

NOVELIST ANCHEE MIN FEATURED AT CLEVELAND PUBLIC LIBRARY'S WRITERS & READERS SERIES

CLEVELAND, OH - Acclaimed author and speaker Anchee Min will be featured as part of Cleveland Public Library's (CPL) Writers & Readers series on Sunday, May 1, 2011 at 2:00 pm. in the Louis Stokes Wing Auditorium, East 6th and Superior.

"We are honored to bring Anchee Min back to Cleveland Public Library's Writers and Readers series. Her passionately crafted, thought provoking novels prompt readers to embrace historical fiction in a fresh and profound way," said Felton Thomas, executive director of CPL.

Once treated as an outcast in China, Min endured many hardships before arriving in the United States in 1984, where she taught herself English by watching episodes of "Sesame Street." Today, her novels have received encouraging reviews from Booklist and The New York Times Book Review. Red Azalea, Min's frank memoir of growing up in Communist China during the 1960s and '70s, was hailed in The New York Times Book Review as a "powerful political as well as literary statement" and was named one of the Notable Books for 1994. Her most recent novel, Pearl of China, was released in 2010, and features the historical figure of Nobel-prize winning author, Pearl S. Buck, as the center of a story of friendship amidst violent civil war and later Communist regime.



A sought-after speaker, Min last visited CPL in 2005. Photo credit: Naishi Min

The Cleveland Public Library's Writers & Readers author series showcases the Library's role in promoting books and reading to the Greater Cleveland Community. All Writers & Readers events are free and open to the public. Seating is on a first-come, first-serve basis. For more information about Writers & Readers, please visit www.cpl.org.

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Cleveland Public Library is the place for all Clevelanders to dream, create and grow. CPL serves four million patrons annually at 28 branches across the city, lending more than 6.5 million items from a collection of more than 10 million. CPL's library services are also available at the Public Administration Library in City Hall, "The People's University on Wheels" Bookmobile, Ohio Library for the Blind and Physically Disabled, and the On the Road to Reading literacy van. CPL is the home for the Ohio Center for the Book, CLEVNET library cooperation, and KnowItNow24x7 virtual reference service. For more information about Cleveland Public Library, please visit cpl.org.

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Global Cleveland Announces New Funding and Location of Headquarters Organization receives \$1 million in initial funding



CLEVELAND, Ohio - Global Cleveland, an organization focused on regional economic development through actively attracting and welcoming newcomers, has raised \$1 million through its founding sponsors. The organization also announced the location of the Global Cleveland Welcome Hub, a connection point for all newcomers to Greater Cleveland.

Huntington National Bank bestowed the largest contribution to date with a gift of \$500,000. The Ohio-based bank, which has aggressively expanded its services and gained market share in Cleveland, will host the organization's offices in the new Huntington Bank Building on Public Square in the heart of Downtown Cleveland. The offices, with a direct entrance on Euclid Avenue, will provide easy access for all newcomers seeking opportunities, information and services. It will also serve as a connection point for partner organizations.

"We believe in fostering a welcoming community and understand the value in attracting and retaining talented people," said Daniel P. Walsh, Northeast Ohio area president, Huntington National Bank. "We have a deep commitment to Cleveland's economic growth and vitality. Investing in an important organization like Global Cleveland that celebrates our city's strengths and actively attracts newcomers complements Huntington's community efforts in Cleveland."

The emphasis of Global Cleveland is to connect people to opportunities and the community to help attract and retain workers for the more than 20,000 currently open jobs in the Cleveland region.

Global Cleveland also received \$150,000 from the Cleveland Foundation, the world's first-community foundation and the nation's second-largest today with assets of \$1.87 billion and 2010 grants of nearly \$85 million. The foundation improves the lives of Greater Clevelanders now and for generations to come by building community-endowment, addressing needs through grant making, and providing leadership on vital issues.

"Newcomers are assets to our region and will contribute to the broader community's prosperity," said Ronn Richard, president and CEO of the Cleveland Foundation. "Increasing immigration and migration of highly skilled workers to Cleveland will support economic development as newcomers fill high-tech job vacancies, start innovative companies and add to the educational attainment of the region."

The Jewish Federation of Cleveland and Forest City Enterprises contributed gifts of \$100,000 each. In February 2010, the Jewish Federation of Cleveland contributed \$35,000 towards a study on how

to retain and attract foreign born residents. In May 2010, the Maltz Family Foundation, a supporting foundation of the Jewish Federation of Cleveland, contributed \$50,000 towards the development of a business plan for the Global Cleveland initiative.

"One of our goals will be to significantly increase the population of Northeast Ohio," said Albert Ratner, chairman of the board, Forest City Enterprises. "In order to reverse the trend of population decline, we need to demonstrate that we are a welcoming and open region with opportunity for all."

In addition, in November, 2010, The Treu-Mart Fund, a supporting foundation managed jointly by the Jewish Federation and the Cleveland Foundation, contributed \$75,000 and the Giving Back Circle, a fund managed by the Cleveland Foundation, contributed \$10,000 as transitional funding to establish Global Cleveland. The City of Cleveland and Cuyahoga County are also founding partners of Global Cleveland and have provided the initiative with support.

"We are extremely appreciative of our generous funders, partners and civic leaders who have joined us on the mission to strengthen our region by attracting newcomers and making them feel welcome in the city," said Baiju Shah, Global Cleveland's chairman of the board. "This is a critical economic development initiative to continue the region's revitalization."

In addition to the Global Cleveland Welcome Hub, memorandums of understanding (MOUs) have been signed with Positively Cleveland, University Circle Inc. and Ohio City Near West Development Corporation to establish satellite locations to ensure that resources and information are available in their visitors' centers. Global Cleveland will also sign partnership agreements with the Cleveland Public Library and Cuyahoga County Public Library to serve as connection points, and the organization will engage existing young professional, international and refugee-focused organizations to help enhance and develop new programs to aid newcomers' arrival and integration into Cleveland.

"Positively Cleveland is excited to partner with Global Cleveland," said David Gilbert, president and CEO of Positively Cleveland and the Greater Cleveland Sports Commission. "There are a lot of natural synergies between our role as the region's travel and tourism economic development organization and the important work of Global Cleveland."

Global Cleveland will officially commence its services on May 24, 2011 with a free-public evening event at City Hall, and then a full day working summit with community members on May 25, 2011 at Cleveland State University. The summit will provide an opportunity to educate and engage the community about

Global Cleveland and its programs. For more information about Global Cleveland, contact Lauren Freiman, communications consultant, at 216-861-1862.

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Global Cleveland is an organization that will help regional economic development by actively attracting newcomers, welcoming and connecting them both economically and socially to the many opportunities throughout Greater Cleveland. Its focus is on attracting skilled newcomers to the region, filling open jobs, retaining talent, expanding community networks to spur innovation and creating a welcoming and open region that is a place of diversity and opportunity for all.

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成功的故事

- 奧巴馬總統姑媽遞解出境開案 2008 年 12 月申請, 2009 年 1 月獲准重審, 2010 年 5 月政府獲准, 獲得美國居留權!
- 巴西胡小姐 公民入籍, 2010 年 3 月申請, 7 月 12 日面試獲准, 當天宣誓入籍。
- 波蘭梭先生 為未婚妻申請未婚簽證, 2010 年 4 月申請, 7 月獲准。
- 天津袁先生 公民配偶申請 I-130, 領館首次面試被拒, 2009 年 5 月重新申請, 2010 年 6 月再度面試, 簽證獲准。
- 加納奧先生 勞工移民第二類, 2010 年 4 月申請 I-140/485, 5 月綠卡獲准。
- 福州張小姐 政府被拒後, 2009 年 7 月轉本事務所申請 10 年豁免綠卡, 2010 年 7 月獲准。
- 韓國李先生 H1B 非移民勞工簽證延期, 2010 年 3 月申請, 7 月獲准。
- 韓國宋先生 2000 年即有遞解令, 2009 年轉本事務所申請開案批准, 據兒童保護法向法院申請綠卡, 2010 年 7 月獲准。
- 福州鄭先生 聯合開案 2010 年 7 月申請, 8 月獲准。
- 延直李小姐 宗教庇護出被拒, 上訴庭上訴, 2008 年 4 月申請, 2010 年 7 月取回原判, 獲回重審。
- 牙買加史先生 綠卡申請因涉嫌刑事案件收到牙買加拒絕意向書, 2009 年 9 月轉本事務所做回應補充材料, 2010 年 6 月綠卡獲准。
- 台灣巫先生 公民申請已婚子女, 排期開放, 以 245(i) 申請綠卡, 2010 年 2 月申請, 2010 年 6 月一家三口綠卡獲准。

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