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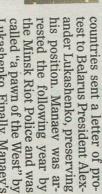
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Scholar to explore what makes Putin tick GOOD MORNING, EAST TENNESSEE

out a Face: The Unlikely Rise of Vladimir Pu-Sandwiched In discussion of "The Man withp.m. on Wednesday, Sept. 27, in the East Tentin" by Masha Gessen. The talk will be at 12 public to join Dr. Oleg Manaev for a Books nessee History Center auditorium, 601 S. Gay Street. Knox County Public Library invites the Manaev

Reading the book is optional. Attendees may bring lunch. Drinks are available to pur-

to resign,130 well-known scholars from 30 leadership of the Belarusian State University Eastern European politics. When in 2010 the on order from the KGB - pressured Manaev Manaev has an insider's perspective of



ending his 40-year tenure. contract with the university was canceled, Lukashenko. Finally, Manaev's

200 scholarly articles and 20 books on media, universities in the United States, Canada, Manaev serves as a Global Security Fellow at political process, and democracy. Currently, Brazil, Europe and Japan. He has authored Manaev has held visiting professorships at

clear Security. the University of Tennessee Institute for Nu-

sian history," Manaev said. and finally the last quarter-century of Rustown of St. Petersburg, his KGB experience, book flows on multiple tracks, tracing Putin's life back to boyhood, the story of his home-"I'm really impressed by how Gessen's

stand modern Russia." "Even though many interpretations re-main controversial, this book helps to under-

Books Sandwiched In will continue Oct. 18, when Brandon Hollingsworth, WUOT's "All "All These Worlds Are Yours: The Scientific Things Considered" host/producer, discusses Search for Alien Life" by Jon Willis.

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