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Meet Canadian Playwright,

Carol Bolt at WLU Jan. 14

Canadian playwright, Carol Bolt, will be at Wilfrid Laurier University Jan. 14 to give a reading and speak about her work.

Carol Bolt, winner of the Silver Jubilee Medal in 1978, is well known for her play One Night Stand which was shown on television last summer and performed by the Elora Poverty Theatre Group last spring. Other works created by Ms. Bolt include Buffalo Jump, Shelter, and Bethune.

"Carol Bolt is one of the new breed of young Canadians making drama out of Canadian history," said Dr. Gerald Noonan, English professor at WLU.

Ms. Bolt, born in Winnipeg and now working in Toronto, will also discuss the importance of historical and regional drama in informing Canadians about their heritage.

The event will begin at 2:30 p.m. in room 102 of the Seminary and a question and answer period will follow. Admission is free and everyone is welcome.

"It is an excellent opportunity to meet a Canadian playwright in person and gain some insights into playwriting in Canada," said Dr. Noonan.