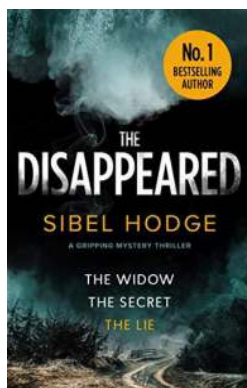


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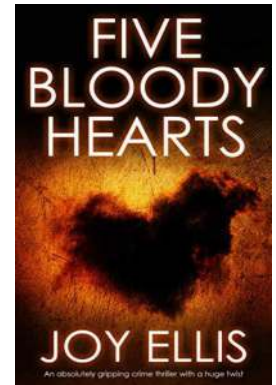
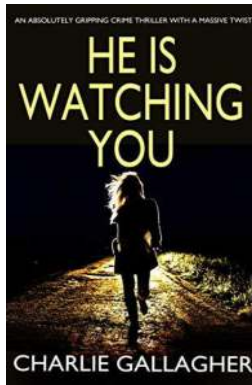
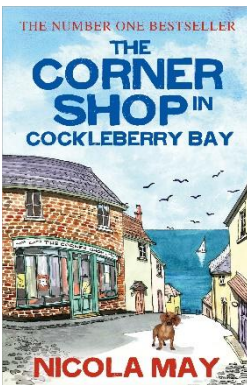
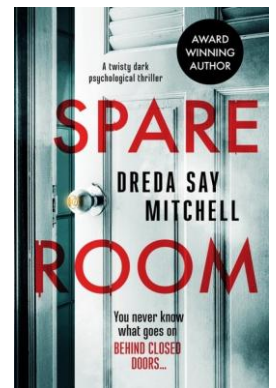
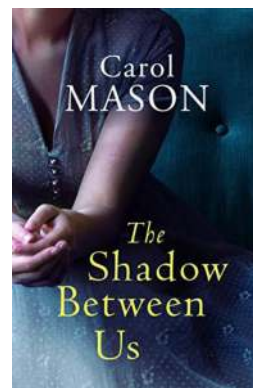
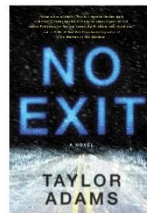
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FICTION

New Titles/Authors

TAYLOR ADAMS

For fans of Dean Koontz, Stephen King, Gregg Hurwitz, John Marrs, James Patterson

HAIRPIN BRIDGE

Thriller

A young woman investigates her estranged sister's alleged suicide - and comes face to face with her murderer.

On June 6th, Sara Nguyen's estranged twin sister drove to a remote bridge in rural Montana, climbed out of her car with the engine still idling, and jumped two hundred feet to her death upon the rocky floor below. She left behind no suicide note, no motivation, and no answers. Long-running mental illness and suicide, the local authorities conclude.

Sara doesn't believe this.

She knows her sister, and she suspects a cover-up. And now, armed with her wits and an audio recorder, she's travelled to the infamous bridge herself. Her only ally is an unlikely one: the highway patrolman who'd discovered Cambry's broken body back in June. Sara is hellbent on uncovering the truth about how her secretive sister Cambry died. Even if her search brings her face to face with her sister's killer, on that very bridge...

Rights: Joffe Books Ltd (UK and Comm.), Summer 2019; Italy: DeA Planeta (option)

NO EXIT

Thriller

- North American rights sold to **William Morrow** in a mid-six figure deal
- Film rights in a pre-empt by **20th Century Fox** (Scott Frank, producing: *Minority Report*, *Wolverine*, *Get Shorty*)
- **#5 USA** **#20 UK** **#10 hardback charts Canada**
- **118,000** copies sold
- sold in **31** territories

"What a box of tricks! This full-throttle thriller, dark and driving, rivals Agatha Christie for sheer ingenuity and James Patterson for flat-out speed. Swift, sharp, and relentless."

— A. J. Finn, #1 *New York Times* bestselling author of *The Woman in the Window*

"NO EXIT by Taylor Adams is an intense, brutal, no-holds-barred thriller dripping with adrenalin; a heart-pounding story of courage and sacrifice featuring a heroine unlike any you've ever seen. Don't start unless you're prepared to read straight through, because I guarantee you will not be able to stop turning the pages." — Karen Dionne, author of the international bestseller *The Marsh King's Daughter*

"*No Exit* is everything I want in a thriller: ingeniously crafted, unapologetically relentless, and shamelessly suspenseful. The twists go off like a series of expertly planted detonations and the tension never lets up. I was blown away. *No Exit* is a damn good time." - Joe Hill, #1 *New York Times* bestselling author of *The Fireman*

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EYESHOT

- **30,500** copies sold

Thriller

Rights: World English, Joffe Books; Audio: Tantor Media; Czech: Euromedia Group; Italy: De Agostini at auction; Netherlands: Luitingh-Sijthoff; Poland: Otwarte at auction; Portugal: Topseller at auction; Russia: AST; Serbia: Vulkan; Slovakia: Ikar pre-empt; Turkey: Pena Publications.

OUR LAST NIGHT

• 5,500 copies sold

Thriller/paranormal elements

Rights: World English, Joffe Books; Audio: Brilliance Publishing at auction

RENITA D'SILVA

Women's fiction

Over 200,000 copies of her titles sold in English

Renita combines the great tradition of Indian fiction with the emotional story-telling of authors like Jodi Picoult, Diane Chamberlain. If you enjoy Kathryn Hughes, Dinah Jefferies, Lucinda Riley, Santa Montefiore and Kristin Hannah

THE GIRL IN THE PAINTING

Before she goes, there's something she must do. She fingers the letter in her pocket. She thinks of the painting that was created beside the stream. A painting of a girl, with sadness in her eyes.

Emma's beloved grandmother, Margaret, is dying, and she has one last wish before she says goodbye. When she gives Emma a mysterious painting, a letter and the keys to a house in India, Emma is shocked. Margaret has rarely spoken of a link to India before – she has been unwilling to ever speak of her past at all.

But now Margaret has a request for her granddaughter: *Find Archana*. Margaret asks Emma to give Archana the painting and letter and – most important of all – to tell her that she forgives her.

With her grandmother on her deathbed, Emma travels deep into the heart of the Indian hills in search of answers, to a crumbling house overgrown with vines. And when she finds Archana, the secret Margaret has been keeping for over seventy years will finally be revealed – the story of a day spent painting by a stream full of water lilies, where a betrayal tore three lives apart forever...

Rights: World English: Bookouture, Publication April 2019

BENEATH AN INDIAN SKY

• 19,500 copies sold

In colonial India a young woman finds herself faced with an impossible choice, the consequences of which will echo through the generations...

Rights: World English: Bookouture, 16th March 2018; Russia: Hemiro

A DAUGHTER'S COURAGE

• 12,200 copies sold

Rights: World English: Bookouture, May 2017; Norwegian: Cappelen Damm

A MOTHER'S SECRET

• 48,000 copies sold

What if you discovered that everything you knew about yourself was a lie?

Rights: World English: Bookouture, April 2016; Bulgaria: SBB Media; Italy: under offer; Netherlands: Meulenhoff Boekerij; Norway: Cappelen Damm

A SISTER'S PROMISE

• 33,600 copies sold

Two sisters. Bound by blood. Torn apart by love.

Rights: World English: Bookouture; Bulgaria: SBB Media

THE STOLEN GIRL

• 21,000 copies sold

Rights: World English: Bookouture

THE FORGOTTEN DAUGHTER

• 50,100 copies sold

• Top 50 Amazon UK hit

• Top 100 Amazon US and Canada

• #1 Amazon UK Women's Literary Fiction

Rights: World English: Bookouture, excluding India (English); Audio: Tantor Media; Italy: under offer

MONSOON MEMORIES

- 20,300 copies sold

Rights: World English: Bookouture; excluding India (English): Harlequin MIRA (Top 10)

HELEN DURRANT

Crime/Thriller

814,000 copies sold of her books in English

For fans of Rachel Abbott, Angela Marsons, Joy Ellis, LJ Ross and Helen Fields

RACHEL KING SERIES (four books):

Book 1: NEXT VICTIM

- **32,500** sales #7 Amazon UK #1 Amazon Australia

A young man's body is found burnt and tortured by a Manchester canal.

He was a journalism student who told his friends he was working on a big story. His death leads the police on a false trail. Detective Rachel King investigates. She has a secret, the love of her life is a well-known villain. He has recently come back on the scene. But what does he really want? A brutal serial killer with a taste for good-looking young blonde men. A student who thinks she has a long-lost brother. But even her own father doesn't believe her. She was involved with the first victim. As the murders continue, can Rachel keep her family together and stop the killer?

Rights: World English: Joffe Books, January 2019; Audio: Audible

DI MATT BRINDLE SERIES:

Book 1: HIS THIRD VICTIM

- 36,600 sales #19 Amazon UK

Rights: World English: Joffe Books, October 2017; World English Audio: Audible; Russia: Eksmo

Book 2: THE OTHER VICTIM

- 39,500 sales since August 18 # 20 Amazon UK

Rights: World English: Joffe Books, August 2018; World English Audio: Audible; Russia: Eksmo

THE CALLADINE & BAYLISS SERIES:

Book 1: DEAD WRONG

- **109,500** sales UK #2

Rights: World English: Joffe Books; World English Audio: Audible; Italian: Newton & Compton; German: Amazon Crossing

Book 2: DEAD SILENT

- 84,500 sales UK #6

Rights: World English: Joffe Books; World English; Audio: Audible; Italian: Newton & Compton

Book 3: DEAD LIST

- **68,700** sales UK #19

Rights: World English: Joffe Books; World English Audio: Audible; Italian: Newton & Compton

Book 4: DEAD LOST

- 67,000 sales UK #13

Book 5: DEAD & BURIED

- 52,000 sales UK #19

Book 6: DEAD NASTY

- 53,000 sales UK #17

Book 7: DEAD JEALOUS

- 49,500 sales UK#14

Rights: World English: Joffe Books; World English Audio: Audible

Book 8: DEAD BAD (Spring 2018)

- 48,500 sales UK#5

Rights: World English: Joffe Books

THE DCI GRECO SERIES:

Book 1: DARK MURDER

- 64,500 sales UK #17

Published: November 2015, 229 pages

Book 2: DARK HOUSES

- 47,000 sales UK #35

Book 3: DARK TRADE

- 34,000 sales UK #2

Book 4: DARK ANGEL

- 25,500 sales

Rights: World English: Joffe Books; World English Audio: WF Howes

JOY ELLIS

Crime thriller/mystery

Over **1,683,000** copies sold and **160,000** audiobooks sold in English

For fans of Rachel Abbott, Angela Marsons, LJ Ross, Katarina Diamond, Helen Fields and Leigh Russell

THE MATT BALLARD SERIES:

FIVE BLOODY HEARTS (book 2)

- #3 Amazon UK
- #10 Amazon AU
- 11,500 copies sold since February

Detective Matt Ballard's last case might be the one that finally breaks him.

Grace Repton, a beautiful older woman, walks into the police station to tell Matt she has information that could stop a murder. Her fiancé, the infamous serial killer Jeremy Reader, has told her that he has a disciple who is going to kill using Reader's horrific methods.

Reader murdered five women and was finally brought to justice by Detective Ballard. Reader is safely imprisoned in a high security prison, and claiming to be a reformed man who wants to help the police.

But can Matt believe the serial killer or his peculiar wife to be? Can the love of a good woman really change a serial killer? And the Fenland police also have another investigation on their hands. A Lithuanian migrant worker is found dead on the fens. There is no ID on him, but he has a Tree of Life tattoo. The third body to be found with this distinctive tattoo. Is this gang war or something even more sinister? Can you trust a killer to help stop a killer?

The police are stretched to breaking point with multiple copycat murders. And Matt and his girlfriend Liz will fight for everything they care about in a heart-stopping conclusion that will have you on the edge of your seat.

Rights: World English: Joffe Books, 14 February 2019; Audio: Tantor Media; Hungary: Alexandra Kiado

BEWARE THE PAST (book 1)

- #1 Amazon UK
- #3 Amazon US
- 230,600 copies sold

Rights: World English: Joffe Books, December 2017, 369 pages; Audio: Tantor Media; Croatia: Sonatina; Hungary: Alexandra Kiado; Russia: Eksmo; Turkey: under offer

THE DI JACKMAN AND DS EVANS SERIES:

UNTITLED 7

Rights: World English: Joffe Books; Audio: Audible

UNTITLED 6

Rights: World English: Joffe Books; Audio: Audible

THE STOLEN BOYS (book 5)

DI Rowan Jackman and DS Marie Evans and the team are left reeling after serial killer, Alistair Ashcroft escaped, but they have to rally as Saltern-le-Fen finds itself at the centre of a new kind of crimewave. A highly sought after brand of streetwear called Hybird X, clothing that costs a fortune but resells at unbelievable prices, is the target. Houses are being burgled, young men mugged on the streets, and then a lad dies, all for the sake of his trainers.

- 64,000 copies sold since October 18
- #3 Amazon UK
- #1 Amazon AU

Rights: World English: Joffe Books; Audio: Audible

THE GUILTY ONES (book 4)

- 118,000 copies sold since March 18
- #1 Amazon UK

Rights: World English: Joffe Books, March 2018; World English Audio: Audible UK in a five-figure deal at auction; Turkey: Parola

THE FOURTH FRIEND (book 3)

- 145,000 copies sold
- #1 Amazon UK for 15 days
- #20 Amazon US
- #1 Amazon Australia

Rights: World English: Joffe Books, August 2017; World English Audio: Audible at auction; Turkey: Parola

THEIR LOST DAUGHTERS (book 2)

- 186,500 copies sold
- #1 Amazon UK
- #3 Amazon US

Rights: World English: Joffe Books; Audio: Audible; Czech: Euromedia; German: Piper

THE MURDERER'S SON (book 1)

- 115,500 copies sold
- #6 on Amazon UK

Rights: World English: Joffe Books; Arabic: Dar Oktob; Audio: Audible; Czech: Euromedia; German: Piper; Slovak: under offer

THE NIKKI GALENA SERIES:

CRIME ON THE FENS (book 1)

- 128,000 sales
- #5 on Amazon UK

Rights: World English: Joffe Books; World English Audio: Tantor; Arabic: Noon Publishing; Italian: Newton & Compton

SHADOW OVER THE FENS (book 2)

- 100,000 sales
- #8 on Amazon UK

Rights: World English: Joffe Books; World English Audio: Tantor; Italian: Newton & Compton

HUNTED ON THE FENS (book 3)

- 89,000 sales
- #17 on Amazon UK

Rights: World English: Joffe Books; World English Audio: Tantor; Italian: Newton & Compton

KILLER ON THE FENS (book 4)

- 85,500 sales
- #22 on Amazon UK

STALKER ON THE FENS (book 5)

- 79,000 sales
- #14 on Amazon UK

CAPTIVE ON THE FENS (book 6)

- 83,500 sales
- #8 on Amazon UK

BURIED ON THE FENS (book 7) (Release July 10)

- 88,000 sales
- #7 on Amazon UK

THIEVES ON THE FENS (book 8)

- 79,000 sales
- #1 on Amazon UK

FIRE ON THE FENS (book 9)

- 67,000 sales since May 18
- #1 on Amazon UK

Rights: World English: Joffe Books; World English Audio: Tantor

CHARLIE GALLAGHER

Crime thriller

Over 298,500 copies sold in English

For fans of Rachel Abbott, Ian Rankin, Karin Slaughter or Mark Billingham

MADDIE IVES SERIES:

HE IS WATCHING YOU (Book 1)

- UK #10
- #9 Australia
- 45,000 sales

Meet detective Maddie Ives in this new series that will have you gripped from the explosive start to one of the most shocking endings of the year.

A young woman's body is left in a metal container in a remote location. The killer is careful to position her under a camera that links to his smartphone. He likes to look back at his work.

He is watching her.

But she isn't dead.

So he will return to finish the job. He can barely contain his excitement at the thought of getting to do it all over again. But he must be careful. He cannot rush. Rushing makes you careless.

Detective Maddie Ives is new to the area. She is handed a missing person report: a young woman with a drink problem who's been reported missing fifteen times. It looks like a waste of time. But DS Ives has a bad feeling about the woman's disappearance.

DI Harry Blaker is called to a hit and run of an elderly man left to die on a quiet country road. There is no motive and it looks like a tragic accident. But he's been working Major Crime long enough to know that something isn't quite right.

The two officers find their investigations intertwine and they will need to work together.

But they must work fast. Time is running out for the woman in the container.

UNTITLED 2 Publication March 2019

UNTITLED 3 Publication Summer 2019

Rights: World English: Joffe Books, Audio: Bolinda

HER LAST BREATH

Standalone, but features the same detectives as in Langthorne Series

• #4 UK

• 74,000 copies sold

THEN SHE RAN

• #14 UK

• #1 Australia

• 74,500 copies sold since April 18

LANGTHORNE SERIES:

BODILY HARM (book 1)

• UK #39 20,000 copies sold

PANIC BUTTON (book 2)

• 13,500 copies sold

BLOOD MONEY (book 3)

• 8,600 copies sold

END GAME (book 4)

• 17,000 copies sold

MISSING (Standalone, but features the same detectives as Langthorne Series)

• 14,500 copies sold

Rights: World English: Joffe Books, Audio: Tantor Media

RUTHLESS (Standalone)

• 7,000 copies sold

SIBEL HODGE

Psychological thriller

For fans of TM Logan, Mark Edwards and BA Paris

THE DISAPPEARED (standalone)

• 43,000 copies sold

• #48 UK Kindle

• #6 UK psychological thrillers

• #72 Amazon US

The Widow. The Secret. The Liar.

The Disappeared... On a routine flight from Africa to England, Dr Mason Palmer is tragically killed when the light aircraft he's travelling on crashes and disappears in dense bushland.

The Widow... Ten months later, Nicole Palmer is still trying to block out the grief of her husband's sudden death. Until one morning she receives a photo of Mason through the post, along with a cryptic message. A message only he could've written.

The Secret... But when Nicole tries to find out if Mason is really alive and what actually happened to him in Africa, everyone she turns to for answers ends up dead. Determined to find the truth, Nicole uncovers a conspiracy that spans the globe, and discovers there are powerful people who are prepared to kill to keep her silent.

Who's lying? Who's watching Nicole? And can she expose their murky secrets before they catch up with her?

Rights: World English: Bloodhound Books, January 2019

ANA JOHNS

For readers of Sara Gruen, Jamie Ford, Arthur Golden, Amy Tan, Victoria Hislop, Dinah Jefferies, Lucinda Riley.

THE WOMAN IN THE WHITE KIMONO 小さい鳥

historical

OCEANS AND DECADES APART, TWO WOMEN ARE INEXTRICABLY BOUND BY THE SECRETS BETWEEN THEM. Japan, 1957. Seventeen-year-old Naoko Nakamura's prearranged marriage to the son of her father's business associate secures her family's status in their traditional Japanese community, but Naoko has fallen for another man, an American sailor. When it's learned Naoko carries the sailor's child, she's cast out in disgrace and forced to make unimaginable choices with consequences that will ripple across generations.

America, present day. Tori Kovač, caring for her dying father, finds a letter containing a shocking revelation that calls into question everything she understood about him, her family, and herself. Setting out to learn the truth behind the letter, Tori's journey leads her half-way around the world to a remote sea-side village in Japan, where she must confront the demons of the past to pave a way for redemption.

A poignant, sweeping novel of spirit and love that travels the difficult road to acceptance through secrets, sacrifice, and lies as both women, past and present, confront social stigmas, secret burial grounds, exiled communities, and the gut-wrenching consequences of their own choices.

The author is using the pen-name "Ana Johns" – she's published a couple of romantic comedies (also translated in 11 languages). Born and raised in Detroit, this is her first historical fiction and is aimed at the reading group market.

Rights: NA rights to Park Row Books (HarperCollins) for hardback publication in May 2019, UK/ Comm.: Legend Press; Audio: Bolinda; Bulgaria: Ciela Norma; Czech: Leda; Hungary: Alexandra Kiado; Italy: TEA (GeMS) pre-empt; Netherlands: De Fontein; Russia: Arkadia; Spain: Planeta; Catalonia/Spain: Empuries (Planeta)

CAROL MASON

A new significant six figure deal with Lake Union

For fans of Dorothy Koomson, Julie Cohen, Adele Parks, Liane Moriarty Amanda Prowse and Harriet Evans

THE SHADOW BETWEEN US

Women's fiction

What is it about the coast that attracts people running from their past?

Maybe there's something in a sea breeze that blows away your problems. Maybe when you look out at the ocean you can see the future; forget the secrets and pain holding you back.

Or at least you can forget them for a time.

When Olivia moves to Port Townsend, her marriage is floundering, and her life is in pieces. She doesn't know if things with her husband Mark are truly over, or quite why the phone call she longs for on her daughter's birthday will never come.

Joining a letter-writing club seems like a harmless decision. But when she meets Ned, an ex-soldier badly wounded in Afghanistan, this unlooked-for friendship revives unexpected emotions and memories she'd rather forget.

Can Olivia find the courage to confront what she's hiding from and finally begin to heal the wounds that have torn her life apart? From the bestselling author of *After You Left* comes a story about finding hope in second chances.

Rights: World English: Lake Union (Amazon Publishing) for publication 21st March 2019

THE LAST TIME WE MET

• 16,500 copies sold

Rights: World English: Lake Union (Amazon Publishing), October 2018; Audio: Brilliance Publishing; Czech: Euromedia Group; Slovak: Fortuna Libri

AFTER YOU LEFT

Psychological suspense/ romance

• 288,000 copies sold

• #1 Amazon UK

• #3 Amazon US

• #1 Amazon Australia

• #9 Amazon Canada

• Official Amazon Charts: #7 (3 weeks in top 20)

Part domestic thriller, part gripping romance, for anyone who loved THE NOTEBOOK, THE BRIDGES OF MADISON COUNTY and for fans of Dorothy Koomson, Nicholas Sparks, Lucie Whitehouse, Rosie Thomas and Liane Moriarty.

Rights: World English: Lake Union (Amazon Publishing), 1 April 2017; Audio: Brilliance Publishing; Arabic: Noon Publishing; Farsi: Koolehposhti Book Publication; Germany: Verlagsgruppe Random House; Hungary: Novivon Trade Sociedad Anonima; Israel: Armchair; Russia: FLC (Hemiro)

THE SECRETS OF MARRIED WOMEN

- over **85,000** copies sold
- **#7** Amazon UK
- **#2** Amazon Australia

Falling in love is easy. Staying in love is harder.

Rights: World English: Lake Union (Amazon Publishing) June 2017, originally published by Hodder & Stoughton; Audio: Brilliance Publishing; Arabic: Dar Oktob; Czech: Euromedia Group; Hungary: Novivon Trade Sociedad Anonima; Israel: Armchair; Serbia: Evro

NICOLA MAY

For fans of Debbie Macomber, Milly Johnson, Cathy Bramley, Sue Moorcroft, Jenny Hale, Fiona Valpy

THE COCKLEBERRY SERIES:

THE CORNERSHOP IN COCKLEBERRY BAY (Book 1)

Romantic Comedy

- **#1** Amazon Kindle UK for 24 days
- **70,000 copies** sold of her books in English
- **1,867** at 4.7 out of 5 stars from customer reviews

Rosa Larkin is down on her luck in London, so when she inherits a near-derelict corner shop in a quaint Devon village, her first thought is to sell it for cash and sort out her life. But nothing is straightforward about this legacy. While the identity of her benefactor remains a mystery, he - or she - has left one important legal proviso: that the shop cannot be sold, only passed on to somebody who really deserves it.

Rosa makes up her mind to give it a go: to put everything she has into getting the shop up and running again in the small seaside community of Cockleberry Bay. But can she do it all on her own? And if not, who will help her succeed - and who among the following will work secretly to see her fail?

There is a handsome rugby player, a sexy plumber, a charlatan reporter and a selection of meddling locals. Add in a hit and run incident and the disappearance of a valuable engraved necklace – and what you get is a journey of self-discovery and unpredictable events.

With surprising and heartfelt results, Rosa, accompanied at all times by her little sausage dog Hot, will slowly unravel the shadowy secrets of the inheritance, and also bring her own, long-hidden heritage into the light.

Rights: Audio: WF Howes; Print rights: Lightning Books, February 2019; Italy: under offer

A COCKLEBERRY BAY AFFAIR (Book 2)

Spring 2019

BACK TO COCKLEBERRY BAY (Book 3)

Autumn 2019

THE SCHOOL GATES

Published 2017

LOVE ME TINDER

Published 2016

THE SW19 CLUB

Published 2015

CHRISTMAS SPIRIT

Published 2013

THE BOOK WOW CLUB

Published 2013

LET LOVE WIN

Published 2013

BETTER TOGETHER

Published 2011

WORKING IT OUT

Published 2011

STAR FISH

Published 2011

Rights: originally published by Accent Press; all rights reverted and self-published by the author.

DREDA SAY MITCHELL

Psychological thriller

Film rights under negotiation

For fans of Cara Hunter, Rachel Abbot, Lisa Jewel, Katerina Diamond and BA Paris

SPARE ROOM (standalone)

- **40,000** copies sold
- **#32** Amazon US
- **#6** Amazon UK
- **#1** in US and UK

Home Is Where The Nightmare Is.

Beautiful double room to let to single person.

Lisa, a troubled young woman with a past, can't believe her luck when she finds a beautiful room to rent in a large house. The live-in owners are a kind and welcoming couple.

Everything is fine until she finds a suicide note hidden in her room. But when the couple insist this man didn't exist and that Lisa is their first tenant, Lisa begins to doubt herself.

Compelled to uncover the secrets of the man who lived in the room before her, Lisa is alarmed when increasingly disturbing incidents start to happen. Someone doesn't want Lisa to find out the truth.

As the four walls of this house and its secrets begin to close in on Lisa, she descends into a hellish hall of mirrors where she's not sure what's real and what's not as she claws her way towards the truth...

This room has already claimed one victim? Is it about to take another?

Rights: World English, Bloodhound Books; Audio: Bolinda; Czech: under offer

UNTITLED (standalone) Publication autumn 2019

Dreda is a broadcaster, journalist and her debut novel, *Running Hot*, scooped the Crime Writers Associations' John Creasey Memorial Dagger Award for best first novel - the first time a Black British writer has received this honour. Many of her previous novels published by Hodder and Stoughton are optioned for TV. *SPARE ROOM* is her first psychological thriller and she has started working on her second standalone.

BETSY REAVLEY

Crime thriller/Cosy mystery

Agatha Christie-style murder mystery for fans of Faith Martin, J R Ellis and of TV series Columbo and Murder, She Wrote.

MURDER IN THE DARK

• 25,000 copies sold

Without a motive, how do you identify the killer?

Imagine a quaint little bookshop. Outside the snow is falling. Inside the shelves are stacked with books by authors waiting to be discovered. What could be better? When Tilly Edgely lands a position working at Ashton's bookshop in Cambridge she thinks she's found her perfect job. But one winter's morning, when she arrives to open up, she discovers the body of her boss suspended from the ceiling, hanging by a rope around his neck. DCI Barrett and DI Palmer are called to the scene and quickly find themselves searching for a twisted killer whose identity and motive are nearly impossible to trace. But just when they think they have the murderer in their sights, another body shows up throwing the case wide open... Who is behind the killings and why? The police have their work cut out and the key to unlocking the gruesome mystery might be found right under their nose. But one thing is for certain, this killer will leave you hanging...

Rights: World English: Bloodhound Books

Published December 2018

MURDER AT THE BOOKCLUB

Published August 2018

• 37,000 copies sold

• UK top 20 bestseller

• US top 100 bestseller

THE OPTICIAN'S WIFE

• 64,000 copies sold

Rights: World English: Bloodhound Books; Sweden: Jentas

FRAILTY

• 34,000 copies sold

THE QUIET ONES

• 27,000 copies sold

PRESSURE

• 6,000 copies sold since May 18

Rights: World English: Bloodhound Books

ALISON J WAINES

Psychological thriller

SAMANTHA WILLERBY SERIES:
INSIDE THE WHISPERS (Book 1)

- 30,000 copies sold

The most dangerous place is inside your own head...

Dr Samantha Willerby, a specialist in Post Traumatic Stress, has never seen anything like this before. Following a fire on the London Underground, three survivors seek her help but although unmistakably traumatised, their stories don't match the facts. Are they 'faking it'? Sam's confusion turns to horror when one by one, instead of recovering, they are driven to suicide. When her lover, Conrad, begins to suffer the same terrifying flashbacks, Sam is desperate to find out what's causing them. As a mysterious and chilling conspiracy begins to unravel the nightmares begin for Sam...

Published October 2018

LOST IN THE LAKE (Book 2) 20,000 sales; Pub October 2018

PERFECT BONES (Book 3) 18,000 sales; Pub November 2018

Rights: World English: Bloodhound Books, Czech Republic: Computer Media

DARK PLACE TO HIDE Published July 2015

Rights: Norway: Cappelen Damm

GIRL ON A TRAIN Published February 2015

Rights: Germany: Random House; Hungary: Muvelt Nep

THE EVIL BENEATH Published February 2015

Rights: France: Les Escales/10/18; Germany: Random House; Norway: Cappelen Damm

SELECTED BACKLIST

INGRID ALEXANDRA

Psychological thriller

For fans of HER by Harriet Lane, Erin Kelly, Elizabeth Haynes, PJ Delaney, Sabine Durrant

S. J. Watson's BEFORE I GO TO SLEEP meets cult frenemy film *Single White Female* in this gripping and creepy psychological thriller set in Australia. It delves into what lies behind toxic relationships and their disturbing – and sometimes deadly – consequences.

THE NEW GIRL

You've only just met. But she already knows you so well...

Mary has learned to live with the gaps in her memory. But when her fate depends on what she saw the night of a murder, she must learn to remember... or die trying.

Mary can't remember what happened that night at the party on the beach, but when she learns that a young man was killed - someone both she and her violent ex, Mark, knew - she's terrified that Mark had something to do with it. And when he begins threatening her, saying he's coming to find her, she's sure of it.

Now Mary's future (and sanity) depends on her memory of that night. But without evidence, and her mind full of blank spaces, the police and Mary's friends do not believe her story. When Rachel moves into the spare room in Mary's flat, everyone is quick to jump to the conclusion that there's something strange about her. Everyone apart from Mary.

Rachel becomes a friend and an ally, and Mary soon discovers that they have more in common than she ever could have imagined. In fact, Rachel seems to know more about Mary than she knows about herself...

And when Rachel starts sleepwalking, everyone's fears grow. But there's something about the new girl that Mary can't help but trust, and having recently escaped a toxic relationship, she needs the support.

With everyone doubting her story and danger closing in... who else can Mary trust?

Who do you trust... when you can't trust yourself?

Rights: World English: Avon Books (HarperCollins), ebook July, paperback October 2018; ANZ: HarperCollins Australia; Czech: Euromedia

J A BAKER

65,000 copies of her books sold

For fans of authors like Shalini Boland, KL Slater and Kathryn Croft

THE UNINVITED

Psychological Thriller (stand-alone)

A FRAGILE WOMAN. AN UNWELCOME INTRUDER. A HOUSE FULL OF SECRETS.

Faye and her husband Hugh have had a traumatic year. Wanting to start again, the couple decides to buy a large rundown property, Cross House in a village in North Yorkshire, hoping to leave the past behind them.

However, the tranquillity is soon ruined when Faye begins to awake, every night, to the sound of somebody creeping around the bedroom. She tries to explain it to Hugh, frightened for the safety of their children Aiden and Poppy, but Hugh dismisses her claims, thinking she is heading for another breakdown.

But when Faye discovers some diaries that contain secrets about the family that lived in the house before them, she starts to wonder if the intruder might be closer to home than she first thought.

Obsessed with finding answers, Faye is determined to learn about the Wentworth family, a fractured family with a tragic past. And when she discovers that Hilary Wentworth fell to her death down the stairs in Cross House, Faye realises she is in mortal danger...

THE OTHER MOTHER

Psychological Thriller (stand-alone)

- UK top 50
- Canada top 10

THREE TROUBLED WOMEN. ONE DEADLY SECRET.

UNDERCURRENT

Psychological Thriller (stand-alone)

- UK top 100

HER DARK RETREAT

Psychological Thriller (stand-alone)

- UK top 30

Rights: World English Bloodhound Books

T J BREARTON

Crime thriller

For fans of Jeffery Deaver and Linwood Barclay

NORTH COUNTRY SERIES: (set in the same area but all standalones)

GONE

- UK #3
- USA #21
- **69,100** copies sold

How can an entire family disappear into thin air?

DARK KILLS

- **8,000** copies sold

DARK WEB

- **14,000** copies sold

Rights: World English: Joffe Books

TITAN SERIES:

HABIT (Book 1)

- **30,000** copies sold

SURVIVORS (Book 2)

- **16,000** copies sold

DAYBREAK (Book 3)

- **8,000** copies sold

Rights: World English: Joffe Books; Audio: Tantor Media

BLACK SOUL (Book 4)

- **3,000** copies sold

Rights: World English: Joffe Books

TOM LANGE SERIES:

DEAD GONE (Book 1)

- **13,000** copies sold

- **USA#30**

TRUTH OR DEATH (Book 2)

- **4,000** copies sold

Rights: World English: Joffe Books

RUTH DUGDALL

Psychological thriller

For readers of Elizabeth Haynes, Sharon Bolton, Erin Kelly, B.A. Paris and Louise Doughty.

THE THINGS YOU DIDN'T SEE

- **11,000** copies sold

A sleepwalker can't be guilty of anything they do whilst they dream. Can they?

Early morning, in rural Suffolk, a single gunshot is heard at Innocence Farm. The farmer's wife, Maya Hawke, is barely alive, found with her chin under the muzzle of a rifle. The police, the paramedics, all assume it is an attempted suicide.

Maya is in an induced coma, unable to say. Her daughter, Cassandra, knows her mother thought suicide was cowardly and won't accept this explanation and sets out to discover the truth. Just when she believes she knows who is guilty her father makes a startling confession: he did it, *but in his sleep*. Hector Hawke has always been a sleepwalker, and he loves his wife. No-one doubts his tragic explanation; no-one except his daughter.

When Maya dies the stakes are raised, and the case is upgraded to a murder. Cassandra is plagued with anxiety: if he was asleep, how can any of them rest easy at night? And if he's lying, she is harbouring her mother's murderer. When her family, her marriage, and her mental health are put at risk she must ask herself what price she is willing to pay for the truth. Student paramedic Holly Redwood, one of the first on the scene to attend to Maya, also thinks something strange is going on. But she has a secret; Innocence Farm was a place she played as a girl, until the play turned to pain, and someone got badly hurt. She has never been back, until now. Helping Cassandra uncover the truth also resurrects the ghosts of her past, and both women end up down a path of discovery from which neither can turn back.

Rights: World English: Thomas Mercer/Amazon Publishing (print and digital), 24th April 2018; Audio: Brilliance Publishing

MY SISTER AND OTHER LIARS

The bold first stand-alone novel by the CWA award-winning novelist

• **#1** on Amazon UK

• top 50 Amazon for over a month

• **43,000** copies sold

GIRL, INTERRUPTED (Susanna Kaysen) meets WE WERE LIARS (E. Lockhart) in this domestic noir crime novel, told from the unusual perspective of a teenage anorexic, where layers are pulled away until the family home is revealed as the most dangerous place of all.

What happens if you forget your own secrets?

Sam is 17, starving herself and longing for oblivion; Jena is 30, left brain-damaged and desperate to remember. This is the story of two sisters and the secrets and lies at the heart of their world. Piecing Jena's fragmented words together, sneaking looks into police evidence, Sam resolves to find her sister's attacker. At any cost. A chocolate box full of old photos forces her to speak and to remember. But this journey of discovery also means a loss of innocence for Sam, with devastating consequences.

Rights: World English: Thomas Mercer/ Amazon Publishing (print and digital), May 2017; Audio: Brilliance Publishing; Czech: Mlada Fronta; Greece: Iviskos

NOWHERE GIRL

Selected for The Sunday Times crime club

Rights: UK: Legend Press, October 2015 Audio: Oakhill Publishing; Large Print: FA Thorpe

HUMBER BOY B

Rights: UK: Legend Press, April 2015; Audio: Oakhill Pub; India: Mehta Pub; Large Print: FA Thorpe

THE JAMES VERSION

Rights: UK: Legend Press, 2012

THE SACRIFICIAL MAN

Rights: UK: Legend Press, 2011; Australia: Text; Large Print: FA Thorpe; US: Sourcebooks; Audio: Oakhill Publishing; Germany: Piper; India: Mehta Publishing

THE WOMAN BEFORE ME *Winner of the CWA Best Debut Novel 2011*

Rights: UK: Legend Press, 2010; US: Sourcebooks; Large Print: FA Thorpe; Audio: Oakhill Publishing; Australia: Text; Croatia: Mozaik; Germany: Piper; India: Mehta Publishing; Italy: Elliot Edizioni

KER DUKEY

Over 200,000 copies of her books sold

A dark sexy psychological thriller for fans of Katerina Diamond, Lisa Hall and CL Taylor

THE V GAMES SERIES: 12,430 sales, 13.6 million pages read (55,500 ebooks equivalent)

Dark romance

VLAD

Everything I do has purpose. Everything I do has reason. Until her.

The Vasiliev name is a powerful one. We rule with an iron fist and we do it well. Being the eldest, I am Father's best hope at keeping us at the top of the food chain. Everything I do has purpose. Everything I do has reason. Until her. I play my games thinking several moves ahead. Power. Power. Power. Until her.

The next move requires I marry and soon. This will strengthen us and secure our position. But I am not to marry her. I am to wed the eldest Volkov. Problem is, her younger sister is the one who awakens my dead heart.

It is her I want in my bed and by my side forever. Her. Her. Her. In this game, though, it's not about what I want. But maybe it can be about what she wants. I am Vlad. Vile. Vicious. Villainous. Vasiliev. And I will win eventually.

Published February 2018

VAN Published June 2018

VAS Published January 2019

Rights: Israel: Sifrut Shenogaat

I SEE YOU 8,800 sales, 1.2 million pages read (5,000 ebooks equivalent)

Rights: Poland: Napoleon V

PRETTY LITTLE DOLLS SERIES: 33,000 sales, 4.5 million pages read (19,000 ebooks equivalent)

PRETTY STOLEN DOLLS (Book 1)

Psychological thriller

Benny loves his pretty little dolls. As long as they do exactly as they're told. He keeps them perfect by brushing their hair and gives them pretty dresses to wear. He likes to toy with them late at night. One so timid but the other likes to fight. When his favourite doll runs away...his heart becomes broken and he can't help but cry. He wants her back home or his pretty little doll must die.

Have you ever had to make a decision that haunts you every single day for the rest of your life...The life you stole back? I ran for my survival, rocks and twigs cutting into the soles of my feet, my lungs burning and screaming for rest, every muscle tensed and fighting along with me for existence. I ran, ran, ran – from Benny and his lone pretty dolls – until I couldn't remember where to find them again. I'm sorry.

Rights: Hungary: Konyvmolykepzo; Poland: Napoleon V

PRETTY LOST DOLLS (Book 2)

Rights: Hungary: Konyvmolykepzo; Poland: Napoleon V

PRETTY NEW DOLL (Book 3) (July 2017)

Rights: Poland: Napoleon V

THE BROKEN DOLLS (Book 4) (September 2017)

A dark sexy suspenseful romance for fans of Jennifer L. Armentrout, Anna Todd, Jennifer Probst, Pepper Winters, Helena Hunting, Christina Lauren and Alessandra Torres.

EMPATHY (EMPATHY series, book 1)

Psychological romance/thriller

DESOLATE (EMPATHY series, book 2)

VACANT (EMPATHY series, novella 1)

DEADLY (EMPATHY series, novella 2)

52,100 sales, 1.7 million pages read (7,200 ebooks equivalent)

Rights: France: Bragelonne

HANNAH FIELDING

Women's fiction

THE ECHOES OF LOVE (stand-alone)

Rights: World English: London Wall Publishing (John Blake); Macedonia and Albania: Toper Doel; Serbia: Vulkan

BURNING EMBERS (stand-alone)

Rights: World English: London Wall Publishing (John Blake); Macedonia and Albania: Toper Doel; Serbia: Vulkan

INDISCRETION (Book 1 in the Andalucian Nights Trilogy)

MASQUERADE (Book2)

LEGACY (Book 3)

Rights: World English: London Wall Publishing (John Blake); Macedonia and Albania: Toper Doel

JANICE FROST

Crime series

For fans of Angela Marsons, Ruth Rendell or Mark Billingham

NEAL & MERRY SERIES

DEAD SECRET (book 1)

• 77,000 sales #13 on Amazon UK

DARK SECRET (book 2)

- 40,000 sales #10 on Amazon UK

HER HUSBAND'S SECRET (book 3)

- 33,000 sales #22 on Amazon UK

THEIR FATAL SECRETS (book 4)

- 15,500 sales #49 on Amazon UK

DIRTY SECRETS (book 5)

- 27,000 sales

Published 25th June 18

Rights: World English: Joffe Books; Audio: WF Howes

SOPHIE JACKSON

Romance/Women's fiction

A POUND OF FLESH (book 1)

Originally published as a work of fan fiction on www.ff.net, APoF has gone on to become an online phenomenon and an award-winning internet sensation. It has won a host of awards and attracted a staggering 4.5 million online reads.

Rights: US: S&S at auction in a good six figure deal; UK: Headline Publishing (Hachette); Audio: Audible; Brazil: at auction to Sextante in a six figure; France: at auction to J'ai Lu; Germany/audio: Egmont; Greece: at auction to Psychogios; Hungary: Libri Kiado; Israel: Korim; Italy: pre-empted by RCS Libri; Netherlands: Uitgeverij Zomer & Keuning; Russia: Atticus; Slovenia: Mladinska Knjiga; Spain: Planeta Group; Turkey: at auction to Epsilon

AN OUNCE OF HOPE (Book 2) simultaneous US and UK publication in January 2016

Rights: UK: Headline Publishing; Brazil: Sextante; France: Editions J'ai Lu; Germany/audio: Egmont; Hungary: Libri Kiado; Israel: Korim; Italy: Fabbri Editor; Netherlands: Uitgeverij Zomer & Keuning; Russia: Atticus; Slovenia: Mladinska Knjiga; Turkey: Epsilon

A MEASURE OF LOVE (Book 3): simultaneous US and UK publication in June 2016

Rights: UK: Headline Publishing; Brazil: Sextante; France: Editions J'ai Lu; German audio: Egmont; Hungary: Libri Kiado; Israel: Korim; Italy: Fabbri Editori; Netherlands: Uitgeverij Zomer & Keuning; Russia: Atticus; Slovenia: Mladinska Knjiga; Turkey: Epsilon

LOVE AND ALWAYS (novella 1) simultaneous US and UK publication in June 2015

Rights: Germany: Egmont; Hungary: Libri Kiado; Italy: Fabbri Editori; Netherlands: Uitgeverij Zomer & Keuning

FATE AND FOREVER (novella 2) simultaneous US and UK publication in March 2016

Rights: Germany: Bastei Luebbe; Hungary: Libri Kiado; Italy: Fabbri Editori; Netherlands: Uitgeverij Zomer & Keuning

MAGGIE JAMES

87,000 copies of her books sold

For fans of authors like; Rachel Abbott, Louise Jensen, Mark Edwards and BA Paris.

GUILTY INNOCENCE

Psychological thriller/suspense

- US & UK top 10

THE SECOND CAPTIVE

SISTER, PSYCHOPATH, published 3 October

Psychological thriller/suspense

DECEPTION WEARS MANY FACES (June 2018)

Rights: World English: Bloodhound Books

DYLAN H JONES

Thriller

81,000 copies of his books sold

For fans of authors like Angela Marsons, LJ Ross & Peter Robinson

DI Tudor Manx Series:

ANGELSEY BLUE (book 1)

- UK Top 50

Detective Inspector Tudor Manx has come to Island of Anglesey hoping for a quiet life. But his hopes are dashed when a brutally mutilated body is found crucified to the bow of a fishing boat sending shockwaves through the peaceful community. Is the body a message or a premonition of more murders to come? Adding to his mounting problems, Manx's troubled past returns to haunt him. Manx left the island after the disappearance of his younger sister, Miriam; a cold case that still remains unsolved.

Rights: World English: Bloodhound Books; Czech Republic: Computer Media

DOLL FACE (Book 2)

• Released March 2018

Rights: World English: Bloodhound Books; Czech Republic: Computer Media

SHARON MAAS

Women's/Historical

THE SUGAR PLANTER'S DAUGHTER

Rights: World English: Bookouture; Hungary: Nouvion Trade Sociedad Anonima

THE SECRET LIFE OF WINNIE COX

Rights: Hungary; Nouvion Trade Sociedad Anonima

THE SMALL FORTUNE OF DOROTHEA Q

Rights: World English: Bookouture, July 2016; Hungary: Nouvion Trade Sociedad Anonima

OF MARRIAGEABLE AGE

Rights: World English: Bookouture; Audio: Tantor Media; India (English language): Fingerprint; France: Flammarion/ J'Ai Lu; Hungary: Nouvion Trade Sociedad Anonima

NISHA MINHAS

Romantic comedy

TALL, DARK AND HANDSOME, Pocket Books

THE MARRIAGE MARKET, Pocket Books

BINDIS & BRIDES, Pocket Books

PASSION & POPPADOMS, Pocket Books

SARI & SINS, Pocket Books

CHAPATTI OR CHIPS? Pocket Books

'Move over Bollywood because the Bollybook is here. [...] It's a fun read, raising issues about cultural differences', [Hello!](#)

'That old dilemma of sex and passion versus prudence and healthy bank balance given an entertaining Eastern spin',

Marie Claire

'Cleverly illustrates the culture clashes between East and West, as a young Anglo-Indian seeks marriage without parental interference. She is very good', [Bookseller](#)

RICK MOFINA

Thriller/crime

JASON WADE TRILOGY:

THE DYING HOUR (Jason Wade 1) *Nominated for Best Paperback Original at the International Thriller Award*

• 70,000 copies sold

EVERY FEAR (Jason Wade 2)

• 59,500 copies sold

A PERFECT GRAVE (Jason Wade 3)

• 48,000 copies sold

Rights: UK: MIRA; US: Pinnacle/Kensington; France: Alire; Germany: Weltbild;

Rights reverted: Norway: Schibsted Forlag

TOM REED SERIES:

IF ANGELS FALL (Tom Reed 1)

• 76,200 copies sold

Rights: France; Alire; Russia: Eksmo; **Rights reverted:** Norway: Bladkompaniet AS;

COLD FEAR (Tom Reed 2)

• 108,000 copies sold

Rights: France; Alire; Russia: Eksmo; **Rights reverted:** Norway: Bladkompaniet AS;

BLOOD OF OTHERS (Tom Reed 3)

• 75,000 copies sold

Rights: France; Alire; **Rights reverted:** Norway: Schibsted Forlag Oslo; Sweden: Schibsted Forlag Oslo

NO WAY BACK (Tom Reed 4)

• 46,600 copies sold

Rights: France: Alire; **Rights reverted:** Norway: Schibsted Forlag Oslo

BE MINE (Tom Reed 5)

• 54,000 copies sold

Rights: France: Alire; Rights reverted: Norway: Schibsted Forlag Oslo

SIX SECONDS

Rights: UK: Mira Books; US: Mira Books

'Echoing Ludlum and Forsythe... (a) big international thriller that grabs your gut - and your heart - and never lets go',
Jeffrey Deaver

'Six Seconds should be Rick Mofina's breakout thriller. It moves like a tornado', James Patterson

'Classic virtues but tomorrow's subjects -- everything we need from a great thriller', Lee Child

'Starts scary and ends scary ... You'll be craving Mofina's next novel', Sandra Brown

'Swiftly paced, entertaining', Dean Koontz

'My kind of novel – a tough, taut thriller', Michael Connelly

'A lightning-paced thriller with lean, tense writing . . . Mofina really knows how to make the story fly', Tess Gerritsen

KIRSTY MOSELEY

NA/YA/romance

For fans of Jennifer L Armentrout/J Lynn, Jay Crownover, Abbi Glines, Jamie McGuire and Colleen Hoover

One of the most successful British indie authors, with **over 850,000 copies** sold

FIGHTING TO BE FREE (Book 1)

• *Six-figure deal with Grand Central Publishing (Hachette)* • *First published on Wattpad with over 5.7 million reads*

Rights: US: Grand Central Publishing/Hachette (September 2016) in a six-figure deal; UK: Piatkus/LittleBrown
Brazil: Vergara&Riba; Germany: HarperCollins Germany in a good five figure pre-empt; Italy: Tre60/TEA (Mauri Spagnol
Group) at auction; Poland: HarperCollins; Turkey: Artemis Yayinlari

WORTH FIGHTING FOR (Book 2)

Rights: US: Grand Central Publishing/Hachette (December 2016) in a six-figure deal

Foreign rights as above

THE BOY WHO SNEAKS IN MY BEDROOM WINDOW

• **Over 282,000** copies sold • *Top 10 Finalists for 2012 Goodreads' Choice Awards*

Rights: Audio: Tantor Media; Albania: Bota Shqiptare; Estonia: Pegasus; Hungary: Konyvmolykepzo Kiado; Italy: Newton
Compton (Italian bestseller); Spanish (Latin America and USA): Ediciones B; Poland: HarperCollins; Serbia: Vulkan;

POLES APART (stand alone; over 49,500 copies sold)

THE BEST FRIEND SERIES:

ALWAYS YOU (over **218,500** copies sold)

Rights: Albania: Bota Shqiptare; Italy: Newton Compton; Italy Audio: Newton Compton; Poland: HarperCollins

FREE FALLING (69,500 copies sold)

Rights: Albania: BOTA SHQIPTARE; Italy: Newton Compton; Italy Audio: Newton Compton

THE GUARDED HEARTS SERIES:

ENJOYING THE CHASE (**105,500** copies sold)

Rights: Poland: HarperCollins

NOTHING LEFT TO LOSE (**109,500** copies sold)

Rights: Hungary: Konyvmolykepzo Kiado; Poland: HarperCollins; Italy: TEA

ONE WILD NIGHT (**19,500** copies sold, Enjoying the Chase novella)

OWEN MULLEN

Crime

OUT OF THE SILENCE

Publication 28th January 19

PI CHARLIE CAMERON SERIES: 47,000 copies sold

GAMES PEOPLE PLAY (book 1)

long-listed for Bloody Scotland McIlvanney Crime Book Of The Year 2017

Thirteen-month-old Lily Hamilton is abducted from Ayr beach in Scotland while her parents are just yards away. Three days later the distraught father turns up at private investigator Charlie Cameron's office. Mark Hamilton believes he knows who has stolen his daughter. And why.

Against his better judgment Charlie gets involved in the case and when more bodies are discovered the awful truth dawns: there is a serial killer whose work has gone undetected for decades. Is baby Lily the latest victim of a madman? For Charlie it's too late, he can't let go. His demons won't let him.

Rights: World English: Bloodhound Books, Germany: Weltbild

OLD FRIENDS AND NEW ENEMIES (book 2)

BEFORE THE DEVIL KNOWS YOU'RE DEAD (book 3)

Rights: World English: Bloodhound Books

STEVE PARKER

Crime thriller

For fans of Kimberley Chambers, Damien Boyd, Rachel Abbott, Patricia Gibney or Martina Cole.

THEIR LAST WORDS (Book 1)

• UK #31

• 29,600 copies sold

A VICTIM. A MUTILATED BODY. A SINGLE WORD.

This is the first in a series of action-packed, edge-of-your-seat crime thrillers, set in London on the banks of the River Thames.

THE LOST CHILDREN (Book 2)

• UK #30

• 25,000 copies sold

THE BURNING MEN (Book 3)

• AUS #3

• 6,000 copies sold since December 18

Rights: World English: Joffe Books

KATIE STEPHENS

Women's fiction

CATCHING LIGHTNING

A modern day OUT OF AFRICA in reverse story, CATCHING LIGHTNING provides the kind of realist escapism which would appeal to readers of Jill Mansell, Erica James and Santa Montefiore, Belinda Jones.

CANDLES IN THE SAND

The No. 1 Kindle bestseller and self-published sensation in 2011, over 60,000 copies sold.

MARK TILBURY

YOU BELONG TO ME

Crime

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Hira Ali is a Leadership Trainer, Motivational Speaker, Writer, Executive Career Coach and Licensed Neuro Linguistic Programming (NLP) Practitioner. Hira has coached hundreds of people across industries, professions and ethnicities. From teachers to students, executives to police officers, business owners to corporate career women, her client base is diverse, and her success is grounded in the belief that human potential is infinite. Her widely acclaimed leadership and coaching articles have been featured across a variety of leading outlets. She is a registered coach and mentor at various organisations including the National Health Services, Mentor2mentees, American Corporate Partners and The Cherie Blair Foundation. Hira has been nominated and shortlisted for prestigious UK awards and is a recipient of The Lift Effects Top 100 Women- Star Award.

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Lars Brownorth is an author, speaker, broadcaster, and teacher based in Maryland, USA. He has written for the *Wall Street Journal* and been profiled in the *New York Times*, who likened him to some of history's great popularizers.

THERESA CHEUNG

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Marcus Ferrar is a former Reuters correspondent who covered Central & Eastern Europe, living in East Berlin and Prague. He is now a writer and consultant. His first book, *SLOVENIA 45: Memories of Death and Destruction after World War II*, co-authored with John Corsellis, was published by I.B. Tauris.

TAMSEN GARRIE

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Girl on the Net is a London-based award-winning sex blogger and bestselling author, covering topics like erotica, feminism, popular culture and body confidence. She has written for the *Guardian* and the *New Statesman*, as well as sex sites, dating sites and mainstream online magazines. Her blog gets over 120,000 visits each month.

CHRISTOPHER LASCELLES

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