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The Ethyle R. Wolfe Institute for the Humanities, in cooperation with the Department of English and the MFA Intergenre Reading Series, presents

Karan Mahajan & Clarence Coo

Karan Mahajan is the author of Family Planning, a finalist for the International Dylan Thomas Prize, and The Association of Small Bombs, which was shortlisted for the 2016 National Book Award, won the 2017 NYPL Young Lions Fiction Award, and was named one of the New York Times Book Review's "10 Best Books of 2016." In 2017, he was selected as one of Granta's Best of Young American Novelists. His reporting and criticism have appeared in the New York Times, Vanity Fair, The New Republic, The New Yorker Online, and other venues. He teaches at Brown University.

Clarence Coo is a New York-based playwright who is a recipient of a 2017 Whiting Award and the 2012 Yale Drama Series Prize. His plays include The Birds of Empathy, Beautiful Province (Belle Province), People Sitting in Darkness, and The God of Wine. He is an alumnus of New Dramatists, a member of the Ma-Yi Writers Lab, and the assistant director of academic administration of Columbia University's MFA Writing Program. His play On That Day in Amsterdam will be produced off-Broadway this winter by Primary Stages.

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