



OCTOBER 5, 2009: 7pm

At the Art Reach Center: 319 University, Mt. Pleasant, MI

Featuring: **ERIC TORGERSEN**

with **J. Joseph Kane**, poet; Music by: **Joshua Graham**

Eric Torgersen taught Creative Writing for thirty-eight years at Central Michigan University. His poems, stories, essays and translations have appeared in *American Poetry Review*, *Gettysburg Review*, *Hudson Review*, *Literary Review*, *Field*, *Exquisite Corpse*, *New Ohio Review*, *Iowa Review* and many others. The most recent of his eight books is the novella *The Man Who Loved Rilke*. He lives in Mt. Pleasant with his wife, Ann Kowaleski.



J. Joseph Kane is a graduate student in the creative writing program at Central Michigan University, where he also serves as the Poetry Editor of *Temenos* magazine. His work has appeared in a variety of journals such as *Elimae*, *Central Review*, and *Right Hand Pointing*.

Joshua Graham is majoring in Music Performance and minoring in History at CMU. He was a participant in the Zeltsman Marimba Festival in July 2009, a two-week intensive seminar full of classes, lessons and concerts focusing on the marimba. Josh is a member of the CMU Orchestra, Symphonic Wind Ensemble and Percussion Ensemble, and studies with Dr. Andrew Spencer.

About the Wellspring Literary Series:

A partnership between the English Department at Central Michigan University and the Art Reach Center of Mid Michigan, **The Wellspring Literary Series** provides a forum for the community to hear the work of established and emerging regional writers as well as works-in-progress by Central Michigan University graduate writing students and faculty writers at the Art Reach Center. Readings are generally held the first Monday of the month. For a schedule or more information, contact Robert Fanning, Assistant Professor of Creative Writing, at robert.fanning@cmich.edu, or (248) 462-2488.

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