

Center on Disability Studies Hits the Airwaves!

In 2007, the Center on Disability Studies, as part of its community outreach initiative launched a monthly community television program called *Disability Perspectives*, which airs on OLELO, Channel 54.

The segment series combines documentary and magazine style formats with specific topic features in each one hour episode. Episodes include conversations on work and self employment, cultural and special education initiatives, human rights, disability culture, and other issues important to our communities. Also showcased will be videos produced by the CDS.

Air Times:

Every Friday in May
at 6 PM (HST) on Channel 54
Or watch live on the web at
www.olelo.org (click on Views 54)

Disability Perspectives welcomes ideas for content. If you have a video you would like to present or an issue you want discussed, please email cccrocke@hawaii.edu.

Episode Ten (May):

Host Steve Brown talks with **Patricia Wood**, author of the acclaimed book *Lottery*, about what its like to be shortlisted for the prestigious Orange Prize, the inside scoop on the publishing world, how to make characters come alive and much more!

About Lottery: Perry's IQ is only 76, but he's not stupid. His grandmother taught him everything he needs to know to survive: She taught him to write things down so he won't forget them. She taught him to play the lottery every week. And, most important, she taught him whom to trust. When Gram dies, Perry is left orphaned and bereft at the age of thirty-one. Then his weekly Washington State Lottery ticket wins him 12 million dollars, and he finds he has more family than he knows what to do with. Peopled with characters both wicked and heroic who leap off the pages, *Lottery* is a deeply satisfying, gorgeously rendered novel about trust, loyalty, and what distinguishes us as capable.

Don't miss this
inspirational and
informative talk show!



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