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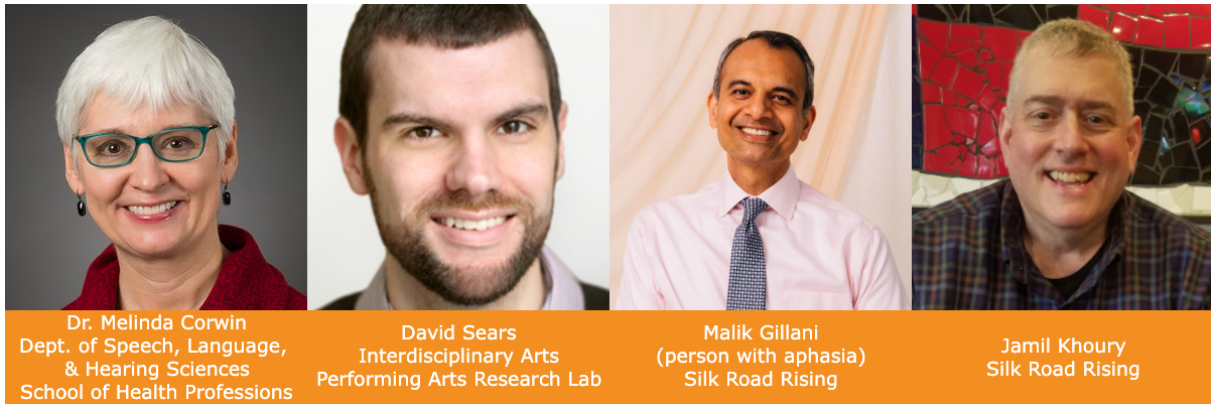
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# Dramatizing Aphasia

## Arts, Speech, and Healing

Monday, February 7 at 4pm CST  
Lubbock, Texas and Zoom



*Dramatizing Aphasia: Arts, Speech, and Healing* inaugurates a multi-year collaboration between artists, scientists, and speech pathologists. Malik and Jamil are traveling to Texas to kick off Silk Road Rising's partnership with Texas Tech University's Stroke and Aphasia Recovery (STAR) Program and

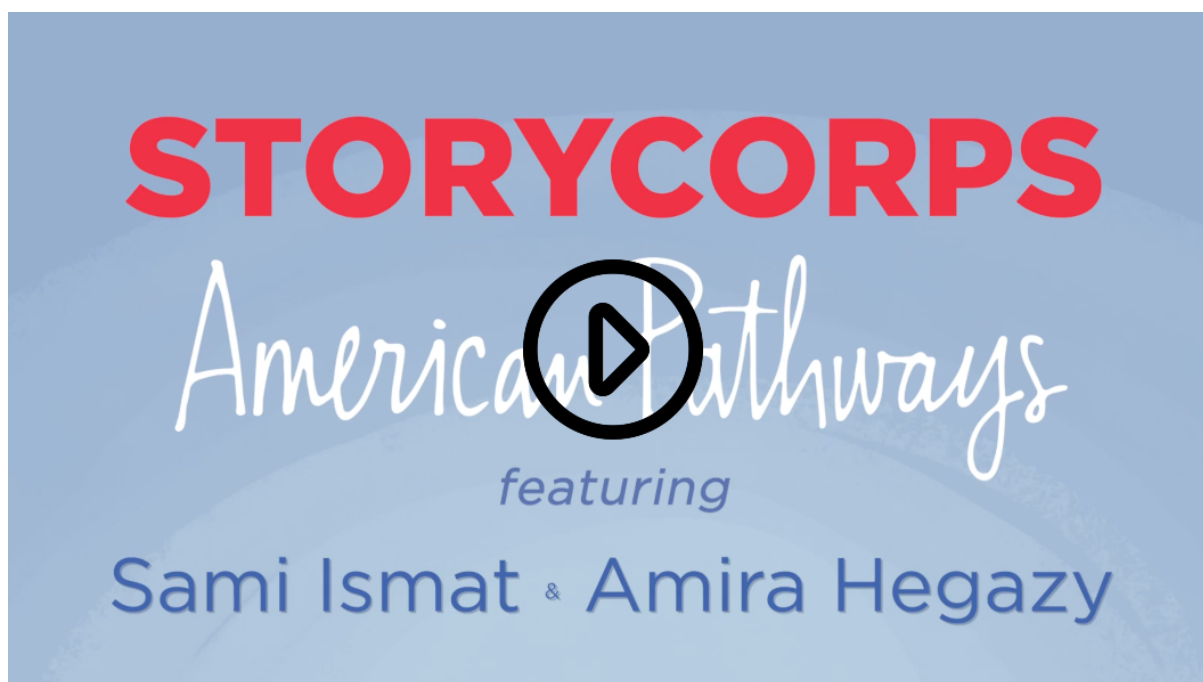
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for a special panel discussion about aphasia, neuro-recovery, and the arts.

Aphasia is a language disorder that is most often induced by stroke, aneurysm, or traumatic brain injury. While there is no known "cure" for aphasia, there is tremendous potential for recovery.

[Click Here at 4pm CST Monday to Join the Zoom Room](#)

## Culture, Food, and Diaspora



In this animated short (2min 33sec), Sami Hussain Ismat is interviewed by his partner, Amira Hegazy, about growing up in Damascus, Syria, the city's dynamic food culture, and how the Syrian diaspora is forging a new identity in the U.S.

Over the past two years, StoryCorps has traveled virtually and in-person across our nation to listen to, highlight, and connect with untold stories of Muslims, refugees, asylees, and Dreamers. Through their *American*

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more than 150 conversations in partnership with over 14 community organizations, including Silk Road Rising, in a quest to expand the American story.



StoryCorps' *American Pathways* initiative is made possible in part by the Doris Duke Foundation for Islamic Art's Building Bridges Program.

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