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**“Curiosity”:  
A Talk with Science and Nature Writer  
Kimberley Todd**

Speaker: Kimberley Todd

Time: 6-7 PM, Thursday, September 22

Location: Hill Hall 202



## About the Speaker

Kimberley Todd writes about science and the natural world, focusing on the ways in which the stories we tell about animals and places have on-the-ground implications. Todd has explored the natural and cultural history of the house sparrow (*Sparrow*, 2012), the story of non-native species in the U.S. (*Tinkering with Eden, a Natural History of Exotics in America*, 2001), and the fascinating life story of a pioneering 17th century woman explorer/naturalist who studied insects in South America (*Chrysalis, Maria Sibylla Merian and the Secrets of Metamorphosis* (2007)). Todd has also published numerous articles in well-respected journals. She currently teaches literary nonfiction in the MFA program at the University of Minnesota, Minneapolis and is a senior fellow with the Environmental Leadership Program.