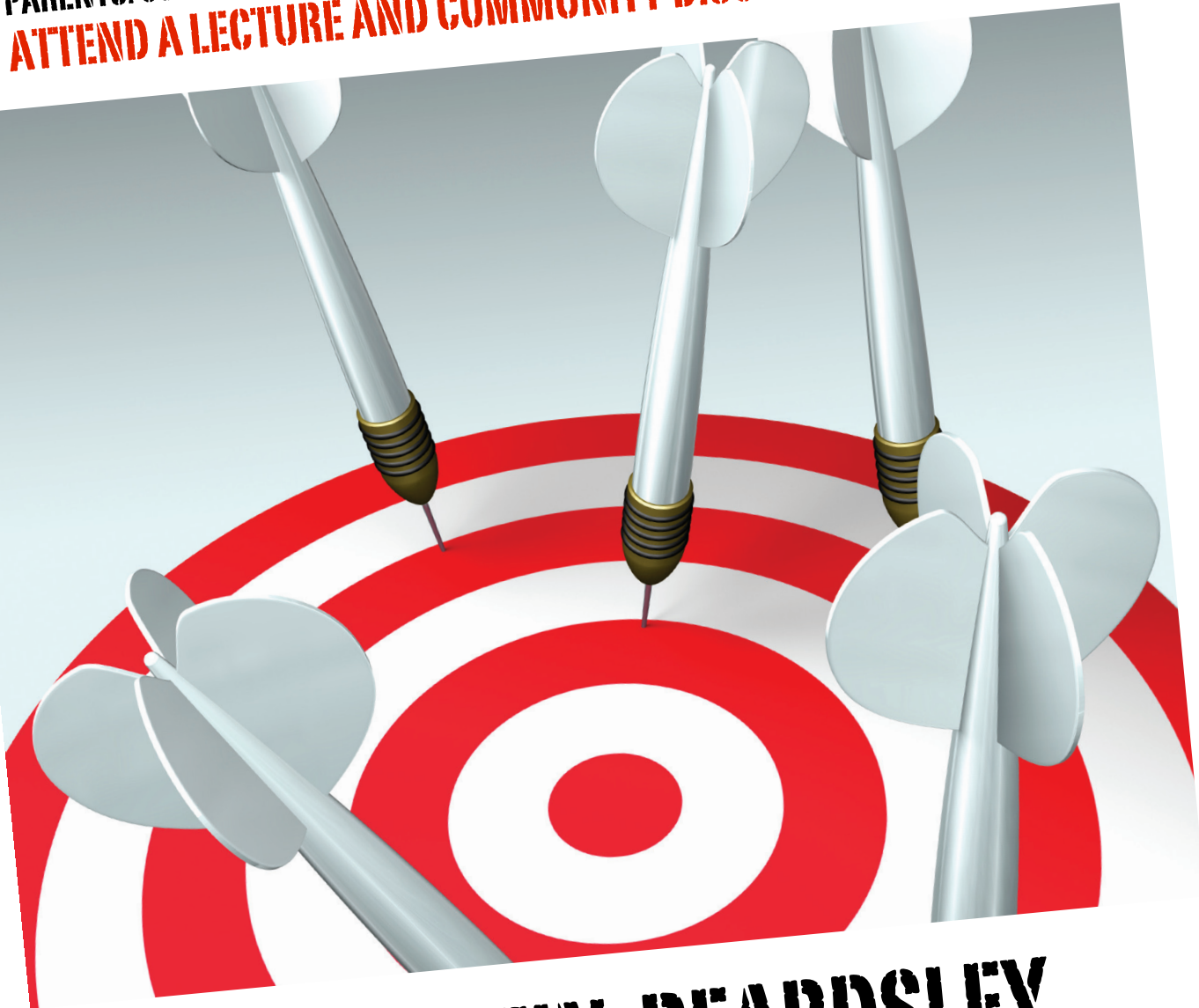


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**AUDREY AMREIN-BEARDSLEY**  
**CRITICAL PERSPECTIVES ON ASSESSMENT-BASED ACCOUNTABILITY**  
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The Borderlands Writing Project (BWP) is hosting a lecture by Audrey Amrein-Beardsley. The lecture will be followed by breakout sessions for community members concerned about over-testing.

Amrein-Beardsley has been named one of the top edu-scholars in the nation, honored as a university-based academic who is contributing most substantially to public debates about the nation's educational system. She is the author of "Rethinking Value-Added Models in Education". Diane Ravitch writes, "Amrein-Beardsley documents the insanity of test-based evaluation, or value-added modeling (VAM). This book could not have arrived at a more propitious moment."

Amrein-Beardsley is the creator of "VAMboozled" a blog about teacher evaluation, accountability, and value-added models.