W©RD WIDE POETRY FESTIVAL: A NIGHT OF WORLD LANGUAGES

In honor of National Poetry Month 2012, please join us for an evening of poetry with more than 15 languages and cultures from all over the world represented.

Thursday, April 12, 2012, 6-8 PM Weaver Room, Emerson Cultural Center

MSU faculty, students and poets will read poems from France, Spain, China, Germany, Japan and many other places and expose us to foreign words, foreign sounds (noises...?), rhythms and rhymes for a virtual sound track of global difference. Each foreign language poem will be followed by its English translation, unfolding a multilingual dialogue between world cultures and challenging our notions of the oh so strange and the very familiar. Sounds will turn words which will turn sounds again, a true festival of wor(I)d music! Sponsored by the Department of Modern Languages and Literatures and the College of Letters and Science.

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