

FROM NÉGRITUDE TO COOLITUDE: THE VISIONARY POETRY OF KHAL TORABULLY



Khal Torabully (b. 1956, Mauritius) is a poet, essayist, film director, and semiologist who has authored some twenty-five books. He has taken the derogatory term “coolie,” and has re-visioned, re-imagined, and re-defined it to encompass the richness of transcultural exchanges (geographical, biological, and cultural) that enrich the world.

Nancy Naomi Carlson, his translator, will also be part of the event.

*Torabully's work “contains all of my humanity.”
-Aimé Césaire, the great poet from Martinique who coined the term
Negritude.*

WEDNESDAY
MARCH 23
7 PM



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