

"Merging Poetry and Science: A Literary Field Guide to Southern Appalachia" Laura-Gray Street, Associate Professor, English; Celina Matthews, '19

We propose to finalize the manuscript of A Literary Field Guide for Southern Appalachia for publication with the University of Georgia Press, one of the strongest academic presses in the country generally and particularly in the areas of poetry and environmental studies in late 2018. We will research and develop educational and publicity materials for the anthology, both in print and online forms. We will explore and plan a Randolph College launch event that incorporates as many of the college's relevant resources—for example, the Natural History Collection, the Creative Writing and Visiting Writing Series Program, the Maier Museum, the Museum Studies Program—as are feasible and available/willing.

