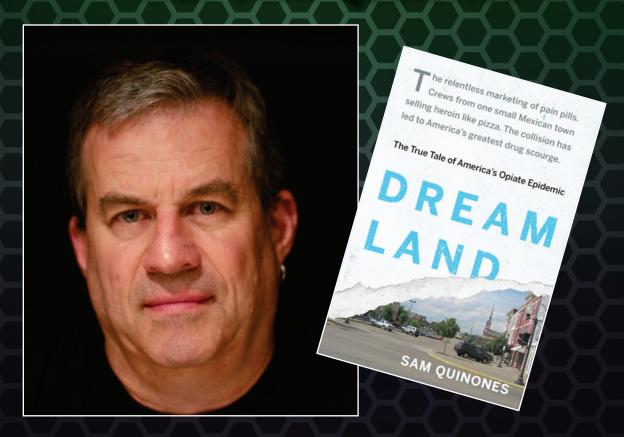


an Addiction Series Skype Presentation with Sam Quinones



Wednesday, April 27 11:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

TEC-128, Paramus Campus and C-503, Meadowlands Location

Sam Quinones is a Los Angeles-based freelance journalist and author of three books of narrative nonfiction. His latest book is *Dreamland: The True Tale of America's Opiate Epidemic* (Bloomsbury, 2015), for which he traveled across the United States.

Dreamland recounts twin stories of drug marketing in the 21st Century: A pharmaceutical corporation flogs its legal new opiate prescription painkiller as nonaddictive. Meanwhile, immigrants from a small town in Nayarit, Mexico devise a method for retailing black-tar heroin like pizza in the US, and take that system nationwide, riding a wave of addiction to prescription pills from coast to coast.

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