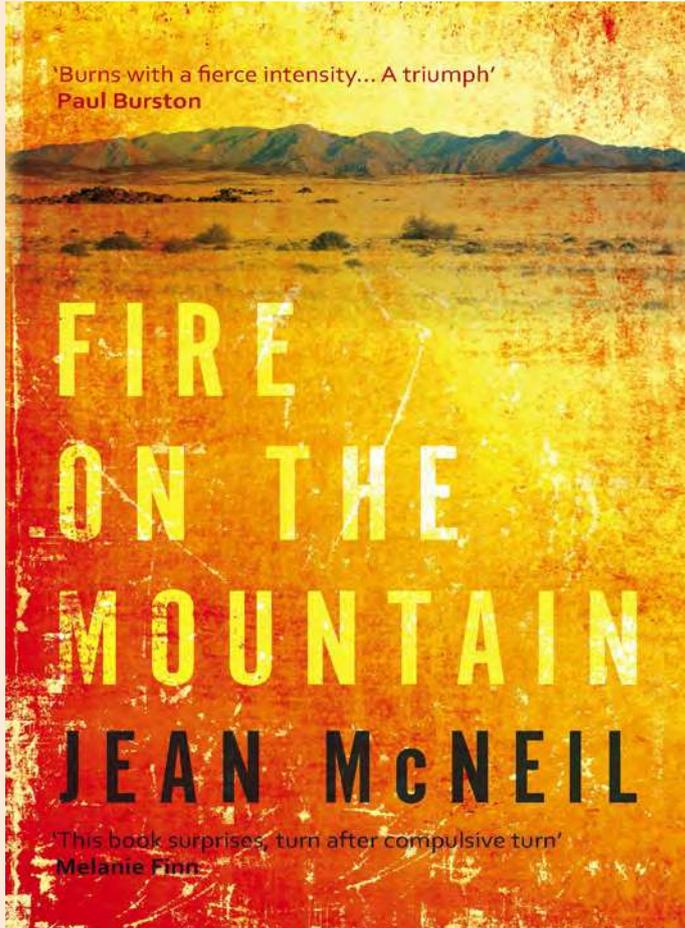


FIRE ON THE MOUNTAIN

JEAN MCNEIL



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Comparison Titles:

Brokeback Mountain, JM Coetzee & Damon Galgut

The Author:

Jean McNeil is a prolific fiction and non-fiction author whose work has been nominated for and won several major international awards. She is a Senior Lecturer at the University of East Anglia. Her first novel with Legend Press and seventh overall publication was *The Dhow House* (2016).

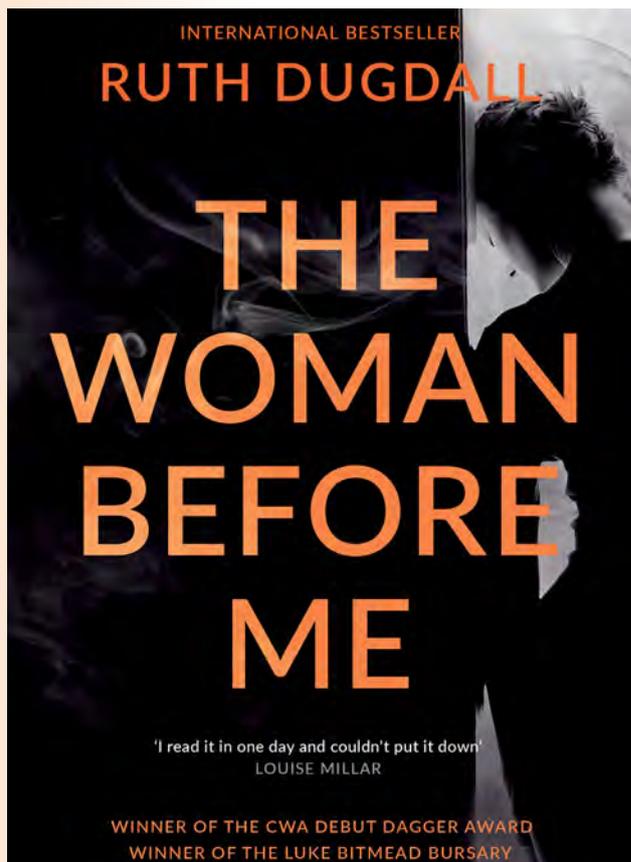
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THE WOMAN BEFORE ME

RUTH DUGDALL

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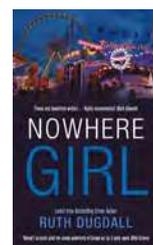
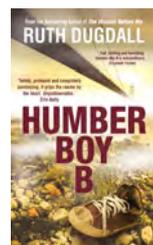
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Other books by the author:
The Sacrificial Man (2011)
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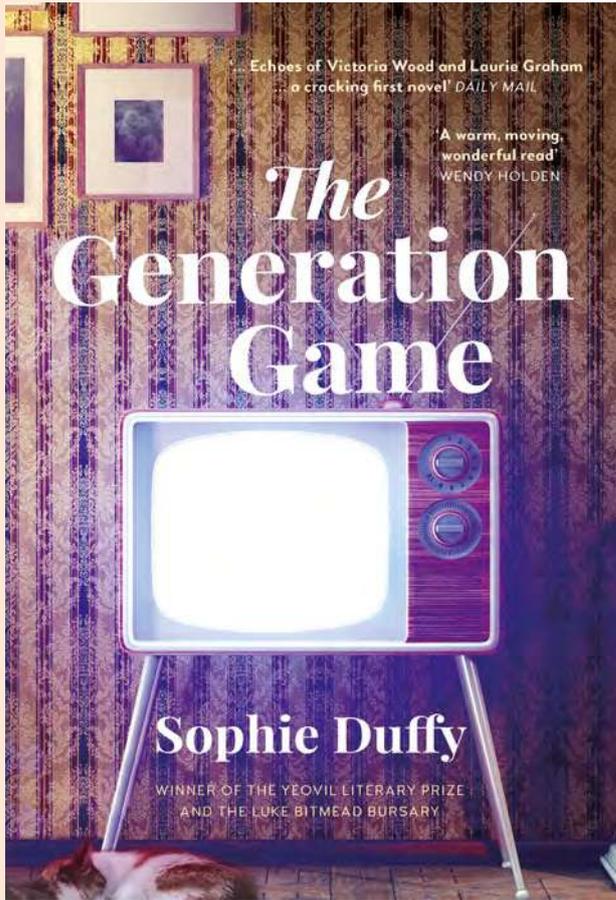
Ruth worked as a Probation Officer for almost a decade, working in high security prisons with numerous high-risk criminals. Her writing is heavily influenced by her professional background, providing authenticity and credibility to the crime genre. She currently lives in Luxembourg.

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THE GENERATION GAME

SOPHIE DUFFY



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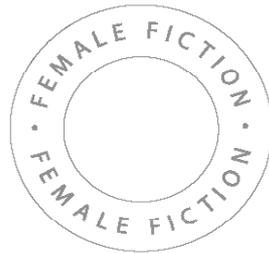
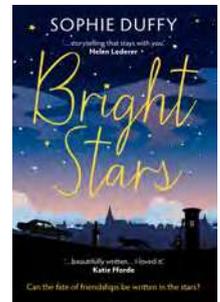
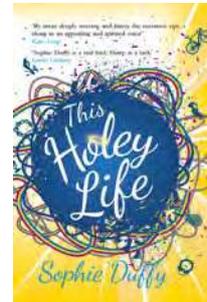
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Other books by the author:

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- Pays tribute to Bruce Forsyth and the show *Generation Game*

Comparitive Authors:

Kate Atkinson & Rosie Thomas

The Author:

Sophie currently lives in Teignmouth, Devon with her husband and three children. *The Generation Game* was inspired by her childhood growing up in a sweet shop in Torquay.

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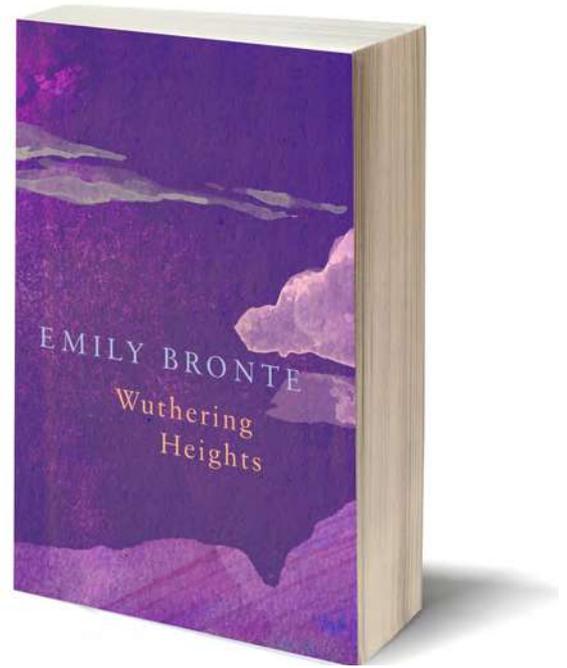
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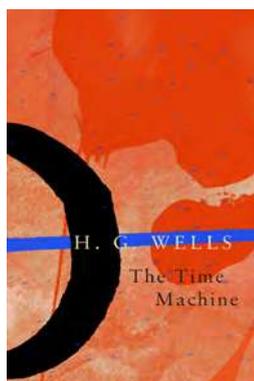
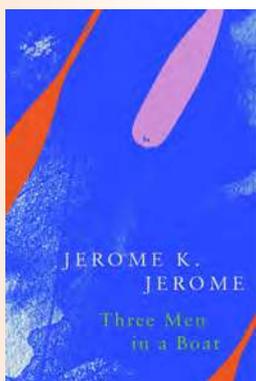
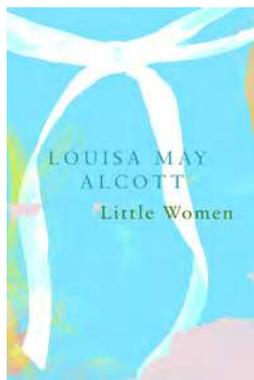
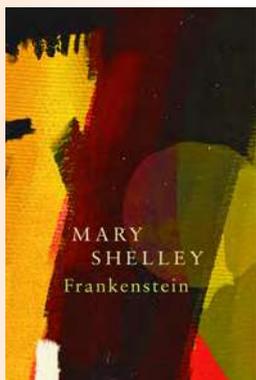
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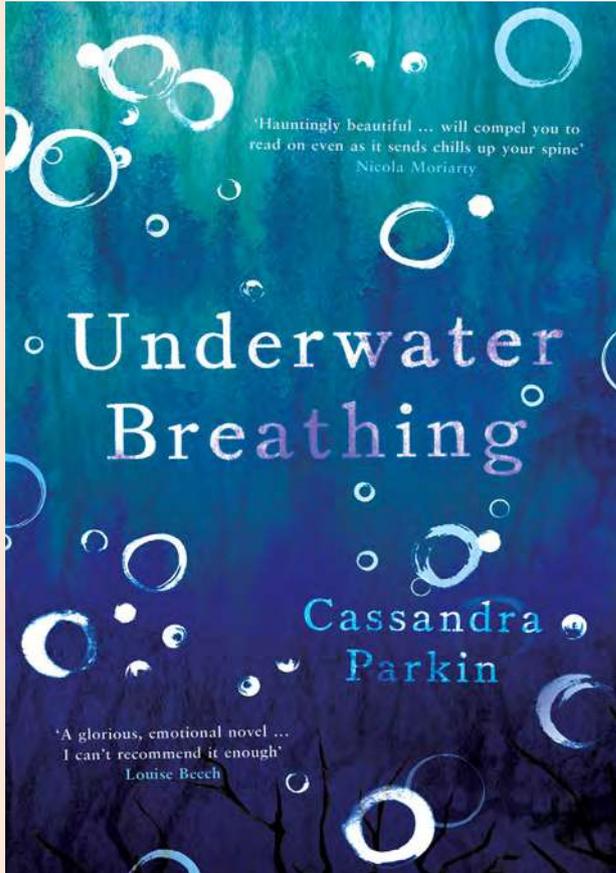
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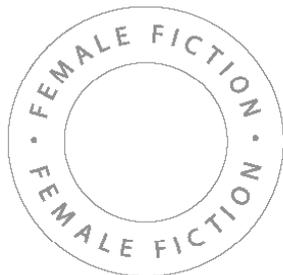
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On Yorkshire's gradually-crumbling mud cliffs sits an Edwardian seaside house. In the bathroom, Jacob and Ella hide from their parents' passionate arguments by playing the 'Underwater Breathing' game – until the day Jacob wakes to find his mother and sister gone.

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Other books by the author:

The Summer We All Ran Away (2013)

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Can a crumbling family structure mend the ties that bind them?

Key Selling Points:

- Shortlisted for Amazon Rising Star award
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Comparative Authors:

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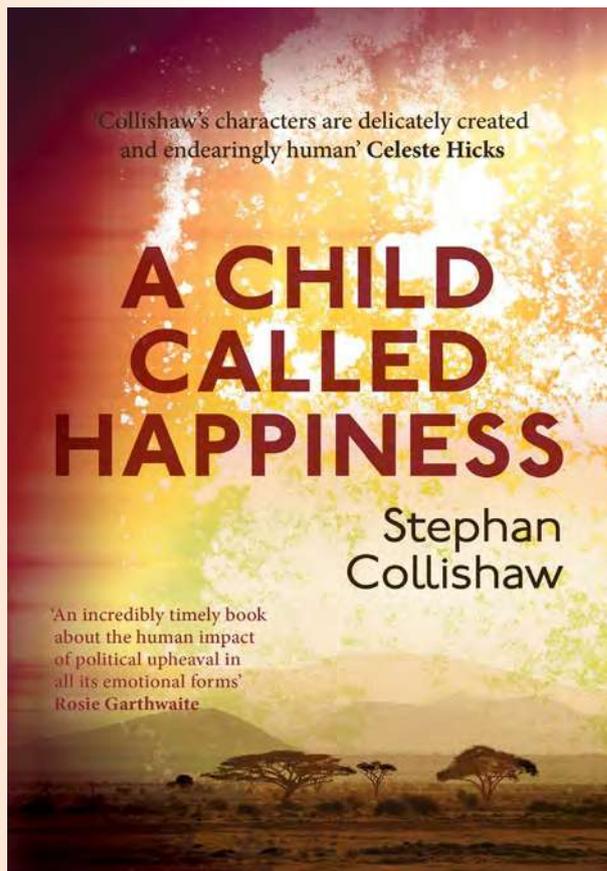
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A CHILD CALLED HAPPINESS

STEPHAN COLLISHAW



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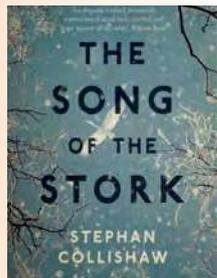
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Other books by the author:

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Three days after arriving in Zimbabwe, Natalie discovers an abandoned newborn baby on a hill near her uncle's farm.

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A Child Called Happiness is a story of hope, resilience and reclamation, proving that the choices made by our ancestors echo for many generations to come.

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Celeste Hicks

'An incredibly timely book about the human impact of political upheaval in all its emotional forms. It places you right there in Zimbabwe'

Rosie Garthwaite



A story of love and consequences that spans generations

Key Selling Points:

- Stephan was selected as one of the British Council's 20 best young British novelists
- Stephan visited Zimbabwe and Zambia in 1989-1990 during the last days of Kaunda's dictatorship, he uses this experience to accurately cover the topical Mugabe dictatorship.

Comparison Titles:

Homegoing & *Stay With Me*

The Author:

Stephan Collishaw was brought up on a Nottingham council estate and failed all of his O-levels. His first novel *The Last Girl* (2003) was chosen by the Independent on Sunday as one of its Novels of the Year. His brother is the renowned artist, Mat Collishaw. Stephan now works as a teacher in Nottingham, having also lived and worked abroad in Lithuania and Mallorca.

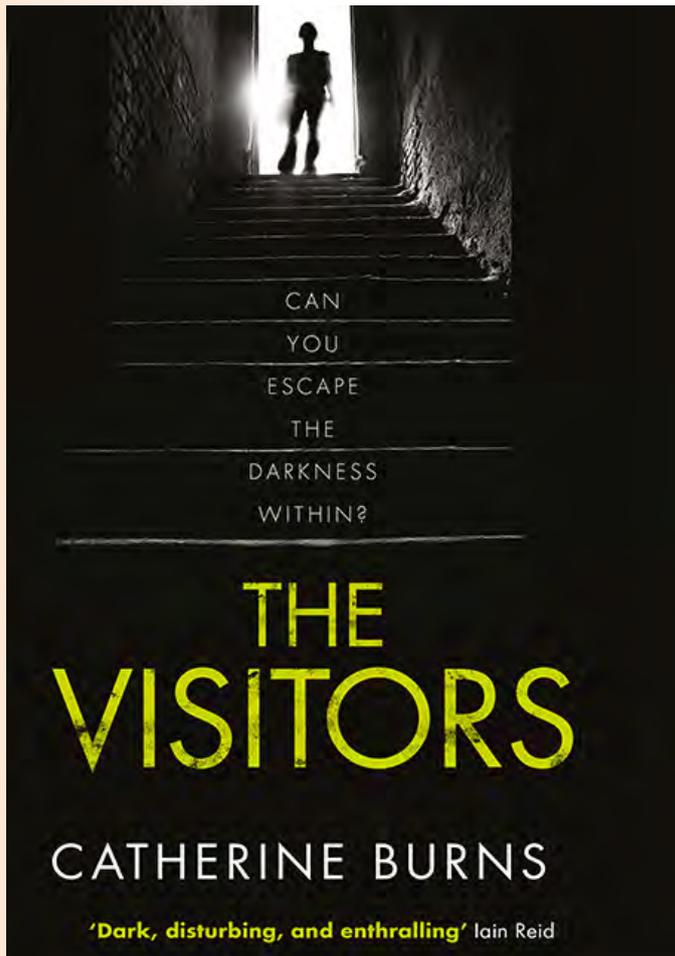
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THE VISITORS

CATHERINE BURNS



Marion Zetland lives with her domineering older brother, John, in a decaying Georgian townhouse on the edge of a northern seaside resort. A timid spinster in her fifties who still sleeps with teddy bears, Marion does her best to shut out the shocking secret that John keeps in the cellar.

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As questions are asked and secrets unravel, maybe John isn't the only one with a dark side.

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The greatly anticipated international thriller

Key Selling Points:

- Worldwide Publication: Hachette in Australia and Simon & Schuster in N. America
- Inspired by highly publicised crimes: Josef Fritzl & the imprisonment of Natacha Kampusch
- Confirmed front of shop UK promotion

Comparison Titles:

Grey Gardens and *Room*

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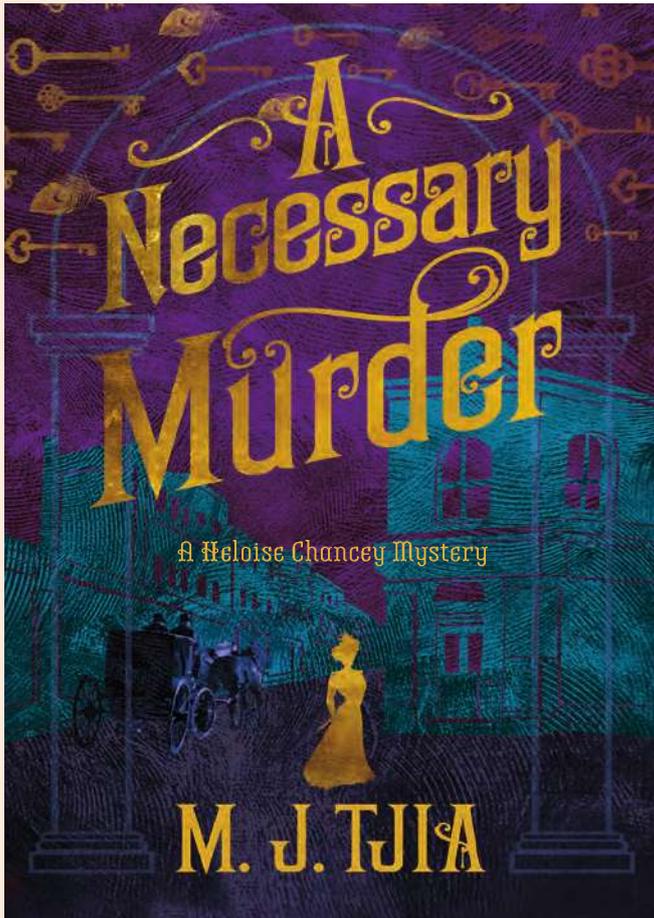
Residing in Manchester, Catherine Burns is a graduate of Trinity College Cambridge. She worked as a bond trader in London before studying at the Moscow Institute of Film, and teaching film theory at Salford University. *The Visitors* is her debut novel

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A NECESSARY MURDER

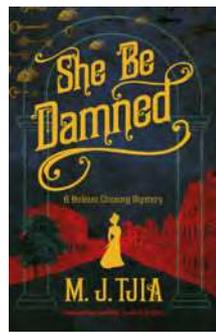
M. J. TJIA



Stoke Newington, 1863: Little Margaret Lovejoy is found brutally murdered in the outhouse at her family's estate.

A few days later, a man is cut down in a similar manner on the doorstep of courtesan and professional detective at Heloise Chancey's prestigious address. At the same time, Heloise's maid, Amah Li Leen, must confront events from her past that appear to have erupted into the present day.

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Other books by this author:
She Be Damned (2017)



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Heloise Chancey: London courtesan or professional sleuth?

Key Selling Points:

- Award-winning Eurasian author interested in portraying racially hybridised characters.
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Target Market:

Women, readers of crime

Comparison Authors:

Agatha Christie & Val McDermid

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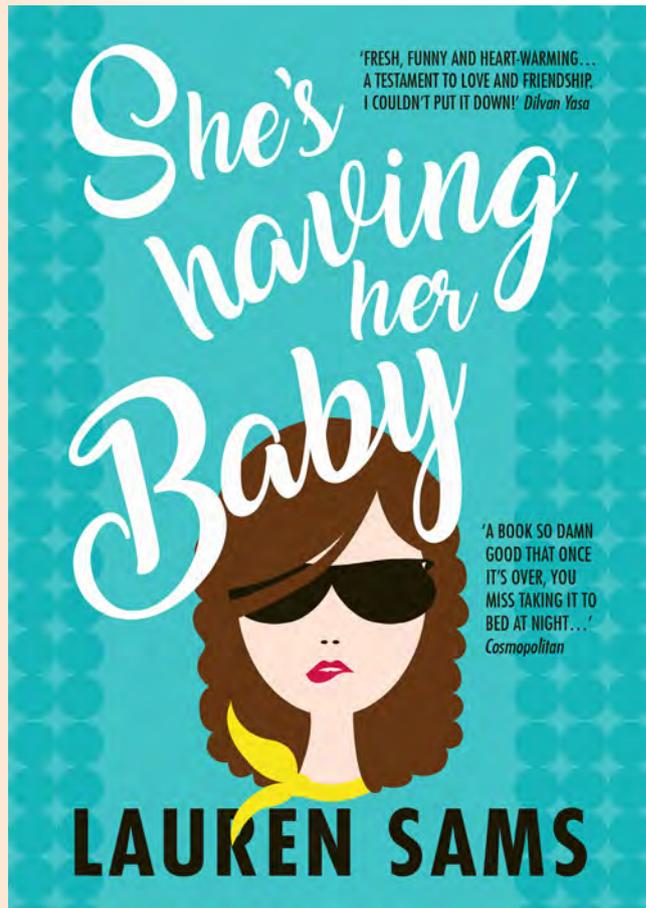
M. J. Tjia has a PhD in Creative Writing and Literary Studies (QUT). Her novella *The Fish Girl* won Seizure's Viva la Novella, 2017. She has been shortlisted for the Josephine Ulrick Short Story Prize, Overland's Neilma Sidney Short Story Prize, Fish Short Story Prize, and the Luke Bitmead Bursary and longlisted for CWA dagger awards. Her work has appeared in *Review of Australian Fiction*, *Rex*, *Peril and Shibboleth* and *Other Stories*. She lives in Brisbane, Australia, with her family.

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SHE'S HAVING HER BABY

LAUREN SAMS



Georgie Henderson doesn't want to have kids, but her best friend, Nina, has wanted to have a baby for as long as she can remember. Sadly, Nina's uterus refuses to cooperate. One drunken evening, Nina asks Georgie for the ultimate favour: would she carry a baby for her? Georgie says yes and spends the next nine months wondering why.

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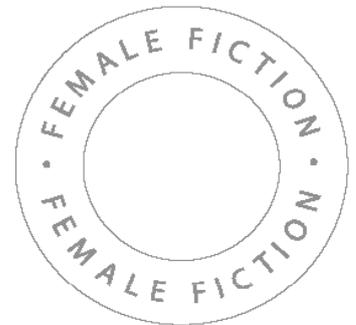
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The first installement of a hilarious hit international series

Key Selling Points:

- Originally published by Penguin Australia

Target Market:

Readers of female fiction

Comparison Authors:

Jojo Moyes, Zoe Foster & Helen Feilding

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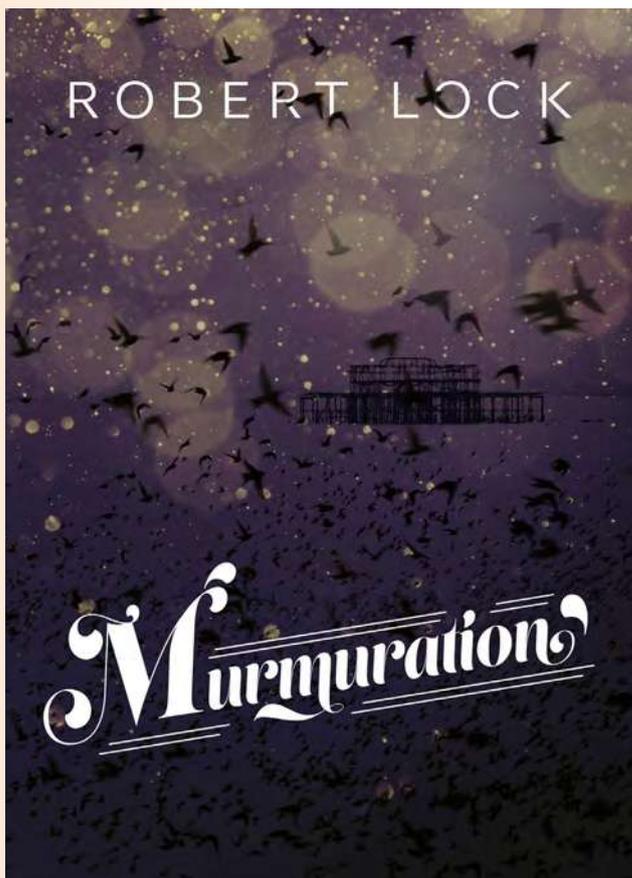
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MURMURATION

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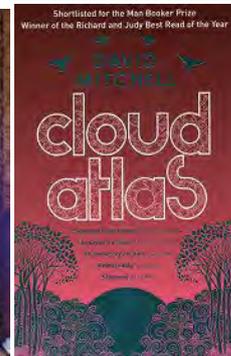
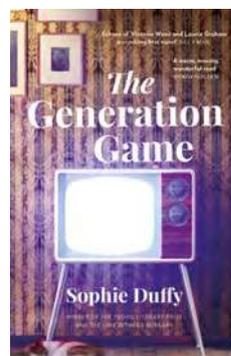


The starlings dance in mesmerising patterns. In and out they fold. Up and down. Below them a Victorian pier has stood the test of time, carrying each generation over a cold and relentless sea.

As the birds dance they watch the lives of those who pass beneath. Two scandalous comedians born a century apart; a seemingly ageless deckchair attendant; the fortune-teller who believes no one can see the future. And in this seaside town one man knows the only way to stop history repeating itself is to solve a mystery as old as the pier.

Comparison Titles:

Generation Game,
Cloud Atlas & Behind
the Scenes at the Museum



Shifting patterns of fate and the universality of souls

Key Selling Points:

- Magical realist prose with strong regional anchorage
- Runner-up in the 1984 South Yorkshire Literary Competition

Target Market:

Readers of literary fiction, and historical drama.

The Author:

Robert began a degree in Applied Biology but decided science wasn't for him. He worked in Paris and then as a tour director taking US students round Europe. He also began freelance photography and writing this novel. The novel is based on a seaside resort, populated with characters he met over the years, through his job at the local newspaper. The title *Murmuration* is inspired from watching the starlings dance over and around North Pier.

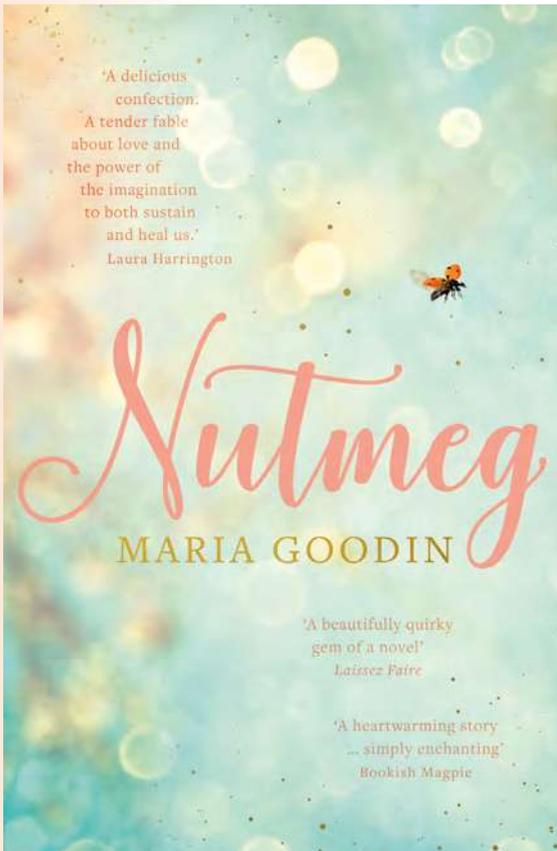
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NUTMEG

MARIA GOODIN



Meg can't remember anything about her childhood but her cookery-obsessed, fairytale-telling mother has filled her in on all the important details. Meg knows that her father was a French chef who died in a tragic pastry-making accident and that as a premature baby she was put on a sunny windowsill to ripen.

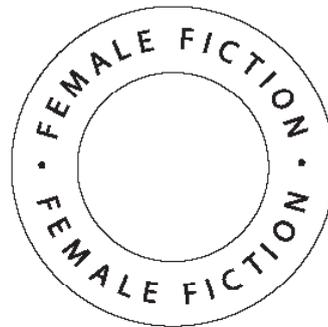
But, at eight years old, Meg rebels against this fictional life, determined to let logic rule every thought and deed.

Now on the verge of a scientific career, Meg is called home. Her mother is ill and as Meg spends one last summer rediscovering the truth about her childhood, she is faced with a humbling decision: to live in a cold harsh reality, or envelop herself in a wonderful world of make-believe.

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Target Market:

Readers of female fiction

Comparison Titles:

Alice Hoffman, Joanne Harris

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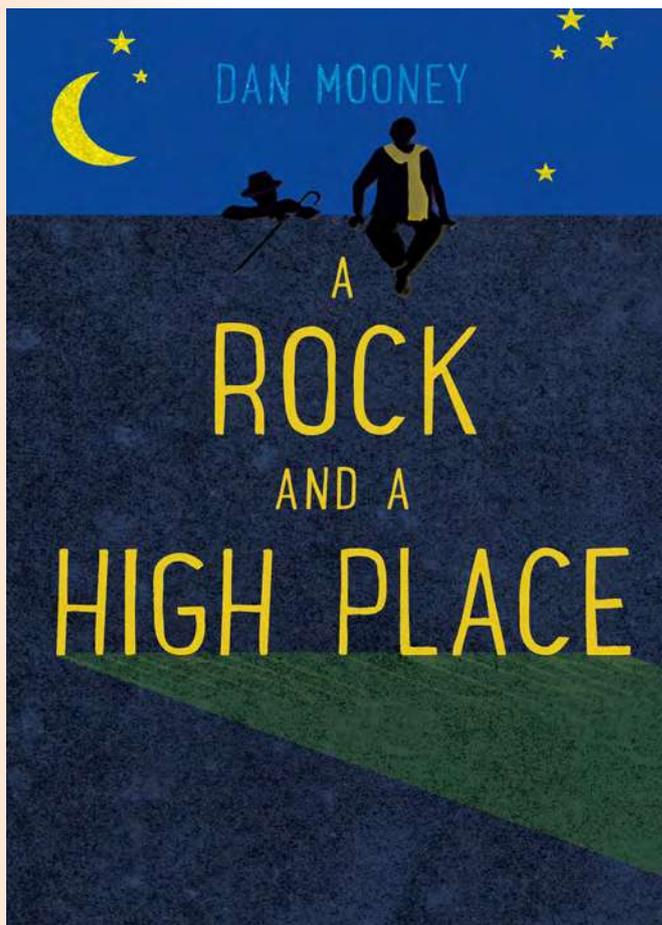
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Maria's debut novel *Nutmeg* was written during her final year of counsellor training and was influenced by her study of psychological defenses. Maria lives in her Hertfordshire home with her husband, son and cat.



A ROCK AND A HIGH PLACE

DAN MOONEY



"If you're going to end it, you better make it big. No slipping off bridges, it's undignified for men of our vintage. Go big or don't bother."

Joel lives in a nursing home and he's not one bit happy about it. He doesn't like being told when to eat, when to sleep, when to take his pills. In fact, he doesn't like living at all, and he's decided he's going to end his life on his terms.

When he tells retired soap-actor Frank about his dark plan, Frank urges him to go out with a bang. Together, they embark on a mission to find the perfect suicide, and along the way, discover the strength of friendship when you really feel alone.

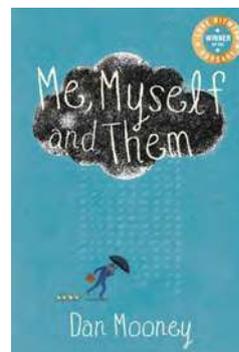
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Other books by the author:
Me, Myself and Them (2017)



The closer he gets to death, the more he starts to live

Key Selling Points:

- A highly anticipated second novel from the winner of the Luke Bitmead Bursary 2016
- The US rights to Dan's first novel - *Me, Myself and Them* and *A Rock and a High Place* have been sold to HarperCollins
- Featured as a front of shop UK promotion

Comparison Titles:

A Man Called Ove & *The Easy Way Out*

The Author:

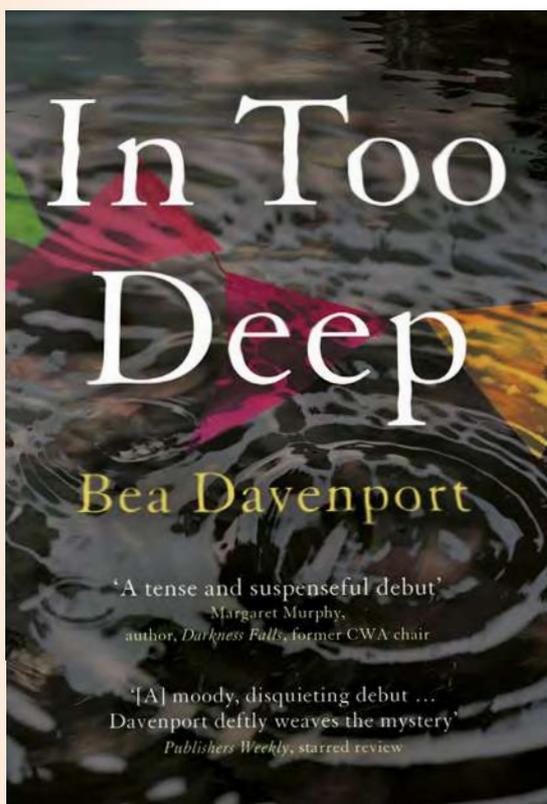
Dan Mooney is a writer, air traffic controller and amateur filmmaker, with one of his short films broadcast on national TV. Dan is also a fan of amateur dramatics, rugby and is a friend to many cats. He wrote his first piece of fiction for a child-operated local newspaper at age ten and has been writing ever since. He lives in Limerick, Ireland.

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IN TOO DEEP

BEA DAVENPORT



... The window's so small I can't see what happens next. But what I do know is that Kim is dead. And I know this, too – that I helped to kill her. Kim, my lovely, only, best friend.

Five years ago Maura fled life in Dowerby and took on a new identity, desperately trying to piece her life back together and escape the dark clouds that plagued her past. But then a reporter tracks her down, and persuades her to tell her story, putting her own life in danger once again.

Layer upon layer of violence and deceit make up the full picture for Maura to see and the reporter to reveal. Hidden secrets are uncovered that have been left to settle, for far too long. But in life some things can't be left unsaid, and eventually the truth will out. Whatever the consequences.

Other books by the author:

This Little Piggy (2014)



ISBN (Paperbook): 9781787198067
ISBN (Ebook): 9781787198050
Price: £8.99 (Paperback) £4.99 (Ebook)
Extent: 256 pages
Format: 198 x 129mm
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When running from the past, the truth is never far behind

Key Selling Points:

- A fast-paced suspense novel in which a woman is forced to face up to her past - putting her future in jeopardy.
- Commercial novel with wide appeal, written in an engaging and accessible style.
- The novel was runner-up in the 2009 Luke Bitmead Bursary.

Target Market:

Suspense/thriller fans

The Author:

Bea Davenport is the writing name of former newspaper and BBC journalist Barbara Henderson. Shortlisted for a Luke Bitmead Award, *In Too Deep* was her first novel, first published in 2013 by Legend Press. It was followed in 2014 with another adult crime novel, *This Little Piggy*. Bea teaches journalism and creative writing. She lives in Berwick upon Tweed with her partner and family.



LEGEND CLASSICS

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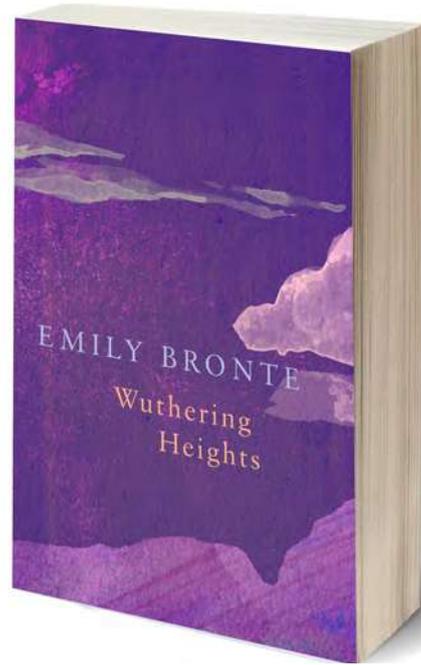
A young boy grows up in the wild.

The Count wants to relocate to England.

Dr Watson learns the Art of Deduction.

Key Selling Points:

- Unique and modern cover design perfect for gifts and collections designed by Anna Morrison
- Popular literary classics by famous writers



BACKLIST IMAGE

Paperback Price: £8.99

Ebook Price: £4.99

Format: 198x129mm

The Jungle Book

ISBN (Paperback): 9781787198340

ISBN (Ebook): 9781787198333

Dracula

ISBN (Paperback): 9781787198302

ISBN (Ebook): 9781787198296

Ann of Green Gables

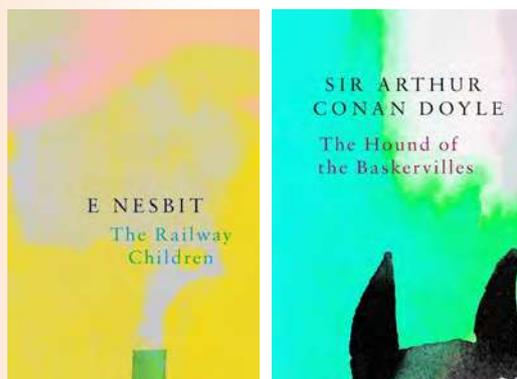
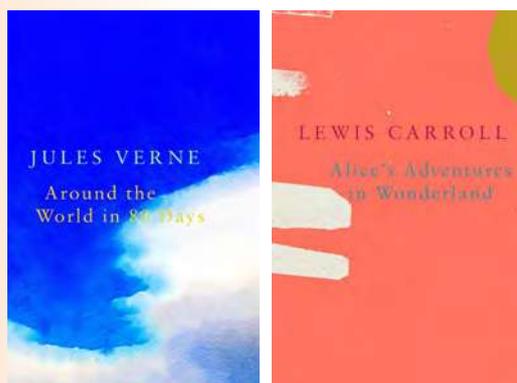
ISBN (Paperback): 9781787198364

ISBN (Ebook): 9781787198357

A Study in Scarlet

ISBN (Paperback): 9781787198289

ISBN (Ebook): 9781787198272



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Paperback Price: £8.99

Ebook Price: £4.99

Format: 198x129mm

Alice's Adventures in Wonderland

ISBN (Paperback): 9781787199774

ISBN (Ebook): 9781787199774

Extent: 144 pages

Around the World in 80 Days

ISBN (Paperback): 9781787199842

ISBN (Ebook): 9781787199835

Extent: 224 pages

The Railway Children

ISBN (Paperback): 9781787198975

ISBN (Ebook): 9781787198968

Extent: 208 pages

The Metamorphosis

ISBN (Paperback): 9781787199767

ISBN (Ebook): 9781787198982

Extent: 96 pages

The Hound of the Baskervilles

ISBN (Paperback): 9781787198951

ISBN (Ebook): 9781787198944

Extent: 192 pages

The Importance of Being Earnest

ISBN (Paperback): 9781787199804

ISBN (Ebook): 9781787199798

Extent: 128 pages

The Adventures of Huckleberry Finn

ISBN (Paperback): 9781787199828

ISBN (Ebook): 9781787199811

Extent: 336 pages

BETSY AND LILIBET

SOPHIE DUFFY



London, 1926. Two baby girls are born just hours and miles apart. Both will grow up in very different families, each will carry the burden of responsibility, service, and duty. One will wear the Crown of the Commonwealth, the other will bury the bodies of the dead. Over the course of ninety years, their paths will cross three times. This is the story of Betsy and Lilibet.

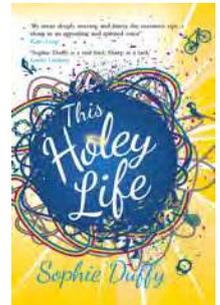
From her retirement home, nonagenarian Elizabeth Sunshine reflects on the intertwining of the lives of herself, her sisters, friends and lovers. From war, infidelity and loss to trials and joys, aged Elizabeth finds herself facing the troubles of her past, whilst trying to shape her future.

Other books by the author:

This Holy Life (2012)

Bright Stars (2015)

The Generation Game (2018)



ISBN (Paperback): 9781787198715

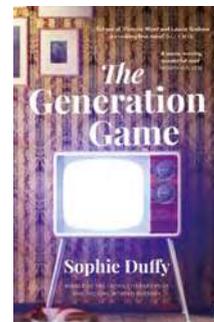
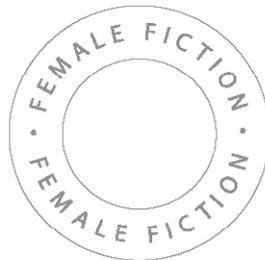
ISBN (Ebook): 9781787198708

Price: £8.99 (Paperback) £5.99 (Ebook)

Extent: 288 pages

Format: 198x129mm

Rights Held: World



'Sunshine by name, more cloudy by nature, perfect for undertaking, the family business'

Key Selling Points:

- Winner of The Luke Bitmead Bursary, The Yeovil Literary Prize and shortlisted for the Harry Bowling Prize.

Target Market:

For fans of domestic and literary fiction.

Comparison Authors:

Kate Atkinson & Rosie Thomas

The Author:

Sophie Duffy is the author of *The Generation Game* (2011), *This Holy Life* (2012) and *Bright Stars* (2015). Her work has won the Yeovil Literary Prize and the Luke Bitmead Bursary, and has been nominated for the Guardian Not the Booker and the Harry Bowling Prize.

She is a writer and creative writing tutor and mentor for CreativeWritingMatters, as well as an administrator for the Exeter Novel Prize and other literary competitions.

THE RECKONING

CLÁR NÍ CHONGHAILE



'I have a story to tell you, Diane. It is my story and your story and the story of a century that made the world. When we reach the end, you will be the ultimate arbiter of whether it was worth your time. You will also sit in judgement on me'.

In a cottage in Normandy, Lina Rose is writing to the daughter she abandoned as a baby. Now a successful if enigmatic author, she is determined to trace her family's history through the two wars that shaped her life.

But Lina can no longer bear to carry her secrets alone, and once the truth is out, can she ever be forgiven?



Other books by the author:

Rain Falls On Everyone (2017)
Fractured (2016)



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ISBN (Ebook) : 9781787198135
Price: £8.99 (Paperback) £5.99 (Ebook)
Extent: 288 pages
Format: 198x129mm
Rights Held: World

A trans-generational tale exploring judgment, history and family ties

Key Selling Points:

- Written by a successful author who gained experience working as a reporter in Kenya and Senegal.

Target Market:

Fans of literary fiction

Comparison Media:

Homeland & the podcast *Serial*

The Author:

Clár Ní Chonghaile was born in London but grew up in An Spidéal, County Galway. She left Ireland aged 19 to join Reuters in London as a graduate trainee journalist. Clár has been a reporter and editor for over 20 years, living and working in Spain, France, the Ivory Coast, Senegal and Kenya.

She now lives in St Albans, England, with her husband and two daughters. Her debut novel, *Fractured*, was published by Legend Press in 2016.

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