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Emory acquires Flannery O'Connor papers



Emory University's [Manuscript, Archives and Rare Book Library \(MARBL\)](#) has acquired the archive of iconic American writer Flannery O'Connor from the Mary Flannery O'Connor Charitable Trust in Milledgeville, Georgia.

"This archive is a distinctive collection that will provide new opportunities for teaching and research about O'Connor and modern literature," says Rosemary M. Magee, director of MARBL. "The materials place O'Connor's inner journey within the context of her public journey as a major voice in American literature. We see her

development as an artist along with her spiritual pilgrimage."

The O'Connor archive consists of the papers of O'Connor from the 1930s throughout her life, and contains correspondence; writings; artwork; journals and notebooks; photographs, slides, negatives and scrapbooks; printed material and clippings; legal and financial records; and awards.

[Emory celebrates acquiring the archive of Flannery O'Connor](#)

[Video tour of the O'Connor collection](#)

[MARBL finding aid: Flannery O'Connor collection](#)

Image: Flannery O'Connor papers, Manuscript, Archives, and Rare Book Library (MARBL), Emory University. Emory Photo/Video.

Irish poet Peter Fallon to give reading at Emory University

Irish poet, editor and publisher Peter Fallon will give a reading at Emory University on Thursday, Nov. 20, at 6:30 p.m. in the Jones Room of the [Woodruff Library](#).

The reading, open to the public at no charge, marks the closing of the exhibition "Seamus Heaney: The Music of What Happens," which will end its run in the library's Schatten Gallery on Sunday, Nov. 30.

Born in Germany in 1951, Fallon grew up on his uncle's farm near Kells, County Meath. At age 18, he founded [The Gallery Press](#), which has published more than 400 books of poems and plays by Ireland's finest writers. Fallon's own collections of poems include "The Speaking Stones" (1978), "Winter Work" (1983), and "The Company of Horses" (2007). His latest collection, "Strong, My Love," was published this year.



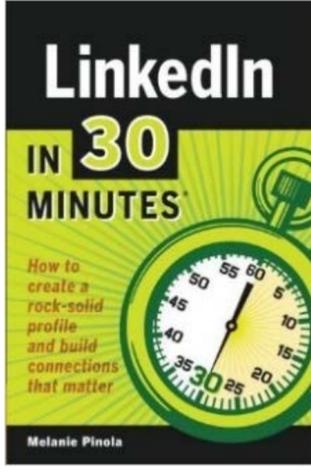
MARBL holds the papers and records of Peter Fallon and The Gallery Press, which include literary manuscripts, correspondence files, printed material and photographs.

[Learn more about the Peter Fallon reading](#)

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Photo of Peter Fallon by Suella Holland, The Gallery Press.

Building a strong LinkedIn profile



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Open Access Week events successful at Emory University

The [Scholarly Communications Office](#) at Emory University had a successful Open Access Week 2014 (Oct. 20-26), sharing knowledge, ideas and inspiration in a variety of formats. Among the highlights: an open access information fair for graduate students, an open TED Talk mini-film festival to highlight the advantages of openness in education, government and research, and a library exhibit called "Open Access: A New Norm in Scholarship & Research."



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[Emory acquires archive of author Flannery O'Connor](#), carried by the Associated Press and picked up by ABC News, Washington Post, San Francisco Chronicle, Atlanta Journal-Constitution, Denver Post, and other media outlets.

[A profile on MARBL archivist Gabrielle Dudley, and her advice on preserving your legacy](#), featured in Essence magazine online.

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