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Born into this world two weeks overdue, Lara Grieco has continued this trend of chronic lateness throughout her collegiate career. Her four years at Gettysburg have left her addicted to traveling, caffeinated beverages, trash-talking during intramural games, thai food, saying the word really?, and good company.

## Enough

she was bipolar in a bottle  
who liked to count the hard grains of sand  
as they slipped through her fingers

he was intoxication  
who introduced himself as maurice,  
the space cowboy

they'd get tipsy on spontaneity  
and submerge themselves in sunsets  
sprawled out above them

they'd bottle the crayola colored scene  
like children catching summer fireflies  
in those old jam jars

but even all the breathing holes  
couldn't make the scene last till morning;  
she's bound to awaken in darkness

that's the thing about potential  
it never leaves you feeling full.

KAREN HENDERSHOT

## Stutter

look at my f-f-face  
do I look f-f-funny to you?  
could you t-tell by my mouth?  
mmmaybe it's the look in my eyes.

Look of fear.

fffear of people laughing at me,  
of teachers that repeat que-que-questions  
of s-s-sisters who f-finish my sentences for me,  
of waiters who t-t-tap their f-feet for me to finish my order.

Spit it out!

The s-s-stall worsens with nerves