You’re invited to
Poetry with Vision
(Not your grandma’s poetry event)
presenting
Andy Karol
and
Emily Calvo
Two Poets
Two Generations
Two Perspectives
Magical Crossover

Wednesday, March 16, 7 pm
at Damen Student Center
6511 N. Sheridan Road in Chicago

Poetry with Vision is a dynamic multimedia event featuring poems performed by Andy Karol and by Emily Calvo. Their poetry dives deep into themes of mental health, parenting, sexuality, illness, gender, love, and loss with contemplation, humor and passion.

Andy Karol, (andykarol.com) a Chicago performance poet, represented her hometown at the 2015 National Poetry Slam in Oakland, California. In 2014, Karol debuted her chapbook, Fail-Safe. She was also selected as a semi-finalist in the Gwendolyn Brooks Open Mic Awards and featured in podcasts, the Green Mill’s Uptown Poetry Slam, and numerous other venues. Karol also performed in a poetry-dance piece at the Joffrey Tower.

After 20 years in Chicago’s vibrant poetry community Emily Calvo’s (emilycalvo.com) first collection of poems, Lending Color to the Otherwise Absurd was produced with a grant provided by the City of Chicago after two bouts of cancer. Her work has also been featured in numerous libraries, on radio programs and in galleries. She is a co-founder Chicago Slam Works—and a Loyola alum.