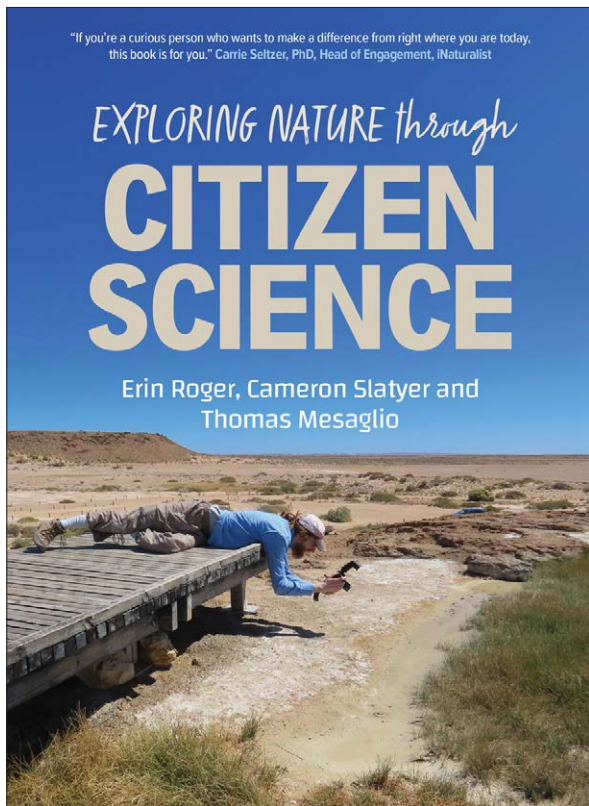


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**EXPLORING NATURE THROUGH  
CITIZEN SCIENCE**

ERIN ROGER, CAMERON SLAYTER, THOMAS MESAGLIO

- **A guide that assists readers in undertaking citizen science, providing guidance on what to take photographs of depending on the species being recorded and the environment it is in**
- **Outlines a brief history of citizen science and its benefits**
- **Features beautiful colour photographs of plants, animals and people**
- **Includes citizen science projects readers can participate in, as well as many fascinating case studies featuring citizen scientists and their discoveries**

Citizen science is involving the public in collecting and analysing scientific data and discovering new scientific knowledge. Approachable and inclusive, it is an excellent option for people looking for ways to get involved and make a difference, and there has never been a better time than now.

*Exploring Nature through Citizen Science* introduces citizen science and showcases its benefits, with a focus on Australia, including urban environments. The book explores the various types of projects available, explaining how the data is used to create real-world impact and offering practical guidance on what photographs to take and which data to record for different groups of organisms. Example projects from across Australia range from activities you can do in your home to active data collection in more remote areas, making it easier than ever for people to get involved in citizen science.

With its friendly, accessible approach and many photographs, this book serves as a must-have guide for anyone looking to understand how best to get involved in citizen science in Australia.



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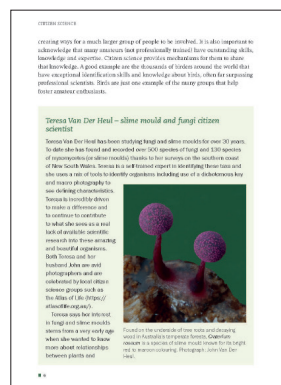
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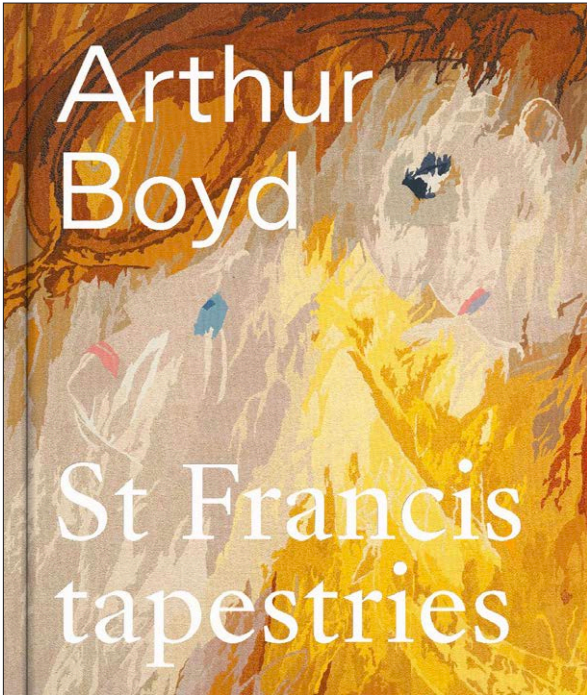
**About the authors:**

**Erin Roger** has a PhD in Ecology and qualifications in Strategic Communication. She has been working and publishing in the area of citizen science for over a decade and is an advocate for greater inclusion of the public in science.

**Cameron Slatyer** has worked in many government roles and has a long-term interest in species conservation, science research and the importance of improving our understanding of biodiversity in Australia using real data.

**Thomas Mesaglio** has a PhD in Biodiversity Informatics and is an avid naturalist with a particular passion for plants and seashells. He enjoys organising and participating in bioblitzes, and much of his current research focuses on integrating citizen science records with data from herbaria and museums.





**ARTHUR BOYD: ST FRANCIS TAPESTRIES**

ARTIST ARTHUR BOYD, CONTRIBUTIONS BY ELSPETH PITT, ADAM LINDSAY

- This is the definitive publication on Boyd's St Francis tapestries

**Scholarly and beautifully illustrated, including up-close details of the tapestries, this magnificent hardback is the perfect way to experience Arthur Boyd's miraculous tapestries.**

A renowned figure in Australian art, Arthur Boyd is particularly well known for his paintings. His tapestries, however, are hidden gems that have received relatively little attention. Boyd's series of 20 textiles known as the Life of St Francis (1972–74) are particularly awe-inspiring in their vision, scale and artistry. On the occasion of the National Gallery exhibition *Arthur Boyd: tapestries*, which exhibits the cycle all together for the very first time, this stunningly illustrated book unpicks this textile cycle's fascinating context, and weaves the story of their miraculous creation through Boyd's collaboration with the renowned tapestry workshop Manufactura de Tapeçarias de Portalegre in Portugal.

The book includes full reproductions of the tapestries and elucidates Boyd's idiosyncratic and humanist interpretation on the life of Saint Francis. The first essay by Elspeth Pitt, Senior Curator, Australian Art, dives poetically into Boyd's background and his use of biblical and literary sources as vehicles for artistic expression. It also suggests that Boyd entwined the life of his father, the artist William Merric Boyd, with that of Saint Francis, exploring them both as conflicted figures who resided at the peripheries of human society and experience.

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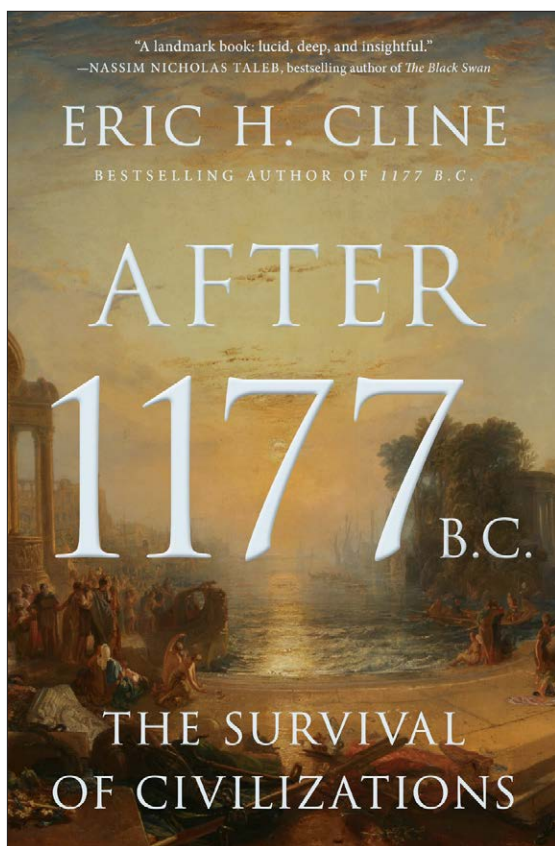


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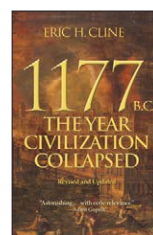
At the end of the acclaimed history *1177 B.C.*, many of the Late Bronze Age civilisations of the Aegean and Eastern Mediterranean lay in ruins, undone by invasion, revolt, natural disasters, famine, and the demise of international trade. An interconnected world that had boasted major empires and societies, relative peace, robust commerce, and monumental architecture was lost and the so-called First Dark Age had begun. Now, in *After 1177 B.C.*, Eric Cline tells the compelling story of what happened next, over four centuries, across the Aegean and Eastern Mediterranean world. It is a story of resilience, transformation, and success, as well as failures, in an age of chaos and reconfiguration.

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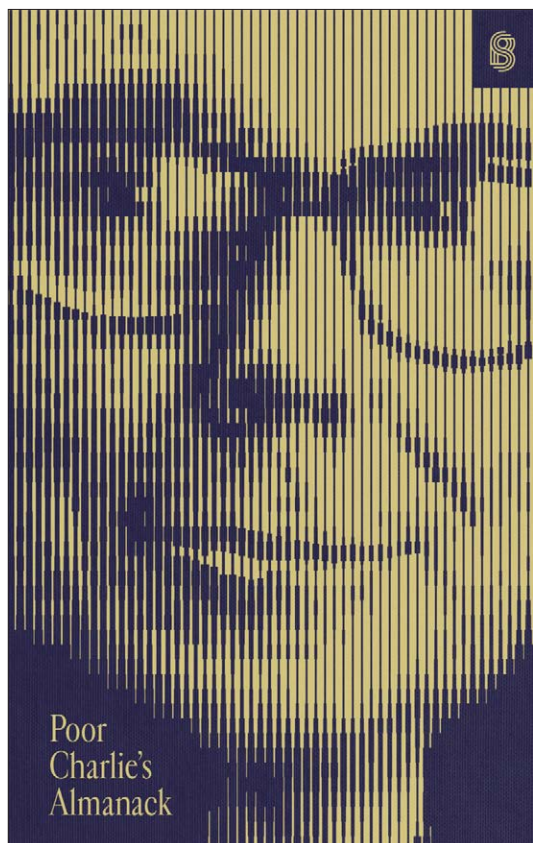
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**About the author:**

**Eric H. Cline** is professor of classics and anthropology at George Washington University. He is the author of *Three Stones Make a Wall: The Story of Archaeology*, *Digging Deeper: How Archaeology Works*, *1177 B.C.: The Year Civilization Collapsed* (with Glynnis Fawkes) *1177 B.C.: A Graphic History of the Year Civilization Collapsed* (all Princeton).

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**John Collison** is the cofounder and president of Stripe, which builds financial infrastructure for the internet.

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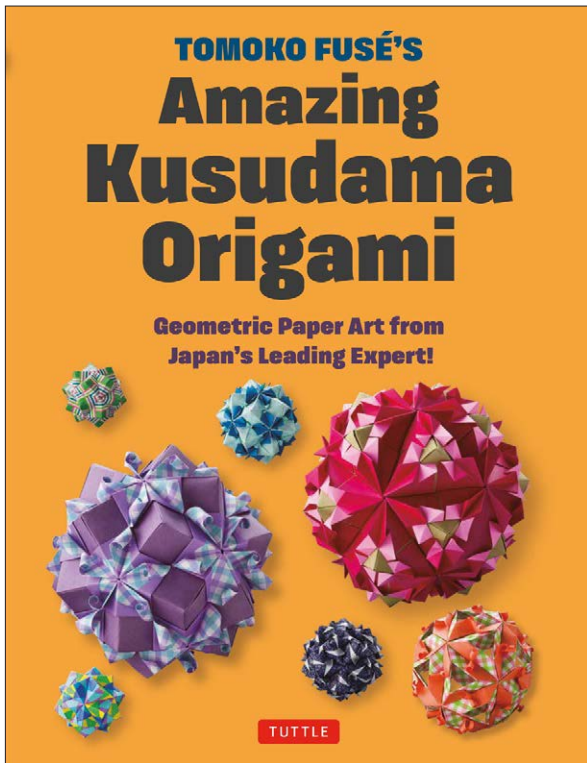
**Peter D. Kaufman** is the chairman and CEO of Glenair, Inc. He is a former director of Wesco Financial Corporation and Daily Journal Corporation. In 2005, he edited and published *Poor Charlie’s Almanack*, a compilation of talks given by his longtime friend Charlie Munger. He lives in California.

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**About the author:**

**Tomoko Fuse** is a leading origami artist, teacher and author. She discovered the art of paper folding as a young child and has since become known as ‘The Queen of Modular Origami’. Her work has been exhibited around the world in solo shows in Paris, Tokyo and Dessau, Germany. She has written over 65 books on origami paper folding art and was a featured artist in the PBS Nova special ‘The Origami Revolution’. Her life as an origami artist is portrayed in the new NHK World film *Unfolding a Life with Origami* (March 22, 2025).

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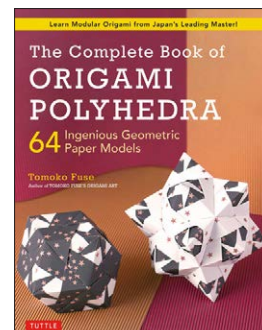
TOMOKO FUSE

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**TOMOKO FUSE’S ORIGAMI BOXES**

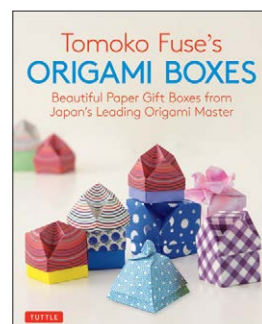
Beautiful Paper Gift Boxes from Japan’s Leading Origami Master (Origami Book with 30 Projects)

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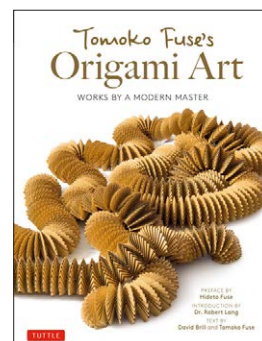
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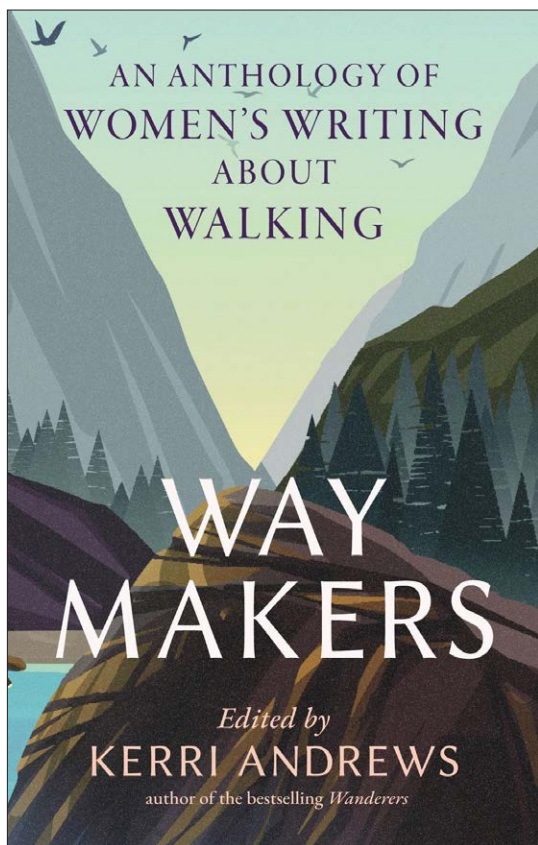
TOMOKO FUSE

- **Tomoko Fuse has been one of the world’s premier origami artists for more than 35 years**
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Tomoko Fuse, often referred to as ‘the queen of origami’, discovered the art of folding paper at just seven years old. She has come a long way since then, having had her work highlighted in exhibitions around the world, including Paris Origami (Carrousel du Louvre, 1998), *On Paper* (Crafts Council London, 2002) and her solo show Yorokobi (Bauhaus Dessau, 2004).

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**About the author:**

**Kerri Andrews** is a reader in women's literature and textual editing at Edge Hill University. She has published widely on women's writing, especially Romantic-era authors, writing for the *Guardian*, *Trail* magazine, and others, and is a keen hill-walker and member of Mountaineering Scotland. She lives in Peebles, Scotland.

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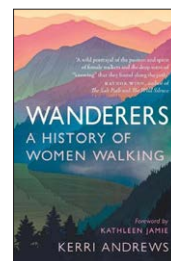
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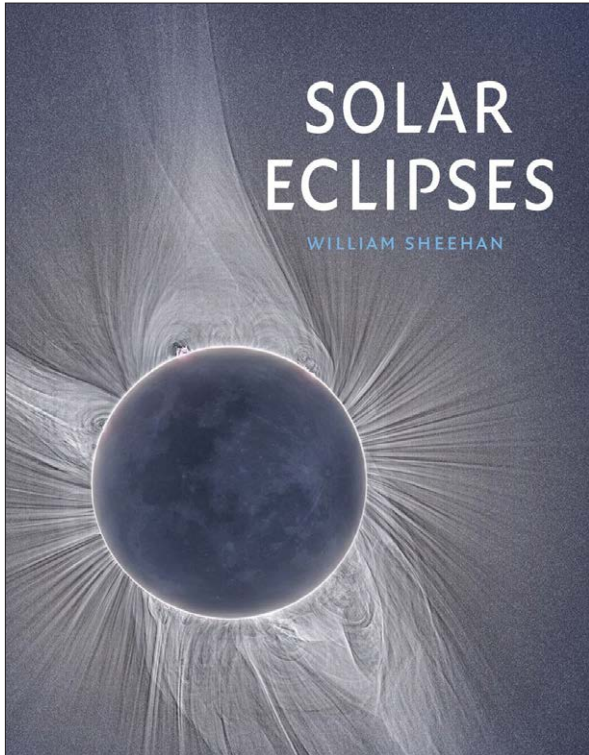
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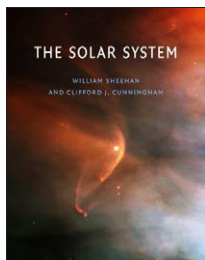
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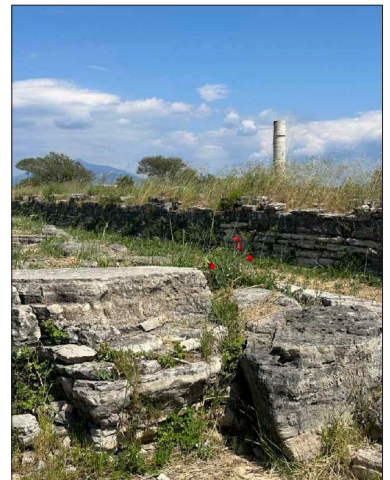
**William Sheehan** is a noted historian of astronomy and a writer. His books include *Mercury, Saturn, Venus* and *The Solar System* in Reaktion's *Kosmos* series. He lives in Arizona, and asteroid 16037 is named Sheehan in his honour.

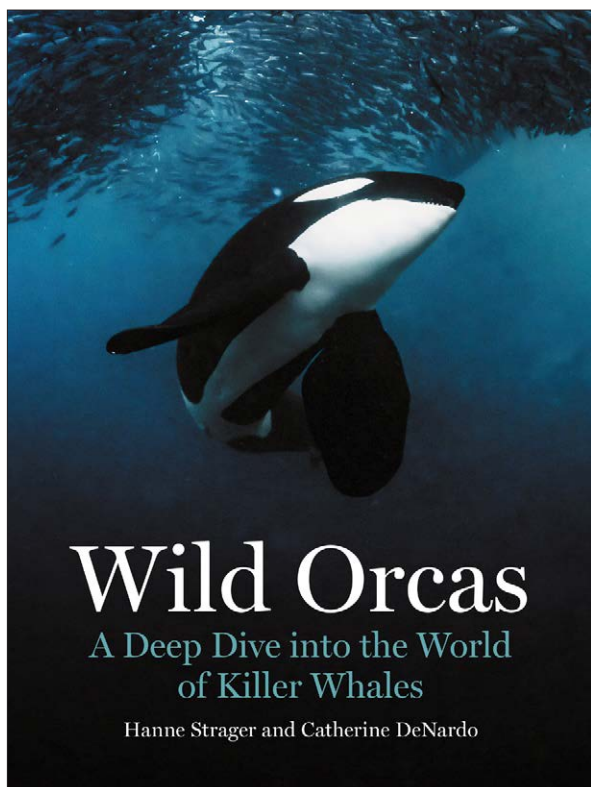
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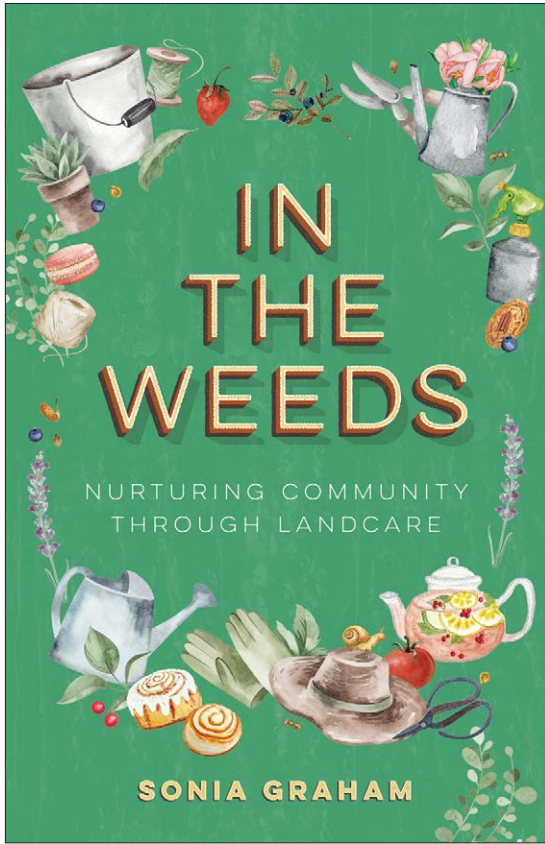
**About the authors:**

**Hanne Strager** is an award-winning science writer, whale biologist, and exhibition director whose books include *The Killer Whale Journals: Our Love and Fear of Orcas*.

**Catherine DeNardo** is a whale biologist, freelance editor, and award-winning writer whose work has appeared in leading publications such as *Outside*, *Nautilus*, and *Nowhere*.



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**IN THE WEEDS**

Nurturing Community through Landcare  
SONIA GRAHAM

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Weeds are everywhere. If you’ve ever been frustrated by weeds erupting into your garden, overgrowing your favourite reserve or popping up in your paddock, then this book is for you. Whether it’s privet or lantana, bitou bush or serrated tussock, Sonia Graham invites you to consider how we can rethink weeds from being pesky and pervasive to a problem that we can solve together.

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**About the author:**

**Sonia Graham** is an associate professor of rural geography at the University of Wollongong. Over the last two decades her research has explored the social values and relationships that shape environmental attitudes and collective action.

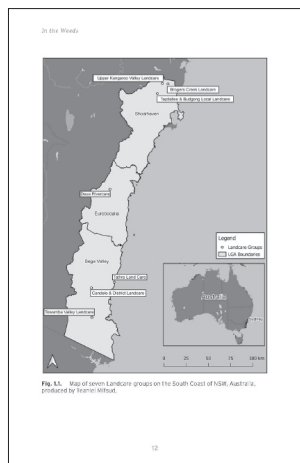


Fig. 3.1. Map of seven Landcare groups on the South Coast of NSW, Australia, produced by Terrie Milne.

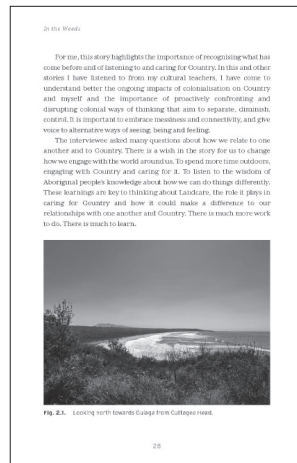
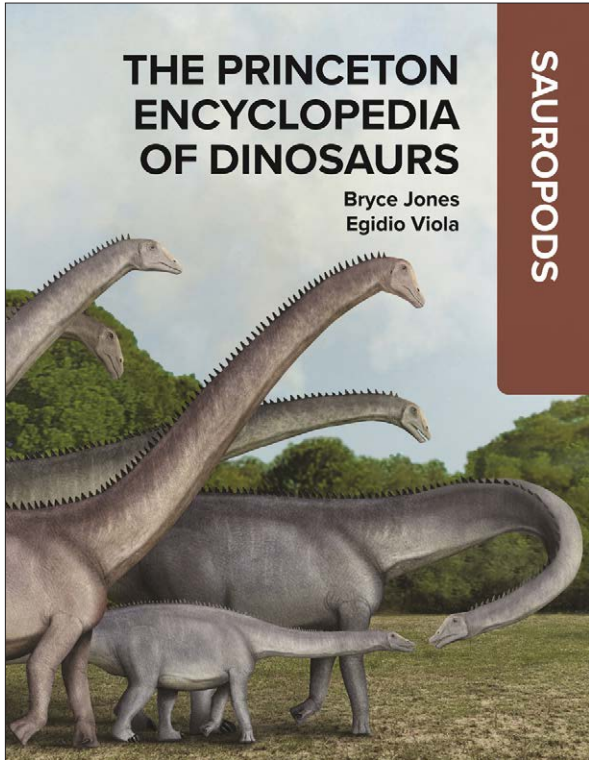


Fig. 3.2. Looking north towards Gungah from Gungah road.





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**About the author and illustrator:**

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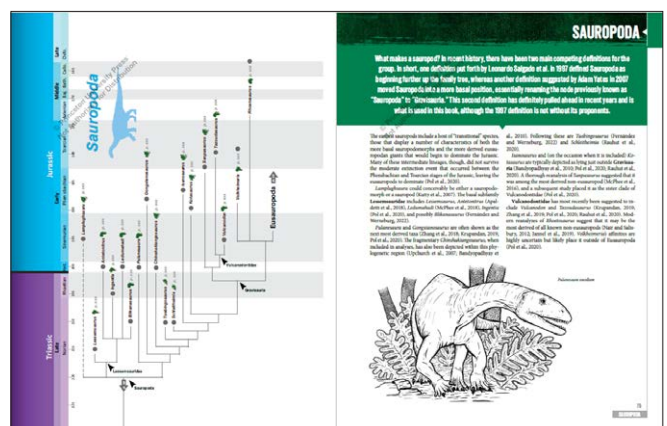
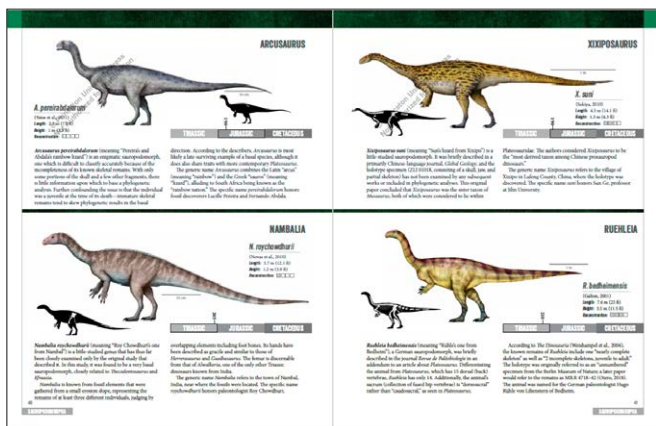
**Egidio Viola** is a graphic artist and chemistry researcher who specialises in digital illustrations of prehistoric creatures.

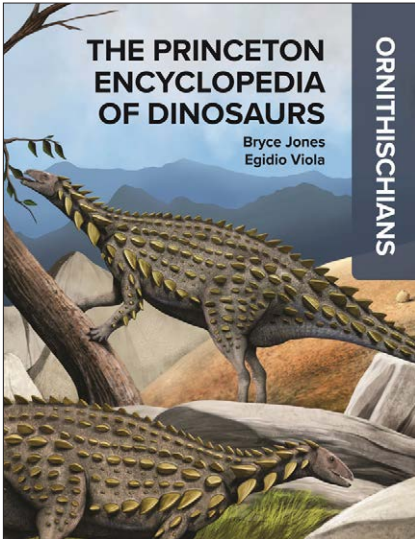
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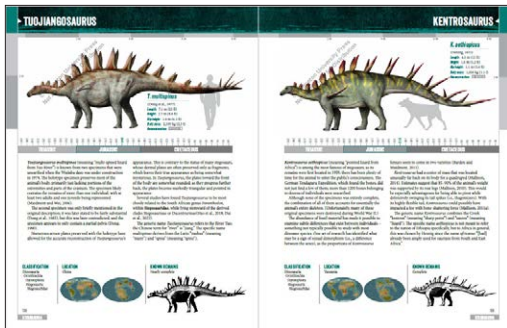




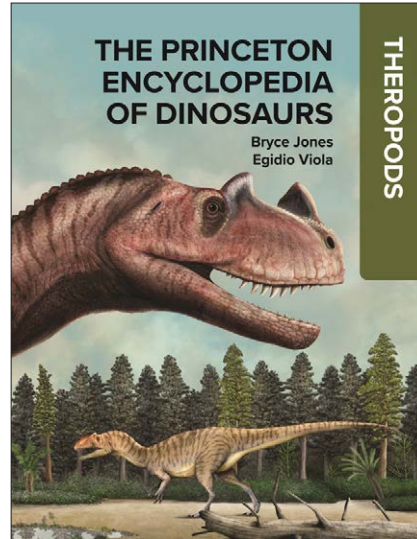
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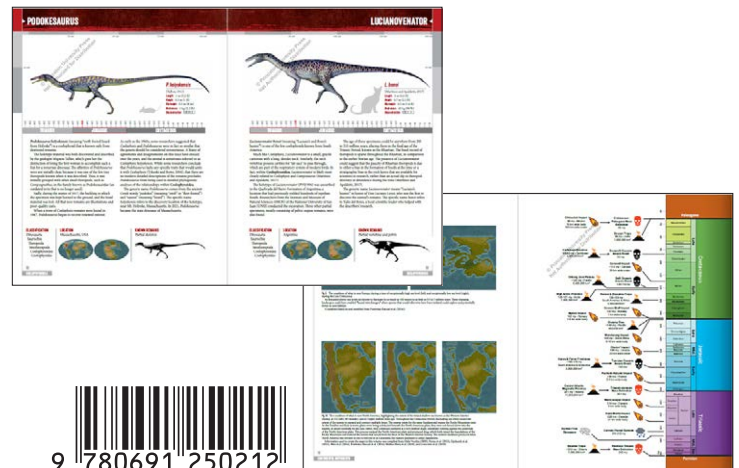
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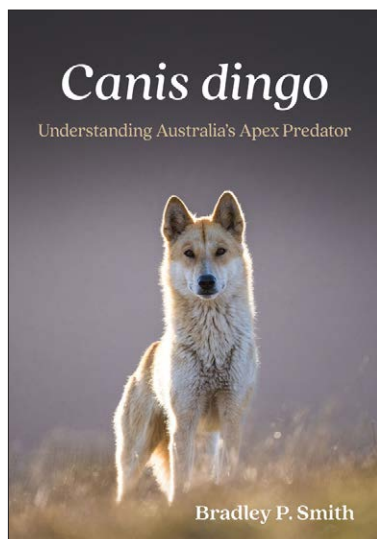
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**'Beautifully written and literally bursting with factual information. Of all of the publications on dingoes...this is a standout for readability.'** – Lyn Watson, Founder– Director of the Australian Dingo Foundation

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BRADLEY P. SMITH

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- **Integrates scientific research, ecological theory, Indigenous cultural perspectives and policy analysis to explore the dingo's identity, origins and role in Australian landscapes**
- **Investigates the complex politics behind dingo management, including hybridisation myths, legal definitions and the influence of industry and government agendas**

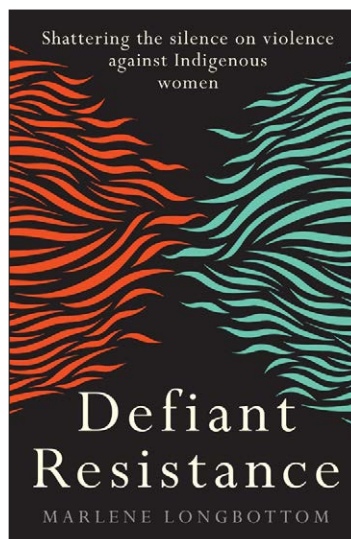
*Canis dingo* is a captivating exploration of one of Australia's most iconic and polarising species. Drawing on two decades of scientific research, historical records and firsthand fieldwork, Bradley P. Smith traces how a wild canid became entangled in myth, law and livestock conflict, revealing what is at stake in the way Australia treats its apex predator.

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### DEFIANT RESISTANCE

Shattering the silence on violence against Indigenous women  
MARLENE LONGBOTTOM

- **A searing truth-telling of violence against Indigenous women from survivors and families who have lost a loved one due to violence**
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- **Essential reading for anyone seeking to support women experiencing violence**

A tribute to the strength and agency of Indigenous women and families impacted by violence, *Defiant Resistance* is an act of Indigenous self-determination.

Through sharing women's stories in their own words, Marlene Longbottom enables them to take back their narrative and reclaim power. The title itself embodies a vital truth: the unwavering refusal by Indigenous women and their families to be silenced or ignored any longer.

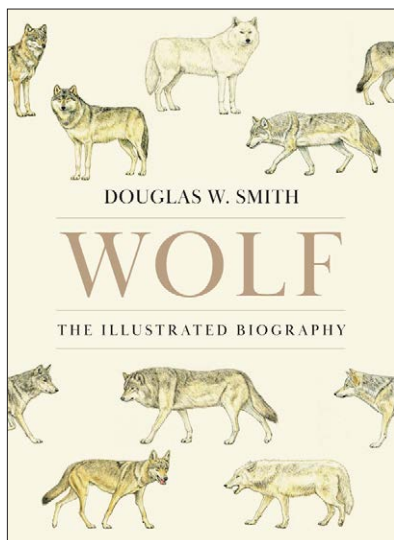
With deeply personal narratives from Indigenous women who have faced violence, and Indigenous families who have endured profound loss, this book shatters the silence around their stories. Marlene Longbottom amplifies these voices, demanding systemic change that is long overdue and highlighting community-led pathways toward a life beyond violence.



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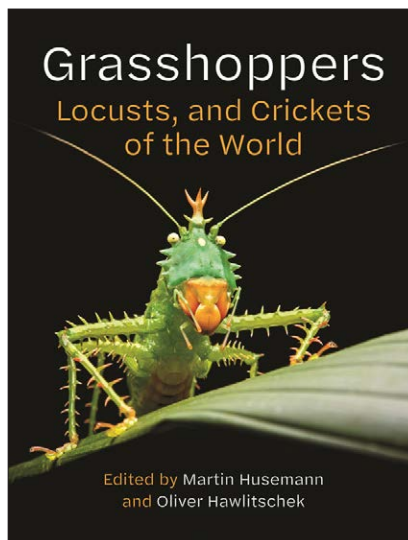
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Hunted to near extinction, wolves evoke a sense of our planet’s dwindling wildernesses. Rather than fear them, we should better understand the crucial role they play in ecosystems throughout the world.

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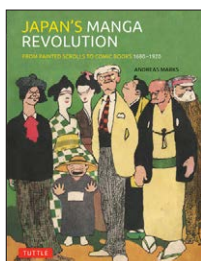
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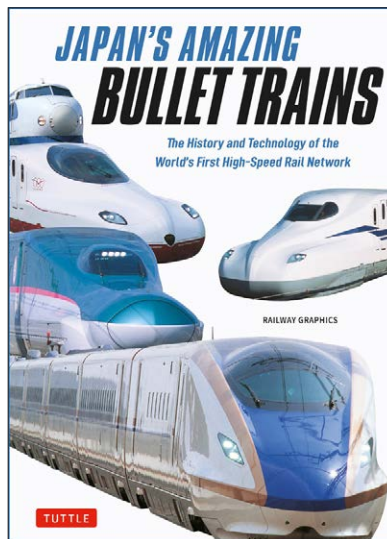
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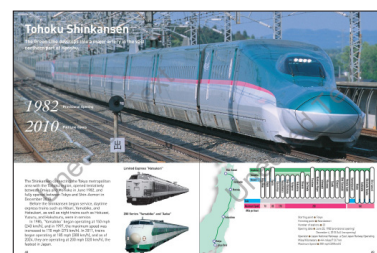


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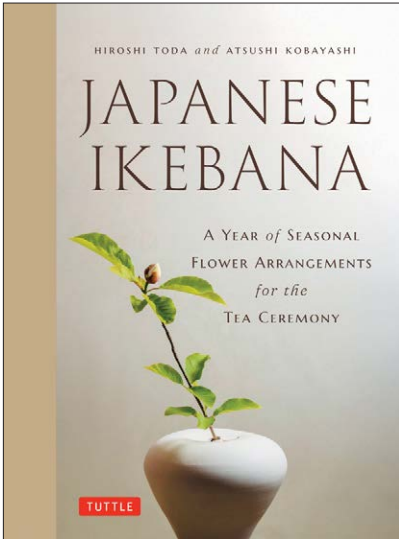
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A Year of Seasonal Arrangements for the Tea Ceremony  
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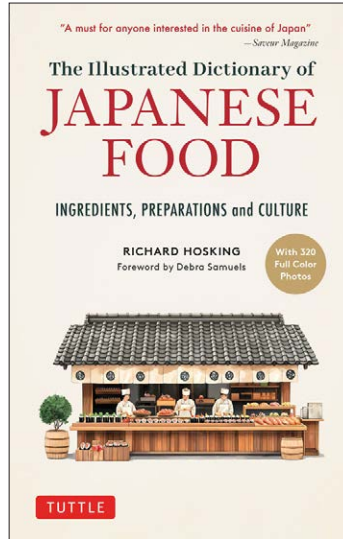
- Over 80 striking flower arrangements focusing on a different type of flower for each month of the year in conjunction with the traditional calendar of Japanese tea rituals
- Includes intimate stories and meditations on ikebana traditions, tools and utensils explained by two leading masters from Osaka
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**The true spirit of Japanese ikebana as revealed by two great masters.**

Step into a world of quiet beauty through the floral artistry of Japan. Written by the director of a renowned Osaka tea utensils shop and an ikebana master, this richly illustrated book celebrates the harmony between nature, art, and ritual.



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**THE ILLUSTRATED DICTIONARY OF JAPANESE FOOD**

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- Gives authoritative explanations and definitions for all Japanese food-related names and terms
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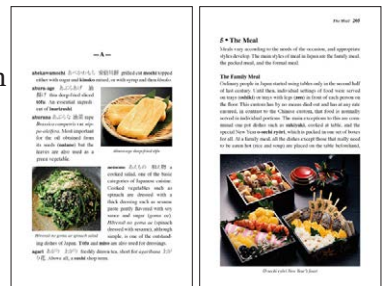
*The Illustrated Dictionary of Japanese Food* helps food lovers around the world understand all the intricacies and nuances of Japanese food ingredients and culture. Definitions of Japanese food terms found online and in standard dictionaries are misleading and often simply wrong. Richard Hosking eliminates this problem by giving each term a concise English definition with rich cultural and historical notes.

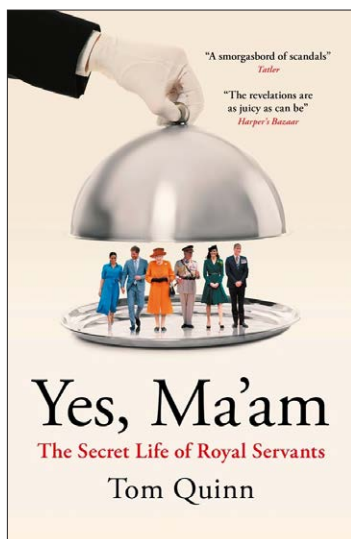
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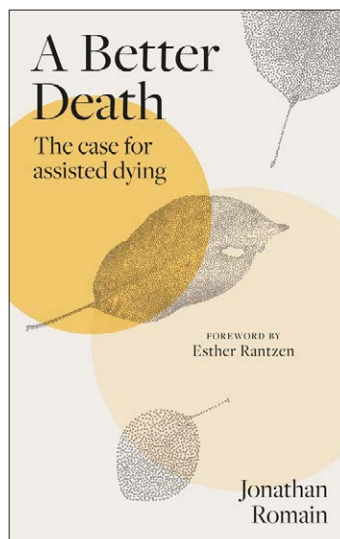
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In this lively and colourful history, now updated in paperback, royal expert Tom Quinn goes behind palace doors to give a compelling glimpse of Britain's royals, ancient and modern.

- **Essential reading on assisted dying, blending ethical debate with practical guidance**

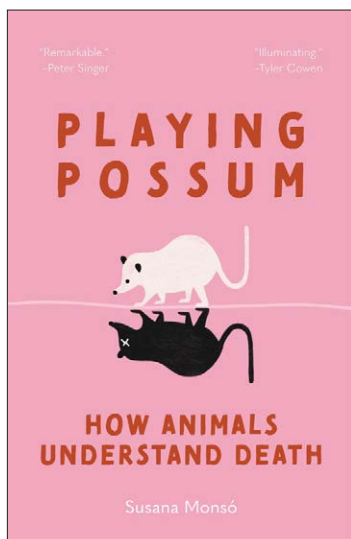
Assisted dying is one of Britain's most pressing and divisive social issues. Should terminally ill people in pain be allowed to choose death on their own terms? This timely and accessible book lays out the moral, legal and practical dimensions of the debate. It draws on real-life experiences, explores opposing viewpoints with sensitivity and examines the wider social and ethical implications. Designed for readers of all beliefs and backgrounds, it presents the facts with clarity and compassion. A pioneering section also offers the first guide to meaningful ceremonies at the time of an assisted death, helping families honour life and ease grief. Whether you support, oppose or are unsure about assisted dying, this essential book provides insight and guidance on a deeply personal issue.



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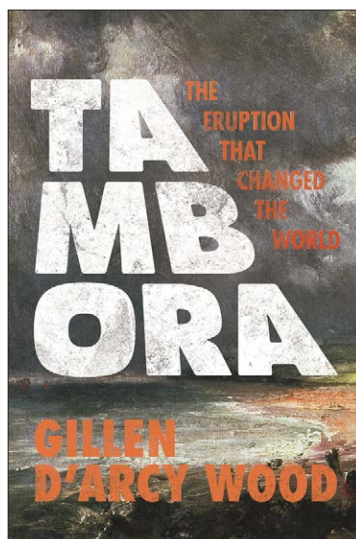
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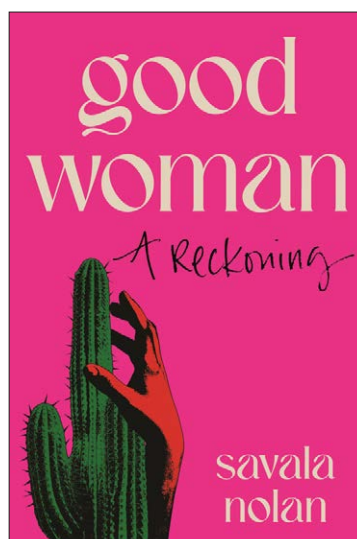
**Ancient Greece was rich with stories of queer love and genderfluid identity – but what can these ancient stories tell us about our contemporary world?**

Tales as old as antiquity – whether the love affair of Achilles and Patroclus, the genderfluid Tiresias, or the infamous Heracles – are still capturing our imaginations thousands of years later. But was antiquity’s relationship with queer folk more complicated than we now imagine? Historian Jean Menzies dives into the world of queer readings and retellings of Greek mythology, inviting readers to discover the power to be found in remaking these narratives, time and again.



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### GOOD WOMAN

A Reckoning

SAVALA NOLAN

- **A raw and lyrical exploration of the confining expectations of womanhood and, if we dare, what lies beyond those limitations, from a writer Roxane Gay calls ‘vibrant and thoughtful’**

Across time and location, women were raised to be agreeable and ‘good’. Hyper-visible as sexual objects but invisible as full people. Living in a physical world created by men for men. Taking on the ultimate role of birth-giver and caretaker, yet seeing it remain an unsung act, even as it’s a God-like creation. Only in midlife did Nolan begin to realise she was capable of living outside these cages of conditioning so slyly insidious that they’re nearly invisible.

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**‘Poetic, fierce, tender, sexy, and scholarly’**  
– Tracy Clark-Flory

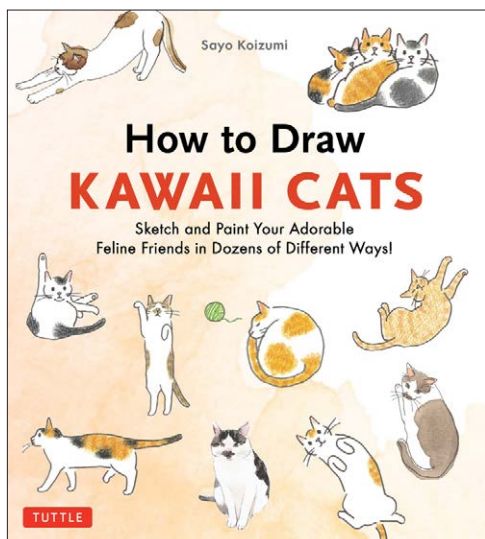


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**‘A stone cold, knock-out punch delivered with the caress of a silk glove.’ – Brittany Cooper**

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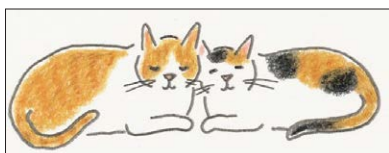
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Sketch and Paint Your Adorable Feline Friends in Dozens of Different Ways!  
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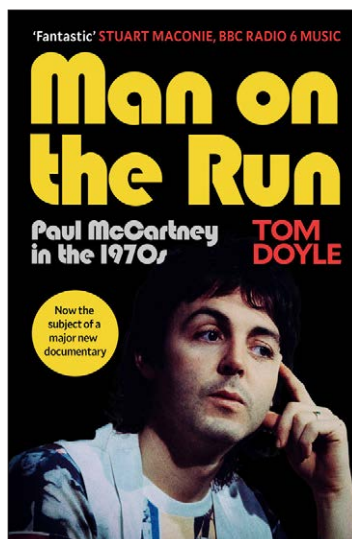
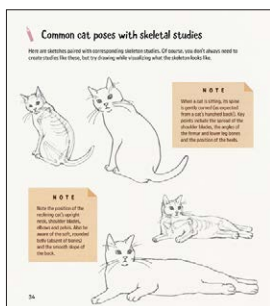
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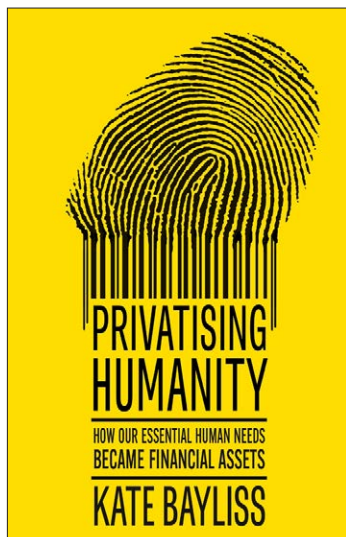
Paul McCartney in the 1970s  
TOM DOYLE

- **New edition!**
- An essential read for all music lovers, *Man on the Run* shines a light on the turbulent post-Beatles years of the world's most famous and influential living rock musician
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- No other writer in recent years has interviewed Paul McCartney as many times as Tom Doyle
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The most famous living rock musician on the planet, Paul McCartney is now regarded as a slightly cosy figure, an (inter)national treasure. Back in the 1970s, however, McCartney cut a very different figure. He was, literally, a man on the run. Desperately trying to escape the shadow of the Beatles, he became an outlaw hippy millionaire, hiding out on his Scottish farmhouse in Kintyre before travelling the world with makeshift bands and barefoot children. It was a time of numerous drug busts and brilliant, banned and occasionally baffling records. For McCartney, it was an edgy, liberating and sometimes frightening period of his life that has largely been forgotten.



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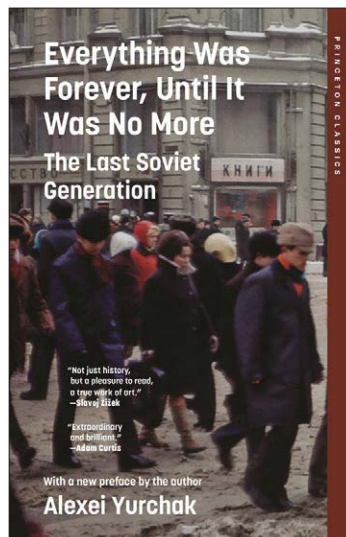
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## EVERYTHING WAS FOREVER, UNTIL IT WAS NO MORE

The Last Soviet Generation

ALEXEI YURCHAK

- **A fascinating exploration of 'hypernormalisation' in a political system that seemed powerful and eternal – even when it was on the verge of collapse**

Soviet socialism was based on paradoxes that were revealed by the peculiar experience of its collapse. To the people who lived in that system the collapse seemed both completely unexpected and completely unsurprising. At the moment of collapse it suddenly became obvious that Soviet life had always seemed simultaneously eternal and stagnating, vigorous and ailing, bleak and full of promise. Although these characteristics may appear mutually exclusive, in fact they were mutually constitutive. This book explores the paradoxes of Soviet life during the period of 'late socialism' (1960s-1980s) through the eyes of the last Soviet generation.

Focusing on the major transformation of the 1950s at the level of discourse, ideology, language, and ritual, Alexei Yurchak traces the emergence of multiple unanticipated meanings, communities, relations, ideals, and pursuits that this transformation subsequently enabled. His historical, anthropological, and linguistic analysis draws on rich ethnographic material from Late Socialism and the post-Soviet period.

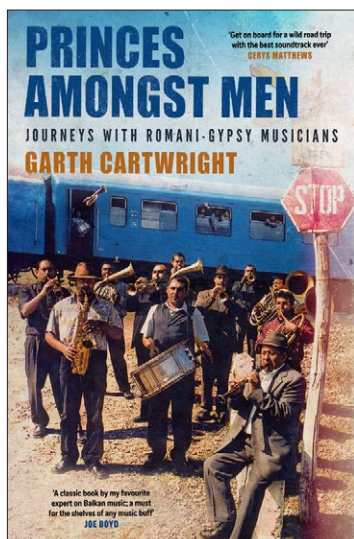


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## PRINCES AMONGST MEN

Journeys with Romani-Gypsy Musicians  
GARTH CARTWRIGHT

- **Updated and expanded new edition transforms the original 2005 text – including fresh interviews, the latest updates on music-making and society across the Balkans and a foreword by Michael Dregni**
- **Examines how Western European and US musicians and DJs have latched onto the popularity of Balkan Gypsy music**

Wide-ranging, irreverent and humorous, packed with fascinating – and sometimes tragic – details on lands and people who are rarely heard from.

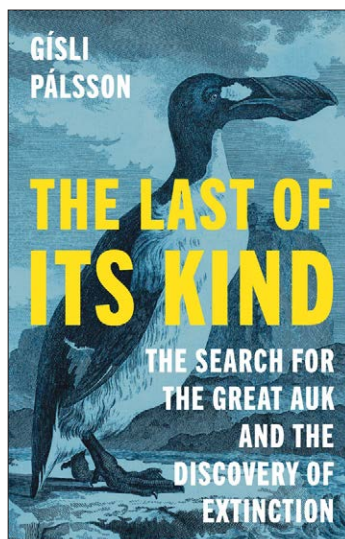
*Princes Amongst Men* is the only book to provide an overview of Gypsy music across the Balkans, documenting remarkable artistry in former Yugoslavia, Romania and Bulgaria. It is also the only travelogue available through terrain many consider to be Europe's 'Badlands', covering ghettos and villages, railways and motorways, weddings and funerals, festivals and dive bars.

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## THE LAST OF ITS KIND

The Search for the Great Auk and the  
Discovery of Extinction  
GÍSLI PÁLSSON

- **Now in paperback!**
- **How an iconic bird's final days exposed the reality of human-caused extinction**

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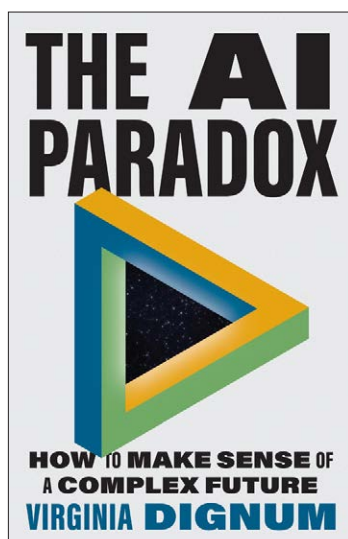
The great auk is one of the most tragic and documented examples of extinction. A flightless bird that bred primarily on the remote islands of the North Atlantic, the last of its kind were killed in Iceland in 1844. Gísli Pálsson draws on firsthand accounts from the Icelanders who hunted the last great auks to bring to life a bygone age of Victorian scientific exploration while offering vital insights into the extinction of species.

Pálsson vividly recounts how British ornithologists John Wolley and Alfred Newton set out for Iceland to collect specimens only to discover that the great auks were already gone. At the time, the Victorian world viewed extinction as an impossibility or trivialised it as a natural phenomenon. Pálsson chronicles how Wolley and Newton documented the fate of the last birds through interviews with the men who killed them, and how the naturalists' Icelandic journey opened their eyes to the disappearance of species as a subject of scientific concern – and as something that could be caused by humans.



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**THE AI PARADOX**

How to Make Sense of a Complex Future  
VIRGINIA DIGNUM

- **A user’s guide to navigating the intricate, often contradictory relationship between artificial intelligence and human intelligence**

Artificial intelligence will shape our future in unforeseen ways, and it is easy to fall into the trap of thinking that it could someday dictate the terms of our very existence. But the fact is, the more that AI can do, the more it underscores the irreplaceable qualities of human creativity, empathy, and moral reasoning. This is one of the eight paradoxes of AI that Virginia Dignum explores in this revelatory book. Drawing on her decades of experience in AI research and governance, Dignum cuts through the hype and sensationalism that often surround AI and reveals why the most profound questions it raises are not about technology but ourselves.

*The AI Paradox* is a guide to seeing complexity with clarity, questioning the seemingly inevitable, and using AI in ways that prioritise our collective values. Each paradox explored in this book illuminates a particular dimension of these emerging technologies while prompting us to reevaluate our most common preconceptions about them. Can they truly replicate human decision making or do they simply magnify our blind spots and biases? Is AI the ultimate problem-solving tool or does it introduce more problems? Is justice for all achievable when it comes to AI? Who does AI serve, big tech or the common good? How do we even define AI?



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**YOU WANT WHAT WE’VE GOT**

Big Tech v. Big Journalism  
JASON WHITTAKER

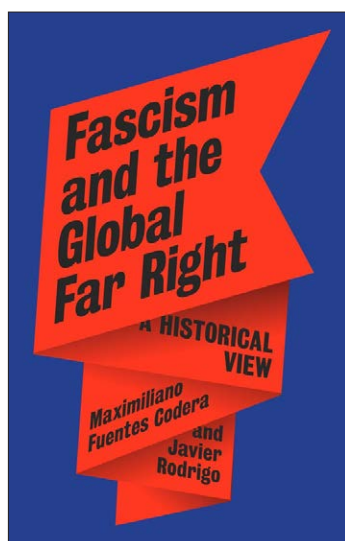
- **A sharp history of journalism’s digital unravelling in the age of algorithms**

In the past three decades, the battle between big tech and big journalism has reshaped how we consume the news. Jason Whittaker delves into how tech giants outmanoeuvred traditional media companies, siphoning off advertising revenue and audience attention. As journalism struggled to adapt, social media platforms evolved from utopian public spaces into breeding grounds for misinformation and fake news, eroding public trust.

The influence of billionaires further complicated the digital ecosystem, swaying public opinion and exercising direct political power, of which previous media moguls could only dream. More recently, AI has begun to revolutionise content creation, distribution, and consumption. Overall, this thirty-year period has witnessed a tangled mix of progress, contention, and disinformation. Incorporating stories about *The Washington Post*, *The New York Times*, *The Atlantic*, *The Los Angeles Times*, *Bloomberg*, and many other media outlets from around the world, and discussing key figures and companies in big tech and AI like Facebook/Meta, Cambridge Analytica, Google, Microsoft, Twitter/X and Elon Musk, Edward Snowden, Jakob Uszkoreit, OpenAI, ChatGPT, DeepSeek, and more, Whittaker provides an incisive examination of the frequently combative relations of these two industries and the uncertain future of the news in the digital age.



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## FASCISM AND THE GLOBAL FAR RIGHT

A Historical View

MAXIMILIANO FUENTES CODERA, JAVIER RODRIGO

- **The global challenge to democracy in historical perspective**

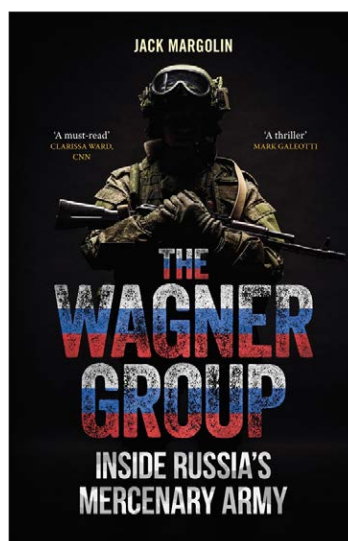
Fascism was a distinct movement in European history that left deep scars across the continent, but the term ‘fascist’ is now more broadly applied to those on the political right, especially the new populists who have seized power across much of the globe in recent years. Although most far-right populists vocally disavow historic fascism, many critics see worrying parallels with the earlier movement. Could we be witnessing a return to the fascist politics of Mussolini, Franco and Hitler?

Maximiliano Fuentes Codera and Javier Rodrigo have written both an assessment of the current crisis of democracy and a brief history of fascism and far-right populism around the world. By illuminating the historical record, this book will help readers better understand the distinctive, twenty-first-century challenges faced by our democracies.



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In documenting the Wagner Group's story up to the dramatic demise of its chief director, Evgeniy Prigozhin, Margolin demonstrates that Wagner was not an aberration, but a manifestation of the new geopolitical order of global capital, global crime, and of the entrepreneurs that thrive in it.

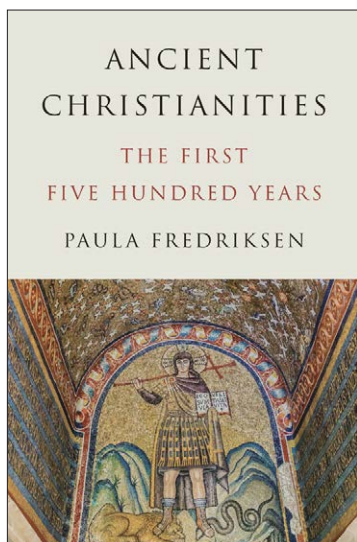


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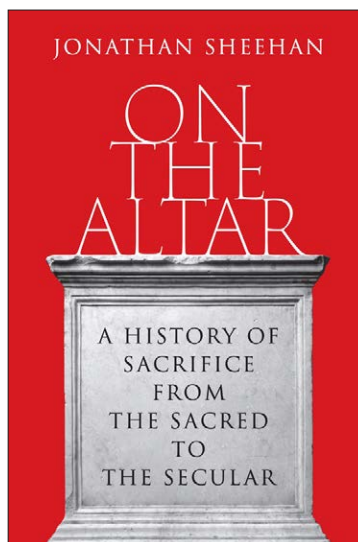
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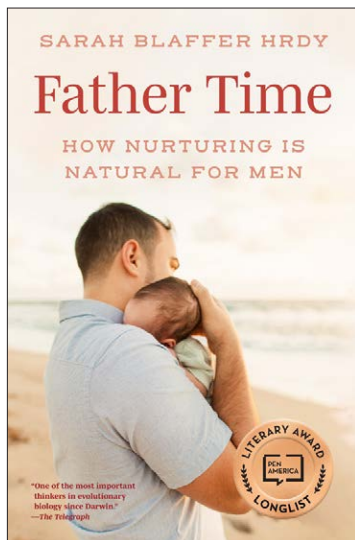
From the beginning, sacrifice lived a double life in Christianity, both abandoned and essential. Christ's death on the cross was the sacrifice to end all sacrifice, eclipsing the temple sacrifices of Judaism and paganism. And yet at the centre of the lived faith was the repetition of sacrifice: the offering of Christ's body, the sacrifices of ancient patriarchs, and the sacrifices of martyrs woven through liturgy, theology, and popular devotion.

But this double life collapsed in the Reformation. Quarrelling heirs to Christian truth discovered that the sacrifices they once called Christian might be nothing of the sort. To build their new faiths – to discover the truth of Christian sacrifice – they turned to the past, learning from Christianity as it was how Christianity ought to be.

In *On the Altar*, Jonathan Sheehan offers a new account of sacrifice both sacred and secular. His story is in part a history of the Christian imagination across the centuries of the Reformation, when new martyrs and holy warriors fought for the truth of their sacrifices, when the empire of New World sacrifice was recruited to settle Christian conflicts, and when the sacrifices of the ancient Hebrews were weaponised for orthodoxy.



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**FATHER TIME**

How Nurturing Is Natural for Men  
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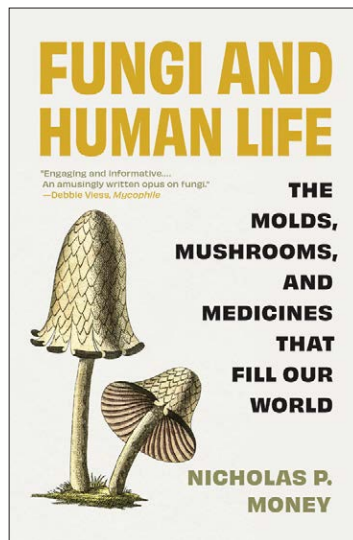
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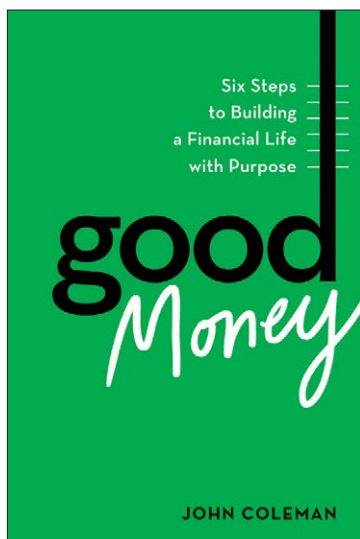
From beneficial yeasts that aid digestion to toxic moulds that cause disease, we are constantly navigating a world filled with fungi. *Fungi and Human Life* explores the amazing ways fungi interact with our bodies, showing how our health and well-being depend on an immense ecosystem of yeasts and molds inside and all around us.

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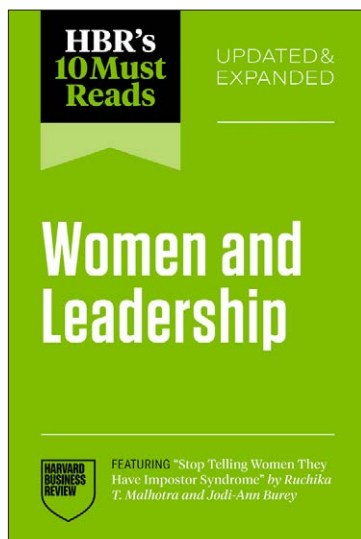
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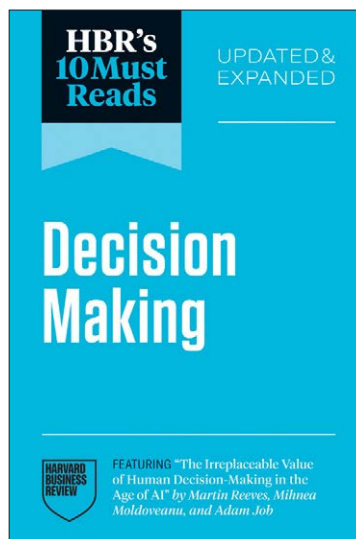
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**256 sheets of colourful origami paper in a convenient tear-out pad!**

This origami paper pack from Tuttle Publishing includes 256 sheets of double-sided paper with traditional blue and white designs with a shibori print. Each sheet stays securely in place until you're ready to fold, thanks to the easy tear-out design – no loose or crumpled papers to worry about.



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### ORIGAMI WASHI FLOWERS PAPER PACK BOOK

256 Double-Sided Folding Sheets (Includes Instructions for 8 Models)

EDITED BY TUTTLE STUDIO

- **16 unique patterns of *Washi Flowers* inspired by Traditional Japanese Prints**
- **Full-colour pattern/colour combinations**
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## HAL FISCHER: SEMINAL WORKS

PHOTOGRAPHS BY HAL FISCHER, TEXT BY JARRETT EARNEST,  
INTERVIEWER EVAN MOFFITT

- *Gay Semiotics* is an influential and irreverent photo-text series about cruising, queer street style, and gay life in San Francisco in the 1970s
- Includes Fischer's *Gay Semiotics* together with his rarely seen early photography
- New essays offer a range of perspectives on masculinity, race, and society

*Seminal Works* brings together Hal Fischer's iconic series *Gay Semiotics* with his rarely seen early photography and features a dynamic range of essays that consider queer culture and social change in San Francisco.

In the late 1970s, as gay men in San Francisco experienced a new sense of freedom following the Stonewall Uprising, Hal Fischer made *Gay Semiotics*, a photo-text project that categorised denizens of the Castro and Haight-Ashbury neighbourhoods by social type such as the 'jock' or the 'hippie'.

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## STARBURST: THE ART OF AUDRA AUCLAIR

AUDRA AUCLAIR, EDITED BY 3DTOTAL PUBLISHING

- Audra Auclair has an impressive online following, with a popular Patreon (nearly 2000 members) and over 485K followers on Instagram (@audraauclair)
- The artist's stunning work with fantastical elements and vibrant colours are very popular, and fans will jump at the chance to own galleries of these images printed on high-quality paper

This beautiful art book comes from Canadian artist Audra Auclair, whose work has spanned across many years and many mediums.

Countless fans have fallen in love with her artwork thanks to her attempts to express the complexities of human emotion, and the merging of fantastical elements, nature, and stunning vibrant colours situations in her work. She has built up almost half a million followers on her Instagram account and runs a very popular Patreon, where she shares WIPs and access to her personal sketchbook. She also sells prints and products featuring her artwork from her online store.

9781915992185 | June 2026 | 3DTotal Publishing | HB | 168pp | 259x215mm | AU \$89.99 | NZ \$105.00 | DISC: GEN



## THE ART OF RAMONN90: LIFE IN EVERY SKETCH

RAMÓN NUNEZ, EDITED BY 3DTOTAL PUBLISHING

- Ramón Nunez has an impressive online following, with a popular Patreon and over 609K followers on Instagram (@ramonn90)
- The artist's unique characters in the manga style are very popular, and fans will jump at the chance to own galleries of these images printed on high-quality paper

This is the hotly anticipated debut art book from renowned illustrator and comic artist, Ramón Nunez.

With years of extensive experience working in the comic, animation, and video-game industries, Ramon has carved out a unique artistic style and earned himself a reputation for creating captivating visual concepts and character art. His previous clients include top production companies including Riot Games, Sony Pictures Animation, and Dreamworks, and he has built a following of 609K fans on Instagram.

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## STRANGE GLOW

The Story of Radiation

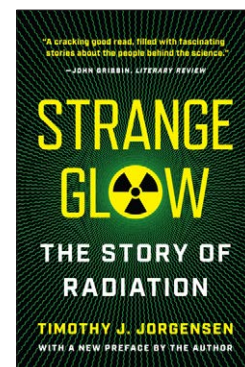
TIMOTHY J. JORGENSEN

- **The fascinating science and history of radiation**

More than ever before, radiation is a part of our modern daily lives. We own radiation-emitting phones, regularly get diagnostic x-rays, such as mammograms, and submit to full-body security scans at airports. We worry and debate about the proliferation of nuclear weapons and the safety of nuclear power plants. But how much do we really know about radiation? And what are its actual dangers?

An accessible blend of narrative history and science, *Strange Glow* describes mankind's extraordinary, thorny relationship with radiation, including the hard-won lessons of how radiation helps and harms our health. Timothy Jorgensen explores how our knowledge of and experiences with radiation in the last century can lead us to smarter personal decisions about radiation exposures today.

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## EARTHQUAKES IN HUMAN HISTORY

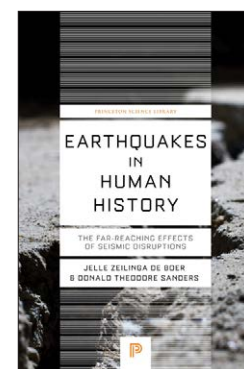
The Far-Reaching Effects of Seismic Disruptions

JELLE ZEILINGA DE BOER, DONALD THEODORE SANDERS

- **This book is an unequalled testament to a natural phenomenon that can be not only terrifying but also threatening to humankind's fragile existence, always at risk because of destructive powers beyond our control**

On November 1, 1755 – All Saints' Day – a massive earthquake struck Europe's Iberian Peninsula and destroyed the city of Lisbon. Churches collapsed upon thousands of worshippers celebrating the holy day. *Earthquakes in Human History* tells the story of that calamity and other epic earthquakes. The authors, Jelle Zeilinga de Boer and Donald Theodore Sanders, recapture the power of their previous book, *Volcanoes in Human History*. They vividly explain the geological processes responsible for earthquakes, and they describe how these events have had long-lasting aftereffects on human societies and cultures. Their accounts are enlivened with quotations from contemporary literature and from later reports.

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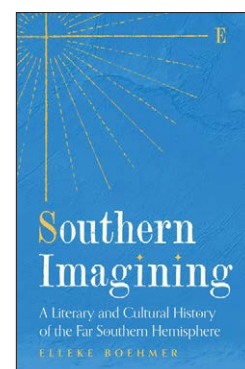
## SOUTHERN IMAGINING

A Literary and Cultural History of the Far Southern Hemisphere

ELLEKE BOEHMER

- **A new compass for global reading: looking at the world from the far southern latitudes**

A northern viewpoint is most often the default, while the south – the far southern latitudes occupied by Australia, New Zealand, Argentina and southern Africa, among others – seems far away and ignorable. In *Southern Imagining*, Elleke Boehmer offers an alternative perspective, using literary, scientific and cultural material to explore how we look at the world from the south. Reading, she argues, is a transformative means of reversing our usual planetary orientation and rearranging our perceptual geography. Boehmer examines writing from across southern continents and islands, considering how we imaginatively inhabit the farthest reaches of our planet.



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## CHARM

How Magnetic Personalities Shape Global Politics

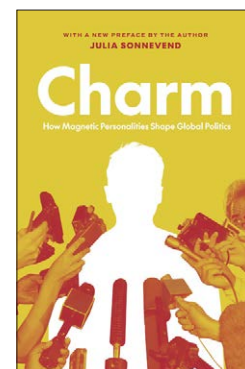
JULIA SONNEVEND

- **Now in paperback!**
- **The utilisation – and weaponisation – of charm in contemporary global politics**

Politics is a site of performance, and contemporary politicians often perform the role of a regular person – perhaps someone we would like to have a beer with. They win elections not because of the elevated rhetorical performances we often associate with charisma (‘ask not what your country can do for you’), but because of something more ordinary and relatable. The everyday magic spell that politicians cast using mass and social media is what sociologist Julia Sonnevend calls ‘charm’.

In this engaging and enlightening book, Sonnevend explores charm (and the related ‘charm offensive’) as a keyword of contemporary global politics. Successful political leaders deploy this form of personal magnetism to appear authentic and accessible in their quest for power.

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## WHAT'S IN A NAME?

How historians know Shakespeare was Shakespeare

SUSAN DWYER AMUSSEN

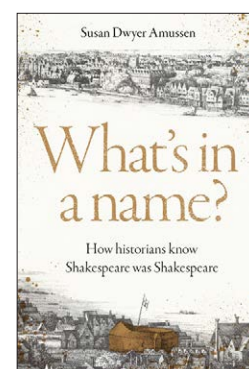
- **A leading historian of early modern Britain takes on the doubters and explains the world that made Shakespeare Shakespeare**
- **For readers of James Shapiro's *1599: A Year in the Life of William Shakespeare* and *Contested Will: Who Wrote Shakespeare?***

**A compelling tour of Shakespeare's England that makes a powerful contribution to the 'authorship question'.**

How do we know Shakespeare was Shakespeare? Could a glover's son who left school at fifteen really be the author behind such masterpieces as *Hamlet*, *King Lear* and *The Tempest*?

Yes! says historian Susan Amussen. She transports readers back to early modern England, to travel the path that carried William Shakespeare from humble origins in Stratford to literary greatness on the London stage.

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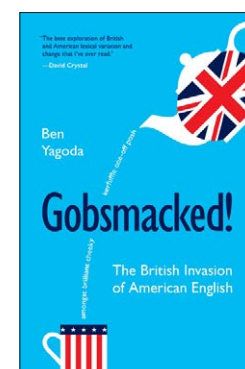
The British Invasion of American English

BEN YAGODA

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The British love to complain that words and phrases imported from America – from *French fries* to *Awesome, man!* – are destroying the English language. But what about the influence going the other way? Britishisms have been making their way into the American lexicon for more than 150 years, but the process has accelerated since the turn of the twenty-first century. From acclaimed writer and language commentator Ben Yagoda, *Gobsmacked!* is a witty, entertaining, and enlightening account of how and why scores of British words and phrases – such as *one-off*, *go missing*, *curate*, *early days*, *kerfuffle*, *easy peasy*, and *cheeky* – have been enthusiastically taken up by Yanks.

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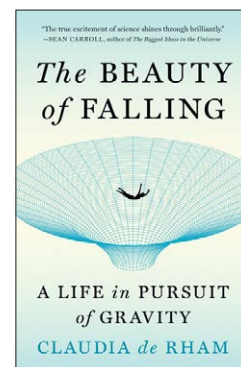
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A Life in Pursuit of Gravity

CLAUDIA DE RHAM

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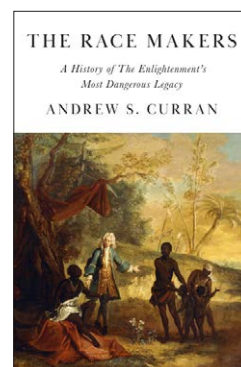
## THE RACE MAKERS

A History of the Enlightenment's Most Dangerous Legacy

ANDREW S. CURRAN

- **A sweeping, timely and highly readable investigation uncovering the hidden origins of modern racism**
- **It exposes surprising and often shocking truths about Enlightenment icons including Voltaire, Hume, Smith, Kant and Jefferson**
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In the early eighteenth century, Christianity began to lose its hold on the story of humankind. Yet centuries of xenophobia, religious intolerance and emerging biological ideas did not simply disappear. Instead, secular thinkers reshaped them as they looked to redefine what it meant to be human. By century's end, naturalists and philosophers had divided humankind into racial categories using methods associated with the Enlightenment era.



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## THE DOOM LOOP

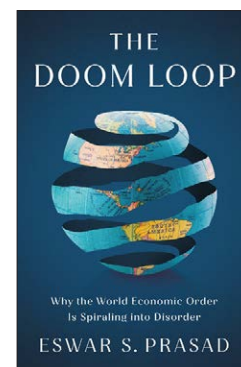
Why the World Economic Order Is Spiraling into Disorder

ESWAR S. PRASAD

- **The acclaimed economist and author of *The Future of Money* argues that the forces meant to stabilise the world's economy are in fact driving global instability**
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The United States is no longer the world's undisputed superpower. China and India increasingly flex their economic muscle, as the West's share of global GDP steadily declines – and America's rules-based system risks becoming irrelevant. In business, competition brings efficiency, balance, and innovation. But not in the marketplace for global power.



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## HYPOCHONDRIA

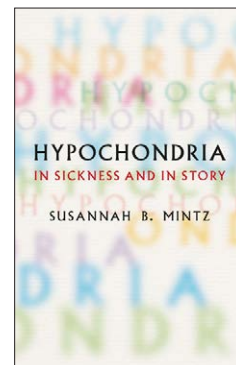
In Sickness and in Story

SUSANNAH B. MINTZ

- **Reimagines health anxiety not as pathology, but as creative possibility**

*Hypochondria* proposes a bold reimagining of a frequently dismissed condition. Susannah B. Mintz reframes health anxiety not as a pathology but as a site of creative potential – exploring hypochondria as a form of communication, a reorientation to time, a convergence of personal and communal identity, a declaration of bodymind needs and an embrace of ageing’s transformations.

Far-ranging in its attention to historical periods, national literatures, philosophical thought and medical discourse, the book challenges the containment of suffering within narratives of professional authority. In doing so, it seeks to dispel shame and stigma, opening space for new forms of connection and understanding through a deeper attentiveness to the experience of illness.



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## BETWEEN THE SALT AND THE ASH

A journey into the soul of Northumbria

JAKE MORRIS-CAMPBELL

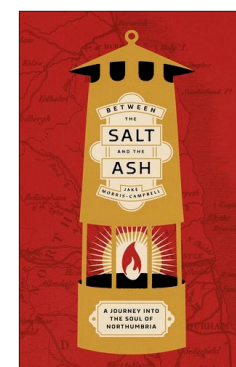
**‘A tender Northumbrian camino through England’s own land of saints and scholars.’ – Dan Jackson, author of *The Northumbrians***

- **A travelogue by a BBC New Generation Thinker whose previous book was longlisted for the RSL Ondaatje Prize**
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**A writer’s quest to understand the deep past and uncertain future of his homeland.**

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## PUNK ROCK RUINED MY LIFE

And other stories

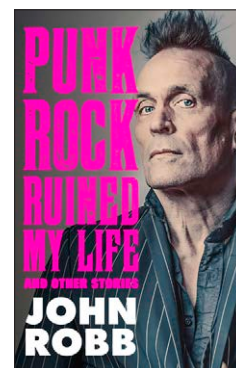
JOHN ROBB

- **Charting the history of punk and DIY scenes from the 1970s to the present day**
- **Combines the life of a musician and a music journalist who tapped into the cutting edge of alternative music**

**The irresistible story of a one-man cultural phenomenon.**

Minister for the Counterculture, Mancunian mainstay and alternative national treasure John Robb has lived a life in music. In this book he charts his adventures on the cultural frontline, chronicling the making of a DIY icon.

Robb’s quest began in his hometown of Blackpool – where punk was a battle against the odds – and went international when he toured the world with his band. The first person to interview Nirvana, he also discovered The Stone Roses for weekly newspaper *Sounds* and did early interviews with The Jesus and Mary Chain and The Manics, before moving on to legends such as Mark E. Smith, Nick Cave and Patti Smith.



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## THE CELTIC WHEEL OF THE YEAR

Ancient Wisdom for Living in Harmony with the Land

RHONDA MCCRIMMON

- **This unique guide to the *Celtic Wheel of the Year* offers readers both traditional and modern methods of celebrating seasonality. Each section explores a different season and associated festival, providing insight into how the wisdom of the ancient Celts can be applied to our lives today**

In the rush of modern life, many of us have become disconnected from the natural world and the rich, spiritual reality that lies just beneath its surface. But the ancient Celts knew that connecting with the land provided a vital source of meaning, strength, and contentment. These traditions survive in their Wheel of the Year – a sacred guide to living in harmony with the cycles of the land.

In *The Celtic Wheel of the Year*, bestselling author Rhonda McCrimmon invites you to rediscover that magic.

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## THE LEFT-HAND PATH OF TAROT

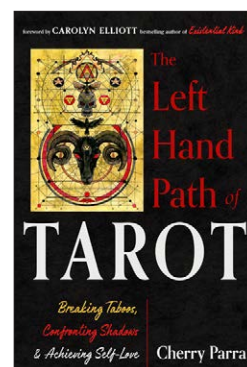
Breaking Taboos, Confronting Shadows, and Achieving Self-Love

CHERRY PARRA, FOREWORD BY CAROLYN ELLIOTT PHD

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Practical Spells & Rituals of the Old Religion

RAVEN GRIMASSI

- **Divides the foundation of Italian witchcraft into digestible lessons for readers to build a solid base in the practice**
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## LONG LIVE QUEER NIGHTLIFE

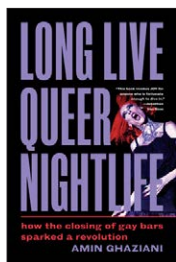
How the Closing of Gay Bars Sparked a Revolution

AMIN GHAZIANI

- **It's closing time for an alarming number of gay bars in cities around the globe – but it's definitely not the last dance**

In this exhilarating journey into underground parties, pulsating with life and limitless possibility, acclaimed author Amin Ghaziani unveils the unexpected revolution revitalising urban nightlife.

Far from the gay bar with its largely white, gay male clientele, here is a dazzling scene of secret parties – club nights – wherein culture creatives, many of whom are queer, trans, and racial minorities, reclaim the night in the name of those too long left out. Episodic, nomadic, and radically inclusive, club nights are refashioning queer nightlife in boundlessly imaginative and powerfully defiant ways.



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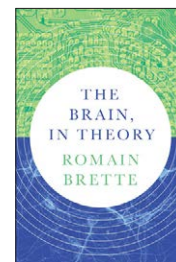
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## THE BRAIN, IN THEORY

ROMAIN BRETTE

- **Why engineering and computational analogies are poorly suited to the study of biological cognition**

Mainstream theories of the brain are often expressed through engineering concepts – computation, code, control, reverse-engineering, optimisation. These theories cast the living organism as a machine and the brain as a computer. The fact that cognition is a biological phenomenon seems merely anecdotal; biology is considered just ‘implementation’. In *The Brain, In Theory*, Romain Brette argues that the brain is not a ‘biological computer’ because living organisms are not engineered. Engineering is the use of knowledge to solve technical problems, to build an artifact with a plan. But, Brette reminds us, Darwin’s insight is precisely that evolution is *not* a case of engineering. Unlike engineering, evolution has no predetermined goals, plans, or knowledge.



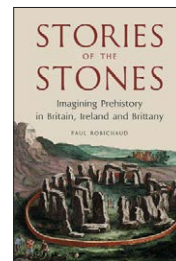
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## STORIES OF THE STONES

Imagining Prehistory in Britain, Ireland and Brittany  
PAUL ROBICHAUD

- **Uncovers the rich cultural afterlife of ancient stones and sacred landscapes**

*Stories of the Stones* explores how ancient monuments – standing stones, megaliths and earthworks – have been reimagined across the centuries in folklore, literature, art and popular culture. From medieval myths to Romantic fascination and from folk-horror cinema to Julian Cope, the powerful stories inspired by these enigmatic sites reflect the beliefs and anxieties of each era. Spanning Britain, Ireland and Brittany, the book includes iconic places such as Stonehenge and Newgrange, as well as lesser-known sites steeped in local lore. While the monuments’ original meanings remain mysterious, our interpretations reveal deep emotional and cultural connections to the ancient landscape.



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## WHOSE SONG TO SING

A Memoir

BEN WILDSMITH

- **This book is for readers with an interest in identity, adoption and family**
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How does an adopted person construct their identity? In this collection of essays, Ben Wildsmith relates the key events of a turbulent life and considers the factors that shaped his nature.

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New Edition

JIM CRUMLEY

- **A new edition of one of the original books on rewilding, debating the issues around the reintroduction of the wolf to the UK**
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In 1743, according to legend, the last wolf in Scotland was killed by a huntsman near Inverness. At the time the extinction of wolves in Scotland was celebrated. But since then deer have multiplied in the Highlands, destroying the vegetation on which an array of wildlife depends and creating a barren, treeless landscape.

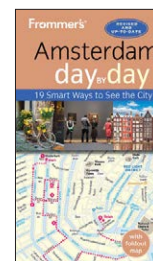
Gradually it has become clear that the entire eco-system has been thrown out of balance by the elimination of a top predator. Now there are calls for a limited reintroduction of wolves into Scotland as a way of healing the damaged land.

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## FROMMER'S AMSTERDAM DAY BY DAY

DONALD STRACHAN

- **Fully re-researched and updated, *Frommer's Amsterdam Day By Day* allows users to map their own adventure with a variety of suggested daily itineraries, vibrant photos, and multiple maps**



**This portable, up-to-date guide is all about maximising the time you have to spend in Amsterdam. Written by veteran travel journalist Donald Strachan, the book hits all of the city's highlights – as well as hidden gems – with plans crafted for visitors with a variety of needs and interests.**

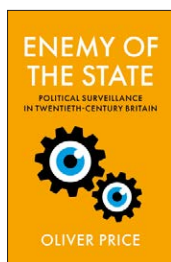
Packed with colour photos, this bestselling guide offers dozens of itineraries that show you how to see Amsterdam's top attractions in a short time, with bulleted maps leading the way from sight to sight.

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## ENEMY OF THE STATE

Political Surveillance in  
Twentieth-Century Britain  
OLIVER PRICE

- **The story of how Britain's intelligence services watched individuals on the grounds of protecting democracy**
- **Argues that the fear of Communism led to the widespread monitoring of political and protest groups in Britain**



For much of the twentieth century, relations between Britain and the Soviet Union were defined by mutual hostility and distrust. From the Bolshevik Revolution until the end of the Cold War, the British establishment was deeply concerned about Soviet-inspired subversion, and secretly monitored thousands of its own citizens due to their real or perceived links to communism, the Soviet Union or both.

*Enemy of the State* reveals how Britain's intelligence services carried out mass spying operations on the grounds of protecting democracy.

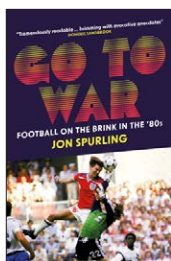
9781805265290 | June 2026 | Hurst Publishers | PB | 352pp | 216x138mm | AU \$44.99 | NZ \$49.99 | DISC: GEN

## GO TO WAR

Football on the Brink in the '80s  
JON SPURLING

- ***Go To War* provides a unique insight into a pivotal footballing decade**

**\*\*Longlisted, William Hill Sports Book of the Year 2025\*\***



In the 1980s, politicians declared war on football; football supporters declared war on each other inside crumbling stadiums that resembled bomb sites and the '82 and '86 World Cups were played against the backdrop of the Falklands conflict. It was a decade in which some fans died watching the game they loved, and at times, the 'slum sport' seemed set to implode. Yet, remarkably, the game was on the cusp of morphing into the behemoth it has become today.

Set against a backdrop of economic recession, rampant hooliganism and suspect fashion, *Go To War* tells the story of how triumph and tragedy shaped English football during the 1980s.

9781837360536 | June 2026 | Biteback Publishing | PB | 416pp | 198x129mm | AU \$29.99 | NZ \$34.99 | DISC: GEN

## MATCHLESS

Joyce Wethered, Glenna Collett  
and the Rise of Women's Golf  
STEPHEN PROCTOR

- **Published to mark the 100th anniversary of the birth of one of golf's greatest rivalries, charting the lives and careers of American player Glenna Collet and English counterpart Joyce Wethered**

**\*\*Winner, USGA Herbert Warren Wind Book Award 2025\*\***



*Matchless* tells the story of women's golf against the backdrop of the intense rivalry between two players who set a new standard for performance – American Glenna Collet and England's Joyce Wethered. That head-to-head competition spanned a decade, from their first meeting at Troon in 1925 through to Wethered's tour of the US in 1935. The key moment, and the dramatic focal point for this unique account, is their match at St Andrews in 1929 in the final of the Ladies Amateur Championship.

9781913759193 | February 2026 | Arena Sport | HB | 272pp | 234x156mm | AU \$49.99 | NZ \$59.99 | DISC: GEN

## TIR

The Story of the Welsh Landscape  
CARWYN GRAVES

- **This title explores the natural landscapes of Wales through seven key characteristic elements**
- **It explores many different ways in which humans live and interact with the natural landscape, and also considers how this understanding can be used to combat climate change and improve wildlife populations and biodiversity**



In *Tir* – the Welsh word for 'land' – writer and ecologist Carwyn Graves takes us on a tour of seven key elements of the Welsh landscape, such as the *ffridd*, or mountain pasture, and the *rhos*, or wild moorland.

By diving deep into the history and ecology of each of these landscapes, we discover that Wales, in all its beautiful variety, is at base just as much a human cultural creation as a natural phenomenon: its raw materials evolved alongside the humans that have lived here since the ice receded.

9781915279675 | June 2026 | Calon Books | PB | 240pp | 198x129mm | AU \$24.99 | NZ \$29.99 | DISC: GEN

## THE COUNTRY THAT DOES NOT EXIST

A History of Somaliland, New and Updated Edition  
GÉRARD PRUNIER

- **New in paperback!**
- **Conveys how one of the world's newest nations came into being and survived, against all odds**



**In his inimitable prose, Prunier conveys how one of the world's newest nations came into being and survived, against all odds.**

The Somali people are fiercely nationalistic. Colonialism split them into five segments divided between four different powers. Thus decolonisation and pan-Somalism became synonymous.

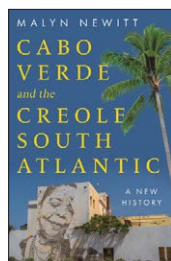
This book recounts an African success story where the peace so widely acclaimed by the international community has had no reward but its own lonely achievement.

9781805264422 | June 2026 | Hurst Publishers | PB | 296pp | 216x138mm | AU \$44.99 | NZ \$49.99 | DISC: GEN

## CABO VERDE AND THE CREOLE SOUTH ATLANTIC

A New History  
MALYN NEWITT

- **A historical and cultural guide to the Cabo Verde Islands, now a tourist hotspot**
- **Covers important history such as the hub of the Atlantic slave trade, home of Jewish exiles from Iberia, and more**



**The first general history of the archipelago available in English, set within a broader regional, oceanic and global tapestry.**

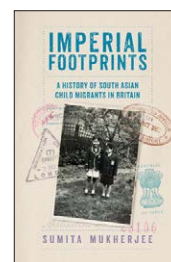
The Cabo Verde Islands are now a popular tourist destination but, guide books apart, there is little in print in English that covers their history and culture. This book offers a readable account not only of the islands' past, but also of their place in the wider story of the South Atlantic's Portuguese-speaking communities.

9781805264293 | June 2026 | Hurst Publishers | HB | 296pp | 216x138mm | AU \$59.99 | NZ \$69.99 | DISC: GEN

## IMPERIAL FOOTPRINTS

A History of South Asian Child Migrants in Britain  
SUMITA MUKHERJEE

- **The first history of South Asian migration to the UK from the perspective of children**
- **Includes tales from a range of experience including war refugees, runaway servants, children forced to serve as sailors and those sent to boarding schools**



**From the Victorian era to Partition, Mukherjee uncovers the unique experiences of the very youngest South Asian migrants to Britain.**

Between 1857 and 1947, over 28 million Indians left the subcontinent to live, work and study elsewhere. Today, India has the largest diaspora in the world, with approximately 18 million Indians living overseas. Though often absent from historical narratives, migrant children were instrumental during the time of the British Empire in the development not only of Indian national and diasporic identities, but of British identity too.

9781805265283 | June 2026 | Hurst Publishers | PB | 288pp | 216x138mm | AU \$44.99 | NZ \$49.99 | DISC: GEN

## THE CANCELLED PRIME MINISTER

The Extraordinary Rise and Tragic Fall of Ramsay MacDonald  
WALTER REID

- **A new critical but fair biography of this forgotten British PM**
- **Exonerates MacDonald from the narrative that he led the Conservative-dominated National Government for reasons of treacherous ambition**



**How the first working-class politician to reach Britain's highest office was brought down, and his legacy disparaged.**

Ramsay MacDonald was born an illegitimate child in north-east Scotland. Leaving school at fourteen, he seemed bound to follow in his ploughman father's footsteps. Instead, he would become the UK's first Labour Prime Minister – a friend of George V and a global political star.

9781805265306 | June 2026 | Hurst Publishers | HB | 368pp | 234x1560mm | AU \$49.99 | NZ \$59.99 | DISC: GEN

## ROYAL BOTANIC GARDEN EDINBURGH

Souvenir Guidebook  
 EDITED BY FRANKIE MATHIESON, SARAH WORRALL



- **The official guide to the Royal Botanic Garden Edinburgh**
- **Filled with excellent full colour photography throughout**

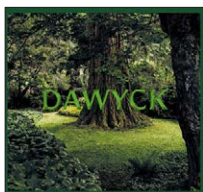


This beautiful 60-page souvenir book features easily accessible chapters on the important work that Royal Botanic Garden Edinburgh carries out. It is one of the world's leading scientific gardens at the forefront of global plant research, science, horticulture, education and conservation. With beautiful photography throughout, the book highlights the dynamic landscapes and diversity of plants that make up the Living Collection, one of the richest collections of living plants anywhere in the world. The plants of Chile, China, Japan, Nepal and Scotland are featured, as well as other planted areas like the Queen Mother's Garden, Woodlands and Plants under Glass.

9781910877548 | June 2026 | Royal Botanic Gardens Edinburgh | PB | 60pp | 225x210mm | AU \$22.99 | DISC: GEN

## DAWYCK BOTANIC GARDEN

Souvenir Guidebook  
 EDITED BY FRANKIE MATHIESON, SARAH WORRALL



- **The official guide to the Dawyck Botanic Garden**
- **A concise but comprehensive guide to the Garden and its history**



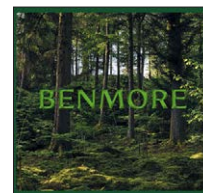
This elegant 48-page souvenir book is a memento of Dawyck Botanic Garden, a magnificent 65-acre Garden set in the picturesque hills of the Scottish Borders and a sanctuary to many endangered plants. It is home to some of Britain's oldest and tallest trees along with specimens from around the globe including China, Japan, Nepal and Chile.

The book's magnificent photography highlights the biodiversity at Dawyck with varying woodlands, a burn and glen and the world's first reserve for mosses, liverworts, lichens and fungi.

9781910877562 | June 2026 | Royal Botanic Gardens Edinburgh | PB | 48pp | 225x210mm | AU \$22.99 | DISC: GEN

## BENMORE BOTANIC GARDEN

Souvenir Guidebook  
 EDITED BY FRANKIE MATHIESON, SARAH WORRALL



- **The official guide to the Benmore Botanic Garden**
- **Perfect keepsake as a memory of your time, or to plan your visit in advance**



This quality 48-page book is a souvenir of Benmore Botanic Garden and its world-famous collection of plants from regions such as Bhutan, Chile, Tasmania and Japan.

Beautiful photography highlights Benmore's natural looking environment and depicts the landscapes that offer protection and sanctuary to a diversity of plants from around the world. Known for its important collection of over 300 species of rhododendrons, its iconic Redwood Avenue, its Douglas firs, Scots pines and monkey puzzle trees – the collection at Benmore continues to expand, conserving plants from around the world that are threatened in their natural habitat.

9781910877555 | June 2026 | Royal Botanic Gardens Edinburgh | PB | 48pp | 225x210mm | AU \$22.99 | DISC: GEN

## LOGAN BOTANIC GARDEN

Souvenir Guidebook  
 EDITED BY FRANKIE MATHIESON, SARAH WORRALL



- **The official guide to the Logan Botanic Garden**
- **Featuring new photography and foiled lettering on the cover**



This beautifully produced 48-page souvenir book is a celebration of Logan Botanic Garden, an idyllic haven warmed by the Gulf Stream where eucalyptus, bamboo and palm trees thrive. Beautiful photography shows a remarkable collection of plants from regions such as South and Central America, Southern Africa, Australasia, and the Canary Islands.

Vibrant displays of rare plant treasures show an extraordinary diversity of species rarely seen elsewhere in the UK. Logan plays a vital role in global efforts to conserve threatened species and find nature-based solutions to the climate and biodiversity crises.

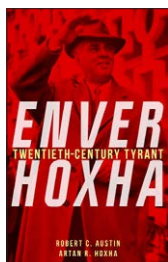
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## ENVER HOXHA

Twentieth-Century Tyrant  
ROBERT C. AUSTIN, ARTAN R. HOXHA

- **The extraordinary story of Europe's longest-ruling communist dictator**

This is the first full-length biography of Enver Hoxha, the communist dictator who ruled Albania for nearly half a century. Hoxha was an unreformed Stalinist who was propelled to power with Soviet and Yugoslav help following the defeat of the Axis powers, though he soon broke with his former allies and built a Chairman Mao-like political cult in his tiny and impoverished nation. In this fluent and far-reaching account, Hoxha emerges as a paranoid megalomaniac, interested in maintaining control above all else, who excelled at manipulating his comrades and outsmarting his domestic and international enemies. This important book shines a light on the nature of dictatorship and on a lesser-known chapter in the history of the Cold War.

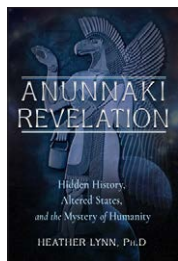


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## ANUNNAKI REVELATION

Hidden History, Altered States, and the Mystery of Humanity  
HEATHER LYNN PHD

- **The seminal role of the Anunnaki in shaping human civilisation is unveiled, revealing the mystical roots of esoteric knowledge and its impact on secret societies and the evolution of consciousness**



The Anunnaki – one of the most enigmatic groups in history – played a heavy role in early human civilisation. But where did they come from, and who were they?

In *Anunnaki Revelation*, author Heather Lynn, PhD, shares evidence that the Anunnaki's influence extends beyond the realms of mythology and religion, shaping the very foundations of our understanding of reality, consciousness, and the nature of the self.

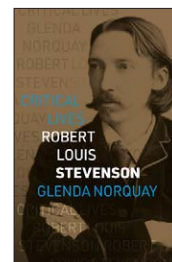
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## ROBERT LOUIS STEVENSON

GLENDA NORQUAY

- **R. L. Stevenson's life and writing, reflecting a restless mind in a global age**

This concise biography offers a fresh portrait of Robert Louis Stevenson: frail Edinburgh child turned globe-trotting author of *Treasure Island*, *Kidnapped*, and *Strange Case of Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde*. It charts his remarkable literary range – from fiction and poetry to essays and letters – crafted across three continents, often in poor health. Stevenson's adventurous life and memorable characters captured both popular imagination and critical praise. Drawing on new scholarship, the book explores his role as a literary innovator and cultural commentator, revealing how his work engaged with the anxieties of a rapidly changing world. At once celebrity, critic, and colonial observer, Stevenson emerges as a truly modern writer whose influence remains potent today. This book is essential reading for lovers of literature, history, and global storytelling.

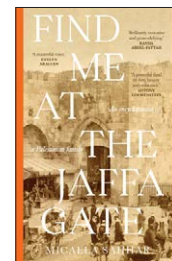


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## FIND ME AT THE JAFFA GATE

An encyclopaedia of a Palestinian family  
MICAELA SAHHAR

- **An original and exquisitely written book, *Find me at the Jaffa Gate* is a quest to trace the author's family story, and in doing so explores the specific heartbreak of Palestinians living in diaspora**



**\*\*Winner, Victorian Premier's Literary Awards 2026, Non-Fiction\*\***

**\*\*Longlisted, Stella Prize 2026\*\***

*'If we were different people, to write down these words might be to leave them behind us. But words are our artifacts, and I am seeding a trail for the journey, home.'*

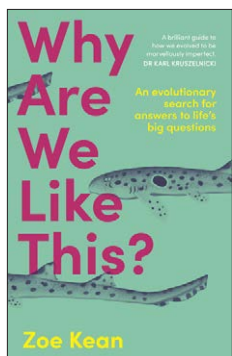
*Find Me at the Jaffa Gate* is a book about the gaps and blank spaces that cannot be easily recounted, but which insists on the vibrant reality of chance, fragments and memory to reclaim a place called home.

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Sunday 10 May

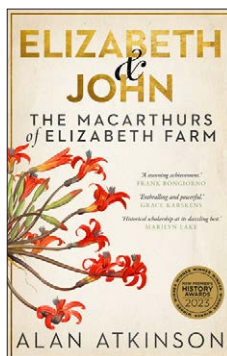


**WHY ARE WE LIKE THIS?**  
An evolutionary search for answers to life's big questions  
ZOE KEAN

*Why Are We Like This?* takes us behind the scenes of the evolutionary paradoxes that make up life on this planet.



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The Macarthurs of Elizabeth Farm, New edition  
ALAN ATKINSON

An award-winning and landmark joint biography of Elizabeth and John Macarthur, from one of Australia's most respected historians.



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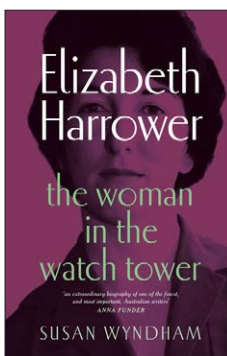
**INCONVENIENT WOMEN**  
Australian radical writers 1900–1970  
JACQUELINE KENT

Acclaimed biographer Jacqueline Kent traces the social and political issues that inspired – and often hampered – Australian radical women writers and



their desire to change the world.

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**ELIZABETH HARROWER**  
The woman in the watch tower  
SUSAN WYNDHAM

The revealing biography of a leading – and enigmatic – Australian novelist.



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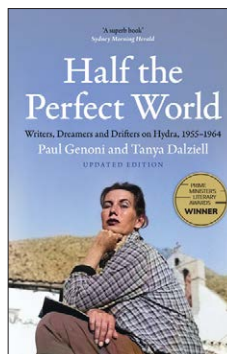


**UNSEEN**  
Art and Crime in Australia  
PENELOPE JACKSON

An award-winning art historian explores theft, forgeries and fakes in Australian art.



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**HALF THE PERFECT WORLD**  
Writers, Dreamers and Drifters on Hydra, 1955–1964, New Edition  
TANYA DALZIELL AND PAUL GENONI

*Half the Perfect World* tells the story of the post-war international artist community that formed on Hydra.

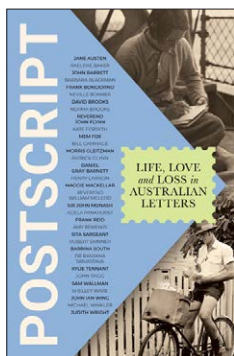


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**POSTSCRIPT**  
Life, Love and Loss in  
Australian Letters  
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The National Library of Australia holds millions of letters in its collections: love letters, reports on scientific discoveries, and so many more.



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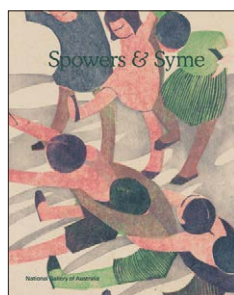
**ANNE DANGAR**  
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The Australian cubist and potter Anne Dangar (1885–1951) has occupied a unique position in art history as one of the country's most important yet

underacknowledged modern artists.



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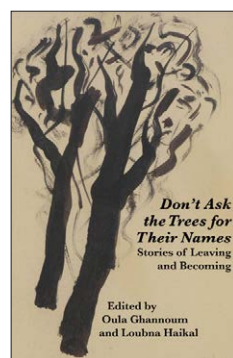


**SPOWERS & SYME**  
EDITED BY SARINA  
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*Spowers & Syme* celebrates the artistic friendship of Melbourne artists Ethel Spowers and Eveline Syme.



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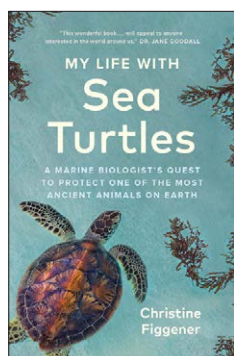


**DON'T ASK THE TREES  
FOR THEIR NAMES**  
Stories of Leaving and  
Becoming  
EDITED BY OULA  
GHANNOUM, LOUBNA  
HAIKAL

Nine Arab women share their deeply personal journeys of migration to Australia.



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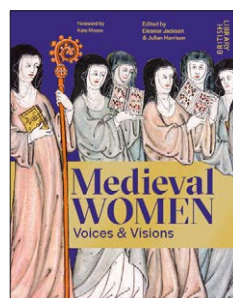


**MY LIFE WITH SEA  
TURTLES**  
A Marine Biologist's Quest  
to Protect One of the Most  
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CHRISTINE FIGGENER

This captivating book reveals the secret life of sea turtles, one of the oldest living creatures on Earth, and the story of one female

scientist's fight to save their future.

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**MEDIEVAL WOMEN**  
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Through a selection of detailed expert essays and some 40 spotlight studies, *Medieval Women* reveals a rich and complex picture of their world.

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British Library Publishing | HB |  
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