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*“Richard Ellmann, James Joyce, and  
Literary Biography”:  
A talk by Zachary Leader*

Richard Ellmann's **James Joyce** has been called “the greatest literary biography of the twentieth century.” This talk, by the critic and biographer Zachary Leader, tells the story of the book and its maker, in the process arguing for the artistic claims not only of Ellmann himself, a remarkable man, but of biography in general.

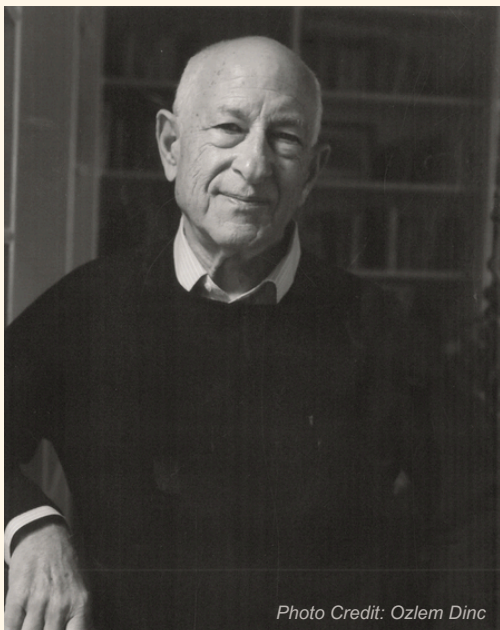


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**ELLMANN'S  
JOYCE**

THE BIOGRAPHY  
OF A MASTERPIECE  
AND ITS MAKER

**ZACHARY LEADER**

**Richard Ellmann** (1918-1987) was the first Robert W. Woodruff Professor at Emory from 1980 to 1987. The biographer of James Joyce, W.B. Yeats, and Oscar Wilde, Ellmann's writing set the highest standards of critical inquiry and humanistic scholarship. Emory's Richard Ellmann Lectures in Modern Literature, were established in his honor by Emeritus Professor, Ron Schuchard in 1988.

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**TUE, APRIL 15TH**  
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