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Since 2015, the ‘refugee crisis’ is possibly the most photographed humanitarian crisis in history. Photographs taken, for instance, in Lesbos, Greece, and Bodrum, Turkey, were instrumental in generating waves of public support for, and populist opposition to “welcoming refugees” in Europe. But photographs do not circulate in a vacuum; this book explores the visual economy of the ‘refugee crisis,’ showing how the reproduction of images is structured by, and secures hierarchies of gender, sexuality, and ‘race,’ essential to the functioning of bordered nation-states. Taking photography not only as the object of research, but innovating the method of photographia— the material trace of writing/ grafi with light/ phos— this book urges us to view images and their reproduction critically. Part theoretical text, part visual essay, *Reproducing Refugees* vividly shows how institutional violence underpins both the spectacularity and the banality of ‘crisis.’ This book goes about synthesising visual studies with queer, feminist, postcolonial, post-structuralist, and post-Marxist theories: *Reproducing Refugees: Photographia of a Crisis* offers theoretical frameworks and methodological tools to critically analyse representations, both those circulated through hegemonic institutions, and those generated from ‘below’.

It carves a space between logos and praxis , ways of knowing and ways of doing, by offering a new visual language that problematises reified categories such as that of the 'refugee' and makes possible disruptive, alternative, resistant perceptions . The book contributes to the fields of migration and border studies, critically engaging visual narratives drawn from migration movements to question dominant categories and frameworks, from a decolonial, no-borders, queer feminist perspective.

L'OTAN suscite bon nombre de questions, auxquelles ce livre répond de façon novatrice ! Pourquoi l'OTAN continue-t-elle à exister alors que l'ennemi qui a justifié sa création, l'Union soviétique, a disparu ? Ce livre répond de manière novatrice à cette question fort débattue, en traitant du développement du contre-terrorisme à l'OTAN dans les années 2000-2010. Cet ouvrage de science-politique veut éclairer les lecteurs sur les questions autour de l'OTAN. À PROPOS DE L'AUTEUR Julien Pomarède est docteur en sciences politiques et sociales de l'Université libre de Bruxelles (ULB). Il est chercheur au centre Recherche et études en politique internationale (REPI) de l'ULB. Ses recherches portent sur les relations internationales, et plus spécifiquement sur les questions de sécurité et de guerre. Il enseigne aussi ces domaines dans différentes universités.

"The central question raised here could not be more relevant, given the present tensions within the European Union. The readers will be

fascinated to see how the construction of WWI memory in a sample of countries speaks both to an Europeanisation and a nationalisation trend, thus mirroring the complex cultural dynamics at work at the EU scale." --G rard Bouchard, Universit  du Qu bec   Chicoutimi, Canada "A powerful and diverse range of interdisciplinary scholarship that offers an up-to-date appreciation of how 21st century media events and representations produce a culture of First World War memory across Europe. This book is a must read for students and researchers of media and communication studies, memory studies, history and war studies." --Joanne Garde-Hansen, University of Warwick, UK This book explores how First World War commemoration events are presented, reported and mediated on the websites of mainstream daily newspapers from seven European countries. The book is the result of a research group - DIREPA-EUROPE (Discours, repr sentations, pass  de l'Europe), part of Lemel research network - characterized by a shared interest in media discourse and online newspapers. It presents a fluid analysis chain on the commemoration discourse generated by the WWI Armistice Centenary in 2018, and will be of interest not only to scholars of discourse and media studies, but also of European history, cultural memory, journalism and conflict studies. Elisabeth Le is Professor of Applied Linguistics in the Department of Modern Languages and Cultural Studies at the University of Alberta, Canada. Luciana Radut-

Gaghi is Habilitated Associated Professor at the CY Cergy Paris Université, France. She has directed the Lemel (l'Europe dans les médias en ligne) research network since 2014. Alida Maria Silletti is Associate professor of French Language and Translation in the Department of Political Science at the University of Bari Aldo Moro, Italy. Hedwig Wagner holds a professorship in European Media Studies at the Europa-Universitaet Flensburg, Germany and is on the board of the Interdisciplinary Centre for European Studies (ICES).

Shocks and Rivalries in the Middle East and North Africa

The Northwestern Reporter

The War Against Cliche

The Configuration of the Spanish Public Sphere

The Catholic School

African Football, Identity Politics and Global Media Narratives

The Social Lives of Networked Teens

This edited volume addresses key debates around African football, identity construction, fan cultures, and both African and global media narratives. Using the 2010 FIFA World Cup in South Africa as a lens, it explores how football in Africa is intimately bound up with deeper social, cultural and political currents. Examines questions of allegiance and identity in a globalised world through the disciplines of law, politics, philosophy and psychology. While pre-modern Europe is often seen as

having an 'enchanted' or 'magical' worldview, the full implications of such labels remain inconsistently explored. Witchcraft, demonology, and debates over pious practices have provided the main avenues for treating those themes, but integrating them with other activities and ideas seen as forming an enchanted Europe has proven to be a much more difficult task. This collection offers one method of demystifying this world of everyday magic. Integrating case studies and more theoretical responses to the magical and preternatural, the authors here demonstrate that what we think of as extraordinary was often accepted as legitimate, if unusual, occurrences or practices. In their treatment of and attitudes towards spirit-assisted treasure-hunting, magical recipes, trials for sanctity, and visits by guardian angels, early modern Europeans showed more acceptance of and comfort with the extraordinary than modern scholars frequently acknowledge. Even witchcraft could be more pervasive and less threatening than many modern interpretations suggest. Magic was both mundane and mysterious in early modern Europe, and the witches who practiced it could in many ways be quite ordinary members of their communities. The

vivid cases described in this volume should make the reader question how to distinguish the ordinary and extraordinary and the extent to which those terms need to be redefined for an early modern context. They should also make more immediate a world in which magic was an everyday occurrence.

Laws of the State of Illinois Enacted by the General Assembly

All the General Laws to and Including the Legislative Session of 1935 : Complete Annotations

Raven's Guardian

The Market Reform Debate

A Digest of the Laws of Pennsylvania, from the Year One Thousand Seven Hundred to the Twenty-first Day of May, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty-one. Originally Compiled by John Purdon, Esq

The Hellbound Heart

Raven's Guardian is a steamy, sexually charged love story that leaves no detail unturned when it comes to their time together. It is a story about awakening love and commitment in a truly fictional paranormal world with its setting in the Cherokee world of North Carolina. Lucian made his way to

the Cherokee High School Field House where he knew he would find Raven with the rest of the Cherokee High School Wolverine's Cheerleading Squad; they should be about finished with practice for the day and the football season unless they made the playoffs. He leaned up against the metal cross link fence that surrounded the football field to wait; he was admittedly a little anxious about seeing Raven walk out. Even though they still maintained their steamy physical relationship, they had some issues regarding other parts of their relationship to take care of. Lucian being Wolf and Raven not, was starting to create those issues. Raven was determined that Lucian should 'change' her so they could go through the 'Bonding Ceremony' of the Wolves and become one. She felt it was the only way she would truly be a full part of his life. Lucian and his Tsa-la-gi Ani'-Wah' Ya (Cherokee: Cherokee Wolf Clan) had shut her out and not included her in the simple fact that Lucian had almost lost his life in Charlotte battling the Renegade Pack Leader, Marcus Raintree. It had cut her

to the core and hurt her like she had never been hurt before. She couldn't even compare it to the death of her Father or the situation her brother was in; it was so much more. Raven was brought into this world by the blessings of the Spirit Gods and the Fates to be Lucian Kane's True Mate; the True Mate of the Cherokee Wolf Pack's Alpha Leader, one of the strongest and most respected Pack Masters in the entire Southeastern portion of the United States; she was supposed to be his Luna and the Female Alpha Leader. Somehow her status was either ignored or overlooked.

Winner of the Longman-History Today Book Prize: A 'profoundly moving chronicle' (Observer) that tells the story of Ravensbrück, the only concentration camp designed specifically for women, using new testimony from survivors On a sunny morning in May 1939 a phalanx of 800 women - housewives, doctors, opera singers, politicians, prostitutes - were marched through the woods fifty miles north of Berlin, driven on past a shining lake, then herded through giant

gates. Whipping and kicking them were scores of German women guards. Their destination was Ravensbrück, a concentration camp designed specifically for women by Heinrich Himmler, prime architect of the Nazi genocide. For decades the story of Ravensbrück was hidden behind the Iron Curtain and today is still little known. Using testimony unearthed since the end of the Cold War, and interviews with survivors who have never spoken before, Helm has ventured into the heart of the camp, demonstrating for the reader in riveting detail how easily and quickly the unthinkable horror evolved. 'It not only fills a gap in Holocaust history but it is an utterly compelling read' Taylor Downing, *History Today* 'A sense of urgency infuses this history, which comes just in time to gather the testimony of the camp's survivors . . . meticulous, unblinking . . . [Helm's] book comes not a moment too soon' *The Economist*

Winner of a Betty Trask Award
Shortlisted for the Dylan Thomas Prize
and the Commonwealth Book Prize

Longlisted for the Desmond Elliot Prize
The Spider King's Daughter is a modern-day Romeo and Juliet set against the backdrop of a changing Lagos, a city torn between tradition and modernity, corruption and truth, love and family loyalty. Seventeen-year-old Abike Johnson is the favourite child of her wealthy father. She lives in a She lives in a sprawling mansion in Lagos, protected by armed guards and ferried everywhere in a huge black jeep. But being her father's favourite comes with uncomfortable duties, and she is often lonely behind the high walls of her house. A world away from Abike's mansion, in the city's slums, lives a seventeen-year-old hawker struggling to make sense of the world. His family lost everything after his father's death and now he runs after cars on the roadside selling ice cream to support his mother and sister. When Abike buys ice cream from the hawker one day, they strike up an unlikely and tentative romance, defying the prejudices of Nigerian society. But as they grow closer, revelations from the past threaten their relationship and both

Abike and the hawker must decide where their loyalties lie.

Photographia of a Crisis

Britain's Private School Problem

It's Complicated

Everyday Magic in Early Modern Europe

The Trespasser

The Revised Statutes of the State of Illinois

The Library at Night

The bestselling novel by Tana French, author of the forthcoming novel *The Searcher*, is "required reading for anyone who appreciates tough, unflinching intelligence and ingenious plotting" (*The New York Times*). She "inspires cultic devotion in readers" (*The New Yorker*) and is "the most important crime novelist to emerge in the past 10 years" (*The Washington Post*). "Atmospheric and unputdownable." —*People In* bestselling author Tana French's newest "tour de force" (*The New York Times*), being on the Murder Squad is nothing like Detective Antoinette Conway dreamed it would be. Her partner, Stephen Moran, is the only person who seems glad she's there. The rest of her working life is a stream of thankless cases, vicious pranks, and harassment. Antoinette is savagely tough, but she's

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getting close to the breaking point. Their new case looks like yet another by-the-numbers lovers' quarrel gone bad. Aislinn Murray is blond, pretty, groomed-to-a-shine, and dead in her catalog-perfect living room, next to a table set for a romantic dinner. There's nothing unusual about her—except that Antoinette's seen her somewhere before. And that her death won't stay in its neat by-numbers box. Other detectives are trying to push Antoinette and Steve into arresting Aislinn's boyfriend, fast. There's a shadowy figure at the end of Antoinette's road. Aislinn's friend is hinting that she knew Aislinn was in danger. And everything they find out about Aislinn takes her further from the glossy, passive doll she seemed to be. Antoinette knows the harassment has turned her paranoid, but she can't tell just how far gone she is. Is this case another step in the campaign to force her off the squad, or are there darker currents flowing beneath its polished surface?

The multi-award-winning China Miéville has been called 'the equal of David Mitchell or Zadie Smith' (Scotland on Sunday), a writer whose 'inventiveness and precision is awesome' (Independent), and who writes with 'an imagination of immense power'

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(Guardian). In these twenty-eight short stories, glistening icebergs float above urban horizons; a burning stag runs wild through the city; the ruins of industry emerge unsteadily from the sea; and the abandoned generations in a decayed space-elevator look not up at the stars but down at the Earth. Ranging from portraits of childhood to chilling ghost stories, from dystopian visions to poignant evocations of uncanny love, with beautiful prose and melancholy wit, *Three Moments of an Explosion* is a breath-taking collection that poses searching questions of what it is to be human in an unquiet world. It is a humane and unsentimental investigation of our society, our world, and ourselves. One of TIME's Ten Best Nonfiction Books of the Decade "Meet the new Stephen Hawking . . . The Order of Time is a dazzling book." --The Sunday Times From the bestselling author of *Seven Brief Lessons on Physics*, *Reality Is Not What It Seems*, and *Helgoland*, comes a concise, elegant exploration of time. Why do we remember the past and not the future? What does it mean for time to "flow"? Do we exist in time or does time exist in us? In lyric, accessible prose, Carlo Rovelli invites us to consider questions about the nature of time that continue to puzzle physicists

and philosophers alike. For most readers this is unfamiliar terrain. We all experience time, but the more scientists learn about it, the more mysterious it remains. We think of it as uniform and universal, moving steadily from past to future, measured by clocks. Rovelli tears down these assumptions one by one, revealing a strange universe where at the most fundamental level time disappears. He explains how the theory of quantum gravity attempts to understand and give meaning to the resulting extreme landscape of this timeless world. Weaving together ideas from philosophy, science and literature, he suggests that our perception of the flow of time depends on our perspective, better understood starting from the structure of our brain and emotions than from the physical universe. Already a bestseller in Italy, and written with the poetic vitality that made *Seven Brief Lessons on Physics* so appealing, *The Order of Time* offers a profoundly intelligent, culturally rich, novel appreciation of the mysteries of time.

Infinite Jest

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The Isle of Pines (1668)

Embracing All General Laws of the State of Illinois in Force August 1, 1929

Une autre idée du jeu vidéo

The Centenary of World War One in Europe

How China Escaped Shock Therapy

A rigorous, compelling and balanced examination of the British public school system and the inequalities it entrenches. Private schools are institutions that children who are already privileged attend and have those privileges further entrenched, almost certainly for life, through a high-quality, richly-resourced education. The Engines of Privilege contends that in a society that mouths the virtues of equality of opportunity, of fairness and of social cohesion, the continuation of this educational apartheid amounts to an act of national self-harm that does all of us serious damage. Intrinsic to any vision of the future of Britain has to be the nature of our educational system. Yet the quality of conversation on the issue of private education remains surprisingly sterile, patchy and highly subjective. Accessible, evidence-based and inclusive, Engines of Privilege aims to kick-start a long overdue national debate. Clear, vigorous prose is combined with forensic analysis to compelling effect, illuminating the painful contrast between the importance of private schools in British society and the near-absence of serious, policy-making debate, above all on the left.

“A timely account of how the 1% holds on to their wealth...Ought to keep wealth managers awake at night.” —Wall Street Journal “Harrington advises governments seeking to address inequality to focus not

only on the rich but also on the professionals who help them game the system.” —Richard Cooper, Foreign Affairs “An insight unlike any other into how wealth management works.” —Felix Martin, New Statesman “One of those rare books where you just have to stand back in awe and wonder at the author’s achievement...Harrington offers profound insights into the world of the professional people who dedicate their lives to meeting the perceived needs of the world’s ultra-wealthy.” —Times Higher Education How do the ultra-rich keep getting richer, despite taxes on income, capital gains, property, and inheritance? Capital without Borders tackles this tantalizing question through a groundbreaking multi-year investigation of the men and women who specialize in protecting the fortunes of the world’s richest people. Brooke Harrington followed the money to the eighteen most popular tax havens in the world, interviewing wealth managers to understand how they help their high-net-worth clients dodge taxes, creditors, and disgruntled heirs—all while staying just within the letter of the law. She even trained to become a wealth manager herself in her quest to penetrate the fascinating, shadowy world of the guardians of the one percent.

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The General Laws of Pennsylvania from the Year 1700, to April 1849

The Guardian Deities of Tibet

The Order of Time

***Chronologically Arranged : with Notes and References
to All the Decisions of the Supreme Court of
Pennsylvania, Giving Construction to Said Laws : and a
Copius and Minute Index***

***Modern Fascism and the Feminist Fightback
Cases Determined in the Supreme Court of the State of
Oklahoma***

Herbert Vanlennert

Since the explosion of the indignados movement beginning in 2011, there has been a renewed interest in the concept of the “public sphere” in a Spanish context: how it relates to society and to political power, and how it has evolved over the centuries.

The Configuration of the Spanish Public Sphere brings together contributions from leading scholars in Hispanic studies, across a wide range of disciplines, to investigate various aspects of these processes, offering a long-term, panoramic view that touches on one of the most urgent issues for contemporary European societies.

A gargantuan, mind-altering comedy about the Pursuit of Happiness in America Set in an addicts' halfway house and a tennis academy, and featuring the most endearingly screwed-up family to come along in recent fiction, Infinite Jest explores essential questions about what entertainment is and why it has come to so dominate our lives; about how our desire for entertainment affects our need to connect with other people; and about what the

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pleasures we choose say about who we are. Equal parts philosophical quest and screwball comedy, *Infinite Jest* bends every rule of fiction without sacrificing for a moment its own entertainment value. It is an exuberant, uniquely American exploration of the passions that make us human - and one of those rare books that renew the idea of what a novel can do. "The next step in fiction...Edgy, accurate, and darkly witty...Think Beckett, think Pynchon, think Gaddis. Think." --Sven Birkerts, *The Atlantic*

The theme of this meeting was the management of technologies in the context of developing countries, and in the light of recent developments concerning especially open source software and applications. Speakers from various countries debated in English and in French over the importance of changing the rules concerning library management systems, as well as related implications. Results show that open source software might be a solution, although some conditions apply.

Réunis sous le thème de la gestion des systèmes automatisés de bibliothèques dans les pays en développement, conférenciers et participants discutèrent des changements récents dans ce domaine, notamment de l'apport des logiciels à code source ouvert. Les conférenciers, provenant de différents pays, présentèrent en anglais et en français leurs différents points de vue et expériences sur cette question importante pour l'avenir, de même que sur les implications qui y sont

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liées. Les résultats démontrent que les logiciels à code source ouverts peuvent être une solution, mais à certaines conditions. Embracing All Laws of a General Nature in Force July 1, 1895, with Notes and References to Judicial Decisions Construing Their Provisions

A Novel

Jerusalem

Three Moments of an Explosion: Stories

Capital without Borders

Inside Ravensbruck: Hitler's Concentration Camp for Women

The Spider King's Daughter

Dans les coulisses de la création de la trilogie de Fumito Ueda. En raison de leur singularité et de la marque indélébile qu'elles ont laissée chez certains joueurs, les œuvres de Fumito Ueda (ICO, Shadow of the Colossus et The Last Guardian) sont constamment citées lors des débats sur l'art et le jeu vidéo. Un visuel travaillé, une « impression poétique » et des émotions suffisent-ils à faire d'une œuvre une forme d'art ? Pour répondre à cette question, il est d'abord nécessaire de s'attarder sur les coulisses de leur création, sur ce qu'ils racontent et la manière dont ils le font. Ensuite, seulement, il sera possible d'entrer dans le vif du débat. Ses trois jeux sont bien le reflet d'un tout cohérent, personnel, unique, qui a ému à vie certains joueurs et marqué l'histoire du jeu vidéo. Cet ouvrage s'intéresse à la question de l'essence artistique du jeu vidéo, une interrogation emblématique qui continue de faire débat aujourd'hui. EXTRAIT Le jeu vidéo est, dans la majorité des cas, une industrie de création collective au même titre que le cinéma. Les films, quand ils ne sont pas phagocytés par un cahier des charges faramineux imposé par des producteurs et des actionnaires, sont toutefois plus enclins à être portés par

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une vision, celle du réalisateur. Celui-ci peut être vu comme un auteur au sens fort du terme. Dans le jeu vidéo, les auteurs ne sont guère nombreux, ou rarement mis en avant. Fumito Ueda fait incontestablement partie de ceux-là. Avec ICO, Shadow of the Colossus et The Last Guardian, il a prouvé qu'il était possible de concevoir un jeu vidéo dont chaque pore, chaque élément, porte la sensibilité artistique et philosophique de son créateur. C'est pourquoi le chapitre « Création » va s'articuler essentiellement autour de la personnalité de cet homme. Il ne faut pas, bien sûr, perdre de vue le caractère indispensable de ceux qui ont travaillé avec lui au sein de la Team ICO, de genDESIGN et de Japan Studio, pour donner corps à ces trois jeux jusque dans les plus infimes détails. Sans oublier le rôle essentiel qu'a joué le producteur Kenji Kaido pour ICO et Shadow of the Colossus, en s'assurant que l'équipe disposait de toutes les ressources nécessaires et du soutien de Sony pour mener à bien les deux projets. À PROPOS DE L'AUTEUR Passionné de cinéma et de jeu vidéo, Damien Mecheri intègre la rédaction du magazine Gameplay RPG en 2004 en signant plusieurs articles du deuxième hors-série consacré à la saga Final Fantasy. C'est avec cette même équipe que Damien poursuit son travail en 2006 au sein d'une autre publication intitulée Background, avant de continuer l'aventure sur Internet, en 2008, avec le site Gameweb.fr. Depuis 2011, en plus d'une expérience de journaliste radio, il écrit des articles consacrés à la musique pour de nombreux ouvrages édités par Pix'n Love, tels que Zelda. Chronique d'une saga légendaire, Metal Gear Solid. Une œuvre culte de Hideo Kojima, La Légende Final Fantasy VII et IX, Castlevania. Le Manuscrit maudit ou encore BioShock. De Rapture à Columbia. Il est aussi l'auteur de l'ouvrage Video Game Music. Histoire de la musique de jeu. A semiautobiographical coming-of-age story, framed by the harrowing 1975 Circeo massacre Edoardo Albinati's The Catholic School, the winner of Italy's most prestigious award,

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The Strega Prize, is a powerful investigation of the heart and soul of contemporary Italy. Three well-off young men—former students at Rome’s prestigious all-boys Catholic high school San Leone Magno—brutally tortured, raped, and murdered two young women in 1975. The event, which came to be known as the Circeo massacre, shocked and captivated the country, exposing the violence and dark underbelly of the upper middle class at a moment when the traditional structures of family and religion were seen as under threat. It is this environment, the halls of San Leone Magno in the late 1960s and the 1970s, that Edoardo Albinati takes as his subject. His experience at the school, reflections on his adolescence, and thoughts on the forces that produced contemporary Italy are painstakingly and thoughtfully rendered, producing a remarkable blend of memoir, coming-of-age novel, and true-crime story. Along with indelible portraits of his teachers and fellow classmates—the charming Arbus, the literature teacher Cosmos, and his only Fascist friend, Max—Albinati also gives us his nuanced reflections on the legacy of abuse, the Italian bourgeoisie, and the relationship between sex, violence, and masculinity.

A masterpiece of nature writing from the author of *The Running Sky* One December, in midsummer South Africa, Tim Dee was watching swallows. They were at home there, but the same birds would soon begin journeying north to Europe, where their arrival marks the beginning of spring. Between the winter and the summer solstice in Europe, spring moves north at about the speed of swallow flight. That is also close to human walking pace. In the light of these happy coincidences, Greenery recounts how Tim Dee tries to travel with the season and its migratory birds, making remarkable journeys to keep in step with the very best days of the year, the time of buds and blossoms and leafing, the time of song and nests and eggs. After South Africa, we follow European migrants staging in Chad and Ethiopia, and on across the colossal and

incomprehensible Sahara. We accompany storks venturing the Straits of Gibraltar, honey buzzards dodging Sicilian hunters, and tiny landbirds finding haven on the curious island of Heligoland. A diary of the spring spreading through Britain with a magic trinity of oak-tree-loving birds interleaves the continental greening. We read of other determined spring-seekers: D. H. Lawrence and Samuel Taylor Coleridge. We hear from a Sámi reindeer herder, a barn-dwelling swallow-devotee, an Egyptian taxi driver, a chronobiologist in arctic Norway. There are bears and boars and bog-bodies too. Greenery is a masterpiece of nature writing, deeply informed, expansive and often profoundly beautiful. Tim Dee's journey ends where the greenery of the European spring ends: on the shores of the Arctic Ocean in northern Scandinavia, where, yes, there are swallows in midsummer as there were at the Cape of Good Hope in December.

Contre-terrorisme et organisation transnationale de la violence
Greenery

Proceedings of the IFLA Pre-Conference Satellite Meeting
Dakar, Sénégal, August 15-16 2007

Sexual Revolution

If This Is A Woman

The Legacy of the FIFA 2010 World Cup

Media Discourse of Commemoration

Shocks and Rivalries in the Middle East and North Africa is the first book to examine issue-driven antagonisms within groups of Middle East and North Africa (MENA) states and their impact on relations within the region. The volume also considers how shock events, such as internal revolts and regional wars, can alter interstate tensions and the trajectory of conflict. MENA has experienced more internal rivalries than any other region, making a detailed analysis vital to understanding the region's complex political, cultural, and economic

history. The state groupings studied in this volume include Israel and Iran; Iran and Saudi Arabia; Iran and Turkey; Iran, Iraq, and Syria; Egypt and Saudi Arabia; and Algeria and Morocco. Essays are theoretically driven, breaking the MENA region down into a collection of systems that exemplify how state and nonstate actors interact around certain issues. Through this approach, contributors shed rare light on the origins, persistence, escalation, and resolution of MENA rivalries and trace significant patterns of regional change. Shocks and Rivalries in the Middle East and North Africa makes a major contribution to scholarship on MENA antagonisms. It not only addresses an understudied phenomenon in the international relations of the MENA region, it also expands our knowledge of rivalry dynamics in global politics.

The New York Times bestseller from the author of Watchmen and V for Vendetta finally appears in a one-volume paperback. Begging comparisons to Tolstoy and Joyce, this “magnificent, sprawling cosmic epic” (Guardian) by Alan Moore—the genre-defying, “groundbreaking, hairy genius of our generation” (NPR)—takes its place among the most notable works of contemporary English literature. In decaying Northampton, eternity loiters between housing projects. Among saints, kings, prostitutes, and derelicts, a timeline unravels: second-century fiends wait in urine-scented stairwells, delinquent specters undermine a century with tunnels, and in upstairs parlors, laborers with golden blood reduce fate to a snooker tournament. Through the labyrinthine streets and pages of Jerusalem tread ghosts singing hymns of wealth and poverty. They celebrate the English language, challenge mortality post-Einstein, and insist upon their slum as Blake’s eternal holy city in

“Moore’s apotheosis, a fourth-dimensional symphony” (Entertainment Weekly). This “brilliant . . . monumentally ambitious” tale from the gutter is “a massive literary achievement for our time—and maybe for all times simultaneously” (Washington Post).

Reproduction of the original: The Isle of Pines (1668) by Henry Neville

L'œuvre de Fumito Ueda

Reproducing Refugees

Engines of Privilege

From the Enlightenment to the Indignados

Managing Technologies and Automated Library Systems in Developing Countries: Open Source vs Commercial Options

Essays and Reviews 1971-2000

Allegiance and Identity in a Globalised World

This is a story about how modern masculinity is killing the world, and how feminism can save it. It's a story about sex and power and trauma and resistance and persistence. It's a story about how you can track the crisis of democracy against the crisis of White masculinity, and how the far right is rising in response to both.

It's a story about a social change. And at the centre of that story is one simple idea: we are in the middle of a sexual revolution.

Laurie Penny charts how, in our era of crisis, we are also witnessing a productive transformation: profound and permanent changes in how we define gender, sex, consent and whose bodies matter. These changes threaten the social and economic certainties that form our world. They threaten existing power structures, and they undermine the authority of institutions from the waged workplace to the nuclear family. No wonder the far right is fighting back so hard. Sexual Revolution is a hand grenade of a book: both a manifesto for social change and

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a story of how feminism can save us.

Is there anything that Martin Amis can't write about? In this virtuosic, career-spanning collection he takes on James Joyce and Elvis Presley, Nabokov and English football, Jane Austen and Penthouse Forum, William Burroughs and Hillary Clinton. But above all, Amis is concerned with literature, and with the deadly clichés – not only of the pen, but of the mind and the heart. In *The War Against Cliché*, Amis serves up fresh assessments of the classics and plucks neglected masterpieces off their dusty shelves. He tilts with Cervantes, Dickens and Milton, celebrates Bellow, Updike and Elmore Leonard, and deflates some of the most bloated reputations of the past three decades. On every page Amis writes with jaw-dropping felicity, wit, and a subversive brilliance that sheds new light on everything he touches.

Surveys the online social habits of American teens and analyzes the role technology and social media plays in their lives, examining common misconceptions about such topics as identity, privacy, danger, and bullying.

Wealth Managers and the One Percent

The North Carolina Code of 1935

Revised Statutes of the State of Illinois

The Gift

La Fabrique de l'OTAN

In the tradition of A History of Reading, this book is an account of Manguel's astonishment at the variety, beauty and persistence of our efforts to shape the world and our lives, most notably through something almost as old as reading itself: libraries. The Library at Night begins with the design and construction of Alberto Manguel's own library at his house in western France – a process that raises puzzling questions about

his past and his reading habits, as well as broader ones about the nature of categories, catalogues, architecture and identity. Thematically organized and beautifully illustrated, this book considers libraries as treasure troves and architectural spaces; it looks on them as autobiographies of their owners and as statements of national identity. It examines small personal libraries and libraries that started as philanthropic ventures, and analyzes the unending promise - and defects - of virtual ones. It compares different methods of categorization (and what they imply) and libraries that have built up by chance as opposed to by conscious direction. In part this is because this is about the library at night, not during the day: this book takes in what happens after the lights go out, when the world is sleeping, when books become the rightful owners of the library and the reader is the interloper. Then all daytime order is upended: one book calls to another across the shelves, and new alliances are created across time and space. And so, as well as the best design for a reading room and the makeup of Robinson Crusoe's library, this book dwells on more "nocturnal" subjects: fictional libraries like those carried by Count Dracula and Frankenstein's monster; shadow libraries of lost and censored books; imaginary libraries of books not yet written. The Library at Night is a fascinating voyage through the mind of one our most beloved men of letters. It is an invitation into his memory and vast knowledge of books and civilizations, and throughout - though mostly implicitly - it is also a passionate defence of literacy, of the

unique pleasures of reading, of the importance of the book. As much as anything else, The Library at Night reminds us of what a library stands for: the possibility of illumination, of a better path for our society and for us as individuals. That hope too, at the close, is replaced by something that fits this personal and eclectic book even better: something more fragile, and evanescent than illumination, though just as important. China has become deeply integrated into the world economy. Yet, gradual marketization has facilitated the country's rise without leading to its wholesale assimilation to global neoliberalism. This book uncovers the fierce contest about economic reforms that shaped China's path. In the first post-Mao decade, China's reformers were sharply divided. They agreed that China had to reform its economic system and move toward more marketization—but struggled over how to go about it. Should China destroy the core of the socialist system through shock therapy, or should it use the institutions of the planned economy as market creators? With hindsight, the historical record proves the high stakes behind the question: China embarked on an economic expansion commonly described as unprecedented in scope and pace, whereas Russia's economy collapsed under shock therapy. Based on extensive research, including interviews with key Chinese and international participants and World Bank officials as well as insights gleaned from unpublished documents, the book charts the debate that ultimately enabled China to follow a path to gradual reindustrialization. Beyond shedding light on the

crossroads of the 1980s, it reveals the intellectual foundations of state-market relations in reform-era China through a longue durée lens. Overall, the book delivers an original perspective on China's economic model and its continuing contestations from within and from without.

The classic tale of supernatural obsession from the critically acclaimed master of darkness—and the inspiration for the cult classic film Hellraiser From his scores of short stories, bestselling novels, and major motion pictures, no one comes close to the vivid imagination and unique terrors provided by Clive Barker. The Hellbound Heart is one of Barker's best—a nerve-shattering novella about the human heart and all the great terrors and ecstasies within its endless domain. It is about greed and love, desire and death, life and captivity, bells and blood. It is one of the most frightening stories you are likely to ever read. Frank Cotton's insatiable appetite for the dark pleasures of pain led him to the puzzle of Lemarchand's box, and from there, to a death only a sick-minded soul could invent. But his brother's love-crazed wife, Julia, has discovered a way to bring Frank back—though the price will be bloody and terrible . . . and there will certainly be hell to pay.