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Peter Cowan Writers Centre Inc. proudly presents

A Metre and a Half: Familiar and Foreign Poetic Forms

A three hour Poetry workshop with

Sanna Peden

Saturday 10th March 2018 1:30pm – 4:30pm

Places in this workshop are limited, so don't miss out!



A Metre and a Half: Familiar and Foreign Poetic Forms with Sanna Peden (FFSP1)

This workshop will explore two very different poetic metres: the iambic pentameter and the trochaic tetrameter, best known from Shakespearean sonnets and Finnish folk poetry respectively. We will explore the structure and themes of these poetic traditions, and use a combination of original texts as well as prose and lyric translations as a starting point for writing your own poems in these classic metres. The workshop is suitable for poets of any level who want to increase their poetic arsenal and experiment with both familiar and unusual poetic styles.

Sanna Peden

Sanna Peden is a lapsed academic and recovering writer with an interest in character, research and performance. Sanna is a regular reader in Perth's spoken word world; her poetry has appeared in *Cordite Poetry Review*, *Visible Ink*, *Westerly* and is forthcoming in the *Poetry D'Amour* anthology. Sanna has taught writing, public speaking and research skills for several years at the University of Western Australia, and is currently translating the Finnish folk epic The Kalevala.

Remember to bring your pen and some paper.

REGISTER NOW. [Click Online Entry Form and complete.](#) Please note that you can also pay online transfer.

Cost: \$38 for Members \$48 for Non-Members

Spaces remain! Avoid disappointment, book now!

Venue: ECU Joondalup Campus, Edith Cowan House,
Building 20, 270 Joondalup Drive, Joondalup WA 6027
(**Parking:** From Lakeside Drive to Deakin Road Car Park 14 Visitors
area near Gymnasium and Child Care Centre; free at weekends)

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