Friday, March 4

Preconference Tours

Please reserve a spot by emailing ann.neely@vanderbilt.edu.
10am The Parthenon, see the centerpiece of “The Athens of the South”
1pm The Nashville Public Library, with a performance of “Ellingtown” by the Thomas Tichenor Marionettes

1pm-6pm Registration (Wyatt Center Atrium)
1pm-6pm Bookstore and Exhibits (Wyatt Center)

3:30 GENERAL SESSION
A conversation with Roger Mello and Junko Yokota
(Wyatt Center Rotunda)

4:30 GENERAL SESSION
Jane Kurtz: Growing Readers in Print-Starved Places: Artists, Readers, Educators and Translators Collaborate
(Wyatt Center Rotunda)

A Hans Christian Andersen Celebration
6pm Dinner
Welcome and Introductions
(Wyatt Center Rotunda)

2021 Hans Christian Andersen Author Medal presented to Jacqueline Woodson
(Wyatt Center Rotunda)

A Conversation with USBBY Hans Christian Andersen Author nominees Jacqueline Woodson and Linda Sue Park (Jeremiah Henderson, Moderator)
(Wyatt Center Rotunda)

Saturday, March 5

8am-5pm: Bookstore
Please buy your books for Yuyi Morales before the bookstore closes at 5pm.

9am GENERAL SESSION
I'm Your Neighbor Books: Recasting Migration
Kirsten Cappy, Founder and Executive Director, I’m Your Neighbor Books
(Wyatt Center Rotunda)

10am: Break
Please visit the exhibits, Silent Auction Room and bookstore!
10:30 Breakout Sessions
(Wyatt Center Classrooms)

11:45 GENERAL SESSION
All-Conference Read: Between Shades of Gray: The Graphic Novel
Ruta Sepetys, Author
Scot Smith, School Librarian and Professor
Nicole Robinson-Hamilton, Moderator
(Wyatt Center Rotunda)

12:45 Lunch (Wyatt Center Rotunda)

2pm GENERAL SESSION
International Children’s Books: The Many Paths to North America
Angus Killick, Publisher, Red Comet Press
Christopher Lloyd, Author, Editor, and Publisher, What on Earth Books/Britannica Books
John Mackey, Consultant, italbooks
Emma Raddatz, Director of Publishing, Elsewhere Editions
Julie Danielson, Moderator
(Wyatt Center Rotunda)

3:30pm Breakout Sessions
(Wyatt Center Classrooms)

6:30 Dinner
(Commons Dining Hall, Peabody Campus)

8:00 Dorothy Briley Lecture: Yuyi Morales, author and illustrator of Bright Star, Dreamers and more
(Wyatt Rotunda)

Sunday, March 6

9am GENERAL SESSION
Diverse Voices: Children’s Audiobooks at home and around the world
Michele Cobb, Executive Director, the Audio Publishers Association
Dion Graham, Narrator and Director
Traci Sorell, Author and Producer, We Are Still Here (Charlesbridge, Live Oak Media)
(Wyatt Center Rotunda)

10am-2pm Bookstore
Please buy your books for Christopher Lloyd before 2:30pm.

10:30 Breakout Sessions
(Wyatt Center Classrooms)

12 Noon: Lunch with Dion Graham, exploring the music of words
(Wyatt Center Rotunda)

1pm GENERAL SESSION
It’s Up to Us: Christopher Lloyd’s international collaboration with 33 illustrators from around the world.
(Wyatt Center Rotunda)

Monday
Please reserve a spot by emailing ann.neely@vanderbilt.edu.
9am Post Conference Tour of the new National Museum of African American Music