

*the phoenix Q arts & media project  
invites you to join us for a*

# creative writing workshop

*for lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, queer, and  
questioning youth and our allies!*

*featuring local writer and activist*

**James Ross**

*and more special guests TBA!*

**Thursday, May 26<sup>th</sup> \* 6:30 - 8:30pm**  
**at In Our Own Voices (245 Lark St, Albany)**  
**completely FREE! snacks will be provided!**

**NO WRITING EXPERIENCE IS NECESSARY!**

*This is a great opportunity to work on something to submit to  
pen[sieve], pQ's forthcoming arts & literary magazine!*

*James Ross once wrote for a living; he now writes because he must. James is executive director of In Our Own Voices, an Albany nonprofit working to ensure the health and well-being of LGBT people of color. He is a former journalist, political strategist and organizational communications professional. He writes fiction and poetry and journals like crazy.*

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