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[CoKoCon](#) is your general science fiction/fantasy convention in the Phoenix, AZ metro area with a focus on authors! Here's your update for Monday, April 19.

VIRTUAL COKOCÖN 2021 UPDATE

Over the past month or two, we've been attending, working and presenting at other virtual events to see how they've been run. Every one of them has been an excellent learning opportunity, so we've learned a lot about what works and what doesn't.

Some of our application forms have remained online ever since we announced that we'd be going from a physical con to a virtual one. We've updated some, like our Volunteers form, to ask about virtual experience. We'll be adding others back soon, now that we have an idea of how things like Dealers' Room and Art Show will work in a virtual environment.

In other words, watch this space!

CONVERSATIONS IN CONSUITE ON DISCORD AGAIN THIS SUNDAY

With our eyes firmly on our virtual CoKoCon 2021, we're liking a lot of what we can do in Discord, so we'll be hosting Conversations in ConSuite there again on Sunday.

As always, everyone is welcome to join us at any point between 2.00pm and 6.00pm for good company and good conversation, but you'll need to visit the CoKoCon server in Discord to do so.

Sunday, April 25, from **2pm to 6pm**, Arizona time (MST not MDT).

Most people access Discord by [downloading the Discord client](#) and installing it. There are versions for Windows, Mac, Linux, Android and iOS, so you ought to be covered, whatever device you're using.

If you've been to the CoKoCon Discord server before, just click on our C to go back there.

If you haven't, then run Discord and [click on this invite link](#) to get there.

If you don't want to download the client, just [click on the same invite link](#) to visit us in your browser with reduced functionality.

We'll be in the Con Suite Video room. See you there!

THE NAMELESS ZINE AND CASFS BOOK SOCIAL

Don't forget that we're maintaining a calendar of all CoKoCon events, as well as others from our sponsoring bodies, CASFS and WesternSFA.

The WesternSFA's monthly e-zine, The Nameless Zine, published its April issue on Thursday, April 15, which included many more sf/f book reviews, plus new entries in the John Scalzi trivia contest, which closes on Saturday, May 1. You can find all of this at thenamelesszine.org.

CASFS's monthly book social is still to come for April, but it's tomorrow, so, if you've read *The Automatic Detective* by A. Lee Martinez, a hardboiled science fiction detective novel, join us on [Zoom](#) to talk about it. If you haven't, join us anyway and chat about life, the universe and everything.

Also, for anyone interested, the monthly CASFS meeting will be held on Zoom on Friday, April 30, from 8.00pm, with socialising from 7.00pm.

Our full calendar is on the CoKoCon website at cokocon.org/calendar.html.

GENERAL

CoKoCon is a general science fiction/fantasy convention jointly sponsored by CASFS and WesternSFA. Our 2021 event will be held over the four day Labor Day weekend (September 3-6, 2021) virtually. Memberships will be free and we'll roll

all current paid memberships to a future year. All details are on our website.

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