## The MFA in Creative Writing Program at Virginia Tech Visiting Writers Series presents

## <u>new location!</u> <u>VBI 145</u> at 7 pm

Virginia Bioinformatics
Institute
Duck Pond Drive and
Washington St.

Also!
The Craft of Fiction
Discussion and Q & A
4 p.m.
Shanks 370/380



## John Dufresne Reading February 3rd, 7 p.m., VBI 145

John Dufresne has won the Yankee Magazine award for fiction, the Transatlantic Review/Henfield Foundation Award, and a PEN Syndicated Fiction award. His novel *Louisiana Power & Light* was a Barnes & Noble Discover Great New Writers selection and a New York Times Notable Book of the Year, 1994. He is also the author of two short story collections, *The Way That Water Enters Stone* and *Johnny Too Bad*, and the novels, *Love Warps the Mind a Little*, also a New York Times Notable Book of the Year, 1997, *Deep in the Shade of Paradise*, and most recently, *Requiem*, *Mass*. His books on writing, *The Lie That Tells a Truth* and *Is Life Like This?* are used in many university writing programs. He's a professor at Florida International University in Miami.