



Nonfiction Writing Program

Literary Nonfiction

## Reality Hunger: A Manifesto

David Shields will discuss his newly published and controversial book.



by Tom Collicott

### David Shields '78

Wednesday, March 17, 2010

6:30 - 8:00 pm

Salomon 001, Main Green

David Shields '78 is the author of nine books, including *The Thing About Life Is That One Day You'll Be Dead*, which was a *New York Times* bestseller. His previous books include *Black Planet: Facing Race During an NBA Season*, a finalist for the National Book Critics Circle Award; *Remote: Reflections on Life in the Shadow of Celebrity*, winner of the PEN/Revson Award; and *Dead Languages: A Novel*, winner of the PEN Syndicated Fiction Award. Shields' essays and stories have appeared in the *New York Times Magazine*, *Harper's*, *Yale Review*, *Village Voice*, *Salon*, *Slate*, *McSweeney's*, and *Utne Reader*. He has written reviews for the *New York Times Book Review*, *Los Angeles Times Book Review*, *Boston Globe*, and *Philadelphia Inquirer*.

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