

Larew's poems have recently found homes in *Poetry South*, *Contemporary American Voices*, *Best Poetry Online*, and *Amsterdam Quarterly*. Nominated for four national Pushcarts awards, his poems have placed first in competitions from Louisiana Literature, the Washington review, Baltimore Artscape and others. His most recent collection, *Undone*, was issued in 2019 by Foothills Publishing. And, his next full-length collection will be published by Atmosphere Press. He's a member of the Shakespeare Folger Library's poetry board and is the organizer of several poetry initiatives including Voices of Woodlawn – a program of poetry, music and artwork that imagines the lives of the enslaved community at a Plantation in Fairfax, VA.

His *Poetry X Hunger* initiative, as supported by the United Nations, the Capitol Area Food Bank, the Maryland State Arts Council, Split This Rock and others, is bringing poets from around the world to the anti-hunger cause. As a courtesy faculty member or Woodrow Wilson Visiting Fellow at Oregon State University, Montana State University, Baylor University, Pennsylvania State University and Hood College, Larew offers lectures on poetry, food security and related topics. He is retired from the U. S. Department of Agriculture where he guided international farming programs, and he lives in Churchton, Maryland.