



APPEARANCES SUMMER TO FALL OF 2006

Action, adventure, satire, and the human condition!

These are just some of the things artists and writers have explored for generations through the world of comics. Comic art is one of the most popular story-telling mediums around the globe -- from comic strips to Manga, from humorous teen anks to social commentary. From kids to adults, comics speak to us all!

Now professional freelance novelist, playwright, and comics author Alex Simmons introduces students to the exciting process of creating comics -- from idea, to script, to full color art. Through his mini workshops, students will develop characters designs & profiles, as well as plot, pencil, ink, and color their own comic strip creation. *Where?*

In His New York Public Library Tour

Alex Simmons' Art of Making Comics Workshop

Grand Concourse Library (*Bronx*)

Tuesdays, August 1, 8, 15 at 3 PM

Tremont Branch Library (*Bronx*)

Thursday, August 3, 10, 17 at 3 PM

Throg's Neck Branch Library (*Bronx*)

August 21 – 23 (Mon – Wed.) at 3:30 PM

Bloomingdale Branch Library (*Manhattan*)

Wednesday, September 13, 20, 27 at 3:30 PM

In Simmons' *Nuts & Bolts of a Career in Comics Workshops*, students will not only learn the basics of creating comics, but also the practical business side of the industry. *Where?*

The Donnell Public Library (*Manhattan*)

Wednesdays, October 11, 18, 25, & November 1, 8, and 15 at 4 PM