

SCIENCE FICTION 2025



Absolution

by Jeff VanderMeer

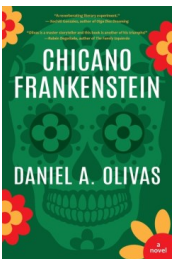
Explore the first mission into the Forgotten Coast, before Area X was given its name, and reveals those who created an abandoned coastal area in the fourth novel of the series following *Acceptance*.



Big Time

by Ben H. Winters

Grace Berney is a mid-level bureaucrat in the FDA who once brimmed with purpose. One night a strange photo comes across her desk of a young woman in a hospital bed subjected to a mysterious procedure. Against orders and against common sense, Grace sets out to bring the girl to safety.



Chicano Frankenstein

by Daniel A. Olivas

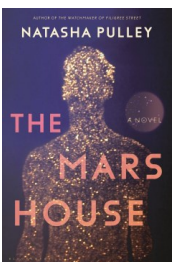
With elements of science fiction, horror, political satire and romance, this modern retelling of Mary Wollstonecraft Shelley's classic addresses issues of belonging and assimilation, confronting our nation's bigotries and the question of what it truly means to be human.



In Ascension

by Martin MacInnes

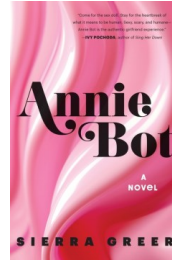
Leigh, a young microbiologist, investigates an unfathomable deep vent in the ocean floor, leading her on a journey that will encompass the full trajectory of the cosmos and the passage of a single human life.



The Mars House

by Natasha Pulley

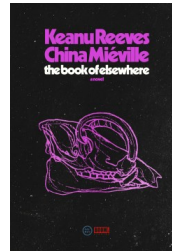
In the wake of an environmental catastrophe, January has become a refugee in the terraformed colony on Mars. There, January's life -- job choices, housing, and even transportation -- is dictated by their second-class status.



Annie Bot

by Sierra Greer

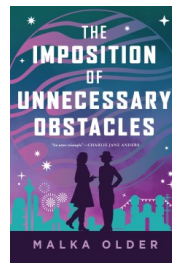
Annie Bot was created to be the perfect girlfriend for her human owner Doug. Designed to satisfy his needs, she has dinner ready for him, wears the outfits he likes, and adjusts her mood to suit his. As she learns more, she becomes more human... does that make her less perfect?



The Book of Elsewhere

by Keanu Reeves

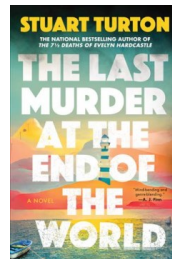
A warrior who cannot be killed, known simply as "B," wants to die, and a U.S. black-ops group has promised they can help with that if he helps them first. But when a soldier comes back to life, the event points to a force more mysterious than B himself.



The Imposition of Unnecessary Objects

by Malka Older

When students and staff members disappear from a university, Investigator Mossa again needs Pleiti's insight, but Pleiti finds this new case threatening to destabilize dreams for humanity's future.



The Last Murder at the End of the World

by Stuart Turton

On an isolated island where 122 villagers and three scientists live in harmony, one of the scientists is found brutally murdered, triggering a security system that gives the islanders only hours to solve the murder or be killed by a fog that destroyed the planet.



The Mercy of Gods

by James S. A. Corey

When the Carryx decimate the human population, taking the best and brightest of Anjiin society to serve on their homeworld, Dafyd Alkhor, swept along with them, is forced to compete against the other species with extinction as the price of failure.

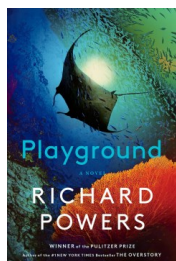
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The Ministry of Time

by Kaliane Bradley

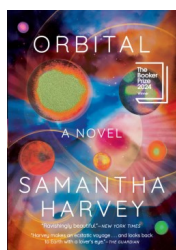
To establish whether time travel is feasible, a “bridge” who lives with, assists and monitors the expat known as Commander Graham Gore falls fervently in love, with consequences she never could've imagined -- ones that could change the future.



Playground

by Richard Powers

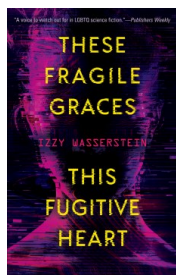
The tiny atoll of French Polynesia has been chosen for humanity's next adventure: a plan to send floating, autonomous cities out onto the open sea, but first, the island's residents must vote to greenlight the project or turn the seasteaders away.



Orbital

by Samantha Harvey

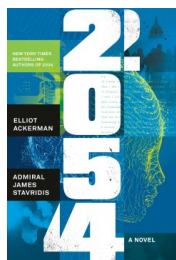
In an elegy to our humanity, environment and planet, six astronauts, selected for one of the last space station missions, leave their lives behind to travel at a speed of over 17,000 miles an hour to orbit Earth, witnessing the marks of civilization below.



These Fragile Graces, This Fugitive Heart

by Izzy Wasserstein

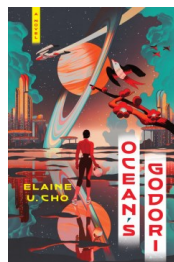
When her ex-girlfriend Kay is murdered and everyone in her old commune is a suspect, Dora, discovers Kay's death is one of several incidents and is drawn into a twisted conspiracy while trying to stop a potential war between two nefarious companies.



2054

by Elliot Ackerman

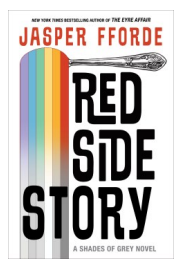
It is twenty years after a catastrophic war between the United States and China. A new party has emerged in the US, one that's held power for over a decade. Many fear the American president will stop at nothing to remain in the White House.



Ocean's Godori

by Elaine U. Cho

When her best friend, Teo, second son of the Anand Tech empire, is framed for murdering his family, space pilot Ocean Yoon and her ragtag crew are pushed to the forefront of a high-stakes ideological conflict, which turns out to be the least of their worries.



Red Side Story

by Jasper Fforde

In a society strictly regulated by one's limited color perception, 20-year-old Eddie Russet, out on the fringes of Red Sector West, is framed for murder and, to save himself and Jane Grey, with whom he has an illegal relationship, must negotiate the boundaries of the rules to find a loophole.



State of Paradise

by Laura Van den Berg

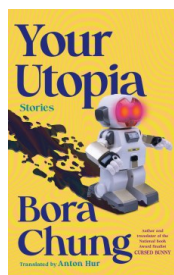
It's another summer in a small Florida town. After an illness that vanishes as mysteriously as it arrived, things around town have taken a turn for the unusual. Living with her mother, a ghostwriter for a famous author tracks the eerie changes.



Those Beyond the Wall

by Micaiah Johnson

When mutilated bodies turn up, both in her town and in the wealthier, walled-off city, Scales, an enforcer, is tasked with finding and destroying the cause -- a mission that reveals something more corrupt than she could've ever foreseen -- and it could spell doom for the enter world.



Your Utopia

by Bora Chung

Suffused with the author's inimitable wry humor as well as surprisingly tender moments, this new collection is filled with stories of loss and discovery, idealism and dystopia, death and immortality.



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