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The Searchers Poetry Reading Series

RENATO ROSALDO



An internationally known cultural anthropologist, Renato Rosaldo started writing poetry in English and Spanish while recovering from a stroke in 1996. His first book of poetry, *Prayer to Spider Woman/Rezo a la mujer araña* received an American Book Award (2004). Individual poems have won the El Bandar poetry contest (2000) and the Many Mountains Moving poetry contest (2005). He is currently a Professor of Anthropology at New York University and Lucie Stern Professor in the Social Sciences Emeritus at Stanford University, and also a member of the American Academy of Arts and Sciences.

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