing. Jeanette Winterson, novelist and memoirist, wrote: "Writing is an instrument of transformation." Keep this notion close throughout this exploratory writing workshop and you will certainly leave both inspired and replenished!

ABOUT DAVYNE VERSTANDIG

Davyne Verstandig is a lecturer in English and Creative Writing at the University of Connecticut where she has been for 25 years. She was Director of The Litchfield County Writers Project at UConn where she interviewed writers such as Dani Shapiro, Honor Moore, A.R Gurney, Frank McCourt, and Charles Van Doren. The interviews are now available in the UConn Libraries Archives and Special Collections. She has given workshops throughout New England. She has also performed at The Knitting Factory and Housing Works in New York City. Her poetry appears in Sex and Sexuality in a Feminist World; Songs of the Marrow Bone; This One Has No Name and the Connecticut Poet Laureate Anthology. She is a Justice of the Peace as well as Poet Laureate of Washington, CT. For more information, please visit davyneverstandig.com

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