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**Writing the Taboo Workshop**

**February 2023** – The Speculative Literature Foundation is moving the date of our Writing the Taboo workshop to Saturday, February 11<sup>th</sup>, 2023. The workshop will be instructed by SLF founder Mary Anne Mohanraj. Writing the Taboo will delve into several taboo subjects and reflect on writers who explored subjects forbidden for the time and place. Attendees will have the opportunity to practice their own handling of taboo subjects.

The workshop was originally supposed to take place in November, but was moved to allow more people the opportunity to sign up. Writing the Taboo is expected to last two and a half hours, from 10:30 to 12:30 PM CST over Zoom, and can accommodate up to 30 attendees.

This workshop is available to non-SLF members for \$60, with discounts offered to members based on their membership tier. For more information on this, please visit [speculativeliterature.org/writing-the-taboo-registration](https://speculativeliterature.org/writing-the-taboo-registration).

Launched in January 2004 to promote literary quality in speculative fiction, the Speculative Literature Foundation addresses historical inequities in access to literary opportunities for marginalized writers. Our staff and board are committed to representing racial, gender, and class diversity at all levels of our organization. This commitment is at the heart of what the Speculative Literature Foundation stands for: equal access to create and advance science fiction, fantasy, and horror literature. We strive to enable writers at any stage of their career and of any age, any ethnicity, any gender expression, from any location and of any economic or social status, who want to learn about, or create within, the speculative arts.

The SLF is a 501(c)3 non-profit, entirely supported by community donations. If you'd like to be involved with our efforts, please consider joining us as a member for \$2/month, at [speculativeliterature.org/membership](https://speculativeliterature.org/membership).

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