



THE POETRY CENTER  
AT PASSAIC COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE  
is pleased to announce the winners of...

**THE 2015 PATERSON PRIZE FOR BOOKS FOR YOUNG PEOPLE**

**Grades Pre-K – 3**

**Jean-François Dumont**, *The Sheep Go On Strike* (Eerdmans Books for Young Readers, Grand Rapids, MI)

**Edith Hope Fine**, *Sleepytime Me* (Random House Children's Books, New York, NY)

**Grades 4 – 6**

**Kwame Alexander**, *The Crossover* (Houghton Mifflin Harcourt Books, New York, NY)

**Amy Gordon**, *Painting the Rainbow* (Holiday House, New York, NY)

**Grades 7 – 12**

**Isabel Quintero**, *Gabi, A Girl in Pieces* (Cinco Puntos Press, El Paso, TX)

**Lydia Millet**, *Pills and Starships* (Black Sheep/Akashic Books, New York, NY)

**Honor Books – 2015 Paterson Prize for Books for Young People**

**Skila Brown**, *Caminar* (Candlewick Press, Somerville, MA)

**Mary Newell DePalma**, *Two Little Birds* (Eerdmans Books for Young Readers, Grand Rapids, MI)

**Russell Freedman**, *Because They Marched: The People's Campaign  
for Voting Rights That Changed America* (Holiday House, New York, NY)

**Susan Kuklin**, *Beyond Magenta: Transgender Teens Speak Out* (Candlewick Press, Somerville, MA)

**Bobbi Miller**, *The Girls of Gettysburg* (Holiday House, New York, NY)

**Linda Vigen Phillips**, *Crazy* (Eerdmans Books for Young Readers, Grand Rapids, MI)

**Chris Platt**, *Wind Dancer* (Peachtree Publishers, Atlanta, GA)

**Mara Rockliff**, *The Grudge Keeper* (Peachtree Publishers, Atlanta, GA)

**Julie Sternberg**, *The Top-Secret Diary of Celie Valentine: Friendship Over*  
(Boyd's Mills Press, Honesdale, PA)

**Giovanna Zoboli & Simona Mulazzani**, *The Big Book of Slumber*  
(Eerdmans Books for Young Readers, Grand Rapids, MI)

**CeCelia R. Zorn**, *Angels Don't Get Tattoos* (Dog Ear Publishing, Indianapolis, IN)

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