

# 2022 Conference at a Glance

All that register for any part of the conference are welcome to attend FREE Events

## Wednesday, April 27

4:30-5:30 pm Triple Workshop **First Session (participants will be divided into two small groups)** Sherry Reiter and Wendi Kaplan

5:45-7:45 pm **Pre Conference 1A or 1B**  
Nick Mazza 1A( MAX 30) or Elaine Brooks IB (MAX 30)

8:00-10:00 pm **Pre-Conference IIA and Pre-Conference IIB**  
Perie Longo & Cynthia Halloway Kelvin IIA (MAX 25)  
Janet Zwick & Craig Watson IIB (Unlimited)

## Thursday, April 28

4:30-5:30 pm Triple Workshop **Second Session (participants will be divided into two small groups)** Sherry Reiter and Wendi Kaplan

5:45-7:45 pm **Pre Conference IIIA or IIIB**  
Geri Chavis IIIA (MAX 20) or Laura Santner IIIB(MAX 30)

8:00 -8:30 pm Presidential Welcome by Nick Mazza & Meet and Greet the Board and Regional Reps

8:30-9:30 pm Welcoming Mix and Mingle & Happy Hour  
Barbara Kreisberg, MS, CPT

## Friday, April 29

4:00-6:00 pm **Preconference IVA or IVB**  
Kay Adams IVA (MAX 40) or Eric Kreuter IVB (No MAX)

7:00-8:00 pm Keynote Speaker – Alma Rolfs

8:30-9:30 pm **Evening Program: Chicken Soup for the Soul featuring Zorina Exie Frey, Quantrilla Ard and Rebecca Olayinka**

## Saturday, April 30

9:00-10:30 am Workshop 1A Bethea NO MAX or 1B Scherlong (NO MAX)

11:00-12:00 pm **KEYNOTE POET – Richard Blanco**

12:30-1:30 pm NFPBF Credentialing Information Workshop: Your Life Could Be Poetry (NO MAX)

- 1:30-2:15 pm Certification Awards Ceremony (NO MAX)
- 2:30-4:00 pm Workshop 2A Carter/Chioma (No MAX) or 2B Gold/McMichael (NO MAX)
- 4:30-6:00 pm Workshop 3A Rogers/Flight/Gonzalez (MAX 20) or 3B Corrado (NO MAX) )
- 7:00-9:00 pm **Open Mic Poetry Reading, Anthology Sign-Up, & Virtual Happy Hour**  
Emceed by Zachary Katz, MSED, MHC-LP (NO MAX)

## **Sunday, May 1**

- 9:00-10:30 am Workshop 4A Teitbhol (MAX 30) or 4B Bowman (NO MAX)
- 11:00-12:30 pm Workshop 5A Allerdyce/Merritt (NO MAX) or 5B Kay (MAX 15)
- 12:30-1:30 pm Virtual Lunch and Special Awards Presentation
- 1:30-3:00 pm **TRIPLE WORKSHOP: Experience a Poetry Therapy Group Third Session (participants will be combined into one group)**  
Sherry Reiter and Wendi Kaplan
- 2:00-3:30 pm Workshop 6A Bernhardt (NO MAX) or 6B Katz (MAX 15) )
- 4:00-4:15 pm President's Closing – Nick Mazza
- 4:15-5:30 pm Celebratory Event – Poetry in Motion - Dancercise/Funcercise  
Cathee Connor