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

THE 2007 ALLEN GINSBERG POETRY AWARDS

FIRST PRIZE
Kenneth Hart, Long Valley, NJ, ........................................................Nat & Forrest
Glenn Morazzini, Cumberland, ME ............................................My Uncles, The Italians

SECOND PRIZE
R.G. Evans, Elmer, NJ ............................................................Never Again
Linda Radice, North Plainfield, NJ ................................Last Love Letter To My Ex-Husband

THIRD PRIZE
Patti Conroy, Salem, SC ....................................................Twenty Eight Days On the Outside

HONORABLE MENTION
Christine Anne Amato, Lake Hiawatha, NJ..............................Summer Glory
Tricia Barker, Dallas, TX ..........................................................Cockroach Beside My Toothbrush
Svea Barrett, Hawthorne, NJ ........................................I Tell Random People About You
Susan Gerardi Bello, Brooklyn, NY .........................................Failing
Linda A. Cronin, Cedar Grove, NJ .........................................The Years To Come
Susan Deer Cloud, Amherst, MA ......................................I Hate Emily & Sylvia
Chris Ellery, San Angelo, TX ............................................A Eucharist at the Canary Hotel
Barbara Leon, Aptos, CA .............................................The Last Remaining Photo of My Father
Michelle Lerner, Flanders, NJ ...........................................Why I Can Not Speak of Rosa Mendez
Maria Lisella, Long Island City, NY ......................................Named for Royalty
Bruce A. Lowry, Montclair, NJ ...........................................Poems For My Father
Elizabeth Lund, Newtonville, MA .........................................Animal Science
Mary Ann Mannino, Philadelphia, PA ..................................The Houses of Women
Dorothy McLaughlin, Somerset, NJ .....................................The Lei
Ed McManis, Denver, CO ..........................................................Howl 401(k)
Erin Murphy, Hollidaysburg, PA ........................................Mango Out of Season
Sherman Pearl, Santa Monica, CA ..........................................Nothing Lost
Dan Peters, Selah, WA .............................................................The Florian Gate
Robert A. Rosenbloom, Bound Brook, NJ .................................Breakfront
Metta Sáma, Binghamton, NY ...............................................Lady Becomes Woman
Tim Skeen, Fresno, CA ..........................................................Peacetime
Matthew J. Spireng, Kingston, NY .........................................Running Away
Steve Hillard Swartz, Schenectady, NY ....................................I Want
Jeanne Wagner, Kensington, CA ...........................................Referred Pain
EDITOR’S CHOICE

Laurie Byro, Hewitt, NJ ................................................................. Pilgrimage
Nicole Cooley, Glen Ridge, NJ .......................................................... Fieldwork
Gil Fagiani, Long Island City, NY ............ To Joe Rodriguez, Hardcore Ray Barretto Fan
James D. Gwyn, Clifton, NJ ............................................................... Home
Gloria Rovder Healy, Shrewsbury, NJ .................................................. Forbidden Fruit
Phyllis Holliday, San Francisco, CA .................................................... The Sawmill
Charles H. Johnson, Hillsborough, NJ .................................................. The Art Of Survival
Laine Sutton Johnson, Hillsborough, NJ ............................................ Pasta a la Bessie
Don Lynch, Kinnelon, NJ ............................................................... World Without End
Sheila Massoni, Hackensack, NJ ................. A New Year’s Eve to Remember
Howard Nelson, Moravia, NY ........................................................... In The Church
Susanna Rich, Blairstown, NJ ........................................................... Television Daddy
Kenneth Scambray, Upland, CA ................................. Meeting Father
Martin Steingesser, Portland, ME ................................................. Piecework
Al Tacconelli, Wynnewood, PA ....................................................... Nonna's Rosaries
Kelly Vande Plasse, Brooklyn, NY .................................................... Lloyd
Richard K. Weems, Hawthorne, NJ .................................................... Admission

Judged by Charlene Cox, Robert Higgenboon, Patrick Leary, Maria Lopez

Award Winners’ reading will be held on November 10, 2007

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