

**Dorothy Phaire, author of  
"Murder and the Masquerade"  
Event Schedule**

**Press Release:** WASHINGTON, DC - October 11, 2007— Author, Dorothy Phaire announced today the release of *Murder and the Masquerade*, the first book in the Dorothy Phaire Romantic Mystery Series.

**Events in "08"**

**Workshop**, National Museum of Women in the Arts

**Topic?** "Role Model Workshop for Teens"

**When?** July 8, 2008 (Tue) 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM

**Where?** National Museum of Women in the Arts, 1250 New York Avenue, NW, Washington, D. C. 20005-3970

**Contact?** Adrienne L. Gayoso, Manager of Public Programs,  
[AGayoso@nmwa.org](mailto:AGayoso@nmwa.org)

**Speech/Signing**, MENSA Washington/MD Regional Conference

**Topic?** "Opportunities in Publishing in the Digital Age"

**When?** May 3, 2008 (Sat) 3:00 to 4:30 PM *(fee for non-MENSA members)*

**Where?** Holiday Inn, 2 Montgomery Village Avenue, Gaithersburg, MD. 20879

**Contact?** Dr. Susan Wenger, [susanwenger@yahoo.com](mailto:susanwenger@yahoo.com)

**Book Club Discussion/book signing**, Inner Beauty Book Club

**When?** April 5, 2008 (Sat) 7:00 to 9:00 PM

**Where?** Private book club event, Silver Spring, Maryland

**Sponsor?** Mrs. Sheila Prather

**Panel /Book signing**, Collegiate Women of Color Leadership Symposium

**When?** April 4, 2008 (Fri) 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM

**Where?** Bowie State University, Wiseman Bldg., Suite 102, *(open to registered attendees)*

**Sponsored by?** Dr. Thelma Thompson, University of Maryland eastern Shore.

**Book Club Discussion/book signing**, Metro 9 Book Club

**When?** Mar 29, 2008 (Sat) 2:30 to 4:30 PM

**Where?** Private book club event, Accokeek, Maryland

**Sponsor?** Ms. Darien V. Davis

For directions, go to Bowie State University website: [bowie.stateuniversity.com](http://bowie.stateuniversity.com)

**Panel discussion/Book signing**, Literature Live at UDC

**Topic?** "Publishing in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century" *(open and free to public)*

**When?** Mar 27, 2008 (Thur) 6:30 to 8:00 PM

**Where?** 4200 Connecticut Ave., NW, Washington, DC 20008, Windows Lounge, 2<sup>nd</sup> Level, *(open and free to public)*

**Sponsored by?** University of the District of Columbia and the Hurston /Wright Foundation. **Contact?** Rina Daniels, Student Government Assoc.

**Speech/Panel,** College English Association-Middle Atlantic Group (CEAMAG) Annual Spring Conference 2008

**Topic of Speech?** “*The Migrating Classroom: Distance Learning & Technology*”

**When?** Mar 8, 2008 (Sat) 9:00 AM to noon *(open to registered attendees, fee to attend)*

**Where?** Montgomery College, 51 Mannakee Street, Rockville, MD. 20850

**Contact?** Dr. Michael Eckert, Prof. of English, email at

[mike.eckert@montgomerycollege.edu](mailto:mike.eckert@montgomerycollege.edu). For directions, go to Montgomery College website: [www.montgomerycollege.edu](http://www.montgomerycollege.edu).

**Workshop/Book signing,** The Claude Brown Writers & Readers Series

**When?** Mar 5, 2008 (Wed) 10:00 AM to noon

**Where?** Busboys & Poets, 2021 14<sup>th</sup> Street, NW, Washington, D.C. 20009.

*(accessible by Metro via Greenline, take U Street exit. (open to registered attendees)*

**Sponsor?** Stacey Downey, Literacy Resource Director, Office of the State Superintendent of Education, Adult & Family Education, [sdowney@udc.edu](mailto:sdowney@udc.edu)

**Busboys and Poets website:** [www.busboysandpoets.com/events.htm](http://www.busboysandpoets.com/events.htm)

**Speech/book signing,** Women’s History Month initiative

**Topic of Speech?** “*Self-Empowerment*”/”*Self-Awareness*” *(open and free to public)*

**When?** Mar 4, 2008 (Tue) 2:00 to 3:00 PM

**Where?** 4200 Connecticut Ave., NW, Washington, DC 20008, Bldg 41, Suite A-03

**Contact?** Ms. Dollie Ellis, Exec Asst. to VP, Student Affairs, [doellis@udc.edu](mailto:doellis@udc.edu)

**Speech/Panel/signing,** Women’s Studies Symposium/Women in Research

**Topic of Speech?** “*Researching and Writing About Our History*” *(open and free to public)*

**When?** Feb 28, 2008 (Thur) 2:00 to 4:00 PM

**Where?** 4200 Connecticut Ave., NW, Washington, DC 20008, Bldg 41, Suite 421

**Sponsor?** Dr. Cherie Ann Turpin, Asst. Prof. of English, [cturpin@udc.edu](mailto:cturpin@udc.edu)

### Events in “07”

**Speech/Book signing,** D.C. Chapter of the Association for the Study of African American Life & History for Black Culture Sunday

**Topic of Speech?** “*Telling Our Stories, Teaching Our History: How Works of Historical Fact and Historical Fiction Inform Readers*” *(open and free to public)*

**When?** Dec 30, 2007 (Sun) 9:30 AM to noon

**Where?** Shiloh Baptist Church, 1500 9th Street, NW, Washington, DC 20001.

**Sponsor?** Dr. Sandra Jowers-Barber, Asst. Prof. of History, [sjowers@udc.edu](mailto:sjowers@udc.edu)

**Book signing/discussion**, Tresses by Tris Salon

**When? Dec 6, 2007 (Thur) 11:00 to 2:30 PM**

**Where?** National Press Building, 529 14<sup>th</sup> Street., NW, Washington, D. C. 20045, Building 38 (A-Level), *accessible by Metro via Redline, take 12<sup>th</sup> & F exit, Metro Center. (open and free to public)*

**Book signing/literary discussion**, University of the District of Columbia

**When? Dec 5, 2007 (Wed) 11:00 to 2:30 PM**

**Where?** 4200 Connecticut Ave., NW, Washington, D. C. 20008, Building 38 (A-Level), *campus accessible by Metro via Redline, take UDC-Van Ness exit. (open and free to public)*

**UDC Bookstore website:** [University of the District of Columbia Bookstore](http://UniversityoftheDistrictofColumbiaBookstore)

**Poetry reading/Book signing**, Verse, Vibes & Bites (a monthly poetry series)

**When? Nov 15, 2007 (Thur) 7:00 to 9:00 PM**

**Where?** Barnes and Noble Bookstore, 555 12<sup>th</sup> Street, NW, Washington, D. C. 20004, *accessible by Metro via Redline, take Metro Center. (open and free to public)*

**Barnes & Noble Bookstore website:** [www.barnesandnoble.com](http://www.barnesandnoble.com)

**Speech/Book signing**, Sigma Tau Delta Fall Ceremony, University of DC

**Topic of Speech?** *“Teaching and Publishing with Technology”*

**When? Nov 6, 2007 (Tue) 5:00 to 7:00 PM**

**Where?** 4200 Connecticut Ave., NW, Washington, D. C. 20008, Building 38 Windows Lounge, 2<sup>nd</sup> Level, *(open to students and faculty of the University of the District of Columbia)*