

Gregory Pardlo



Gregory Pardlo was born in Philadelphia and grew up in Willingboro, New Jersey. He is the author of *Digest* (2014), winner of the Pulitzer Prize for Poetry. The Pulitzer judges cited Pardlo's "clear-voiced poems that bring readers the news from 21st Century America, rich with thought, ideas and histories public and private." Pardlo's poems, reviews, and translations have been widely published and are noted for "language simultaneously urban and highbrow ... snapshots of a life that is so specific it becomes universal." He is an associate editor for the literary journal *Callaloo* and teaches creative writing at Columbia University. He lives in Brooklyn.