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Blanka Rosenstiel Lecture Series on Poland

Reflections on Miłosz

Discussion with Campbell McGrath, FIU

on Czesław Miłosz (1911-2004), Nobel Prize Laureate for Literature (1980)

Tuesday, April 3, 2012 | 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM | FIU Modesto A. Maidique Campus | CBC 140

Campbell McGrath is the author of ten books of poetry, including *Spring Comes to Chicago*, *Florida Poems*, *Seven Notebooks*, and *In the Kingdom of the Sea Monkeys* forthcoming in February, 2012. A former student of Czesław Miłosz, McGrath has received many of America's major literary prizes for his work, including the Kingsley Tufts Prize, a Guggenheim Fellowship, a MacArthur "genius" Fellowship, a USA Knight Fellowship, and a Witter-Bynner Fellowship from the Library of Congress. His poetry has appeared in the *New Yorker*, *Harper's*, *The Atlantic* and on the op-ed page of the *New York Times*, as well as in scores of literary reviews and quarterlies. Born in Washington, DC, he lives with his family in Miami Beach and teaches at Florida International University, where he is the Philip and Patricia Frost Professor of Creative Writing.

There will be a showing of *The Magic Mountain: An American Portrait of Czesław Miłosz*, a documentary directed by Maria Zmarz-Koczanowicz. In English and Polish (60 min., 2001) as well as some brief poetry reading.

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