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THE DEADLY DINNER PARTY AND OTHER MEDICAL DETECTIVE STORIES

JONATHAN E. EDLOW

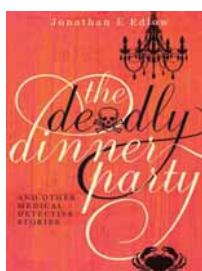
- *Stories of everyday people caught up in medical crises which take deduction and detective work to solve*
- *A must for fans of "House"*
- *Reveals medicine as a race against time to find an accurate diagnosis before it is too late*
- *Author will be travelling to Australia for publicity to coincide with launch*

The world is filled with bizarre and fascinating ways to fall ill. A notorious stomach bug turns a suburban dinner party into a disaster that almost claims its host; a diminutive woman routinely eats more than her football-playing boyfriend but continually loses weight; a young executive is diagnosed with lung cancer, yet the tumors seem to wax and wane inexplicably. In these fifteen edge-of-your-seat, real-life medical detective stories, practicing physician and award-winning author Jonathan Edlow, shows the doctor as detective and the epidemiologist as elite sleuth in stories that are as gripping as the best thrillers.

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UNSW Press

DIGGERS AND GREEKS: THE AUSTRALIAN CAMPAIGN IN GREECE AND CRETE

MARIA HILL

'Most studies of the Greek campaign have tended to gloss over the contribution of the Greeks. Maria Hill's book adds a completely new perspective to the campaign. She tells great stories of the interaction between Greek people and Australian soldiers.' – Professor David Horner, Official Historian and Professor of Australian Defence History, Australian National University

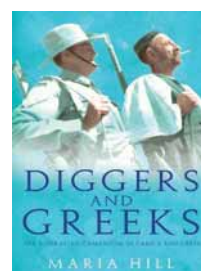
Little is known about the real reasons that Australia committed troops to Greece. Australian historians have, for too long, neglected the Greek and Crete campaigns and what has been written until now, has ignored the Greek side of the story. Never before has the impact of fifth-column activity on Australia's military relationship with Greece been investigated. This compelling book combines details of the campaigns with an account of the response of Greeks and Cretans to the Allied forces on their soil. It reveals the personal relations that developed between Australian soldiers and Greek civilians and soldiers; these were sometimes hostile but in other cases developed into friendships that lasted decades after the war had finished. Maria Hill has trawled through archives in Athens and Canberra to show that while miscommunication between the Greek General Staff and the allied forces was frequent, the situation on the ground was far more complex. Her book also shows why the campaigns on mainland Greece and Crete compelled people to behave in altruistic ways, even when it meant placing themselves in danger. It proves that it is possible to form successful relations with people of a completely different culture in conflict situations, and that those relationships are important and should be nurtured, as they are vital to the wellbeing of all involved.

Visit Maria's website

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110 illustrations



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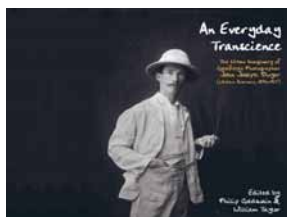


UWA Publishing

AN EVERYDAY TRANSCIENCE: THE URBAN IMAGINARY OF GOLDFIELDS PHOTOGRAPHER

JOHN JOSEPH DWYER

PHILIP GOLDSWAIN (ed.), WILLIAM TAYLOR (ed.)



- Over 150 photographs coupled with six essays and a short story by prize-winning author, Joan London
- This book reclaims an integral part of WA history that was discovered following Dwyer's death and the subsequent sale of his studio
- This is the first time many of these photographs have been made accessible to the public
- To be coupled with an exhibition of the photos, confirmed for FotoFreo, March 2010

Revisit Australia's Goldfields during the late 19th and early 20th century with the photographs of John Joseph Dwyer. Based in Kalgoorlie, Dwyer captured the development of the Goldfields. His outstanding images comprised street and industrial photography as well as underground and night-time photography, taking advantage of recent innovations in artificial lighting. Dwyer's work reflected approaches and viewpoints from across the globe, the developments and innovations in photography of that time and the amazing changes that Kalgoorlie experienced at the turn of the 20th century.

9781921401442 _ _ _ _ _ Mar-10 226x260mm 200pp HB



Rosenberg Publishing

THE WOMEN BEHIND THE ROSES: AN INTRODUCTION TO ALISTER CLARK'S WOMEN ROSE-NAMESAKES 1915-1952

TILLEY GOVANSTONE, ANDREW GOVANSTONE

- A celebration of the wonderful life and legacy of Alister Clark, Australia's acknowledged 'Man of Roses'

Alister Clark, Australia's most prodigious rosarian, bred roses to establish new, improved, hardier varieties that would flourish in the Australian climate, and grow better in Australian soils. He aimed to produce roses that would extend their flowering beyond a season: ideally to bear blossoms all year round. This book is a celebration of the sixty five women to whom the late Alister Clark, chose to dedicate Glenara Seedling roses. There is story behind each rose. The authors are noted for their detective work in finding "lost" Alister Clark roses. With the thread of Alister Clark's forty-year rose-breeding program linking the women together, the book presents biographical sketches of each woman rose name-sake, and provides contemporary rose-grower's notes on each woman's rose.



9781877058936 _ _ _ _ _ Mar-10 240x180mm 288pp HB
100 illustrations in colour & B/W.



Aboriginal Studies Press

PALM ISLAND: THROUGH A LONG LENS

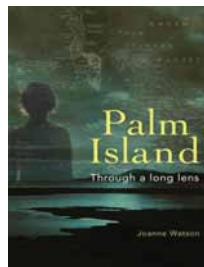
JOANNE WATSON

- Reveals the real history of Palm Island, via the voices of Palm Islanders themselves
- Up-to-date and the subject will remain newsworthy because of the second inquest and the current official inquiry into the police operations
- Based on years of archival and oral history research
- Author's writing shows great substance, and great style
- Author has strong ties to unions, Queensland universities and local historical groups

'This is an outstanding contribution to Indigenous history — especially the history of Palm Island. Watson has made great use of historical records, media reports, discussions with Palm Island people alive today, and historical recollections from family members.' - Stephen Hagan, University of Southern Queensland

In November 2004, Mulrunji Doomadgee's tragic death triggered civil unrest within the Indigenous community of Palm Island. This led to the first prosecution of a Queensland police officer in relation to a death in custody. Despite prolonged media attention, much of it negative and full of stereotypes, few Australians know the turbulent history of 'Australia's Alcatraz', a political prison set up to exile Queensland's 'troublesome blacks'. In *Palm Island*, Joanne Watson gives the first substantial history of the island from pre contact to the present, set against a background of some of the most explosive episodes in Queensland history. *Palm Island*, often heart wrenching and at times uplifting, is a study in the dynamics of power and privilege, and how it is resisted.

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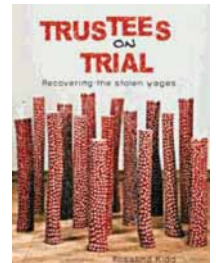


TRUSTEES ON TRIAL: RECOVERING THE STOLEN WAGES

ROSLYN KIDD

- Articulate activist author who has had unprecedented access to government records
- Launch at Brisbane Writers' Festival - ongoing interstate publicity with visiting US activists
- Other state and territory governments now on notice
- Launch at Brisbane Writers' Festival. Ongoing interstate publicity with visiting US activists.

Details the Qld government's nearly 100 year stranglehold on Aboriginal people's lives and earnings. Lays bare its (mis)management, and its conditional offer of up to \$4000 compensation, representing for some a lifetime's work. Refutes the Beattie Government's claim it would win legal action by demonstrating ample precedence for our courts to declare they have a duty to account.

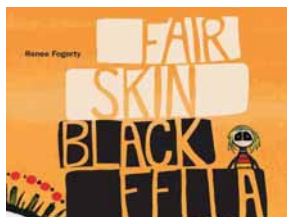


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Magabala Books

FAIR SKIN BLACK FELLA
RENEE FOGORTY



- A heartwarming story about how it feels to look different
- Promotes acceptance of diversity
- Teaches children to listen to their elders
- Written by the author when she was in Year 12
- Bold colourful illustrations
- An important story about multiculturalism that is ideal for both upper primary and high school students
- A universal story for all cultures

'We all brothers and sisters in this life, no matter what colour we are,' says Old Ned. This is the story of Mary, a young Aboriginal girl who lives on a red and dusty cattle station. Shunned by the other girls because of her fair skin, Old Ned, one of the community elders, finally speaks up. With words full of knowledge and wisdom, he teaches the girls that Aboriginal identity transcends skin colour and that family, community, country, culture and spirituality is what being Aboriginal is really about. Renee Fogorty shows that prejudice has no boundaries and that it occurs within and between cultural groups. Her personal perspective makes *Fair Skin Black Fella* a tale of universal experience that many young readers will identify with. Renee's contemporary artwork is both whimsical and streetwise, and her colourful characters will appeal to readers of all ages.

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Australian Academic Press

TURNING POINTS: AN EXTRAORDINARY JOURNEY INTO THE SUICIDAL MIND
DIEGO DE LEO

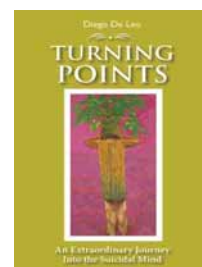
'One of the most important books you will read in your life.' - Dawn O'Neil, CEO Lifeline Australia

'Essential reading for anyone who is interested in understanding the wonderful resilience of the human spirit, even in the most seemingly dire of circumstances.' - Prof. Brian Mishara, International Association for Suicide Prevention

'A great resource for students and others wanting to understand more about helping people stay alive.' - Barbara Hocking, Executive Director, SANE Australia

In this remarkable book, Professor Diego De Leo, distinguished Italian psychiatrist and tireless researcher into suicide prevention, takes us on a journey to the edge of reason and through into the light of salvation. We hear the voices of desperate traumatised people pushed to the limit of suicide who, via a stroke of fate, had their lives spared. We also hear from others left behind after suicide. Their personal stories told in the form of letters to Diego reveal much about the human spirit — its lows and highs, its ability to find a way back from the darkest of places where everything seems lost.

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Polygon

KANE'S LADDER CARLOS ALBA

'A laugh-out-loud, feel-good story'- NEWS OF THE WORLD

It's 1975 and Britain is a country in political flux. Ten-year-old Steve Duff longs to be poor and neglected like his friend Wally, whose parents are incapable drunks. Frustratingly for Steve, he's saddled with a conventional, stable and middle-class family. Then, over the course of a year, his father has a fling with a barmaid and leaves home, his mother's response is to start a psychology degree, his sister is arrested for demanding money with menaces and his brother gets a girl pregnant. As if the normal indignities of growing up weren't bad enough. A funny touching and heart-warming debut novel that will strike a chord with anyone who has been an awkward kid at least once in their life.

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9781846970474 _ _ _ _ _ May-08 224pp HB

Edinburgh University Press

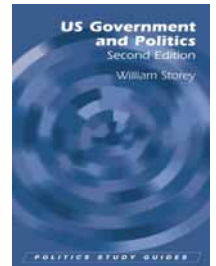
POLITICS STUDY GUIDES

US GOVERNMENT AND POLITICS 2nd Ed WILLIAM STOREY

- Almost 3000 copies of first edition sold since March 2006
- Author is Principal Examiner for US Politics with the Edexcel Exam Board
- A volume in the successful Politics Study Guides series

This new edition of the best-selling introduction to US Government and Politics has been completely revised and updated to reflect the changes in the area after the election of the Barack Obama as President in November 2008. It explores whether the US political system lives up to its promise to provide freedom and equality of opportunity for all.

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ECW Press

A COLLINS-BURKE MYSTERY

OBIT: A MYSTERY ANNE EMERY

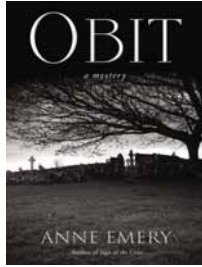
- Now in paperback!

Declan Burke fled Ireland forty years ago and never looked back. Now settled in New York, he thinks he's put the old country behind him, until he reads the obituary of one Cathal Murphy: a coded indictment of Burke's own life and an announcement of his impending death. Halifax lawyer Monty Collins investigates the obit with its allusions to Burke's IRA past. From the farms of Ireland to the tenements of New York City, Monty is confronted by a cast of enigmatic characters, including the owner of a nightclub frequented by the New York mob; a sultry chanteuse; and Burke's hotheaded son Francis.

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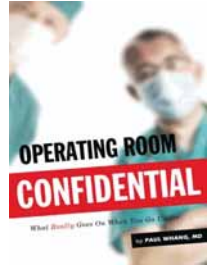
OPERATING ROOM CONFIDENTIAL: WHAT REALLY GOES ON WHEN YOU GO UNDER

PAUL WHANG

- After 5 seasons, surgery drama *Grey's Anatomy* still posts strong ratings – attracting as many as 16 million viewers per episode
- What do doctors talk about during your surgery?
- If a surgical instrument falls to the floor, is the five-second rule observed?
- What characters do doctors encounter on a typical 24-hour call shift?
- What are the personality quirks of doctors who practise different specialties?

What really happens in the operating room of a hospital? Is real-life just like *ER*, *Grey's Anatomy*, and *House*? Dr. Paul Whang, Anaesthetologist, reveals operating room curses and superstitions, the characteristics of a good surgeon, the personalities of the specialists caring for them, and the patients that doctors fear. *Operating Room Confidential* shares the inner truths about the operating room to the reader: the quirky, strange, hidden rhythms and routines that occur inside and around the O.R.

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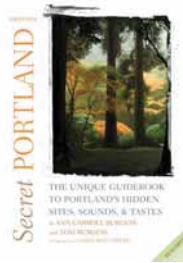
SECRET PORTLAND, OREGON 2010: THE UNIQUE GUIDEBOOK TO PORTLAND'S HIDDEN SITES, SOUNDS, & TASTES

ANN CARROLL BURGESS, TOM BURGESS, Photographs by LINDA RUTENBERG

• Part of the Secret Guide series from ECW that includes books about Vancouver, Ottawa, Toronto, Chicago, Montreal, Providence and Newport, New York, San Diego, San Francisco, and Boston

Portland, the secret gem of the West coast, is almost too good to be true. Imagine a city where a bookstore occupies an entire city block. A city where brewing beer has been elevated to an art form; a city containing both the world's smallest dedicated park and largest forested city wilderness. *Secret Portland* is the only guide that takes the time to explore the city's scores of lesserknown treasures. Leading you to the spots that only locals know, *Secret Portland* is readable, quirky, and intimate, exposing little-known histories and legends, the best ethnic eateries, chicest cheap hotels, and locally-favored nightspots.

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18 illustrations



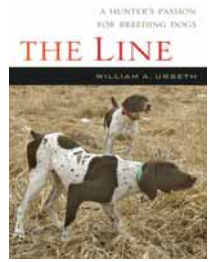
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THE LINE: A HUNTER'S PASSION FOR BREEDING DOGS

WILLIAM A URSETH

William Urseth loves dogs, and even more, he loves what these dogs can do. Striking a perfect point, flushing grouse for hours, retrieving perfectly to hand; moments that can steal your breath away. His decision to breed German Shorthairs brought him to Jäger and Cent, dogs he bought after hiring an expert to find the best of this breed in the world. From these two, he would create The Line, generations of dogs that would not only win countless tournaments, but also create countless highs and heartbreaks as they spend their lives in the homes and hunts of William, his wife, and his friends. These stories are like the dogs they recount; they will steal your breath away, warm your heart, and should not be missed.

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REAKTION BOOKS

A HISTORY OF BULLFIGHTING SUE ROSE

- *The first cross-cultural study of bullfighting*
- *Full of fascinating, and sometimes challenging illustrations*
- *Zoo by the same author was highly acclaimed and sold very well*

Art? Ritual? Sport? Cruelty? Though opinions are divided, one thing is certain – bullfighting sparks passionate responses. Supporters argue that bullfighting is a culturally important tradition stretching back thousands of years; while animal rights groups argue that it is cruel and barbaric, causing unnecessary suffering to both bulls and horses. In *A History of Bullfighting* Elisabeth Hardouin-Fugier brings clarity to this debate through an exploration of the long history of killing bulls as public spectacle.

9781861895189 _ _ _ _ _ Mar-10 250x190mm 224pp PB
100 illustrations



ABU GHRAIB EFFECT STEPHEN F. EISENMAN

- *New in paperback, this is a subtle, yet uncompromising analysis of the iconic photographs of torture from the prison at Abu Ghraib*

The line between punishment and torture can be thin, but the entire world agreed it was crossed at Abu Ghraib. Or did it? George W. Bush emerged from the scandal relatively unscathed, winning a second term months later, only a few low-ranking soldiers involved in the crimes were prosecuted, and the issue went almost entirely unmentioned during the mid-term elections in 2006. Where was the public outcry? Why was the American public largely unmoved by the images of torture and humiliation? Stephen F. Eisenman posits an unsettling explanation, which is rooted in the character of the Abu Ghraib photographs themselves.

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50 illustrations



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INSOMNIA: A CULTURAL HISTORY ELUNED SUMMERS-BREMNER

- *Now available in paperback, this is a highly engaging and original investigation of insomnia throughout the ages*

In today's media-saturated, hyper-connected society, increasing numbers of people are finding it hard to switch off their over-stimulated brains and escape the demands of daily life. We are becoming, it seems, a world of insomniacs – but this condition of perpetual unrest has plagued people for centuries. In this fascinating study, Eluned Summers-Bremner shows that the roots and effects of insomnia are complex, and reveals how humans have employed art, science and witchcraft to understand and treat the affliction.

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15 illustrations

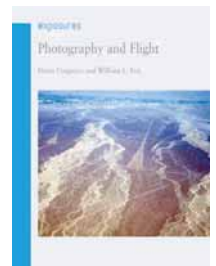
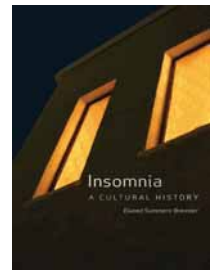


EXPOSURES PHOTOGRAPHY AND FLIGHT WILLIAM L. FOX

- *A history of aerial photography that focuses on the twin development of two key modern technologies: photography and flight*
- *Moves from early aerial photography, from fixed platforms and balloons, to images gained by military reconnaissance, to the images of Earth taken by the Apollo space missions*
- *Aerial photography has become extremely popular with the publication of *The Earth from the Air* by Lester R. Brown and Yann Arthus-Bertrand*

Used for everything from geographic evaluation to secret spy missions, aerial photography has a rich and varied history that involves the intimate and reciprocal evolution of two key modern technologies: photography and flight.

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80 illustrations in colour



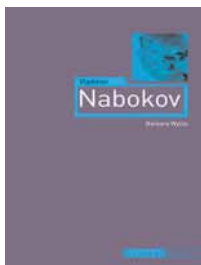
VLADIMIR NABOKOV

BARBARA WYLLIE

- A fascinating portrait of one of the twentieth century's most eclectic, prolific and controversial authors
- Investigates the author's poetry and prose, in both Russian and English, alongside Nabokov's autobiography, letters and critical writings, in order to create a complete and updated picture of the writer in the context of his works
- Will benefit from publicity surrounding the publication, for the first time, of *The Original of Laura* in November 2009

'I am almost exclusively a writer, and my style is all I have', wrote Vladimir Nabokov (1899-1977). Best known for his deeply controversial 1955 novel *Lolita*, Nabokov is celebrated as a prolific author and poet in both Russian and English. In *Vladimir Nabokov*, Barbara Wyllie presents a comprehensive account of the life and works of the writer, from his childhood and earliest stories in pre-revolutionary Russia, to *The Original of Laura* – a novel to be published posthumously, and for the first time, in November 2009.

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30 illustrations



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Earthscan

THE GOOD WORK GUIDE: HOW TO MAKE ORGANIZATIONS FAIRER AND MORE EFFECTIVE NICK ISLES

- The essential management handbook that shows how and why companies should be improving working conditions for staff
- Plots out a 10 point plan for Good Work
- Filled with examples and backed up by cutting edge research

As the world reels from the credit crunch and fall into recession of late 2008, the search is on for a better way to do business. In an increasingly knowledge driven economy, the importance of people's discretionary effort to business performance is key to success – or failure – but many businesses and managers do not understand the alchemy required to gain the extra few per cent from their human resources. This new guide lays out how and why companies should be doing more to improve conditions for their staff.

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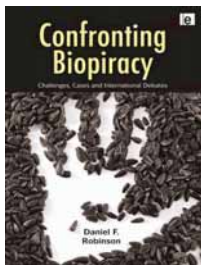
CONFRONTING BIOPIRACY: CHALLENGES, CASES AND INTERNATIONAL DEBATES

DANIEL ROBINSON

- Provides a detailed, coherent analysis of the growing issue of biopiracy and the theft of biological resources or knowledge
- Based on original research by the author combined with reviews of other studies, such as Basmati rice patents, the Rooibos Tea trademark and plant variety protection as biopiracy
- Australian author, based at UNSW

“Biopiracy” refers either to the unauthorised extraction of biological resources, such as plants with medicinal properties, and associated traditional knowledge from indigenous peoples and local communities, or to the patenting of spurious “inventions” based on such knowledge or resources without compensation. Biopiracy cases continue to emerge in the media and public eye, yet they remain the source of considerable disagreement, confusion, and controversy. This book provides the most detailed, coherent analysis of the issue of biopiracy to date. Detailing international debates from the WTO, CBD and other fora in an accessible manner, the book provides a unique overview of current institutional limitations and suggests ways forward.

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PASSIVE SOLAR ARCHITECTURE POCKET REFERENCE

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- Solar architecture exploits the natural energy of the sun to provide comfort in buildings while reducing demand for bought-in energy
- This book puts graphs, diagrams, maps, equations and background information at the reader's fingertips for quick and easy reference

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