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Tent			STORYBALL: Graphic Novel Edition	DIY STORYMAKERS: How To Actually Write A Comic, The DC Way	DIY STORYMAKERS: How To Make The Next Fortnite	DIY STORYMAKERS: How To Up Your Cosplay Game, YouTube Channel, Webcomic Or Fandom Life	DIY STORYMAKERS: TV/Film	DIY STORYMAKERS: How To Write Your Novel		
<i>Info</i>			<i>Pseudonymous Bosch, Alexander London + Shane Pangburn write an Interactive Graphic Novel with help from the audience + a few author friends...since they're too lazy to do it alone!</i>	<i>Creators + creative execs from DC Comics talk practical tips for sequential storytelling in comics + graphic novels. Teen creators, artists and writers are encouraged to share a favorite idea or to ask for help with what you're stuck on. DC Sponsored Event.</i>	<i>Building a mega hit or meta fandom doesn't happen just by accident. Game industry veterans offer practical tips for creating meaningful worlds, factions, heroes and communities -- all starring players -- beyond the latest Fortnite dance. Teen creators are encouraged to share a favorite idea or to ask for help with something you're stuck on.</i>	<i>From Captain Marvel cosplays, youtube Marvel Minutes, Dinosaur Comics and a YA podcast to nerd girl guides and superhero speak -- we've got all the expertise you need to up your fandom game. Teens creators are encouraged to share a favorite fandom idea or to ask for help with something you're stuck on.</i>	<i>Writing, producing, directing, agenting for film and television: people in the room where it happens talk about what happens + how you can get in that room too. Teens writers, directors, and creators are encouraged to share a favorite fandom idea or to ask for help with something you're stuck on.</i>	<i>Everybody does it differently, but we all have our trade secrets (tm). Teen writers and artists are encouraged to share and brainstorm with some of the best in the biz.</i>		
Panelists			Pseudonymous Bosch, Alex London + Shane Pangburn (hosts), Soman Chainani, Marie Miranda Cruz, Shannon Hale, LeUyen Pham and Kat Shepherd	Marguerite Bennett, Gwenda Bond, Melissa de la Cruz, Shannon Hale, Lauren Myracle, and Danielle Paige (moderator)	Charles Beacham, M.E. Chung, Sam Maggs, Adam Miller, Mallory Schleif, Dave Stohl (moderator) and Luke Timmins	Lorraine Cink, Sarah Enni, Sam Maggs (moderator), Ryan North, Judy Stephens, Andrea Towers and F.C. Yee	Sana Amanat, Gerry Duggan, Holly Goldberg Sloan, Lauren Oliver, Steve Wacker (moderator), Sally Wilcox and Dottie Zicklin	Pseudonymous Bosch, Soman Chainani, Maureen Goo, Bill Konigsberg, Robin LaFavers, Ryan North and Brendan Reichs (moderator)		
Chorus Room			SPAAAACE!	MILES, CAROL, T'CHALLA, AND...?!?	IF WE READ TO ESCAPE REALITY WHY WRITE ABOUT IT?	THE BESTSELLER PROBLEM	STREAMING STORIES, CONVERGENT CONTENT: WELCOME TO THE SPIDERVERSE	GENERATIONAL WAR	HOPE IN A HOPELESS WORLD	
<i>Info</i>			<i>Space is a metaphor...unless you're an astronaut. But even then: what are we really writing about when we write about space?</i>	<i>Let's talk future heroes -- the ones we want, the ones we need, the ones soon coming our way, thanks to the writers who shape the future of the hero's journey.</i>	<i>Sometimes the real worlds are the hardest ones to build. Why do we do it, and why does it matter?</i>	<i>What matters to a writer, and to a reader? Is it rankings and reviews, followers and friends? How can we better navigate creative life in a top ten culture? (10/10. Would recommend this panel.)</i>	<i>When every book is a movie, every game is a livestream and every comic is a potential MCU, how do we think about fictional universes? What new opportunities does media convergence mean for creators + consumers?</i>	<i>Gen X vs Millennials vs Gen Z: How do we make our stories universal to young and old?</i>	<i>Sometimes things seem hopeless, in our lives and in the world. What does hope look like now? For future generations? How do you create hope with writing?</i>	
Panelists			Somaia Daud (moderator), Amy S. Foster, Jay Kristoff, Cori McCarthy, Lewis Peterson, Veronica Roth and Jon To	Raphael Draccon, Cookie Everman, Sarah Kuhn, C.B. Lee (moderator), Tochi Onyebuchi, Randy Ribay and F.C. Yee	Alexis Bass, Brandy Colbert, Maureen Goo, Spencer Hyde, Bill Konigsberg, Gretchen McNeil (moderator) and Nicola Yoon	Dr. Rob Bittner (moderator), Brittany Cavallaro, C.B. Lee, Mindy McGinnis, Lauren Myracle and Nic Stone	Jessica Brody, Amy Rose Capetta, Brittany Cavallaro, Jennifer Donnelly, Zara Lisbon, Danielle Paige and Kiersten White (moderator)	e.E. Charlton-Trujillo, Marie Miranda Cruz, Danielle L. Jensen, Makia Lucier, Jennifer E. Smith (moderator), Kat Shepherd and Melissa Thomson	Nafiza Azad, Nancy Campbell Allen, Laure Eve (moderator), Christine Lynn Herman, A.G. Howard, Mary E. Pearson and Crystal Smith	
Giveaway			Not Specified		Not Specified	ARC GIVEAWAY! 50 copies of I WANNA BE WHERE YOU ARE by Kristina Forest and 50 copies of SYMPTOMS OF A HEARTBREAK by Sona Charaipotra				
Sponsor			Underlined		Underline	Fierce Reads				
Humanities Center			YALLWEST JUVENALIA, NOW FEAT. OPEN MIC	INTERWEBZ		IS GETTING INTO COLLEGE WORTH GOING TO JAIL?	SAVING ZOE FILM EVENT!!	DAY JOB VS DREAM JOB?	THAT TIME I SUCKED	
<i>Info</i>			<i>YALL authors share their earliest, worst or funniest attempts at teen fiction + a few of our lucky (or brave!) YALLWEST teen festival-goers can take advantage of our open mic to share a short paragraph of their own embarrassing writing.</i>	<i>How do you translate an online life to an book IRL? How does following a story through cyber space change it's trajectory? Who does a character become when they log on?</i>		<i>Does it matter where you go to college if your goal is to be a web influencer? What about a writer or an artist? How do the doors open for creators? Writers and readers swap stories and drop truths.</i>		<i>Writing full time or part time, how do you balance work and dreams?</i>	<i>Stumbling blocks on the way to success and how to overcome them, "inner haters" and how they defeat them. Everyone feels like they suck sometimes-- it's how you bounce back that matters.</i>	
Panelists			Nancy Campbell Allen, Charlotte Nicole Davis, Sara Farizan (moderator), Christine Lynn Herman, Emiko Jean, Jillian Scharr and Melissa Thomson	Mary H.K. Choi, Audrey Coulthurst, Paula Garner, Zara Lisbon, Katy Loutzenhiser (moderator) and Leila Sales		Amy Ephron, Sabina Khan, Alyson Noël, Lewis Peterson (moderator) and Tiffany Pham	Alyson Noël, Vanessa Marano and Laura Marano	Ava Dash, Matt Mendez, Adam Miller, Abdi Nazemian (moderator), Rachel Roy and Christine Thompson	Susan Dennard, Sarah Dessen, Alexa Donne, Sarah Enni (moderator), Katy Loutzenhiser, LeUyen Pham and Randy Ribay	
Giveaway			ARC GIVEAWAY! 25 copies each of PATRON SAINTS OF NOTHING by Randy Ribay, THE ART OF BREAKING THINGS by Laura Sibson, WE WALKED THE SKY by Lisa Fiedler, VIRTUE OF SIN by Shannon Schuren, and DOWNSTAIRS GIRL by Stacey Lee	ARC GIVEAWAY! 100 copies of PERMANENT RECORD by Mary H. K. Choi			Signing: *SIGNING WITH ALYSON, VANESSA AND LAURA TO FOLLOW OUTSIDE THE HUMANITIES CENTER			
Sponsor			Penguin Teen	Riveted			Blue Fox Entertainment			

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Gallery			I'LL TAKE QUIDDITCH FOR \$500: A FAN GAME SHOW <i>Can you list every Hogwarts professor by magical subject? Identify your favorite YA classic by its main character? Test your knowledge in this bookish game show, competing head-to-head with Ransom Riggs, Tahereh Mafi, Holly Goldberg Sloan, and Karen M. McManus in categories like "Expecto Patronum," "From Book to Screen," and more, using audio clips from popular audiobooks. Beloved YA audiobook narrator Jorjeana Marie will host, selecting a few lucky audience members to compete onstage as contestants alongside the author's best bookish knowledge and compete head-to-head with fellow fans and bestselling PRH authors.</i>	WRITING ROYALS <i>Once upon a Royal -- it's the oldest story in the book and yet it somehow never gets old. Why is that?</i>	STRANGER DANGER, KILLER CHARACTERS <i>Thieves, hunters, assassins nuns + spies. How do writers build danger into fictional worlds + why do readers crave it?</i>	PATHS TO PUBLICATION <i>How did we get there from here? How can you get here too? YA authors talk about their journey to publication, from rejection to acceptance to victory -- with an emphasis on practical tips and good advice for teen creators.</i>	WRITING BRAIN DIFFERENCE <i>Writers have a way of finding the most unique character and pushing on their cracks to open up into a whole story. How do "cracked" characters connect cracked writers with cracked readers? Really, are there any un-different brains?</i>	ONLY GIRL IN THE ROOM <i>From Girl game director to queer comics creator and everything in between. The thing about paving the way is you never get to walk on the pavement. Come trade war stories.</i>	CO-WRITING AND COLLABORATION <i>Good cop and bad cop. Plotter and pantser. Drafter and polish specialist. How do these creative teams make it work?</i>	
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Panelists			Holly Goldberg Sloan, Tahereh Mafi, Karen M. McManus and Ransom Riggs	Ellen Goodlett, A.G. Howard, Emiko Jean, Makilia Lucier, Maya Motayne (moderator), Crystal Smith and Mimi Yu	Jessica Brody (moderator), Charlotte Nicole Davis, Danielle L. Jensen, Robin LaFevers, Maya Motayne, Mary E. Pearson and Christine Thompson	Alexa Donne, Stephanie Garber (moderator), Sarah Kuhn, Sandhya Menon, Natasha Ngan and Peter Stone	Brandy Colbert (moderator), Spencer Hyde, Mindy McGinnis, Matt Mendez, Leila Sales, Lauren Shippen, Audrey Coulthurst and Paula Garner	Marguerite Bennett, M.E. Chung, Amy S. Foster, Sam Maggs (moderator), Carolina Munhoz, and Tiffany Pham	Amy Rose Capetta, Ava Dash, Cori McCarthy, Shane Pangburn (moderator), Rachel Roy and Adam Silvera	
Giveaway				ARC GIVEAWAY! 125 copies of SONG OF ABYSS by Makilia Lucier	ARC GIVEAWAY! 100 copies of THE GOOD LUCK GIRLS by Charlotte Nicole Davis	ARC GIVEAWAY! 96 copies of BRAVE THE PAGE (the official NaNoWriMo handbook)				
Sponsor			Listening Library	HMH Teen	Tor Teen	Penguin Teen				
Barnum Lot				THE FRANKLY IN LOVE FOOD TRUCK <i>Kogi Truck & ARC giveaway with David Yoon.</i>	THE FRANKLY IN LOVE FOOD TRUCK <i>Kogi Truck & ARC giveaway with David Yoon.</i>	EPIC READS ICE CREAM TRUCK <i>Stop by the Epic Reads booth for an advance copy of The Rest of the Story and a sweet treat!</i>	EPIC READS ICE CREAM TRUCK <i>Stop by the Epic Reads booth for an advance copy of The Rest of the Story and a sweet treat!</i>	EPIC READS ICE CREAM TRUCK <i>Stop by the Epic Reads booth for an advance copy of The Rest of the Story and a sweet treat!</i>		
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Giveaway										
Sponsor				Penguin Teen	Penguin Teen	Epic Reads	Epic Reads	Epic Reads		
Camp YALLWEST					#MALEC MEETUP		TOR TEEN POPSICLE PICNIC	MIDNIGHT BEAUTIES: GOBLIN TEAM PARTY		
Info								<i>Music, free Iced tea and giveaway</i>		
Panelists					Riveted		Alexis Bass, Marie Miranda Cruz, Charlotte Nicole Davis, Susan Dennard and Danielle L. Jensen	MIDNIGHT BEAUTIES by Megan Shepherd		
Giveaway										
Sponsor							Tor Teen	HMH Teen		
Main Quad						UNDERLINED CAMP				
Panelists						Karen M. McManus, Jay Kristoff, Erika L. Sánchez and Nicola Yoon				
Sponsor						Underlined				
Innovation Quad (Signings)			Ally Condie Jennifer Donnelly A.G. Howard Robin LaFevers Natasha Ngan Lauren Oliver Brendan Reichs Erika L. Sánchez Nic Stone Kiersten White Nicola Yoon*	Nancy Campbell Allen Lorraine Cink Marie Miranda Cruz Charlotte Nicole Davis Susan Dennard Sarah Emri Sara Farizan Amy S. Foster Christine Lynn Herman Sam Maggs Sandhya Menon Veronica Roth* Kat Shepherd Melissa Thomson	Nafiza Azad Amy Rose Capetta Melissa de la Cruz Sarah Dessen* Zara Lisbon Katy Louzzenhiser Makilia Lucier Tahereh Mafi* Cori McCarthy Tochi Onyebuchi Randy Ribay Leila Sales Adam Silvera* Jennifer E. Smith F.C. Yee	Alexis Bass Pseudonymous Bosch Soman Chaimani* e.E. Charlton-Trujillo Audrey Coulthurst Somaia Daud Paula Garner Danielle L. Jensen Gretchen McNeil Abdi Nazemian Busy Philipps* Angie Thomas*	Katherine Applegate* Mary H.K. Choi Ava Dash Alexa Donne Laure Eve Ellen Goodlett Emiko Jean Sabina Khan C.B. Lee Maya Motayne Mary E. Pearson Ransom Riggs* Rachel Roy Crystal Smith	Tomi Adeyemi* Alexandra Bracken Jessica Brody Brandy Colbert Amy Ephron Stephanie Garber* Shannon Hale Jay Kristoff* Alex London LeUyen Pham Lauren Shippen Mimi Yu	Melissa Albert Brittany Cavallaro Maurene Goo Spencer Hyde Bill Konigsberg Mindy McGinnis Karen M. McManus* Matt Mendez Tiffany Pham Lilliam Rivera Victoria/V.E. Schwab* Peter Stone	
Comics Area (Signings)				Sana Amanat	Marguerite Bennett		Sarah Kuhn Lauren Myracle	Danielle Paige Steve Wacker	Gwenda Bond Ryan North Margaret Stohl Andrea Towers	