



Multicultural Women Writers Salon

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE—MULTICULTURAL WOMEN WRITERS SALON SHOWCASES ITS 2026 JOURNAL, “MANIFESTING HAPPINESS UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES”

NEW BEDFORD, MA - the Multicultural Women Writers Salon (MWWS) will celebrate the graduation of its second cohort of writers and launch its newest journal, Manifesting Happiness Under Any Circumstances. This project is funded by the New Bedford Cultural Council Art is everywhere grant. The author showcase & journal signing event is Saturday, September 19, 2026, from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m. at the Low Tide Yacht Club, 1000B South Rodney French Blvd., New Bedford, MA 02744 – Across from the Military Tank.

This event is free and open to the public with light refreshments.

The Multicultural Women Writers Salon, a rich six-month ethnic insight, intercultural learning, and writing experience is designed to attract and connect women of diverse backgrounds; to share experiential and family stories. During the salon, the writers bond to support each other as they built a therapeutic and liberating healing practice. At the journal launch, you will hear directly from the writers about their rigorous learning practice. They'll share intensive experiences and storytelling secrets while offering signed copies of their published work. The 2026 Multicultural Women Writers Salon Journal is a beautiful publication that asks a hard question: how do women find joy in the middle of hardship, loss, or erasure, and choose it again and again until it becomes who they are? This issue brings together four unflinching, deeply personal stories. The 2026 cohort of Multicultural Women Writers include:

- **Leah Ferreira** who broke a three generation cycle of teenage motherhood,
- **Patricia Duarte** a daughter piecing together life after her father's murder and her mother's survival,
- **Elaine Jackson** tracing her Cape Verdean grandmother's journey to Nantucket, and
- **Paula Robinson Deare's** search to find and name a grandmother lost to history.

Published by Eworkstyle Institute as part of its Economy, Work & Lifestyle Journal series, this collection does not offer easy inspiration. It offers proof, told in each woman's own voice, that happiness is not something handed to the fortunate but something built, decision by decision, out of whatever life gives you. Each author's writing weaves leadership, pride, risk, self-discovery, and travel with the power and voice of female strength. As part of creating this journal, the writers encouraged each other, and in doing so found their stories highlight our shared humanity.

Advance copies of this journal and more publications are available at www.eworkstyle.org.

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