

Emmy Pérez



Stellarverse: An Evening of Cosmic Poetry

Featuring: Victoria Lopez, Emmy Pérez, Daniel Garcia Ordaz, & Rodney Gomez

CommonSpace (2901 N. 10th St., McAllen)

Thursday, October 26th from 6PM-8PM

Emmy Pérez served as Texas Poet Laureate 2020 and is the author of the poetry collections *With the River on Our Face* and *Solstice*. A volume of her new and selected poems is forthcoming from TCU Press. She is a past recipient of fellowships from the National Endowment for the Arts, the Academy of American Poets, United States Artists, and CantoMundo. She co-founded Poets Against Walls collective in 2018 and has been a member of the Macondo Writers Workshop since 2008. Currently, she is a professor in the Department of Creative Writing at UTRGV where she also serves as department chair. Raised in Santa Ana, California, she has lived in the Texas borderlands for over 20 years.