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**PATIENCE
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Telling Tales

Patience Agbabi is a poet and performer who has been featured on radio and TV worldwide. The author of four books, her latest, *Telling Tales*, published in 2014, is a vivid retelling of Chaucer's *The Canterbury Tales* for the 21st century. Her other poetry collections include *R.A.W.* (1995), *Transformatrix* (2000) and *Bloodshot Monochrome* (2008). She studied English Language and Literature at Oxford University, and is a former Poet Laureate of Canterbury. In 2004 she was nominated as one of the UK's Next Generation Poets. Patience was a recipient of The Cholmondeley Award and was short-listed for the Ted Hughes Prize for New Work in Poetry. She taught Creative Writing at several UK universities including Greenwich, Cardiff and Kent. She is currently a Fellow in Creative Writing at Oxford Brookes University.

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