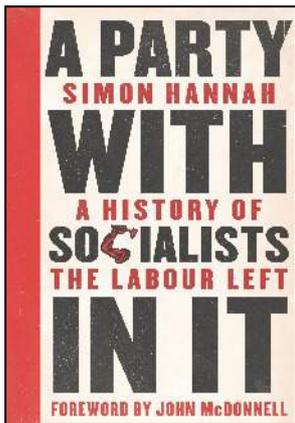


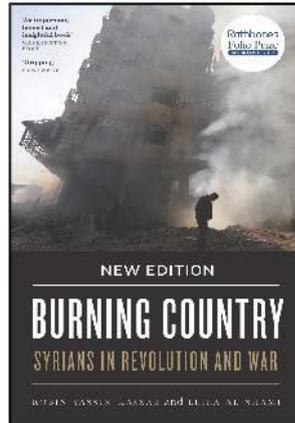


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A Party with Socialists in It

A History of the Labour Left

Simon Hannah

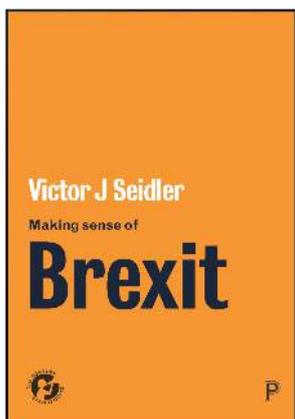
From its origins in the late nineteenth century, the Labour Party was uncomfortably divided between a metropolitan liberal and a working class milieu, a division which characterises the party to this very day. This history guides us from its beginnings, through the Bevanite movement and the celebrated government of Clement Attlee, the emergence of the sceptical New Left during the Wilson era, the decline of the Labour Left during the 1980s, the subsequent move towards Blairism through to the present day and the emergence of Jeremy Corbyn as its leader in an age of austerity. Today the Labour Party's fate rests in the balance. Will the Party reconcile its internal divisions or will it split into obscurity?

Burning Country (new edition)

Syrians in Revolution and War

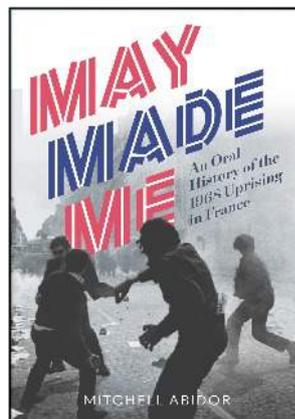
Robin Yassin-Kassab and Leila Al-Shami

Burning Country explores the horrific and complicated reality of life in present-day Syria with unprecedented detail and sophistication, on new first-hand testimonies from opposition fighters, exiles lost in an archipelago of refugee camps, and courageous human rights activists among many others. These stories are expertly interwoven with a trenchant analysis of the brutalisation of the conflict and the militarisation of the uprising, of the rise of the Islamists and sectarian warfare, and the role of governments in Syria and elsewhere in exacerbating those violent processes. With chapters focusing on ISIS and Islamism, regional geopolitics, the new grassroots revolutionary organisations, and the worst refugee crisis since World War Two, *Burning Country* is a vivid and ground breaking look at a modern-day political and humanitarian nightmare.



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Making Sense of Brexit

Victor Seidler

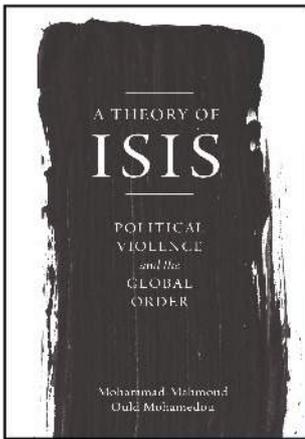
After the shock decision to leave the EU in 2016, what can we learn about our divided and unequal society and the need to listen to each other? This engaging and accessible book addresses the causes and implications of Brexit, exploring this moral anger against political elites and people feeling estranged from a political process and economic system that no longer expressed their will. Seidler argues that we need new political imaginations across class, race, religion, gender and sexuality to engage in issues about the scale and acceleration of urban change and the time people need to adjust to new realities.

May Made Me

An Oral History of the 1968 Uprising in France

Mitchell Abidor

The mass protests that shook France in May 1968 were exciting, dangerous, creative and influential, changing European politics to this day. Students demonstrated, workers went on general strike, factories and universities were occupied. Fifty years later, here are the eye-opening oral testimonies of those young rebels. By listening to the voices of students and workers, as opposed to that of their leaders, May 1968 appears not just as a mass event, but rather as an event driven by millions of individuals, achieving a mosaic human portrait of France at one of the most significant moments in history.



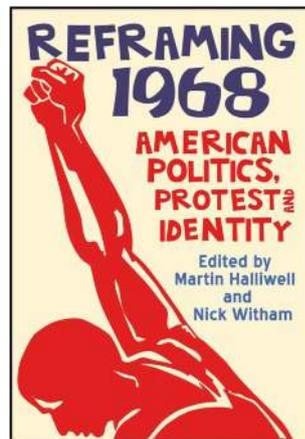
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A Theory of ISIS

Political Violence and the Transformation of the Global Order
Mohammad-Mahmoud Ould Mohamedou

In the course of a few years ISIS has become classified as the most dangerous terrorist organisation in the world. It is the subject of intense Western scrutiny, demonised by all, and shrouded in numerous myths and narratives. Mohamedou presents a bold new theory of ISIS and documenting its evolution in Iraq and Syria, he argues that ISIS has actually transcended Osama Bin Laden's original scheme of Al Qaeda. This book transforms our understanding of ISIS and its profound impact on the very nature of contemporary political violence.



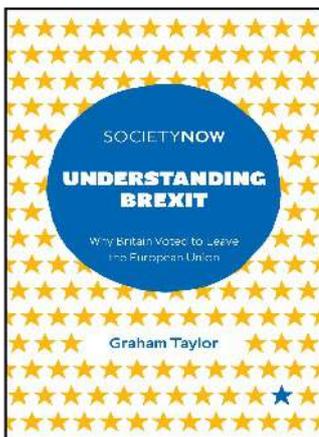
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American Politics, Protest and Identity
Edited by Martin Halliwell and Nick Witham

The assassinations of Martin Luther King Jr and Robert Kennedy. Gay rights, women's rights and civil rights. The Black Panthers and the Vietnam War. The New Left and the New Right. 1968 was a tumultuous year for US politics. 50 years on, *Reframing 1968* explores the historical, political and social legacy of 1968 in modern protest movements. Fourteen interdisciplinary essays look at how protest has changed in the US, from Students for a Democratic Society and the Civil Rights Movement in the late 1960s, to the Women's Movement in the 1970s, through to the contemporary visibility of the Tea Party and the Occupy movement.



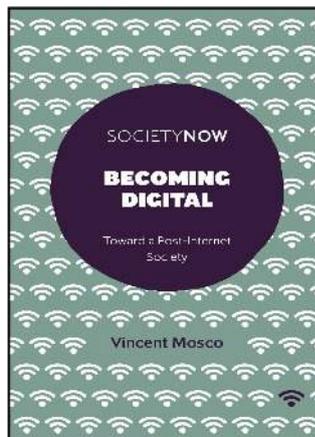
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Understanding Brexit

Why Britain Voted to Leave the European Union
Graham Taylor

On 23rd June 2016 the United Kingdom shocked the world by voting to leave the European Union. In this clear and concise book, Graham Taylor argues that the result is the most visible tip of an iceberg of social change that has been decades in the making. Hidden from view are a matrix of economic, socio-cultural and political dynamics that have wrought fundamental changes to the British state and society and the relationship between the UK and the rest of the world. This book highlights the historical and multifaceted nature of Brexit and its significance for Britain's future, providing a rigorous and forensic analysis of the most dramatic event to confront contemporary British society since the Second World War.



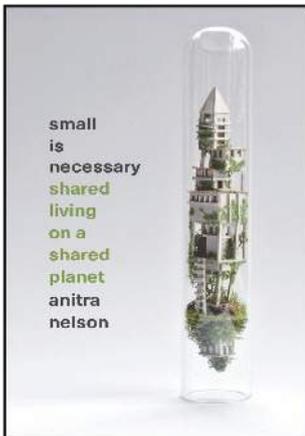
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Toward a Post-Internet Society
Vincent Mosco

Becoming Digital examines the transition from the online world we have known to the Next Internet, which is emerging from the convergence of Cloud Computing, Big Data Analytics, and the Internet of Things. These technologies make possible a post-Internet society filled with homes that think, machines that make decisions, drones that deliver packages or bombs, and robots that work for us, play with us, and take our jobs. The Next Internet promises a world where computers are everywhere, even inside our bodies, "coming alive" to make possible the unification of people and machines in what some call the Singularity. This timely book explores this potential as both a reality on the horizon and a myth that inspires a new religion of technology.



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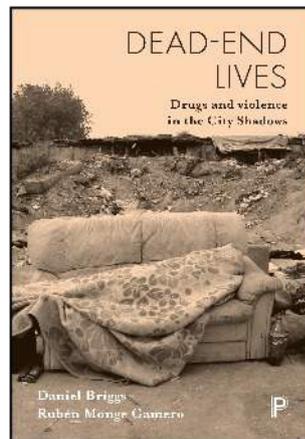
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Shared Living on a Shared Planet

Anitra Nelson

Does small mean less? Not necessarily. In an era of housing crises, environmental unsustainability and social fragmentation, the need for more sociable, affordable and sustainable housing is vital. The answer? Shared living - from joint households to land-sharing, cohousing and ecovillages. *Small is Necessary* places contemporary models of 'alternative' housing and living at centre stage, arguing that they are outward-looking, culturally rich, with low ecological footprints and offer governance techniques for a more equitable and sustainable future.



SOCIAL JUSTICE

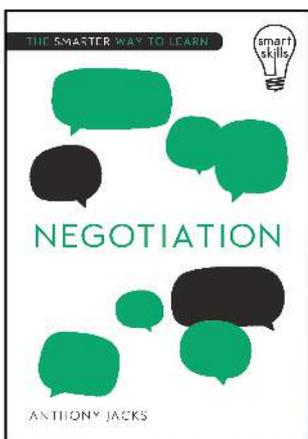
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Dead-end Lives

Drugs and Violence in the City Shadows

Daniel Briggs and Ruben Monge Gamero

"Julia" nervously emerges from her shabby tent in the suburban wastelands on the outskirts of Madrid to face another day of survival in one of Europe's most problematic ghettos: she is homeless, wanted by the police, and addicted to heroin and cocaine. She is also five months pregnant. Welcome to the city shadows in Valdemingómez: a lawless landscape of drugs and violence where the third world meets the Wild West. Briggs and Monge entered this area with only their patience, some cigarettes and a mobile phone and collected vivid testimonies and images of Julia and others like her who live there. This important book documents what they found, locating these peoples' stories and situations in a political, economic and social context of spatial inequality and oppressive mechanisms of social control.



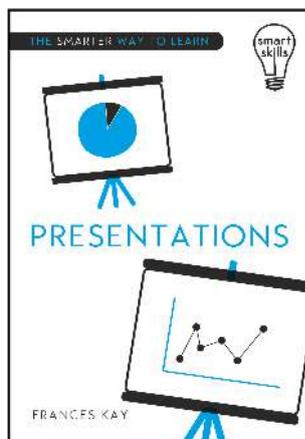
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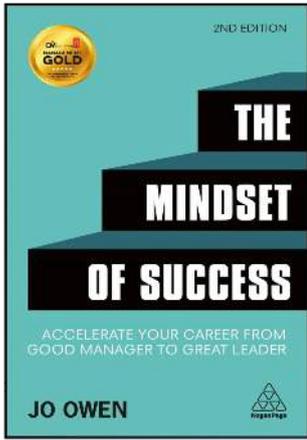
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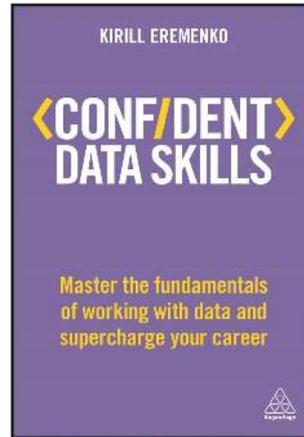
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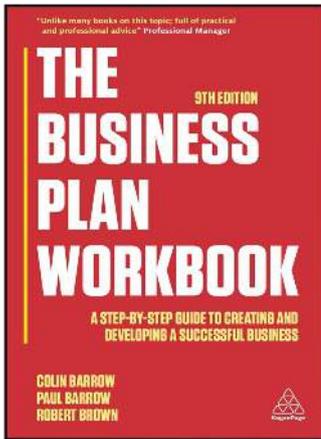
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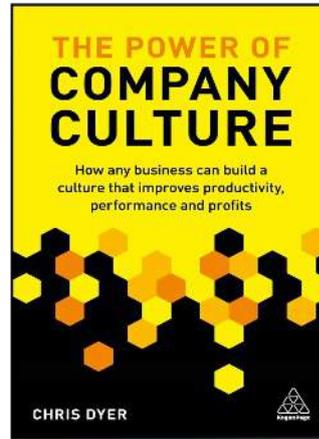
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Colin Barrow, Paul Barrow, Robert Brown

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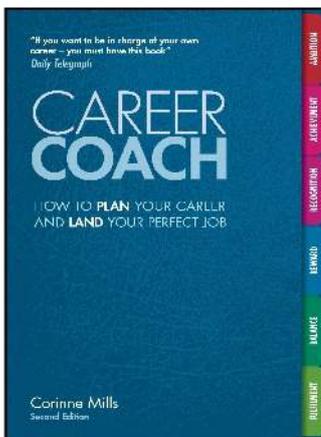
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Chris Dyer

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CAREERS

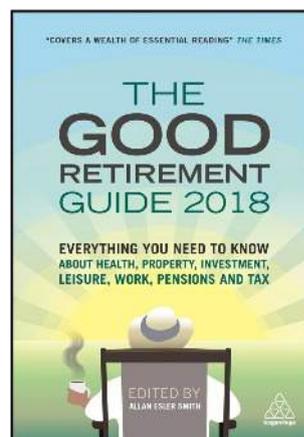
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Corinne Mills

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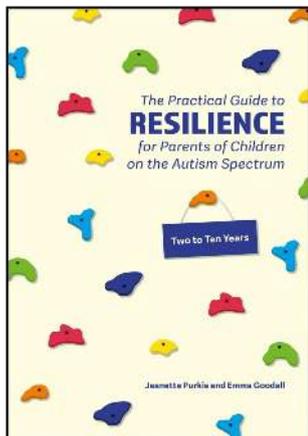
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Everything You Need to Know About Health, Property, Investment, Leisure, Work, Pensions and Tax

Allan Esler Smith

Whether it is a relaxing, action-packed or financially rewarding retirement you are looking for, this is the book for you. Revised and updated, *The Good Retirement Guide 2018* is packed with hundreds of useful suggestions and insights into your retirement. In retirement, personal ambitions can be realised and new experiences enjoyed. Yet with so much to consider, people are often unsure how best to plan for their future and the scope for concern and confusion is even greater with changing retirement ages and pension rules. This is an indispensable book that you will refer to again and again. *The Good Retirement Guide 2018* offers clear and concise suggestions on a broad range of subject for UK retirees.

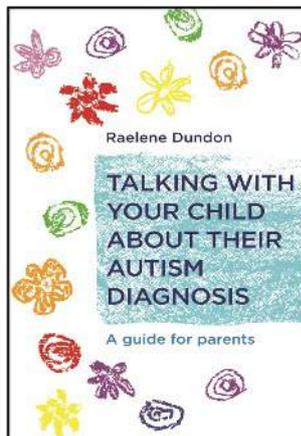


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The Parents' Practical Guide to Resilience for Children aged 2-10 on the Autism Spectrum
Jeanette Purkis and Emma Goodall

Building resilience and independence in children with autism can be hugely beneficial in helping them live an independent and rewarding life. This book is a practical resource based around major life events; each milestone includes exercises that you can work through to more effectively build resilience and independence in your child.

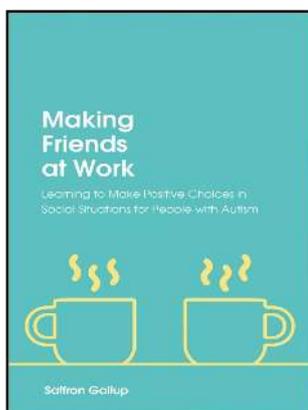


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Talking with Your Child about Their Autism Diagnosis
A Guide for Parents
Raelene Dundon

Telling your child about their autism diagnosis can be daunting. Will they be better off for knowing? What's the right way to tell them? Should you inform anyone else too? As a mother of two children on the spectrum, with over ten years' experience as a psychologist specialising in childhood autism, Raelene Dundon has all the tips you'll need. In this concise book, she sets out case studies, examples and resources that will equip you to make your own informed choices and help your whole family to live well with autism. It includes photocopiable worksheets designed to help your child understand what autism is.

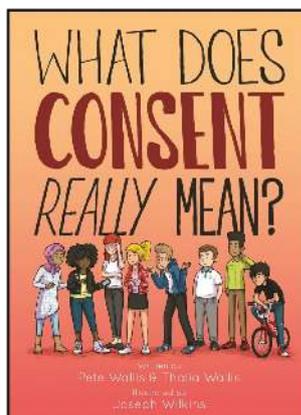


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Making Friends at Work
Learning to Make Positive Choices in Social Situations for People with Autism
Saffron Gallup

Making new friends at work can be tricky - it's tough to predict how people will react to certain situations. This 'choose your own response' book can show you how these situations could potentially play out. Some endings are positive and some less so, and the book includes explanations about why particular outcomes may have occurred, so you can learn to avoid those situations. The best part is you can go back and see how a different choice can change the outcome of the story!

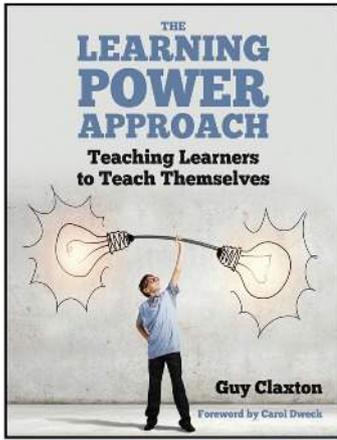


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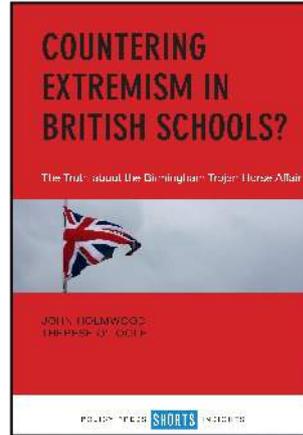
What Does Consent Really Mean?
Pete Wallis and Thalia Wallis - Illustrated by Joseph Wilkins

The serious issue of sexual consent is discussed in a graphic novel format that depicts the conversation of teenagers aged 13-18 and their personal feelings on the subject. The comic book story is accompanied by sexual health resources for students and teachers including PSHE practitioners and international equivalents.



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The Learning Power Approach

Teaching Learners to Teach Themselves

Guy Claxton - Foreword by Carol Dweck

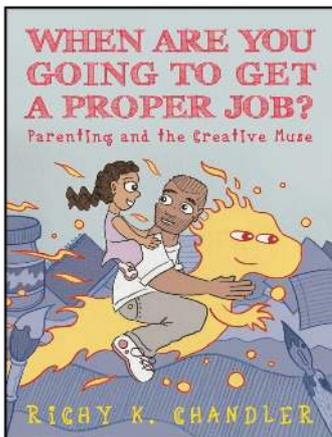
We know that it is the nitty-gritty of teaching that matters most in schools, but different styles and methods can lead to different outcomes. One style can lead to happy children with poor achievement. Another can get good results but runs the serious risk of creating students who are compliant and dependent. But there is a third that gets good results in a way that also develops independence, initiative, determination and a love of learning. That's the Holy Grail of Pedagogy. It is what Guy Claxton calls the Learning Power Approach, and it delivers the best of both worlds. *The Learning Power Approach* clearly describes in detail the small tweaks to practice that are needed, together with the supportive evidence that underpins them.

Countering Extremism in British Schools?

The Truth about the Birmingham Trojan Horse Affair

John Holmwood and Therese O'Toole

In 2014 an investigation into an alleged plot to 'Islamify' several state schools in Birmingham began. Known as the 'Trojan Horse' affair, this caused a previously highly successful school to be vilified. Holmwood, an expert witness in the professional misconduct cases brought against the teachers, and O'Toole, who researches the government's counter-extremism agenda, challenge the accepted narrative and draw on the potential parallel with the Hillsborough disaster to suggest a similar false narrative has taken hold of public debate. This important book highlights the major injustice inflicted on the teachers and shows how this affair was used to criticise multiculturalism, and justify the expansion of a broad and intrusive counter extremism agenda.



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When Are You Going to Get a Proper Job?

Parenting and the Creative Muse

Richy K. Chandler - Illustrated by Richy K. Chandler

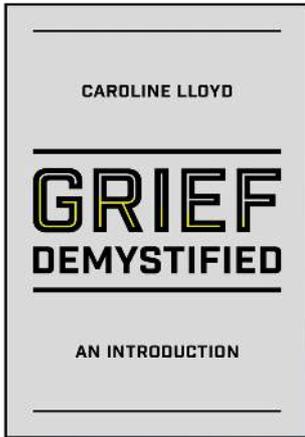
"Drawing pictures all day. Nice work if you can get it, eh? I suppose you haven't had so much time to focus on a proper career..." This witty, insightful graphic novel explores the challenges faced by artists in today's society, through the life of a comics creator named Tariq. As a parent and graphic artist, Tariq finds himself stuck in a cycle of guilt, torn between quality time with his family and creative time in the studio. This beautifully illustrated comic humorously and helpfully looks at how to keep your creative muse happy while fulfilling the other important roles in your life.

First Year Out

A Transition Story

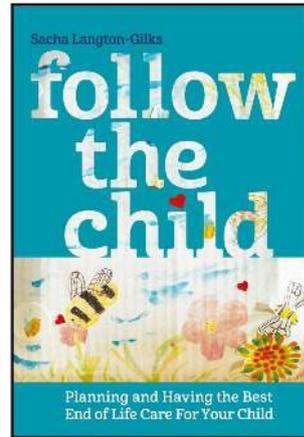
Sabrina Symington

This intimate and striking graphic novel follows transgender woman Lily, as she transitions to her true self. Depicting her experiences from coming out right through to gender reassignment surgery, Lily's story provides vital advice on the social, emotional and medical aspects of transitioning and will empower anyone questioning their gender.



BEREAVEMENT

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END OF LIFE CARE

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Grief Demystified

An Introduction

Caroline Lloyd - Foreword by Dr Jennifer Dayes

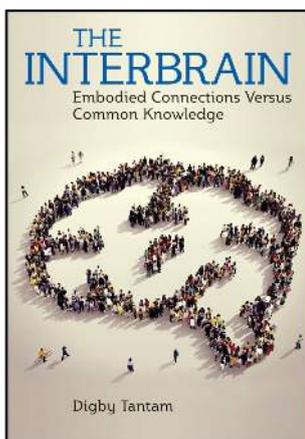
Being able to offer support to the bereaved is an important part of many frontline professions, such as nurses, teachers, funeral directors and anything in between. Yet very little theoretical information about grief has filtered down into mainstream knowledge, and what has is often misinterpreted. This book is the perfect introduction for anyone who works with the bereaved. *Grief Demystified* looks at the basics of modern grief theory, offers tips on what to say to someone in grieving, debunks commonly accepted myths about grief and much more.

Follow the Child

Planning and Having the Best End of Life Care for Your Child

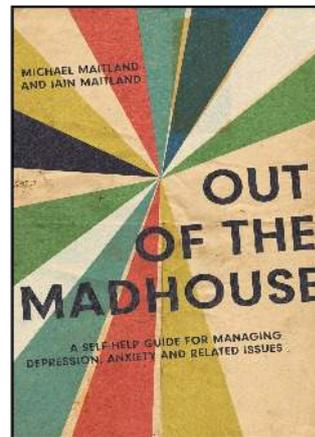
Sacha Langton-Gilks

Drawing on her family's own experiences and those of other parents facing the death of a child from illness or a life-limiting condition, Sacha Langton-Gilks explains the challenges, planning, and conversations that can be expected during this traumatic period. Practical advice such as how to work with the healthcare professionals, drawing up an Advance Care Plan, and how to move care into the home sit alongside tender observations of how such things worked in her own family's story.



PSYCHOLOGY

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DEPRESSION

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The Interbrain

Embodied Connections Versus Common Knowledge

Digby Tantam

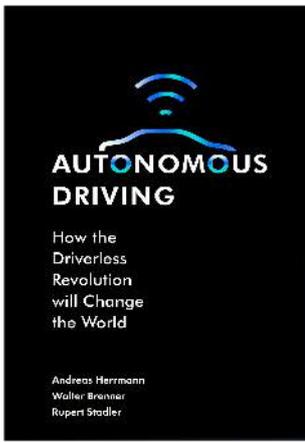
Digby Tantam presents his ground-breaking theory of the interbrain, the idea that human beings are endlessly connected by a continuous interplay of non-verbal communication of which we are unaware. Considering social smiles and the way emotions can spread from one person to another, he explores the research that shows how our brains are linked and draws out the implications of the interbrain for our understanding of empathy, social communication, psychology and group behaviour. Exploring this often overlooked aspect of our human nature, Tantam demonstrates how the interbrain has huge significance for psychology, psychiatry and sociology and can transform our understanding of war, morality, terrorism, psychopathy and much more.

Out of the Madhouse

An Insider's Guide to Managing Depression and Anxiety

Michael Maitland and Iain Maitland

Once upon a time, there lived a happy family called the Maitlands. Tracey, the mother, worked at a nearby school. They had three bright and charming children, Michael, Sophie and Adam; it looked like the perfect family life. Until October 2012, when their son Michael was rushed to hospital following years of depression, anxiety and anorexia. Combining personal insights, humour and practical tips, this guide provides essential support for anyone experiencing a depression-related issue and advice for family and friends.



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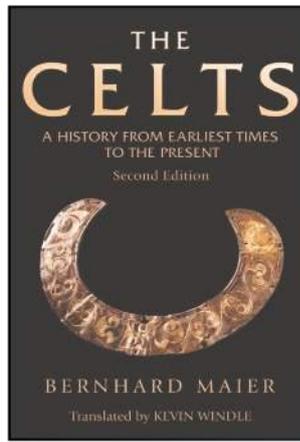
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Autonomous Driving

How the Driverless Revolution Will Change the World

Rupert Stadler, Walter Brenner and Andreas Herrmann

Acceptance of driverless cars relies on more than just the technology that delivers it. In this book the authors consider the shift in attitudes required for social acceptance and a move towards considering cars one aspect of a wider mobility solution. In addition, a clear demand is arising from gridlocked megacities across the globe. Autonomous driving offers a solution for the high pollution levels and management of the transport infrastructure where current methods are proving insufficient in places of high population density. From ethical considerations in the programming of automated driving procedures to changes in attitudes towards car ownership and design, this title is a comprehensive look at the latest revolution in mobility.



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The Celts

A History from Earliest Times to the Present

Kevin Windle and Bernhard Maier

Now in its second edition, this comprehensive history of the Celts draws on archaeological, historical, literary and linguistic evidence to provide a comprehensive and colourful overview from origins to the present. Divided into three parts, the first covers the continental Celts in prehistory and antiquity. Part two follows the Celts from the departure of the Romans to the late Middle Ages and part three brings the history of the Celts up to the present, covering the assimilation of the Celts within the national cultures of Great Britain, France and Ireland. The book concludes with a discussion of the recent history of the meaning of 'Celtic' and an examination of the cultural legacy of the Celts in the modern era.

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