

MICHELLE TEA

MAJOR PUBLICATIONS

Coal to Diamonds: A Memoir. New York: Spiegel & Grau, 2011. (Forthcoming)
Rose of No Man's Land. San Francisco: MacAdam/Cage, 2005.
Rent Girl. (with Laurenn McCubbin) San Francisco: Last Gasp, 2004.
The Beautiful: Collected Poems. San Francisco, Manic D Press, 2004.
The Chelsea Whistle. Seattle: Seal Press, 2002.
Valencia. Seattle: Seal Press, 2000.
The Passionate Mistakes and Intricate Corruption of One Girl in America. New York: Semiotext(e), 1998.

EDITED ANTHOLOGIES

It's So You: 35 Women Write About Personal Expression Through Fashion & Style. Seattle: Seal Press, 2007.
Baby Remember My Name: An Anthology of New Queer Girl Writing. New York: Carroll & Graf, 2007.
Pills, Thrills, Chills, and Heartache: Adventures in the First Person. Los Angeles: Alyson Publications, 2004.
Without a Net: The Female Experience of Growing Up Working Class. Seattle: Seal Press, 2003.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

California Institute of the Arts, Instructor	August 2010- December 2010
Mills College, Visiting Lecturer	August 2008 – June 2009
Chester College of New England, Guest Lecturer	Fall Semester, 2008
San Francisco High School for the Arts, Writer -in-Residence	Spring Semesters, 2006, 2007, 2008

GRANTS, COMMISSIONS AND AWARDS

San Francisco Arts Commission Individual Arts Commission	2007, 2008, 2009
The Jim Duggins Outstanding Mid-Career Novelists Award	2008
The Creative Work Fund	2005, 2009
The James Irvine Foundation	2007
<i>San Francisco Bay Guardian</i> – Bay Area's Best Writer	2006
<i>San Francisco Weekly</i> – San Francisco's Best Writer	2006
Lambda Literary Award- Best Lesbian Fiction (<i>Valencia</i>)	2000
<i>SF Bay Guardian</i> – Goldie Award for Literature (<i>Valencia</i>)	2000
Rona Jaffe Foundation – Early Career Female Writer Award	2000
Cable Car Award; Best Critic	1997

INCLUDED IN (SELECTED):

Best Music Writing 2010. De Capo, 2010.

Read Hard: Five Years of Great Writing from the Believer. San Francisco: Believer Books/McSweeney's, 2009.
The Aunt Lute Anthology of U.S. Women Writers: Volume Two, The 20th Century. San Francisco: Aunt Lute Books, 2008.
Word Warriors: 35 Women Leaders in the Spoken Word Revolution. Seattle: Seal Press, 2007.
The Outlaw Bible of American Essays. New York: Basic Books, 2006.
Believer Book of Writers Talking to Writers. San Francisco: Believer Books/McSweeney's, 2005.
The Political Edge. San Francisco: City Lights, 2004.
The Best American Nonrequired Reading. New York: Houghton Mifflin Company, 2004.

TOURS

Sister Spit: Next Generation <i>Founder, Performer</i>	2007, 2008, 2009, 2010
Sex Workers Art Show Tour <i>Performer</i>	2002, 2003
Stromboli's Island of Donkeys and Dolls <i>Founder, Performer</i>	2002
The Wasted Motel Tour <i>Founder, Performer</i>	2000
Sister Spit's Ramblin' Road Show <i>Founder, Performer</i>	1996 - 2000

RESIDENCIES

23 rd Annual Zane Write-in-Residence, Tulane University	2008
Richard Hugo House, Seattle, Washington	2008

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

RADAR Productions, Artistic Director	2003 – present
Sister Spit, Co-Founder and Director	1996 – 2003

VENUES WHERE I HAVE READ MY WORK (SELECTED):

Museum of Modern Art, San Francisco
 Theater Artaud, San Francisco
 Herbst Theater, San Francisco
 de Young Museum, San Francisco
 San Francisco Public Library, San Francisco
 Oakland Public Library, Oakland
 The Andy Warhol Museum, Pittsburgh
 Mills College, Oakland
 Brown University, Providence
 Tulane University, New Orleans
 Scripps College, Claremont, CA
 Violette and Co., Paris
 Shakespeare and Co., Paris
 City Lights, San Francisco

PS 122, New York City
New York University, New York
International University, Sevilla
Highways, Santa Monica
Hallwalls, Buffalo
Franklin Furnace, New York City
Salem State University, Salem OR
The Kitchen, New York City
Michigan Women's Music Festival; Hart, Michigan
Lollapalooza Festival; San Jose, California
In the Street Theater Festival; San Francisco, California
National Queer Arts Festival; San Francisco, California
Litquake Literary Festival; San Francisco, California
Writing Outside the Margins Literary Festival; Toronto, Ontario
Seattle Poetry Festival
Albuquerque Poetry Festival
Chester College of New England, Chester, NH
Saints and Sinners Literary Festival; New Orleans
Tennessee Williams Literary Festival; New Orleans