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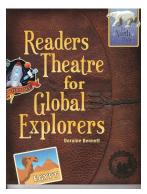


AUTHOR OF GEORGIA, MY STATE SERIES



- Readers Theatre
- Georgia Habitats
- Georgia Regions
- Georgia Biographies
- Greece and Our

American Heritage



Fees:

\$150 per session

Travel expenses, if more than 2 hours from Columbus, Georgia

Workshop format, limited to 65 students per session

45minutes - 1 hour

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Doraine has taught creative writing classes to both students and adults for over ten years. She is a magazine editor and has been published in both adult and children's markets. She is available for author presentations to school groups and teacher workshops.

## PRESENTATION TOPICS

**Hats!**—A writer wears an investigators hat, a work hat, an editor's hat, and an author's hat. The writing process doesn't move in a straight line from one hat to the next. It's a circular process the writer moves through until completion of a project. Workshop includes exercise on **Beginning, Middle, and End**. Grades K-5.

**What is Voice?**— Understanding the elusive element that makes writing come to life. Grades 3-12.

**Tapping into your story**—Learn to use your life experiences to create a powerful emotional experience for your readers. Grades 5-12.

The Power of Poetry—Poetry requires writers to pay attention to the rhythm of language, imagery, structure, and emotion. Practice these writing techniques in poetry to increase mastery in other writing styles. Grades K-12.

**Breaking into the Educational Market**—How to target publishers with queries and proposals. Adults.

Other presentations may be tailored to your students' needs.