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A craft-based full-day conference in English sponsored by
the Society of Children's Book Writers & Illustrators (SCBWI)
& the Bologna International Children's Book Fair
Bologna Children's Book Fairgrounds

Tuesday, April 12, 2005

Workshops, Talks, Discussions

"Picture the Book: From Text to Dummy"

"The Craft of Revision: Examining Motifs, Compression, Structure, & Character"

"Book Reviewing: where Pictures and Words Intersect"

"Why I Love This Book and Published It"

with

Author **Franny Billingsley** (*The Folk Keeper*)

Artist/author **G. Brian Karas** (*Atlantic*)

Author/reviewer **Leonard Marcus** (*Dear Genius*, *Parenting* magazine)

and Publishers

Jennifer Wingertzahn (Clarion Books US)

Isabelle Bezard (Bayard editions, France)

Deirdre McDermott (Walker Books Ltd, UK)

and others

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Meet the Keynote Speakers

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Franny Billingsley is an award-winning author of *The Folk Keeper* and *Well Wished*. She has received the *Boston Globe/Horn Book* Award for Best Book of the Year for *The Folk Keeper* and the PEN/Phyllis Naylor award in 2003. She lives in Illinois with her family.

G. Brian Karas is a prolific and versatile illustrator of children's books. His many acclaimed books include *Atlantic*, an American Library (ALA) Notable Book, *Saving Sweetness*, and the *Boston Globe/Horn Book* Honor title, *Home on the Bayou*. He lives in the Hudson Valley of New York with his family.

Leonard Marcus is one of the US children's book world's most respected and versatile writers, historians, and critics. His incisive book reviews have been featured in the *New York Times Book Review*, *Publisher's Weekly* among many other publications in the US and elsewhere. His own books include: *Margaret Wise Brown: Awakened by the Moon*, *Dear Genius: The Letters of Ursula Nordstrom*, *Author Talk*, *Ways of Telling*, and *Storied City*. Leonard lives in New York City with his family.