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Under the Mystery Writer's Veil

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Join Mystery Writers of America/New York Chapter President, Jane K. Cleland, as she moderates a panel of stellar mystery authors. Hear about their writing processes... where ideas come from...and surprising revelations about creativity and the mystery author's craft!

	<p>Jane K. Cleland is the author of the Josie Prescott Antiques Mysteries, most recently, <i>Antiques to Die For</i>. [St. Martin's Minotaur] The first, <i>Consigned to Death</i>, was nominated for the Agatha, Macavity, and David for Best First Novel. The second, <i>Deadly Appraisal</i>, won the David for Best Mystery Novel of 2007. Jane's the president of Mystery Writers of America/New York Chapter [www.mwa-ny.org] and the chair of the Wolfe Pack's literary awards [www.nerowolfe.org], including the Nero & the BONA ▪ www.janecleland.net ▪</p>
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<p>Meredith Anthony's thriller, <i>Ladykiller</i>, co-authored with her husband Lawrence Light, was published in 2007 by Oceanview Press. Her latest short story appeared in July 2008 in <i>Ellery Queen Mystery Magazine</i>. She is a copywriter for a major New York City advertising agency. www.meredithanthony.com</p>	<p>Chris Grabenstein started his career as an actor and advertising copywriter. His first mystery, <i>Tilt a Whirl</i>, won the Anthony Award for Best First Mystery. The fourth in the John Ceepak series set on the Jersey shore, <i>Hell Hole</i>, was just published. [St. Martin's Minotaur] Chris is also the author of young adult books. His first, <i>Crossroads</i> [Random House], has just been published. Chris is the secretary of the Mystery Writers of America/New York Chapter. www.chrisgrabenstein.com</p>	<p>Rosemary Harris's first novel, <i>Pushing Up Daisies</i> [St. Martin's Minotaur] was published this year. A Certified Master Gardener, Rosemary splits her time between Manhattan and Connecticut. She's the vice president of Sisters in Crime, New England Chapter and is a member of the board of directors of the Mystery Writers of America/New York Chapter. www.rosemaryharris.com</p>	<p>Lawrence Light is a money and investing editor for <i>The Wall Street Journal</i>. He has published two mysteries set in New York's financial world. His thriller, <i>Ladykiller</i>, co-authored with his wife Meredith Anthony, was published in 2007 by Oceanview Press. He has a short story in <i>Wall Street Noir</i>. Larry is the treasurer of the Mystery Writers of America. www.lawrencelight.com</p>