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Each presentation concludes with an opportunity for attendees to ask questions in what often turns into a lively give and take on the topical subjects presented, which range from literature, history and journalism to technology and cutting edge science. Speakers typically make themselves available for continued discussion and to sign books in the lobby of the theater.

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The speaker series honors the late Rae Dorough, a respected Livermore resident recognized for her staunch support of the cultural arts. Initiated by members of her family, the series features often provocative, entertaining and enlightening speakers on a diversity of topics.

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THE **Fourth Industrial Revolution** is **NOW** *Dr. Jonathan Reichental* brings clarity to the changing technology, demographics and economics that have launched us into a fourth industrial revolution. **10 October 2019**

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Author *Shanthi Sekaran* will discuss how her novel **LUCKY BOY:** *an immigrant's experience* varied the immigrant experience in America can be and offers a view of the immigration issues making headlines. **14 November 2019**

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NATURE-BASED CLIMATE SOLUTIONS work Conservation expert *Ellie Cohen* will share lessons learned from her global and local experience addressing climate change and share practical actions all of us can take to save the planet. **6 February 2020**

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US national security strategies **NATIONAL DEFENSE PRESENT AND FUTURE** have not kept pace with technological change and the rapid evolution of world events. *John Arquilla* of the Naval Postgraduate School discusses what the US must do to modernize national defense. **14 March 2019**

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Jonathan Reichental

10/10/2019 @ 7:30 pm

**THE FOURTH INDUSTRIAL
REVOLUTION:
WINNERS & LOSERS**

All evidence suggests we are at the start of a fourth industrial revolution. No one can escape the impact of a world in momentous transition. Rapidly changing technology, demographics, economics, and a growing consensus that the climate crisis urgently needs to be addressed are driving the revolution. Make no mistake, this fourth industrial revolution will have winners and losers. Now is the time to understand where we are headed and to prepare ourselves and our organizations to not only survive, but thrive during this transformation.

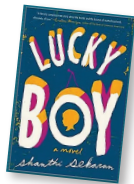


Shanthi Sekaran

11/14/2019 @ 7:30 pm

**LUCKY BOY: THE DIVERSE
REALITIES OF THE
IMMIGRANT EXPERIENCE**

The novel "Lucky Boy" focuses on two women and two very different pictures of immigration. In one story, 18-year-old Soli enters the U.S. from Mexico without papers. In the other, an Indian-American woman named Kavya is struggling to have a baby with her husband. Their stories converge around a baby, the "lucky boy" of the book's title.



Author Shanthi Sekaran has a lot in common with Kavya: Both are Indian-American and both live in CA. In her novel she wanted to recognize and delve deeper into the stories behind that disparity as well as the ramifications of those different experiences.



Ellie M. Cohen

02/06/2020 @ 7:30 pm

**MARSHALING GLOBAL AND
LOCAL FORCES TO ADDRESS
THE CLIMATE CRISIS**

Human caused damage to ecosystems is accelerating. Public policy is beginning to add 'nature-based' approaches to the climate-change solutions tool box. Ms. Cohen will discuss conservation practices that promote natural climate solutions to sequester carbon, replenish groundwater, enhance biodiversity, and reduce the impact of extreme events.

From her experience at UN climate meetings, the San Anselmo Sustainability Commission and CEO of Point Blue Conservation Science, she will share initiatives and practical actions all of us can implement. She'll conclude with an inspiring, if urgent message; we must act now.



John Arquilla

03/12/2020 @ 7:30 pm

**NATIONAL DEFENSE FOR
A BRAVE NEW WORLD**

America's defense establishment needs to keep pace with technological change that has given rise to a range of new weaponry – hypersonic missiles to an arsenal of cyber weapons. Our armed forces remain organized around aircraft carriers, tanks and bombers – weapons of an earlier era. John Arquilla, Distinguished Professor and Chair in the Dept. of Defense Analysis at the Naval Postgraduate School, will discuss the challenges and the forward thinking approaches needed to address the spectrum of new directions for our national defense.

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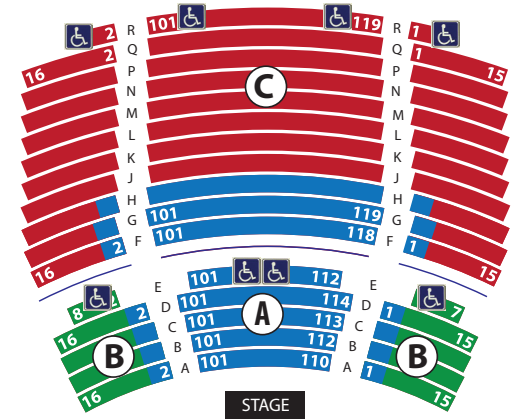
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