

Asian Voices for Adults

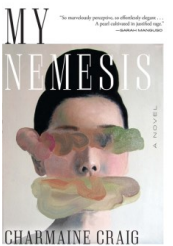
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Which side are you on

by Ryan Lee Wong

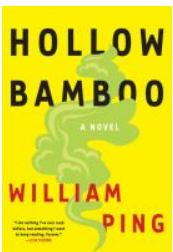
21-year-old activist Reed, determined to devote himself to the Black Lives Matter movement, is challenged by his mother, once the leader of a Korean-Black coalition, to rethink his outrage, and what it means to be an organizer, a student, an ally, an American, and a son.



My nemesis

by Charmaine Craig

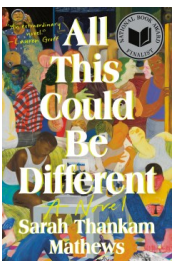
This thought-provoking exploration of an intellectual affair follows successful writer Tessa, who forms a connection with Charlie a philosopher and scholar, as she deals with the consequences of her actions against Charlie's traditional and subservient wife.



Hollow Bamboo

by Ping, William,

Based on a true story, Hollow Bamboo recounts with humour and sympathy the often-brutal struggles, and occasional successes, faced by some of the first Chinese immigrants in Newfoundland.



All this could be different

by Sarah Thankam Mathews

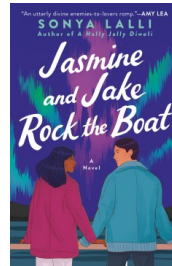
Follows a young Indian American woman who is grappling with graduating into a recession, working a grueling entry-level corporate job and trying to date Marina, a beautiful dancer who always seems just beyond her grasp.



Siren queen

by Nghi Vo

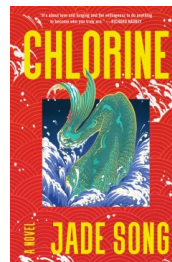
Coming of age in pre-Code Hollywood, Chinese American actress Luli Wei, desperate to become a star, bargains with blood and ancient magic to realize her dreams, but the steep price for success may turn her into something she despises.



Jasmine and Jake rock the boat

by Sonya Lalli

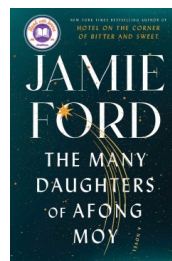
Trapped on a 10-day seniors' cruise with her parents and family friends, Jasmine is forced to spend time with her childhood acquaintance and enemy Jake.



Chlorine

by Jade Song

An intense high school swimmer, intent on being scouted and awarded a scholarship, tries to deal with the pressure of it all while feeling a strange, dark suspicion that she is actually a mermaid.



The many daughters of Afong Moy

by Jamie Ford

The New York Times best-selling author of Hotel on the Corner of Bitter and Sweet returns with a powerful exploration of the love that binds one family across the generations.



Kaleidoscope

by Cecily Wong

Riley Brighton, always eclipsed by her older sister, leaves her biracial Chinese American family after a calamity rocks their world and sets off across the globe in search of answers about the people she thought she knew best.

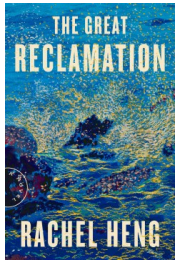


Ghost music

by An Yu

A Beijing piano teacher who gave up her career as a concert pianist bonds with her mother-in-law over cooking unexpected parcels of mushrooms that keep arriving in the mail and discovers the sender is a world-famous pianist who disappeared.

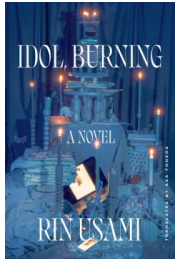




The great reclamation

by Rachel Heng

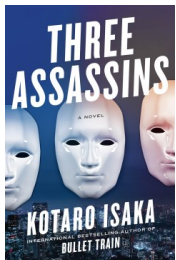
With the future of their fishing village in jeopardy after the Japanese army invades Singapore, Ah Boon, gifted with the unique ability to locate bountiful, movable islands, and Siok Mei, the spirited girl he has come to love, must decide who they want to be.



Idol, burning

by Rin Usami

Obsessed with a member of a popular J-Pop group, socially awkward high school junior Akari, when he is accused of assaulting a female fan, does everything in her power to save the man whom she believes is the only one who understands her although they never even met.



Three assassins

by Kōtarō Isaka

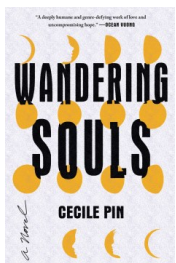
A new thriller, set in Tokyo's criminal underworld, pits an ordinary man against a group of talented and very unusual assassins.



Skull water

by Heinz Insu Fenkl

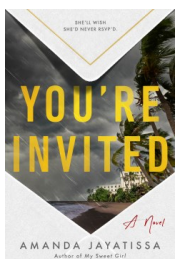
Outside a U.S. military base in South Korea, Insu, after hearing a legend that water collected in a human skull will cure any sickness, embarks on a wild journey with his friends to find one to heal his sick uncle, opening them up to a world beyond their grasp.



Wandering souls

by Cecile Pin

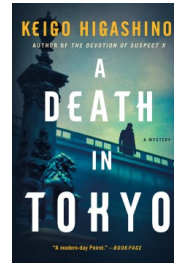
Seeking refuge in the UK after the last American troops leave Vietnam, Anh and her younger brothers, in a London plagued by social inequality and raging anti-immigrant sentiment, find their paths diverging as time passes, wondering if love alone can keep them together.



You're invited

by Amanda Jayatissa

A thriller about a lavish Sri Lankan wedding celebration that no one will ever forget. It's about old wounds, dark secrets, and a murder.



A death in Tokyo : a mystery

by Keigo Higashino

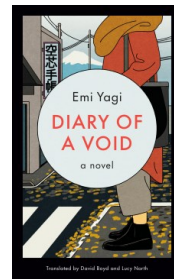
Tokyo Police Detective Kyoichiro Kaga investigates the murder of a man whose stabbed body was moved onto the Nihonbashi bridge and tries to uncover why the victim's wallet was found at the sight of a car accident.



Lonely castle in the mirror

by Mizuki Tsujimura

Upon touching their shining mirrors, 7 teens, trapped loneliness, are transported to a whimsical place ruled by a petulant girl in a mask named Wolf Queen where they must play her game to find a key to grant one wish.



Diary of a void

by Emi Yagi

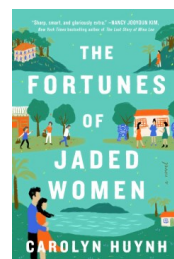
Ms. Shibata starts a new job in Tokyo where, as the only woman, she is forced to do all the menial tasks, until she decides to fake a pregnancy that results in her coworkers treating her like a queen.



The picture bride

by Kæum-i Yi

In 1918, Willow, a young Korean picture bride, arrives in Hawai'i to start a new life but her dreams are soon shattered by a husband who doesn't want her and by the escalation of the Korean independence movements, which threaten to divide her family and friends.



The fortunes of jaded women

by Carolyn Huynh

Part of a family of women cursed never to find love and happiness, Mai Nguyen, at a crossroads in her life, seeks guidance from her trusted psychic in Hawaii whose unexpected prophecy brings together her entire estranged family--for better or for worse.



Now You See Us

by Balli Kaur Jaswal

When a Filipina maid is arrested for murdering her female employer, 3 Filipina are shocked into action, using insight to piece together the mystery of what really happened.