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Featured Authors

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MALLIKA NARAYANAN – Translation, UK: The Weis Agency

"Narayanan's smart, satisfying debut employs an inverted structure to explore the relationship between two complicated women . . . Lisa Unger fans will hope for more from this promising talent."—***Publishers Weekly***

"A compelling and complex debut novel of psychological suspense from a promising author.... The skillfully scripted narrative will keep readers locked in, particularly when some far-fetched moments ultimately intertwine for the final, breathtaking conclusion."—***Booklist***

In the Dark I See You is an exciting debut novel of psychological suspense from successful short story writer Mallika Narayanan.

When a young woman, Sarah Connelly, is found murdered in her home in New York's elite Sleepy Point suburb, it triggers questions about the neighbor who discovered the body, Audrey Hughes. This kind of attention is the last thing Audrey wants. Moving to Sleepy Point was supposed to provide her with a new, quiet start after a trauma left her with incurable blindness. But the other reason she settled next door to Sarah was to spy on her. Police scrutiny moves Audrey like a pawn on a chessboard from witness to suspect, after it's revealed that she had a volatile argument with Sarah hours before her death. The deeper the police delve into the case, the murkier the truth becomes. As the book twists and turns through alternating points of view and timelines, a compelling and complex scheme emerges that threatens all involved . . . and the ticking clock of investigation collides with the explosive secrets Audrey and Sarah have been keeping.

Sold at auction to Union Square & Co. Publication: October 24, 2023.

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KATE SWENSON, CARRIE CARIELLO, AND ADRIAN WOOD — Translation: The Weis Agency

Unfiltered: Three Mothers on Life Alongside Autism is a heartfelt examination of what it's like to parent children with autism co-written by Kate Swenson, Carrie Cariello, and Adrian Wood. "Our boys live life out loud," they write. "Whether it's taking off their clothes in church, dashing onto the baseball field unexpectedly mid-game, or the endless stream of awkward questions asked of strangers, our boys are utterly uninhibited. Unfiltered. Who they are, what they do, comes straight from an inner

source. By association, we, their mothers, live this way too. This is the beautiful by-product of having an autistic child. Life alongside autism has taught us to embrace the raw, gritty pieces of our journey. These pages share three wildly different stories from across the spectrum, told by three different mothers spread across the country from one another. Autism brought us together, but motherhood made us friends.”

Adrian Wood, Carrie Cariello, and Kate Swenson have amassed a tremendous social media following and have a significant presence on Facebook. **Collectively, they have nearly 1.5 million followers on Facebook, 200,000 followers on Instagram and 10,000 subscribers through Facebook’s paid supporter program. They reach 20 million viewers per month.**

Pre-empted by Park Row in a substantial six-figure deal! MS delivery: Fall 2024.

ROBERT COPLAN, Ph.D. – Translation: The Weis Agency

Psychologist Robert J. Coplan's *All Alone* is a deep dive into the science and psychology of solitude, featuring advice to help readers think intentionally about, and improve, their own relationship to time spent alone.

Finding the right balance between your social and solitary life is a vital component for happiness. This book explores one’s relationship to solitude and how it can help one achieve their healthiest lifestyle.

Robert Coplan, Ph.D. is the Chancellor’s Professor of Psychology at Carleton University. His research focuses on experiences of solitude across the human lifespan and across cultures. In particular, he is interested in the development and implications of shyness, social withdrawal, and preference for solitude. His most recent research projects have focused on: (1) the costs and benefits of solitude in childhood, adolescence, and adulthood; (2) the challenges faced by shy and anxious children at school; and (3) the meaning and implications of social withdrawal in different cultures.

Pre-empted to Simon and Schuster in a six-figure deal! Tentatively scheduled for October 2025. MS delivery: May 2024.