

The University  
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1824Centre  
for New  
WritingLiterature  
Live

These unique events bring the best-known contemporary writers to Manchester, to discuss and read from their work.

Everyone is welcome, and tickets include discounts at the Blackwell bookstall and a complimentary drink.

Events are held at The University of Manchester's Martin Harris Centre for Music and Drama (MHC) unless otherwise stated.



**Monday 23 February, 6:30pm**

**John Thaw Studio Theatre (MHC)**

Novelist and poet Helen Dunmore  
and poet Peter Fallon (£5/£3)



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FOR COSMOPOLITAN CULTURES (RICC)**

**Monday 2 March, 6:30pm**

**John Thaw Studio Theatre (MHC)**

Poet and novelist Jackie Kay and  
novelist Joe Pemberton (£5/£3)



**Monday 16 March, 6:30pm**

**John Thaw Studio Theatre (MHC)**

Novelist and non-fiction writer  
A.L. Kennedy (£5/£3)

## Summer in the City



**Monday 29 June, 5:00pm**  
(no drinks reception)

**John Thaw Studio Theatre (MHC)**

2008/9 Writers in Residence:  
Poet Peter Sansom and novelist  
Chris Killen (£4/£2.50)



**Friday 3 July, 1:00pm**

**Manchester Central Library**

**St. Peter's Square, Manchester M2 5PD**

Fiction and poetry readings by Centre for  
New Writing MA students (free)



**Wednesday 22 July, 1:00pm**

**Manchester Central Library**

**St. Peter's Square, Manchester M2 5PD**

Novelist Geoff Ryman (free)

Please turn over for booking  
and venue details.

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# Centre for New Writing

## Martin Amis Public Events



Leading novelist Martin Amis is Professor of Creative Writing at the Centre, and undertakes a series of landmark events each year.



### Literature and Britishness, with Howard Jacobson

Thursday 12 February, 6:30pm

Whitworth Hall

The University of Manchester

Oxford Road, Manchester M13 9PL

(£5/£3)

### Literature and Suicide (guests TBC)

Friday 3 July, 6:30pm

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As these events are very popular, we recommend using Quay Tickets' dedicated booking service; please visit [www.quaytickets.com](http://www.quaytickets.com) or call 0870 428 0785.

For more information on our events, please visit  
[www.manchester.ac.uk/arts/newwriting](http://www.manchester.ac.uk/arts/newwriting)

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