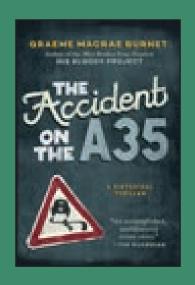
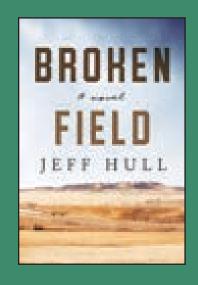
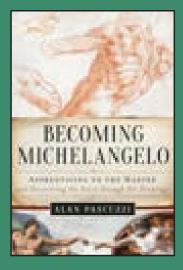
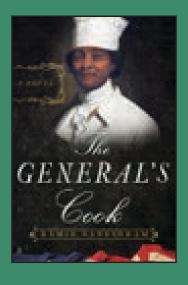
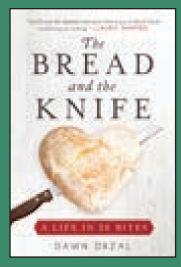
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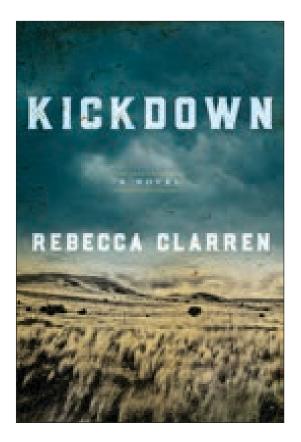
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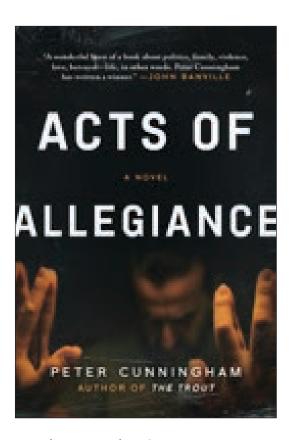
REBECCA CLARREN, an award-winning journalist, has been writing about the rural West for nearly twenty years. Her journalism, for which she has won the Hillman Prize and an Alicia Patterson Foundation Fellowship, has appeared in such publications as *Mother Jones, High Country News*, the *Nation*, and Salon. com. *Kickdown*, shortlisted for the PEN/Bellwether Prize, is her first novel. She lives in Portland, Oregon, with her husband and two young sons.

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PETER CUNNINGHAM is from Waterford, in southeast Ireland, where the novel is largely set. He is the author of numerous works of fiction, including *The Trout* and *The Sea and the Silence*, for which he won the Prix de l'Europe and the Prix Caillou. He is a member of Aosdána, the Irish Academy for Arts and Letters, and lives with his wife in County Kildare, not far from Dublin.

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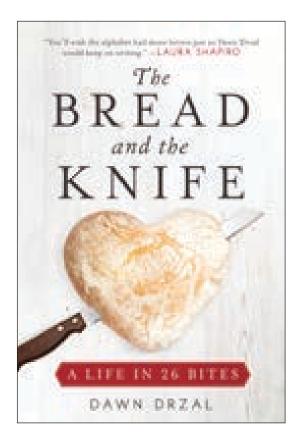
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DAWN DRZAL, a former cookbook editor, has published articles and essays in the *New York Times*, the *New York Times Sunday Magazine*, *Food & Wine*, *O*, and the *Antioch Review*. Between 2006 and 2016, she was a regular contributor to the *New York Times Book Review*. Her essays have been anthologized in, among other places, *Eat, Memory: Great Writers at the Table*, edited by Amanda Hesser. She lives in New York City with her son.

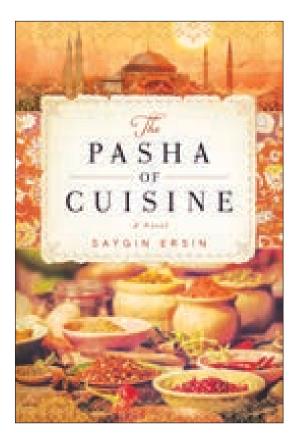
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SAYGÏN ERSIN is a former journalist and the author of two previous novels in Turkish, as well as a collection of short detective stories and the script for the comic *Skywind*. He lives in Izmir, Turkey.

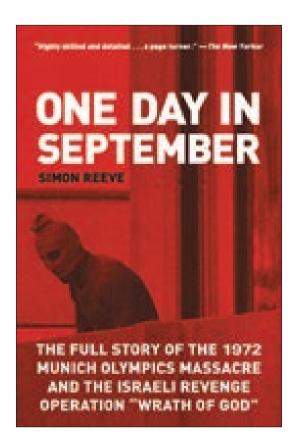
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SIMON REEVE is a bestselling author and an award-winning television presenter. His book *The New Jackals: Ramzi Yousef, Osama bin Laden, and the Future of Terrorism,* which warned of apocalyptic terrorist attacks, was the first in the world on bin Laden and al-Qaeda. Originally published in 1998, it has been a *New York Times* bestseller. He is based in the UK, but has spent the past few years traveling around the world filming award-winning BBC travel documentaries.

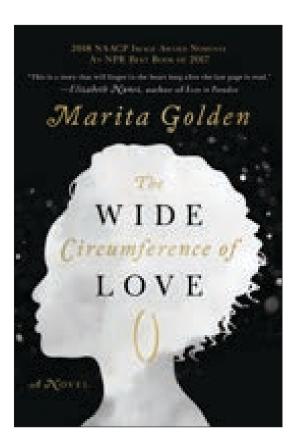
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MARITA GOLDEN, cofounder and president emeritus of the Hurston/Wright Foundation, is a veteran teacher of writing and an acclaimed award-winning author of more than a dozen works of fiction and nonfiction. She has served as a member of the faculties of the MFA graduate creative writing programs at George Mason University and Virginia Commonwealth University and in the MA creative writing program at Johns Hopkins University, and has taught writing internationally to a variety of constituencies. She currently lives in Maryland.

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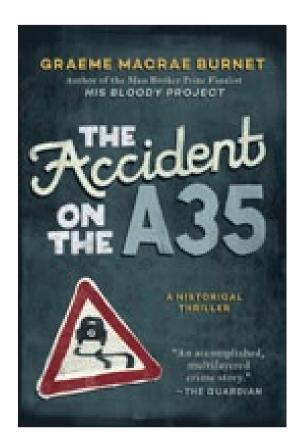
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GRAEME MACRAE BURNET is one of Scotland's brightest literary talents. His second novel, *His Bloody Project*, was a finalist for the Man Booker Prize and the *Los Angeles Times* Book Award. His first novel, *The Disappearance of Adèle Bedeau*, won the Scottish Book Trust New Writers Award. Graeme was born and brought up in Kilmarnock and has lived in Prague, Bordeaux, Porto, and London. He now lives in Glasgow, Scotland.

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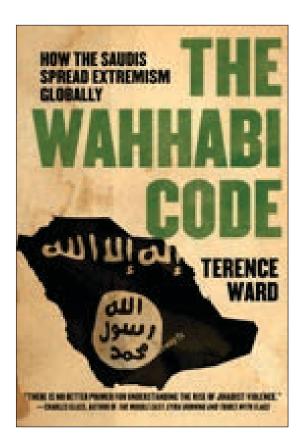
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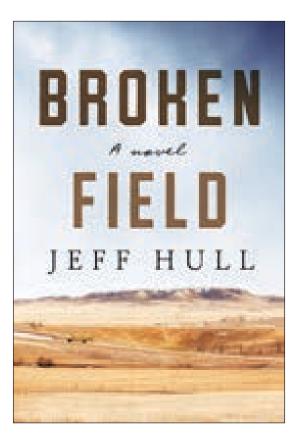
TERENCE WARD is a US-born writer, documentary producer, and cross-cultural consultant who grew up in Saudi Arabia, Iran, and Egypt. After graduating from UC Berkeley, he worked for ten years for Middle East Industrial Relations Counselors consulting with clients across the Gulf. The author of *Searching for Hassan* and *The Guardian of Mercy*, he serves as international trustee for World Conference of Religions for Peace. He is a member of the noted Middle Eastern Institute (ISMEO) in Rome and divides his time between Florence and New York.

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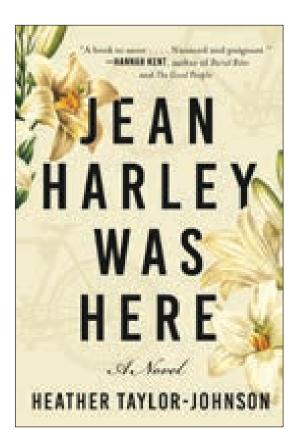
JEFF HULL is the author of the novel *Pale Morning Done* and the essay collection *Streams of Consciousness*. His articles have appeared in the *New York Times Sunday Magazine*, the *Atlantic, Fortune, Fast Company, Outside, Men's Journal*, and many other national magazines. He has worked as a fishing guide in Montana and Tahiti and as a copywriter at major advertising agencies in New York and San Francisco. He lives in Montana and New York City.

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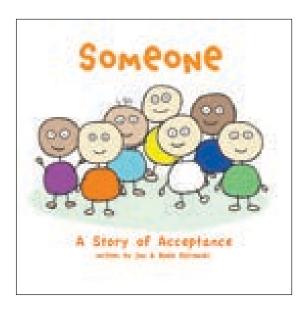
HEATHER TAYLOR-JOHNSON was born in the United States and has lived in Australia since 1999. She is the author of four volumes of verse and a previous novel not published here, and edited the anthology Shaping the Fractured Self: Poetry of Chronic Illness and Pain. She also reviews poetry, fiction, and movies. She is writer-in-residence at the J. M. Coetzee Centre for Creative Practice at the University of Adelaide, and lives in Adelaide with her husband, three children, and their dog.

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JAY OSTROWSKI grew up in Newport, Rhode Island, and studied at the University of New Hampshire. He moved out to Los Angeles in the early 1990s and has spent the past twenty-five years in film and television production, covering all aspects of the industry from feature films to documentaries, concert films, and reality TV. In 2008, he became a father and, as a result, fell in love with children's books. He started to dream of how to become an author himself, and in 2011 he and his son Bodie started their writing partnership and have been telling stories ever since.

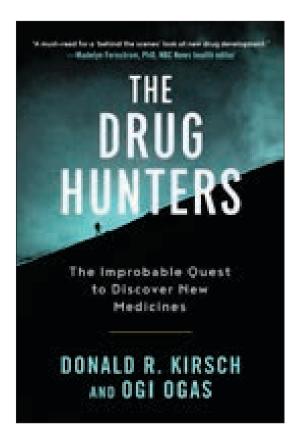
BODIE OSTROWSKI is currently in third grade and coauthored Someone when he was eight years old. He loves sports, going to the beach, and writing stories. Bodie resides in Sherman Oaks, California, with his mom and dad, his sister Lucy, and his dog Rosie.

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The surprising, behind-the-scenes story of how our medicines are discovered, told by a veteran drug hunter.

The search to find medicines is as old as disease, which is to say as old as the human race. Through serendipity—by chewing, brewing, and snorting—some Neolithic souls discovered opium, alcohol, snakeroot, juniper, frankincense, and other helpful substances. Nowadays, Big Pharma conglomerates spend billions of dollars on state-of the art laboratories staffed by PhDs to discover blockbuster drugs. Yet, despite our best efforts to engineer cures, luck, trial-and-error, risk, and ingenuity are still fundamental to medical discovery.

The Drug Hunters is a colorful, fact-filled narrative history of the search for new medicines from our Neolithic forebears to the professionals of today. The chapters offer a lively tour of how new drugs are actually found, the discovery strategies, the mistakes, and the rare successes of drug hunters from the United States, United Kingdom, Germany, and several other nations. Dr. Donald R. Kirsch infuses the book with his own expertise from thirty-five years of drug hunting, whether searching for life-saving molecules in mudflats by Chesapeake Bay or as a chief science officer and research group leader at major pharmaceutical companies.

DONALD R. KIRSCH has been a drug hunter for thirty-five years, holds twenty-four drug-related patents, has written more than fifty papers, has been a reviewer for prestigious journals, a director, a research group leader, and a chief science officer at Wyeth, Cyanamid, Squibb, and Cambria Pharmaceuticals, and currently teaches drug discovery at Harvard Extension School. He lives in Bedford, Massachusetts.

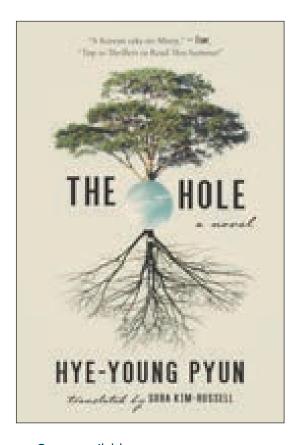
OGI OGAS is a professional science writer. He is the coauthor of A Billion Wicked Thoughts and Shrinks and has published articles in the Wall Street Journal, Boston Globe, Wired, Glamour, Seed, and Psychology Today. He lives in Boston, Massachusetts.

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Misery meets The Vegetarian in this bestseller from Korea, named a 2017 Top 10 Thriller to Read This Summer by *Time*.

In this tense, gripping novel by a star of Korean literature, Oghi has woken from a coma after a devastating car accident that took his wife's life and left him paralyzed and badly disfigured. His caretaker is his mother-in-law, a widow grieving the loss of her only child. Neglected and bedridden, his world shrinks to the room he lies in and his memories of his troubled relationship with his wife, a sensitive, intelligent woman who found all of her life goals thwarted except for one: cultivating the garden in front of their house. But soon Oghi notices his mother-in-law in the abandoned garden, uprooting what his wife had worked so hard to plant and obsessively digging larger and larger holes. When asked, she answers only that she is finishing what her daughter started.

A bestseller in Korea, The Hole is a superbly crafted and deeply unnerving novel about the horrors of isolation and neglect in all of its banal and brutal forms. As Oghi desperately searches for a way to escape, he discovers the difficult truth about his wife and the toll their life together took on her.

HYE-YOUNG PYUN is the award-winning author of four short story collections and two novels, and has received several of Korea's most prestigious literary awards, including the Yi-sang Literary Award in 2014 and the Hyundae Munhak Award in 2015. She lives in Seoul, Korea.

SORA KIM-RUSSELL is a literary translator based in Seoul. She teaches at Ewha Womans University and the Literary Translation Institute of Korea.

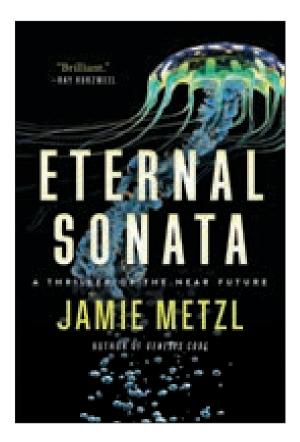
"While reading *The Hole*, you'll find yourself suddenly doubting everything. Pyun is asking us a tough and terrifying question that none can dodge: 'Is your life safe?'" -Kyung-sook Shin, New York Times bestselling author of Please Look After Mom

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In 2025 America, it's hardly news when a renowned octogenarian scientist dying of cancer disappears from a local hospice, but when Kansas City Star reporter Rich Azadian begins to dig, he discovers that other elderly scientists around the world have also vanished recently—all terminally ill and receiving the same experimental treatment from a global health company. His investigation leads him to the reclusive Noam Heller, a brilliant researcher exploring new technologies to reverse-age cancer and other cells. Using revolutionary stem cell treatments and snippets of DNA from rare, immortal Arctic jellyfish, his breakthrough promises the genetic equivalent of the fountain of youth.

But when Heller is murdered and his lab destroyed, Rich and his girlfriend Antonia become targets themselves. With the local police and federal authorities failing to see the big picture, he realizes he must take matters into his own hands to survive and stop the killing. His only hope is to mobilize his network of brilliant misfits and infiltrate the vast and lethal race—among cutthroat corporations, national intelligence services, rogue scientists, and a mysterious international organization—to control the new technologies and perhaps the secret of life itself.

JAMIE METZL is author of the novels Genesis Code and The Depths of the Sea. A senior fellow of the Atlantic Council, he appears frequently on national and international media, and his writing on Asia, international relations, genetics, and other topics is featured regularly in publications around the world. He lives in New York.

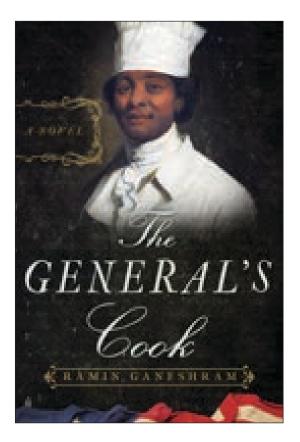
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The true story of one man's enormous will and daring effort to escape the chains of slavery that shackle him by the hand of President George Washington.

Philadelphia 1793. Hercules, President George Washington's chef, is a fixture on the Philadelphia scene. He is famous for both his culinary prowess and for ruling his kitchen like a commanding general. He has his run of the city and earns twice the salary of an average American workingman. He wears beautiful clothes and attends the theater. But while valued by the Washingtons for his prowess in the kitchen and rewarded far over and above even white servants, Hercules is enslaved in a city where most black Americans are free.

Even while he masterfully manages his kitchen and the lives of those in and around it, Hercules harbors secrets-including the fact that he is learning to read and that he is involved in a dangerous affair with Thelma, a mixed-race woman, who, passing as white, works as a companion to the daughter of one of Philadelphia's most prestigious families.

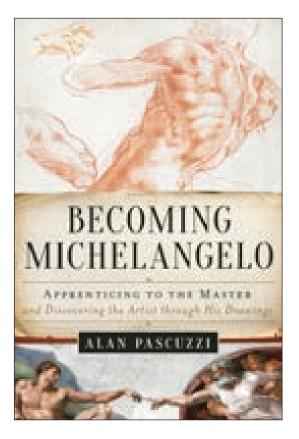
Eventually Hercules' carefully crafted intrigues fall apart, and he finds himself trapped by his circumstance and the will of George Washington. Based on actual historical events and people, The General's Cook will thrill fans of The Hamilton Affair, as they follow Hercules' precarious and terrifying bid for freedom.

RAMIN GANESHRAM is a veteran journalist who has written features for the New York Times and for New York Newsday. She is a celebrated food columnist who has been awarded seven Society of Professional Journalist awards for her work and an IACP Cookbook of the Year Award. A professionally trained chef, Ganeshram is the author of several cookbooks. She specializes in writing about multicultural communities as a news reporter and about food from the perspective of history and culture. Born and raised in New York City, she lives in Westport, Connecticut.

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An artist's extraordinary challenge to himself reveals the genius of Michelangelo in the making.

Many believe Michelangelo's talent was miraculous and untrained, the product of "divine" genius, but the young Michelangelo studied art like any Renaissance apprentice, learning from a master and experimenting with materials and styles. As a grad student in art history, Alan Pascuzzi won a Fulbright to "apprentice" himself to Michelangelo, studying his extant drawings and copying them to learn the progression of his technique, mastery of anatomy and composition, and understanding of human potential. Pascuzzi also relied on the Renaissance treatise that "Il Divino" himself would have been familiar with, Cennino Cennini's The Craftsman's Handbook (1399), which was used by formal apprentices to masters.

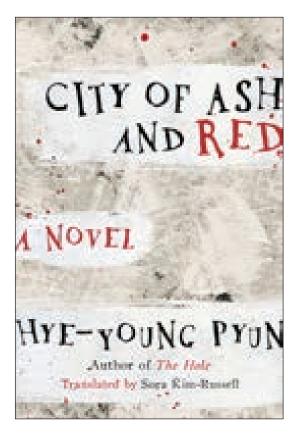
Pascuzzi's narrative traces Michelangelo's development from student and young artist to master during the period from roughly 1485 to his completion of the Sistine Chapel ceiling in 1512. Analyzing Michelangelo's burgeoning abilities through copies he himself executed in museums and galleries in Florence and elsewhere, Pascuzzi unlocks the transformation that made him great. At the same time, he narrates his own transformation from student to artist as Michelangelo's last apprentice.

ALAN PASCUZZI is a painter, sculptor, and professor of art history who received a Fulbright scholarship to travel to Florence and apprentice himself to Michelangelo. He copied all 135 of Michelangelo's extant drawings from the period covered in his book from originals in various museums. He has been teaching Renaissance art techniques to students for more than a decade. He has appeared in TV documentaries on Renaissance art, including the BBC's The Color Blue and Inside the Mind of Leonardo, and on 60 Minutes. He lives in Florence.

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For fans of J. G. Ballard and early Ian McEwan, a tense psychological thriller and Kafkaesque parable by the author of *The Hole*.

Distinguished for his talents as a rat killer, the nameless protagonist of Hye-young Pyun's City of Ash and Red is sent by the extermination company he works for on an extended assignment in C, a country descending into chaos—swept by a contagious disease, gripped with fear of contamination, and flooded with trash on the streets. No sooner does he disembark than he is whisked away by quarantine officials and detained overnight. Isolated and forgotten, he realizes that he is stranded with no means of contacting the outside world. Still worse, when he finally manages to reach an old friend, he is told that his ex-wife's body was found in his apartment and he is the prime suspect. Barely managing to escape arrest, he must struggle to survive in the streets of this foreign city in order to reestablish contact with his company and friends and clear his name.

But as the man's former life slips further and further from his grasp and he looks back on his time with his wife, it becomes clear that he may not quite be who he seems. From the bestselling author of The Hole, City of Ash and Red is an apocalyptic account of the destructive impact of fear and paranoia on people's lives as well as a haunting novel about a man's loss of himself and his humanity.

HYE-YOUNG PYUN made her literary debut in Korean in 2000 when she won the Seoul Shinmun annual New Writer's Contest with her short story "Shaking Off Dew." She has gone on to publish four short story collections and two novels, including The Hole, also published by Arcade Publishing. She has received several of Korea's most prestigious literary awards, including the Yisang Literary Award in 2014 and the Hyundae Munhak Award in 2015. She lives in Seoul, Korea.

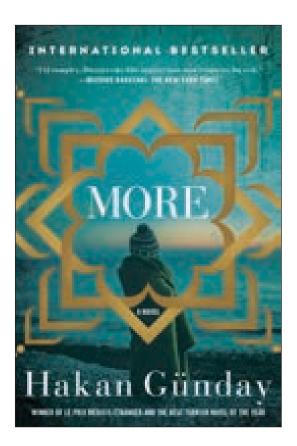
"An airtight masterpiece." — Korean Economic Daily

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"A complex, Dostoyevsky-like inquiry into man's capacity for evil." — Michiko Kakutani, the New York Times

"The illegals climbed into the truck, and, after a journey of two hundred miles, they boarded ships and were lost in the night."

Gaza lives on the shores of the Aegean Sea. At the age of nine he becomes a human trafficker, like his father. Together with his father and local boat owners, Gaza helps smuggle desperate "illegals" by giving them shelter, food, and water before they attempt the crossing to Greece. One night everything changes and Gaza is suddenly faced with the challenge of how he himself is going to survive. This is a heartbreaking work that examines the lives of refugees struggling to flee their homeland and the human traffickers who help them reach Europe—for a price.

In this timely and important book, one of the first novels to document the refugee crisis in Europe, Asia, and the Middle East, we see firsthand how the realities of war, violence, and migration affect the daily lives of the people who live there. This is a powerful exploration of the unfolding crisis by one of Turkey's most exciting and critically acclaimed young authors, who writes unflinchingly about social issues.

HAKAN GÜNDAY was born in 1976 on the island of Rhodes in Greece and currently lives in Istanbul. He is the bestselling author of eight novels, which have been published in nineteen territories. More received le Prix Médicis étranger 2015 and his novel The Few was named Best Turkish Novel of 2011. His novel Ziyan (Loss) was a finalist for le Prix Lorientales 2015 in France and was awarded the France-Turkey 2014 Author Award. He lives in Istanbul.

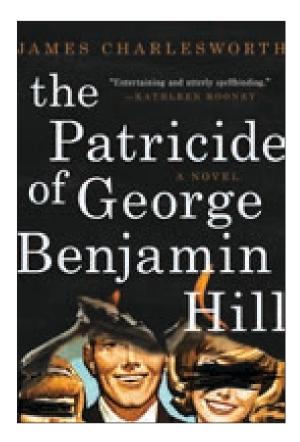
"Ambitious, compelling . . . The visceral punch and drive of its prose in many bravura passages . . . evokes Irvine Welsh or William Burroughs more than Oliver Twist." — Economist

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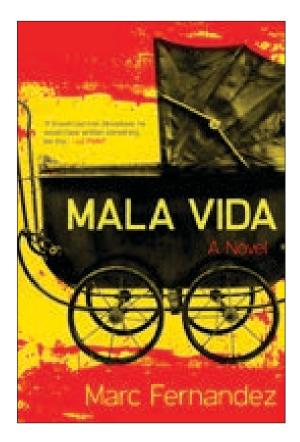
JAMES CHARLESWORTH is a recipient of the Martin Dibner Fellowship from the Maine Community Foundation and an MFA from Emerson College. He lives in Lynn, Massachusetts, and is at work on his second book.

"Rife with the mayhem attendant upon corruption and greed, and alight with the ersatz sparkle of American myth-making and self-absorption . . . Charlesworth presents one of the most entertaining and utterly spell-binding arguments against the patriarchy ever written." - Kathleen Rooney, author of Lillian Boxfish Takes a Walk

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As the country prepares for a return to a certain moral order, radio crime reporter Diego Martin is trying to keep his head above water in anticipation of the expected media purge. When he decides to look into the first murder, he doesn't have the faintest clue that his investigation will lead far beyond his local beat and put his life at risk. What he uncovers exposes the roots of a national scandal: the theft of babies from the victims of the Franco regime, crimes—never prosecuted—that were orchestrated by now well-connected citizens who will do anything to avoid exposure.

MARC FERNANDEZ is cofounder and editor in chief of the magazine Alibi, dedicated to crime fiction. He has been a journalist for sixteen years and for much of that time covered Spain and Latin America. He has cowritten several works of true crime. Mala Vida, his first novel, was a finalist for the Grand Prix des Lectrices d'Elle. His second, The Guerrilla Social Club, has been published in France. He lives in Paris.

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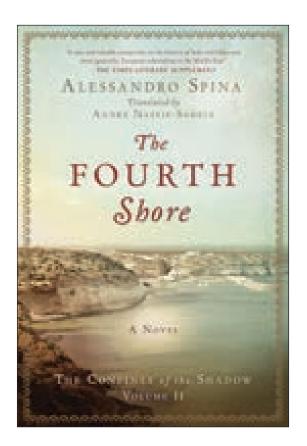
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The modern classic about the colonization of Libya continues, as Italy watches its prized colony slip away.

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Employing a cosmopolitan array of characters, ranging from Italian soldiers to Ottoman functionaries, The Fourth Shore (the term was Mussolini's name for the Mediterranean shore of Libya) chronicles Italy's colonial experience from the euphoria of conquest-giving the reader a front-row seat to the rise and subsequent fall of Fascism in the aftermath of World War II—to the country's independence in the 1950s. The discovery of Libya's vast oil and gas reserves will trigger the tumultuous changes that led to Muammar Gaddafi's forty-two-year dictatorship.

ALESSANDRO SPINA was the nom de plume of Basili Shafik Khouzam. His work was short-listed for the Strega and Campiello prizes, and The Confines of the Shadow was awarded the Bagutta Prize.

ANDRÉ NAFFIS-SAHELY is a renowned Italian-Iranian poet, critic, and translator. He is the recipient of a 2016 Writers in Translation Award from English PEN. He has written for the Times Literary Supplement, the Independent, and the Economist and is a contributor to Words Without Borders. He lives in Los Angeles.

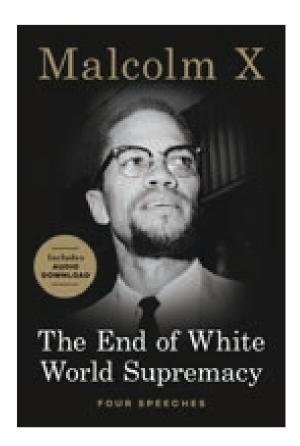
"Spina has a deep and subtle literary sensibility. . . . His work provides a rare and valuable perspective on the history of Italy and Libya and, more generally, European colonialism in the Middle East." —Times Literary Supplement

Malcolm X

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IMAM BENJAMIN KARIM was a close associate and collaborator of Malcolm from 1957 until Malcolm's death. As Benjamin 2X, he was an assistant minister of Temple No. 7 in Harlem for four years. It was Imam Benjamin Karim who opened up for Malcolm when he was killed by assassin's bullets in February 1965. Imam Karim lived in Richmond, Virginia, until his death in 2005.

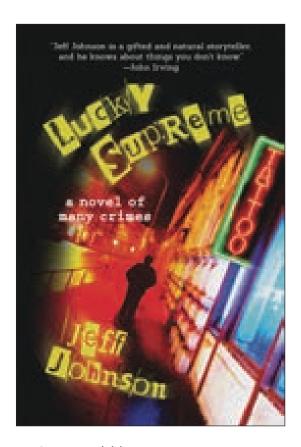
"The best example in print of why, even dead, Malcolm is a man to measure one's self against." - Julius Lester, New York Times Book Review

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The first in the acclaimed northwest noir series featuring Darby Holland, of the Lucky Supreme tattoo shop.

The night world of Old Town, Portland, has gone mad in the grip of gentrification, and at the center of it all is Lucky Supreme, a seedy tattoo parlor, whose proprietor is a street-bred artist with a unique approach to problem solving. Darby Holland tries to keep his nose clean these days, but when some "flash" (tattoo artwork) resurfaces he can't help but go on the hunt. His efforts to reclaim the stolen art set him on a dangerous path, dragging along his delightfully eccentric colleagues, including the brains behind his brawn—Delia, a twiggy vinyl-clad punk genius with some nasty little secrets of her own.

No one knows why the art signed "Roland Norton, Panama, 1955" is worth a fortune or how it came to hang for decades on the walls of Lucky Supreme. Only the deranged former owner can say—and he's not talking. Before the wrecking balls swing through Old Town in the name of "progress," Darby must settle old scores and face new demons to save his reputation, his shop, and his sanity.

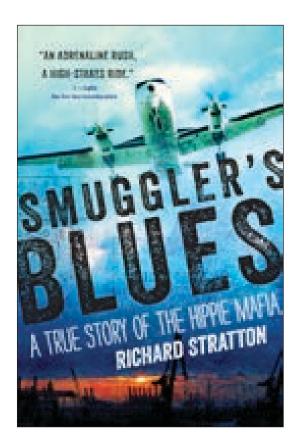
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JEFF JOHNSON is a twenty-year veteran tattoo artist who has inked gang members, age-defying moms, and sociopaths; he's defused brawls and tended delicate egos. He is also the author of the memoir Tattoo Machine: Tall Tales, True Stories, and My Life in Ink, the novels Everything Under the Moon and Knottspeed, and the next two novels in the Darby Holland crime novel series, A Long Crazy Burn and The Animals after Midnight. He lives in Portland, Oregon.

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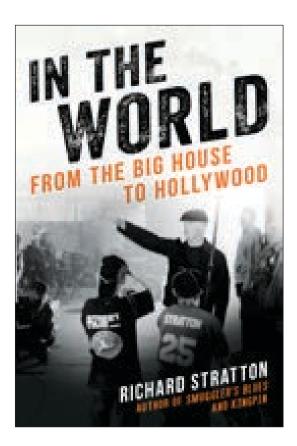
RICHARD STRATTON is now an acclaimed filmmaker and screenwriter whose movies won prizes at Cannes and the Berlin Film Festival. A writer and consultant for HBO's Oz, he was the creator, writer, and executive producer of Showtime's Street Time. He is the founder of Prison Life, the former editor and publisher of High Times, and a contributor to Rolling Stone, Esquire, GQ, Details, Newsweek, and Playboy. He lives with his wife and children in New York City.

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RICHARD STRATTON is an award-winning journalist and filmmaker. He was a writer and consultant for HBO's Oz and the creator, writer, and executive producer of Showtime's dramatic series Street Time. As a journalist, he won a New York Press Club award for his article "Godfather and Son," and he directed the four-part A&E documentary based on it. He lives with his wife and children in New York City.

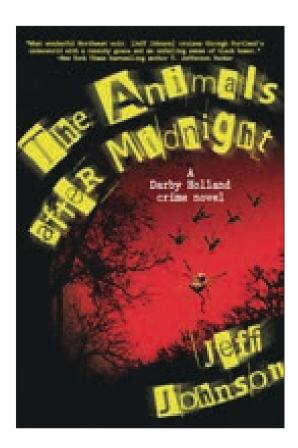
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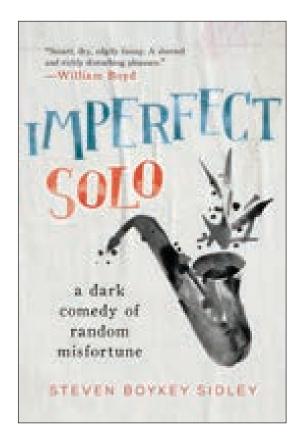
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STEVEN BOYKEY SIDLEY is an award-winning and multi-shortlisted novelist. Imperfect Solo is his third novel. So far it has been longlisted for the Sunday Times Fiction Prize in South Africa and selected for Le Grand Livre du Mois, France's most prestigious national literary book club. He is also the author of *Entanglement*, Stepping Out, and, most recently, Free Association. He currently lives in Johannesburg with his wife, Kate, and their two children.

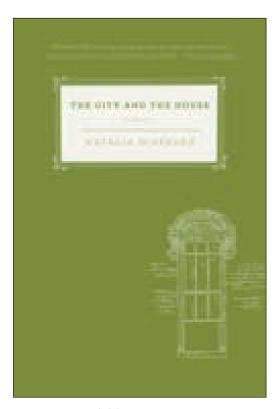
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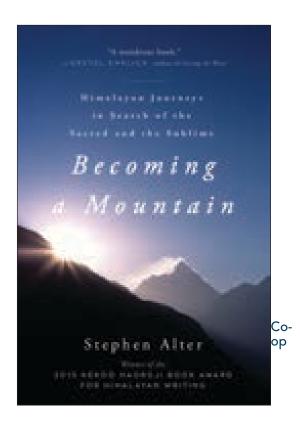
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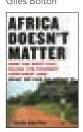
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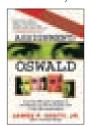


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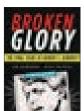


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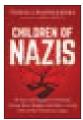
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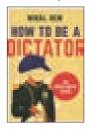
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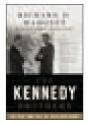
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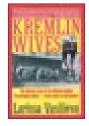
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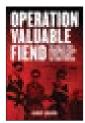
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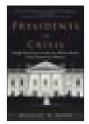
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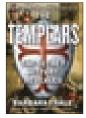


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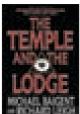


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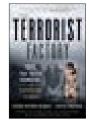
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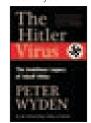


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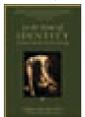
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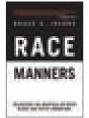
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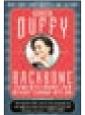
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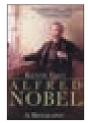
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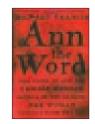
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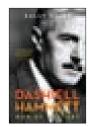


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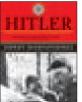


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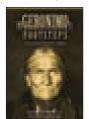


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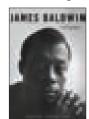


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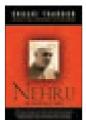
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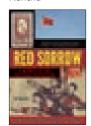


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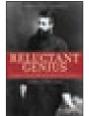


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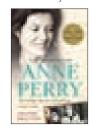
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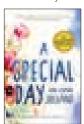
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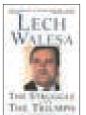
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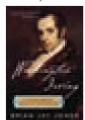


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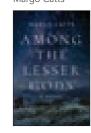


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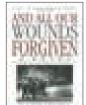


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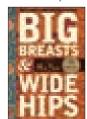
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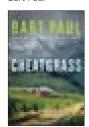


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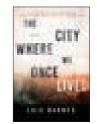


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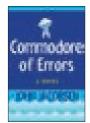


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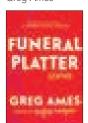


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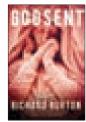


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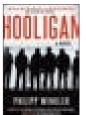
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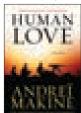
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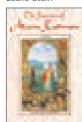


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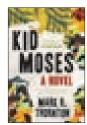


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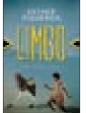


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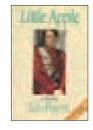


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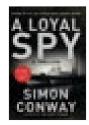
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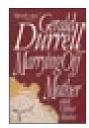
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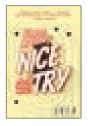


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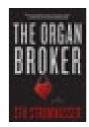


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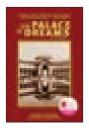


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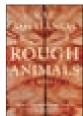


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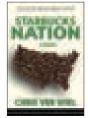


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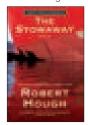


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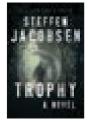


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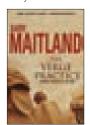
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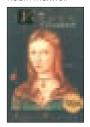


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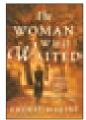


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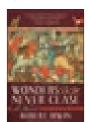


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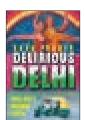


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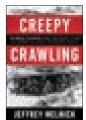


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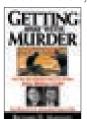


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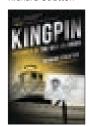


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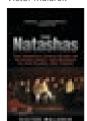


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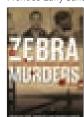
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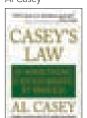


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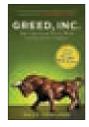
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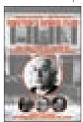
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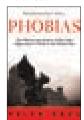


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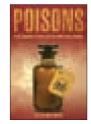
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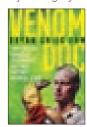


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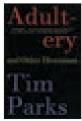
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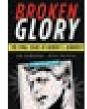


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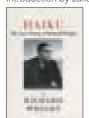


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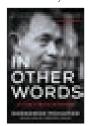
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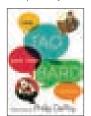


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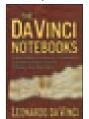
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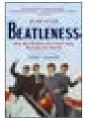
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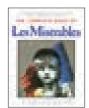


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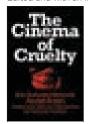
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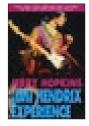


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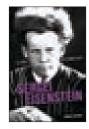


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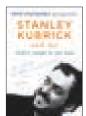


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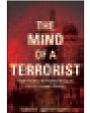
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