

# Visiting Hurst Professor

# Jabari Asim

## Two Events



**Craft Lecture: Tuesday, Oct. 25 at 8 Central**  
**Reading: Thursday, Oct. 27 at 8 Central**  
**Hurst Lounge, Duncker Hall Rm. 201**  
**Reading followed by reception**  
**and booksale**



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An accomplished poet, playwright, and writer, Visiting Hurst Professor Jabari Asim has been described as one of the most influential African American literary critics of his generation. Asim has served as the editor-in-chief of *Crisis* magazine and as an editor at *The Washington Post*. He is the recipient of a Guggenheim Fellowship in Creative Arts and is the author of eight books for adults—including *Yonder*—and thirteen books for children. His debut book of poems, *Stop and Frisk*, was published in 2020. His latest books for young readers, *Me And Muhammad Ali* and *A Child's Introduction to Jazz*, will be released later this year.

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