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Innovative poetry and community-building project expands its reach in Milwaukee and Madison to celebrate National Poetry Month

MILWAUKEE, WI, Feb. 1, 2016—The Creative Writing Program of the Department of English at the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee is excited to announce expanded community partnership of their Eat Local::Read Local program, a community-directed initiative that bridges the gap between local restaurants and local writers to connect the community through poetry during the month of April.

This year's new community partners include Alchemy Café and Cooper's Tavern, and Nitty Gritty in Madison, WI, and The Café at the Plaza, Cempazuchi, and Pastiche Bistro and Wine Bar in Milwaukee, WI. Full list of participating partners available on the Eat Local :: Read Local [website](#).

Graduate student organizer Lindsay Daigle encourages local writers, readers and diners to get a taste of poetry during this year's annual celebration, adding "[We're] happy to share our love of all things food and poetry!"

A community poetry reading will take place Monday, April 10, at 7 p.m., at Cempazuchi (1205 E. Brady Street, Milwaukee, WI). Bartenders are available to take dinner, snack, and drink orders throughout the entirety of the event.

About Eat Local :: Read Local

Since 2008, this UW-Milwaukee organization has been celebrating the partnerships between local restaurants and poets from Milwaukee and Madison, Wisconsin.

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