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## 2019 Author Series

Atlanta- We have a great line-up of authors coming to the Jimmy Carter Presidential Library this year. The events will be at 7pm in the Carter Museum Theater unless otherwise noted. Most are free, though a few will require purchasing a ticket (which includes a copy of the book.) Here's a quick look at what we've got coming up....

Wednesday, January 30 at 7pm...Carter Museum Theater.. Free  
**Ben Wynne, author of "The Man Who Punched Jefferson Davis: The Political Life of Henry S. Foote, Southern Unionist"**  
*Regarded as one of the most vocal, well-traveled, and controversial statesmen of the 19th century, antebellum politician Henry Stuart Foote played a central role in a vast array of pivotal events. Despite Foote's unique mark on history, until now no comprehensive biography existed. University of North Georgia history professor Ben Wynne fills this gap in his examination of the life of this gifted and volatile public figure.*

Friday, February 8 at 7pm...Carter Center's Cecil B. Day Chapel,,TICKETS REQUIRED

**Marlon James, author of "Black Leopard, Red Wolf"**  
**Tickets Available at**

<https://www.freshtix.com/events/marlon-james-leopard-wolf>

*James will be in conversation with Atlanta's Nic Stone, New York Times bestselling author of "Dear Martin" and "Odd One Out." The authors will discuss James's stunning first novel in the Dark Star trilogy "Black Leopard, Red Wolf." Billed as an African "Game of Thrones," the Dark Star trilogy blends myth, fantasy, and history together to explore what happens when a mercenary is hired to find a missing child.*

Wednesday, February 13 at 7pm...Carter Museum Theater...Free  
**Chris Wilson and Bret Witter, authors of “The Master Plan: My Journey from Life in Prison to a Life of Purpose”**

*Co-written with Decatur's Bret Witter, "The Master Plan: My Journey from Life in Prison to a Life of Purpose" is Chris Wilson's inspiring, instructive, and ultimately triumphant memoir. It's the story of a man who used hard work and a Master Plan to turn a life sentence into a second chance.*

Tuesday, February 19 at 7pm...Carter Museum Theater...Free  
**William Taubman, author of “Gorbachev: His Life and Times”**  
*Pulitzer Prize-winning author William Taubman discusses and signs copies of his book "Gorbachev: His Life and Times," the first comprehensive biography of Mikhail Gorbachev, the last leader of the Soviet Union.*

Friday, March 1 at 7pm...Carter Museum Theater..Free  
**Irshad Manji, author of “Don't Label Me”** in conversation with WABE's Rose Scott  
*"Don't Label Me" is a unique conversation about diversity, bigotry, and our common humanity, by the NYT bestselling author, Oprah “Chutzpah” award-winner, and founder of the Moral Courage Project, Irshad Manji.*

Thursday, March 7 at 7pm...Carter Museum Theater...Free  
**Mitchell Jackson, author of “Survival Math”**  
*In a thrillingly alive, candid new work, award-winning author Mitchell S. Jackson takes us inside the drug-ravaged neighborhood and struggling family of his youth, while examining the cultural forces—large and small—that led him and his family to this place.*

Monday, March 11 at 7pm...Carter Center's Cecil B. Day Chapel...TICKETS REQUIRED  
**Howard Schultz, author of “From the Ground Up”**

*Schultz shares his dramatic, untold personal story—from his childhood in Brooklyn’s housing projects to his rise as a business icon—and lays out his vision for how companies can improve their social impact.*

Friday, March 22 at 7pm...Carter Museum Theater

**Senator Doug Jones, author of “Bending Toward Justice: The Birmingham Church Bombing that Changed the Course of Civil Rights”...DETAILS COMING SOON**

*The story of the decades-long fight to bring justice to the victims of the 16th Street Baptist Church bombing, culminating in Sen. Doug Jones' prosecution of the last living bombers.*

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