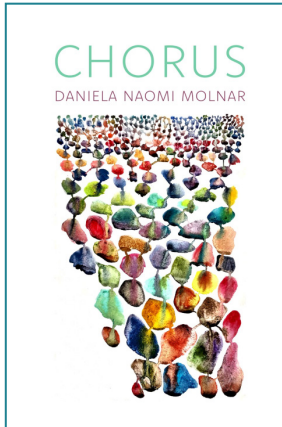


Manzanita Writers Series presents

## Writing Author Reading & Workshop



**AUTHOR EVENT**  
Daniela Naomi Molnar  
will read from her book  
*Chorus*

August 24 | 4pm  
Admission is free

**WORKSHOP**  
Writing Workshop  
with Daniela Naomi Molnar

August 25 | 11am-2pm

Register at: [hoffmanarts.org](http://hoffmanarts.org)

### Author Reading

Join us to hear Daniela Naomi Molnar read from her book, *CHORUS*, winner of the 2024 Oregon Book Award for Poetry, selected by Mark Wunderlich, Eleni Sikelianos, and Abigail Chabitnoy and winner of Omnidawn's 1st/2nd book award, selected by Kazim Ali. The sprawling, celebratory, mourning chorus of this book is the sum of many voices; the words of other writers, poets, and artists are interwoven with the author's words.

### Workshop

"the things themselves"

"The most sensuous poets are the ones I trust the most," says the poet Jorie Graham, citing the way that a word like "justice" can mean a thousand things to a thousand people while a word like "salt" has a much smaller range of possible associations. This workshop will focus our attention on the world of the senses and how writing from our senses can sharpen, heighten, and expand our poetry and our relationship with the world.

### About Daniela

Daniela Naomi Molnar is a poet, artist and writer who creates with color, water, language, and place. Her book *CHORUS* won the 2024 Oregon Book Award for Poetry and was selected by Kazim Ali as the winner of Omnidawn Press' 1st/2nd Book Award. Her work is the subject of a front-page feature in the Los Angeles Times, a PBS Oregon Art Beat profile, and a feature in Poetry Daily. Her next books include: *PROTOCOLS* (Ayin Press, 2025) and *Light / Remains* (Bored Wolves Press, 2026). Her work will also be included in the forthcoming Volume 2 of The Eco-poetry Anthology. She founded the Art + Ecology program at the Pacific Northwest College of Art and helped start and run the backcountry artist residency Signal Fire.



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