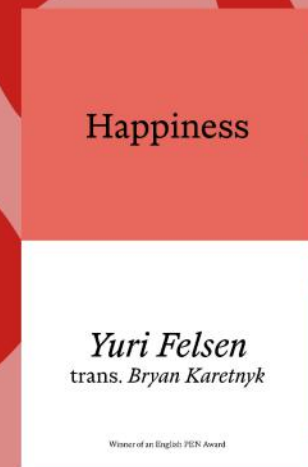
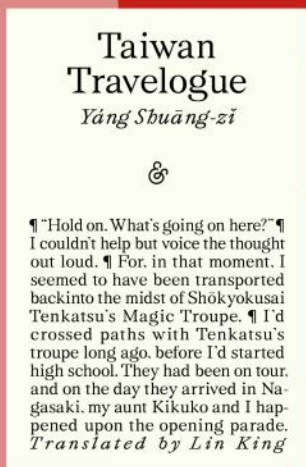
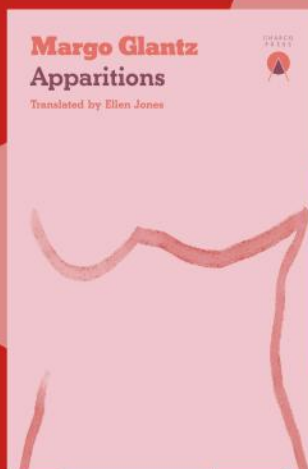
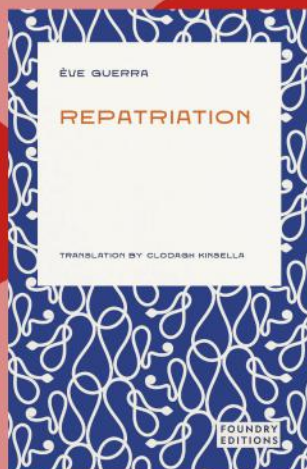
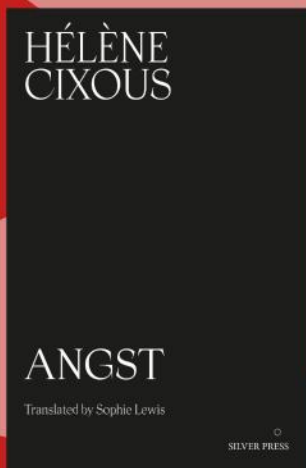


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Our Story Needs Your Story

Andrew McDonnell

A handbook that advocates for working-class writers.

If you have something to say, then this book will help you say it. It will help you find creative strategies to write about the working class lives you don't often read in literature. Using approaches including oppositional writing, second person narration, and storyworlds, this book will help you be the writer you want to be and shape the stories of the future.

**Story Machine | 9781912665365 | £12.00 |
01/01/2026 | PB | tbcpp | CBV**



The Irrepressible Writer

Sandra Jensen

A guide to writing with chronic health conditions.

Sandra Jensen has lived with chronic health conditions for decades. Here she offers a tried and tested, bitesize approach to developing the tips, tricks and tools to feeling confident as a writer, and keep writing no matter what else is happening in life. In it, you will find the exhilaration and power of writing without expectation – joyous, for yourself, a thrilling and sometimes life-changing experience.

**Story Machine | 9781912665396 | £12.00 |
01/01/2026 | PB | tbcpp | CBV**



Jaguarman

Raoul de Jong, translated by John Eyck

A mythic memoir of ancestry, transformation and the wild truths we inherit.

Born to a Dutch mother and a Surinamese father he knows very little about, Raoul is barely thirty years old when he receives the following email: I AM LOOKING FOR MY SON RAOUL DE JONG :) :) :). From this late meeting with his father, many hopes are born, sometimes disappointed, and as many questions, particularly about his Surinamese ancestry.

**HopeRoad | 9781913109547 | £12.99 | 05/01/2026 |
PB | 144pp | BM**

Landscape with Landscape

Gerald Murnane



¶ I was the only man among nine women. Together we formed a committee of ten, with myself as treasurer. I sat beside the president and the secretary while the seven others sat facing me. I was not comfortable. ¶ I knew none of the women, although all of them lived in my own suburb. The only name I knew was the president's. She had phoned me a few hours before this, the first meeting of the committee, and persuaded me to serve as treasurer.

Landscape with Landscape

Gerald Murnane

First UK publication of Nobel Prize candidate Murnane's masterful first short story collection.

These loosely connected stories trace a journey through the suburbs of Melbourne in the 1960s, as the writer negotiates the conflicting demands of Catholicism and sex, self-consciousness and intimacy, alcohol and literature. It is now lauded as some of his best writing, offering a wide-ranging exploration of the landscapes which make up the imagination of this extraordinary Australian writer.

And Other Stories | 9781916751378 | £14.99 |

13/01/2026 | PB | 336pp | FA

Feldman in Love

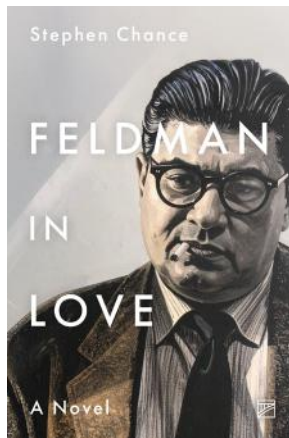
Stephen Chance

Morton Feldman; complex musical genius.

McCarthyite witchhunts, the Rosenberg trial, the Korean War. This is the backdrop to the combative friendship between two creatives; Morton Feldman and Philip Guston. Feldman, musical pioneer with a genius often derided in his lifetime, left a remarkable sonic legacy when he died in 1987. The Lower East Side of New York in the 1950s bristles with the electricity of music, poetry and art, and lives, where everything is risked to secure the next breakthrough.

Valley Press | 9781915606716 | £14.00 | 16/01/2026

| PB | 224pp | A



Apparitions

Margo Glantz, translated by Ellen Jones

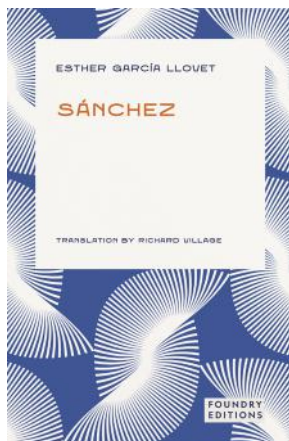
Two nuns, and one obsessed mother, doing everything thing in their power to achieve communion with the one they love.

Apparitions is a novel of ecstasy pursued, desire transmogrified into devotion, and obedience as a passionately pursued, not entirely free choice. Erotic, and suffused with painting, music, art, it's an incantatory exploration of what it means to abandon the world, and to use your body as a way of coming to know the divine.

Charco Press | 9781917260183 | £11.99 | 20/01/2026

| PB | 128pp | FA





Sánchez

Esther García Llovet, translated by Richard Village

A taut, cinematic novel of lost souls, nocturnal Madrid, and the thin line between beauty and danger.

A nocturnal drift through the margins of Madrid—where lost souls cross paths with the surreal, and the city itself becomes a character. In this stark, luminous novel, Esther García Llovet returns to the shadows of the Spanish capital to trace the uneasy reunion of Nikki and Sánchez, two former lovers bound by shared history and mutual failure.

**Foundry Editions | 9781917544009 | £12.99 |
20/01/2026 | PB | 128pp | FYT**



Blackshroud

James Campbell

**New from the award-winning publisher of
Leonard and Hungry Paul.**

Invited by families in Victorian England to 'release' their loved ones from the pain of their last days, it follows a young woman who trains as an apprentice before becoming a Blackshroud 'killing' those in agony for the greater good.

**Bluemoose Books | 9781915693402 | £12.00 |
26/01/2026 | PB | 275pp | FA**



100 Poems on the Underground

Edited by Judith Chernaik, Gerard Benson, Cicely Herbert

**From Shakespeare to Angelou, verse that travels
with us.**

Travellers on the London Underground may recognise these poems as their fellow passengers: in the first five years of 'Poems on the Underground', they all appeared as posters on trains. This new Revised Edition of *100 Poems on the Underground*, published on the project's 40th anniversary, once again allows these poems to be seen together, to be read again and remembered with affection.

**The Poetry Business | 9781914914317 | £9.99 |
27/01/2026 | PB | 144pp | DCQ**



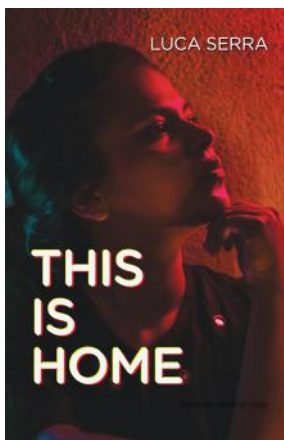
Publisher Not Found

Laura Jones-Rivera, Heather McDaid

An elegy for 404 Ink.

After 10 years of running the small, award-winning publishing company 404 Ink, which published the likes of Helen McClory, Nadine Aisha Jassat, Elle Nash, Arun Sood, Alan Cumming & Forbes Masson to name a few, the founders and publishers Heather McDaid and Laura Jones-Rivera call time on their venture and spill the secrets for those who are considering a career in publishing, or even starting their own publishing company.

404 Ink | 9781916637207 | £7.50 | 29/01/2026 | PB | tbcpp | KNTF



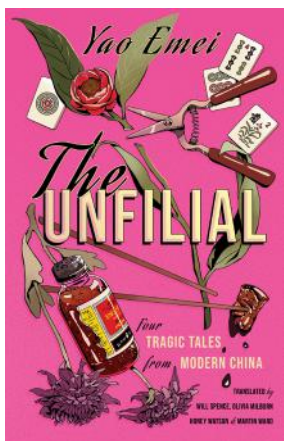
This is Home

Luca Serra

Four young people, a Brazilian, a Ghanaian, an Italian and Latvian navigate the complexities of identity and belonging in a new country.

Luca Serra's debut novel *This is Home* unearths the hidden corners of city life, where dreams simmer in kitchen sinks and friendships bloom in the cracks of hardship. A multicultural cast of workers, immigrants, and dreamers in Glasgow and London navigate hard jobs, post-Brexit identity, and the bittersweet search for home.

Leamington Books | 9781914090844 | £10.99 | 30/01/2026 | PB | 240pp | FA



The Unfilial

Yao Emei, translated by Will Spence, Olivia Milburn, Honey Watson, Martin Ward

If it runs in the family, you better get moving

A collection of four short stories on the brutal realities of family life in modern China. When a household crumbles, it's always the women who are left picking up the pieces, but no one comes out looking good when caught in a vicious cycle of abuse. Come inside at your peril: after all, what's a closet without its skeletons?

ACA Publishing | 9781838905798 | £11.99 | 02/02/2026 | PB | 288pp | FYB

The Roof Beneath Their Feet

Geetanjali Shree



¶ And was it not on this very roof-top where it all began? Where the children of the mohalla played, copycatting one another and bounding away from the reproofs of adults. Shouting 'times' for no reason. They would run to the skylight to peep, and start giggling nervously.
Translated by Rahul Soni

The Roof Beneath Their Feet

Geetanjali Shree, translated by Rahul Soni

A playful and moving masterpiece of psychological intrigue by the International Booker winner.

In this Indian modern classic by the International Booker Prize-winning author, roofs are meant for wild things, for romance and for play. They are realms of freedom – freedom from the male gaze, sexual freedom and freedom from society. Chachcho and Lalna use their roofs to build a friendship that transcends time and memory.

And Other Stories | 9781916751392 | £14.99 |

03/02/2026 | PB | 192pp | FA

THE WORLD AFTER RAIN



CANISIA LUBRIN

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Canisia Lubrin's new poem is a luminous elegy.

In this stunning new poem, **Canisia Lubrin's** signature epic vision distills her elegy to her mother, along an interwoven and unresolvable axis of astonishment that belongs as much to history as to today. Her lucid attention to what might be the oldest metaphor for grief is drawn from the searing gravity and resonance of the modern poet's decisive, interior, and inexpressible meditation on love, time, and loss in the excesses of life's ambitions.

Silver Press | 9781068240942 | £13.99 | 05/02/2026

| PB | 92pp | DCF

"Beautiful and heartbreaking" OLIVIA SNAPE

VENICE REQUIEM

KHALID
LYAMLAHY

Translated by Ros Schwartz

Venice Requiem

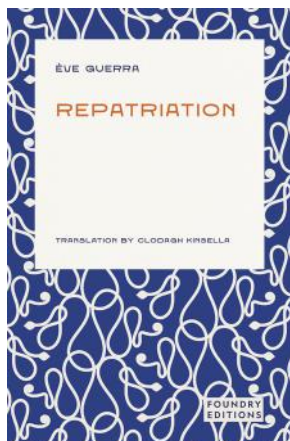
Khalid Lyamlahe, translated by Ros Schwartz

From the publisher of *Small Boat*, based on a true story.

On 22 January 2017, Pateh Sabally, a 22-year-old Gambian refugee, jumps into Venice's Grand Canal and drowns as onlookers jeer. Outraged, a young Paris-based writer traces Pateh's story. *Venice Requiem* explores a city where literature confronts modern tragedy, weaving voices like Goldoni, Mann, and Proust into a powerful meditation on humanity and the redemptive power of words.

HopeRoad | 9781913109387 | £12.99 | 05/02/2026 |

PB | 129pp | FYT



Repatriation

Ève Guerra, translated by Clodagh Kinsella

A powerful debut about grief, memory and the search for truth.

Annabella Morelli, twenty-three, dreams of becoming a poet and lives in Lyon, far from Congo-Brazzaville where she was born to a Franco-Italian father and Congolese mother. A happy childhood ends when her mother leaves. Years later, her father's death forces her to confront family secrets, lies, and deep trauma.

**Foundry Editions | 9781917544023 | £13.99 |
10/02/2026 | PB | tbcpp | FYT**

Booda: Murder in Laugharne

Simon Tonkin

A powerful account of prejudice, vulnerability and a system that failed.

In 1953, Elizabeth Thomas was murdered in Laugharne. George "Booda" Roberts, a deaf-mute man, was arrested based on a dubious 'confession' but later acquitted. *Booda: Murder in Laugharne* by **Simon Tonkin** explores the crime, community response, and the role of ableism and police misconduct. It's a powerful account of injustice in a town famed for Dylan Thomas.

**Seren | 9781781727898 | £12.99 | 12/02/2026 | PB |
210pp | BTC**

Light Year

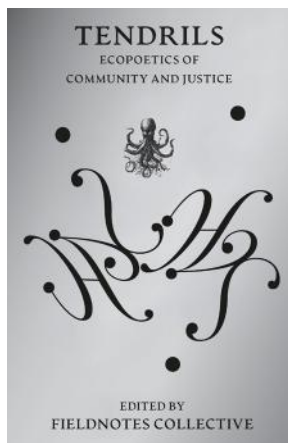
Jennifer Wong

A luminous meditation on distance, memory, and the ties that hold us.

Light Year by **Jennifer Wong** is a meditation on time, distance and proximities, a reimagining of history, its galaxies of personal truths and epiphanies. These poems move through spaces of change and upheaval, mapping a poet's constellations of friendships, love, and healing.

**Nine Arches Press | 9781916760325 | £11.99 |
19/02/2026 | PB | 72pp | DCF**





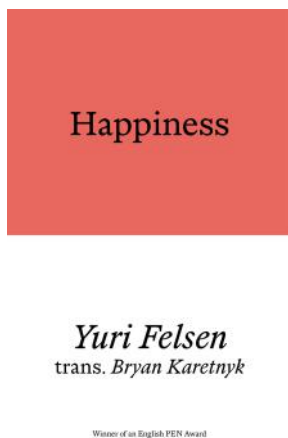
Tendrils

Edited by field notes collective

A global anthology of twenty-five poets weaving grief, joy, and solidarity into visions of kinship.

Tendrils threads through grief, joy and solidarity toward futures shaped by collaboration and care. Reaching through ecological crises, these poems seek new ways of living kinship in the more-than-human world. Bringing together twenty-five poets from around the world, this anthology gathers international voices that entangle, illuminate and resist.

**Silver Press | 9781068591853 | £13.99 | 19/02/2026
| PB | tbcpp | DCQ**



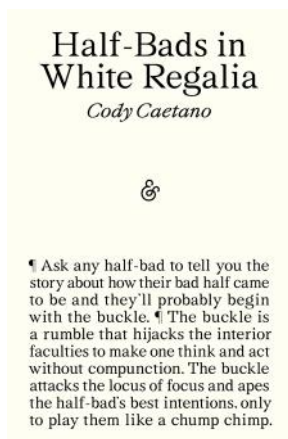
Happiness

Yuri Felsen, translated by Bryan Karetnyk

A haunting portrait of love, obsession and exile.

Happiness is the second part of **Yuri Felsen's** *The Recurrence of Things Past* trilogy, following the critically acclaimed *Deceit*, which Prototype published in 2022 to critical acclaim. Both subtle and profound in its exploration of love, art, literature, and human frailty, Felsen's trilogy traces the tormented romance of its protagonist alongside his artistic evolution, standing at the forefront of aesthetic and philosophical currents in European modernism.

**Prototype Publishing | 9781913513849 | £12.99 |
26/02/2026 | PB | 280pp | FYT**



Half-Bads in White Regalia

Cody Caetano

A wild, tender memoir of family, survival, and the stories we inherit.

Capturing the chaos and wonder of a precarious childhood, **Cody Caetano** delivers a fever dream coming-of-age garnished with gaming, a doomed house in Happyland, and an electric slang all his own. *Half-Bads in White Regalia* is an unforgettable debut that unspools a tangled family history with warmth, humour, and deep generosity.

**And Other Stories | 9781916751439 | £14.99 |
03/03/2026 | PB | 280pp | BM**

¶ Ask any half-bad to tell you the story about how their bad half came to be and they'll probably begin with the buckle. ¶ The buckle is a rumble that hijacks the interior faculties to make one think and act without compunction. The buckle attacks the locus of focus and apes the half-bad's best intentions, only to play them like a chump chimp.

Taiwan Travelogue

Yáng Shuāng-zǐ



¶ "Hold on. What's going on here?" ¶
I couldn't help but voice the thought
out loud. ¶ For in that moment, I
seemed to have been transported
back into the midst of Shōkyokusai
Tenkatsu's Magic Troupe. ¶ I'd
crossed paths with Tenkatsu's
troupe long ago, before I'd started
high school. They had been on tour,
and on the day they arrived in Na-
gasaki, my aunt Kikuko and I hap-
pened upon the opening parade.
Translated by Lin King

Taiwan Travelogue

Yáng Shuāng-zǐ, translated by Lin King

A bittersweet story of love nested in an artful exploration of language, history, and power.

Disguised as a translation of a rediscovered text by a Japanese writer, *Taiwan Travelogue* is a bittersweet story of love between two women. Set in May 1938, the young novelist Aoyama Chizuko sails from Japan to Taiwan where her interpreter helps her experience real island life and taste as much of its authentic cuisine as her famously monstrous appetite can bear.

And Other Stories | 9781916751651 | £14.99 |

05/03/2026 | PB | 320pp | FA

My Mummies Built a Treehouse

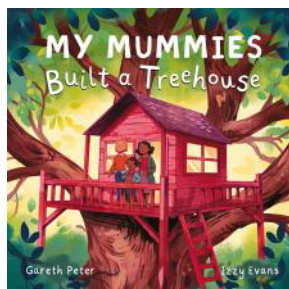
Gareth Peter, illustrated by Izzy Evans

A young boy builds his dream treehouse with the help of his two mummies.

Building a treehouse is a big project. But when your mummies are there to help you, there's nothing that can stop you! When one boy sets out to build the treehouse of his dreams, there's so much to consider – from finding the perfect tree to drawing up the plans. But one thing is for sure – he won't go far wrong with his two mummies to support him.

Lantana Publishing | 9781836290414 | £7.99 |

05/03/2026 | PB | 32pp | YBCS



Imperfect Bodies

Ali Isaac

A powerful memoir interrogating motherhood, identity, and the politics of the female body

Exploring social and political definitions of normality, **Ali Isaac** reflects on the able and dis-abled body. This memoir also delves into the experience of pregnancy, and the ways in which the female body becomes public. Central to the narrative are the following questions: is my body imperfect for conceiving a baby with a genetic disorder? Is my daughter's body imperfect?

Héloïse Press | 9781738459469 | £12.95 |

10/03/2026 | PB | 252pp | BM





Contentious Spaces

Rosaleen McDonagh

"A beautiful and disturbing book on the reality of so many Travellers' lives." Anne Burke

In *Contentious Spaces*, Traveller families in Saint Rita's face eviction, threatening their homes and heritage. Charlene endures betrayal, Kate grieves while holding her family together, Sheena seeks belonging, and Tommy watches his son unravel. As the deadline looms, they find strength in unity. This powerful novel explores identity, resilience, and the voices that refuse to be silenced.

Skein Press | 9781915017130 | £15.99 | 12/03/2026 | PB | 128pp | F

The Museum of Unnatural Histories

Annie Wenstrup

A striking debut poetry collection.

In *The Museum of Unnatural Histories*, Dena'ina poet **Annie Wenstrup** curates memory, myth, and identity through imagined exhibits and interpretive texts. Guided by Raven and The Curator, these poems reclaim Indigenous voice, challenging erasure with tenderness and precision. Wenstrup's debut is a lyrical meditation on storytelling, survival, and the quiet power of choosing how one's history is told.

the87press | 9781068488016 | £16.99 | 14/03/2026 | PB | 104pp | DCF



The Museum of Unnatural Histories / ANNIE WENSTRUP

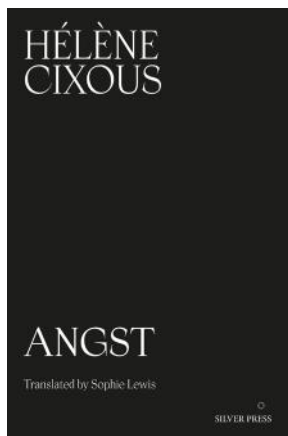
Angst

Hélène Cixous, translated by Sophie Lewis, introduction by Jamieson Webster

A masterwork of love, loss, and memory.

A woman confronts abandonment by her mother, a male god figure, and her lover, both unreachable and idealised. Through lyrical, dream-like fragments, she explores memory, desire, and forgetting, haunted by mythical hybrids and emotional torment. In a bold, poetic rush, Cixous's singular voice delivers anguish and catharsis, echoing the intensity of Duras, Ernaux, and Carson.

Silver Press | 9781739371777 | £14.99 | 16/03/2026 | PB | tbcpp | BM





Emergency Dream

Polly Atkin

Urgent new poetry exploring the inextricability of Climate Justice and Disability Justice.

Emergency Dream grows out of several entangled emergencies: social, political and personal, from climate crisis to the ongoing Covid-19 pandemic. The poems seek to show the inextricability of Climate Justice and Disability Justice, drawing on close observation of the natural world and the human world from the position of a disabled bodymind within it.

Seren | 9781781727959 | £10.99 | 16/03/2026 | PB | tbcpp | DCF



Teach Your Dog British Sign Language

Anne Cakebread

The next book in the popular language series.

A light-hearted, fully-illustrated retro-style picture book with over 60 British Sign Language phrases for you to practise with your furry best friend. Suitable as a first introduction to British Sign Language for learners of all ages: for adults who would like a fun way to pick up a few basic words so as to be more inclusive, or for children, who will love the cute pictures. Most of the words and phrases can also be used in non dog-related situations!

Y Lolfa | 9781912631582 | £5.99 | 16/03/2026 | PB | 112pp | WZG



Cherry Blossom at Nightbreak

Rishi Dastidar

Playful, profound poems.

Cherry blossom at nightbreak by Rishi Dastidar blooms with poems determined to do the generous work of love and hope – using the power of language to make change, express desire, and imagine the world as we'd like it to be. Dastidar's poems, with their deft skill in moving from the surreal to the profound, are a perfect burst of joy in challenging times, effervescent and seriously playful, romancing cityscapes and bursting with wit.

Nine Arches Press | 9781916760349 | £11.99 | 19/03/2026 | PB | 72pp | DCF



The Way the Water Held Me

Catherine Redford

A visceral, profound debut exploring grief.

While newly married, with the couple expecting their first child, **Catherine Redford**'s wife was tragically diagnosed with a terminal illness. *The Way the Water Held Me* is a mesmeric plunge into the caring, grief, loss and love experienced by a young widow. Across poems of heartbreak and honesty, Catherine Redford's debut collection is visceral, profound and alive with what it is to be human, to have lost and to find ways to continue to love.

The Emma Press | 9781915628541 | £10.99 |

19/03/2026 | PB | 80pp | DCF



In Search of Sea Dragons

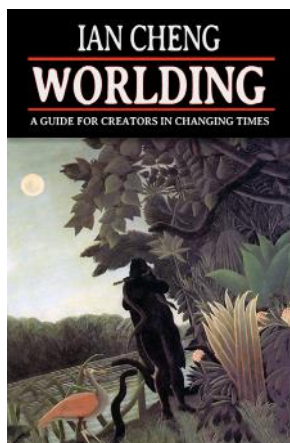
Matthew Myerscough

A fascinating account of how fossil hunting helped overcome personal challenges.

Over five years, **Matthew Myerscough** has become a respected fossil hunter, uncovering marine reptile fossils near his home. *In Search of Sea Dragons* follows his journey from beginner to expert, exploring sites in South Wales and Dorset. Alongside thrilling discoveries and practical tips, Matthew reflects on growth, purpose, and whether the journey matters more than the find.

Seren | 9781781727966 | £12.99 | 23/03/2026 | PB |

240pp | RBX



WORLDING

Ian Cheng

A practical and philosophical guide for creators navigating complex, changing realities.

What is a World? How do I create one? How do I keep it alive? And when should I set it free? There is an unnatural art emerging, ripe for our strange and complex times: *Worlding* — the practice of creating dynamic systems that take on a life of their own. Now in print for the first time, *WORLDING* is an essential handbook for artists, gamers, entrepreneurs and creators navigating uncertain times.

cosmogenesis | 9781068765728 | £14.99 |

26/03/2026 | PB | 166pp | A

The Villain's Dance

Fiston Mwanza Mujila



¶ The Madonna was not some little madam under the influence of alcohol and other beverages bereft of dosage instructions. She was no prophetess of misfortune and tall tales derived from some unknown gutter. Not even a vendor of dreams. questionable expectations. chimeras... well, you're quite cognizant of where such trinkets lead as they stream into your ears without cease.

Translated by Roland Glasser

The Villain's Dance

Fiston Mwanza Mujila, translated by Roland Glasser

Previously shortlisted for the Booker Prize

Full of wit and music, *The Villain's Dance* shows Booker-Prize longlisted author **Fiston Mwanza Mujila** is back with a bang. A journey into the chaotic heart of the Zaire-Angola borderlands of the 1990s, where a rollicking cast of characters see their fortunes rise and fall. Things are drawing to a head, but at the Mambo de la Fête, they still dance the Villain's Dance from dusk till dawn.

And Other Stories | 9781916751675 | £14.99 |

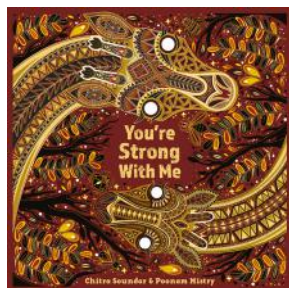
02/04/2026 | PB | 280pp | FA

You're Strong With Me

Chitra Soundar, illustrated by Poonam Mistry

A heart-warming tale of parental love full of reassurance for young children.

The rain clouds are long gone and the dry season scorches the land. Everything is new for the baby giraffe. As she bounds ahead and lags behind, her mother patiently explains the ways of the grasslands. And until she grows a little taller, older and wiser, her mother reminds her: "You're strong with me."



Lantana Publishing | 9781836290469 | £7.99 |

02/04/2026 | PB | 40pp | YBC

Undefeatable: Odesa in Love and War

Julian Evans

From love and marriage to the front line of Russia's invasion.

In 1994, **Julian Evans** stumbled upon Odesa and fell in love, with the city and later, his wife. *Undefeatable* is a deeply personal portrait of life in a city shaped by history, conflict, and resilience. As war fractures his Ukrainian family, Evans returns to a city under siege, exploring identity, belonging, and the emotional toll of Russia's war on Ukraine.

Scotland Street Press | 9781917881043 | £12.99 |

08/04/2026 | PB | 320pp | JW





Deepfake

Makis Malafekas, translated by Jenny Steel

Truth, loyalty, and the absurd theatre of modern politics— set in the heart of a sweltering, sleepless Athens.

Michalis Krokos, washed-up writer and Athens nightlife philosopher, is jolted from apathy when prosecutor Sofia reveals his long-lost friend Rebecca is in danger. To save her, he infiltrates ONET, a violent far-right group. Lies, secrets, and paranoia mount as Krokos fights to survive, and maybe write again.

**Foundry Editions | 9781917544047 | £13.99 |
14/04/2026 | PB | tbcpp | FA**



Little Bitch

Ellora Sutton

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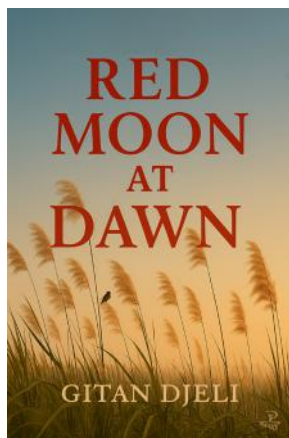
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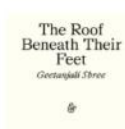
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children of the marriage parted, each
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they would run to the skylight to
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