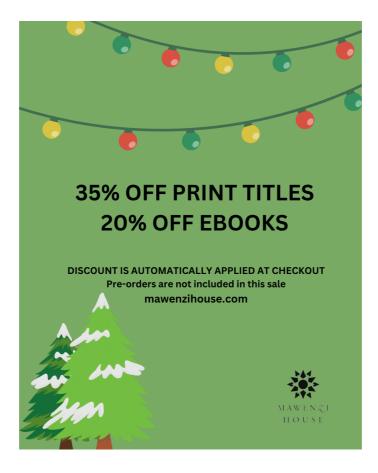






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News

West of West Indian by Linzey Corridon has been shortlisted for the Hamilton Literary Awards.

Rabindranath Maharaj, author of *A Quiet Disappearance*, appeared on The Next Chapter with Antonio Michael Downing to share his most influential books in his life.

Nazneen Sheikh, author of *I Left You Behind*, contributed eight Canadian books to 49th Shelf's recommended reads. From poetry to biography and

memoir, these books are truly "glorious reads."

<u>Sasenarine Persaud's newest poetry collection</u>, <u>A Scent of India</u>, was <u>highlighted in The Bostonia</u>.

<u>Sasenarine Persaud's A Scent of India</u> was featured in <u>All Lit Up's Holiday</u> <u>Guide for poetry.</u>

Upcoming Events



Linzey Corridon, **Rabindranath Maharaj**, and **Pamela Mordecai** will be at the **Canadian-Caribbean Literary Showcase**. Please keep reading for more information on their panels and how to register. All events are free.

Saturday, December 13, at Heliconian Hall

10:30 AM | Masterclass: How to Write a Short Story with **Rabindranath Maharaj Register here**.

2:30 PM | Writing Connection (Panel Discussion)

Join panelists Yolanda T. Marshall and **Rabindranath Maharaj** for a reflection on what "home" means through story. This conversation explores identity, belonging, and the ways writing connects us across distance and generations. Moderated by Denise Da Costa.

Register here.

3:45PM | Writing History: Storytelling as Resistance and Remembrance (Panel Discussion)

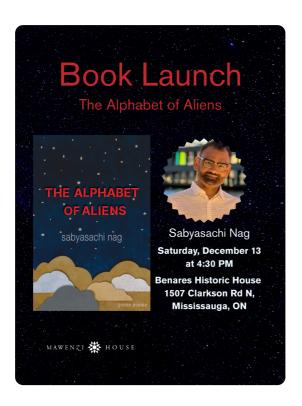
Join panelists Antonio Michael Downing and **Pamela Mordecai** as they explore how writers revisit and reimagine the past—using story as a tool to preserve memory, challenge dominant narratives, and bring overlooked histories to light. Moderated by Phill Morgan.

Register here.

Sunday December 14 at Women's Art Association Of Canada 3:45 PM | Writing Queer Identity: Caribbean Perspectives on Love and Liberation (Panel Discussion)

In this conversation, Tanya Turton and **Linzey Corridon** explore how queer writers from the Caribbean and diaspora use story to express love, identity, and freedom. Through their work, they challenge convention, affirm authenticity, and celebrate the multiplicity of queer experience across cultures and generations. Moderated by Matthew Dawkins.

Register here.



Please join us on Saturday,

December 13, from 4:30 to 6:30 to
celebrate the Sabyasachi Nag poetry
collection, An Alphabet of Aliens.

Books will be available for purchase, and light refreshments will be served.

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