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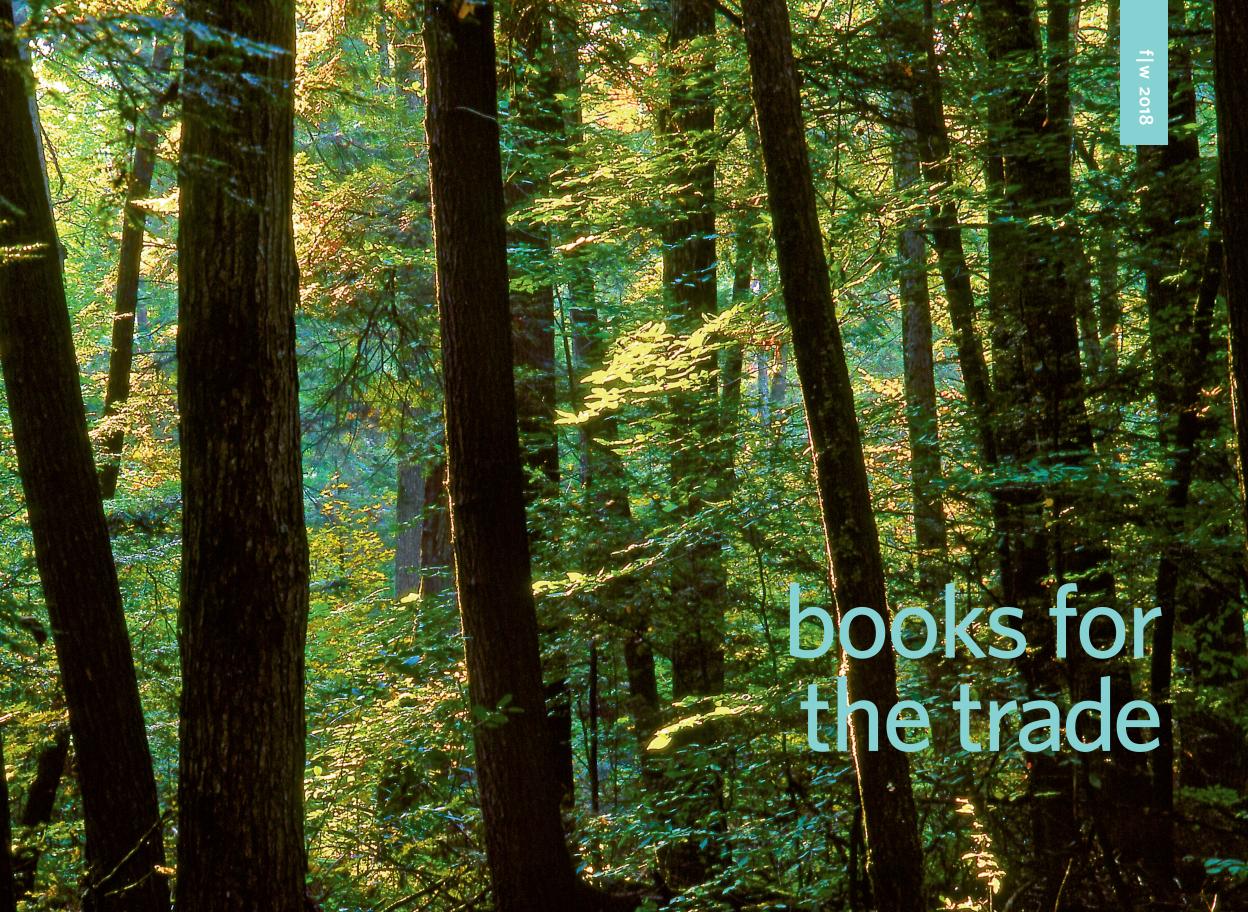
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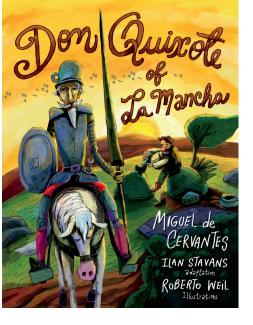
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#### Don Quixote of La Mancha

Miguel de Cervantes Adapted by Ilan Stavans Illustrated by Roberto Weil

Originally published in two parts in 1605 and 1615 and often considered "the first modern novel," Miguel de Cervantes's *Don Quixote* is undoubtedly the most influential work in the Spanish literary canon. In this groundbreaking graphic adaptation, cultural commentator Ilan Stavans and illustrator Roberto Weil reimagine Cervantes's masterpiece in ways that are both faithful and whimsically irreverent.

In these pages, Stavans and Weil pay tribute to Cervantes's novel as well as its complex resonances in the centuries since its publication. The dauntless "mad knight" Don Quixote and his hapless squire, Sancho Panza, encounter the infamous windmills, contend with disbelieving peasants and noblemen, and seek relentlessly for Quixote's imaginary love, Dulcinea. They also confront their own creators and adaptors-Cervantes, Salvador Dalí, Franz Kafka, and Stavans and Weil themselves—and try to make sense out of the madness of drones, taxicabs, and their own literary immortality. The result is an ambitious and compelling graphic novel that reveals Don Quixote as un libro infinito—a work that reflects the past, present, and future of the human condition.

Available in both English and Spanglish editions, this inspired and audacious interpretation of one of the greatest novels ever written is sure to be savored by generations to come.

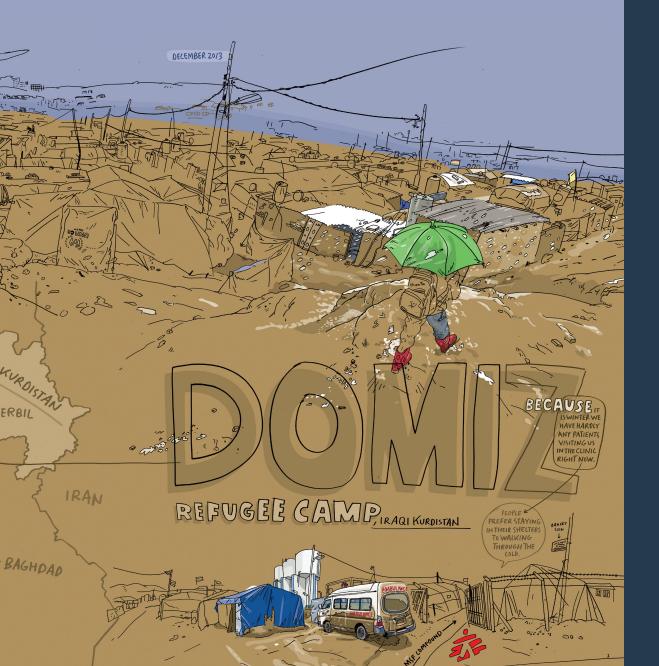
Award-winning and internationally renowned author **Ilan Stavans** is Lewis-Sebring Professor of Humanities and Latin American and Latino Culture at Amherst College, the publisher of Restless Books, the host of New England Public Radio's *In Contrast*, and a columnist for the Spanish edition of the *New York Times*. He is the general editor of *The Norton Anthology of Latino Literature* and author of *Quixote: The Novel and the World* and *Once@9:53am*, the latter also published by Penn State University Press.

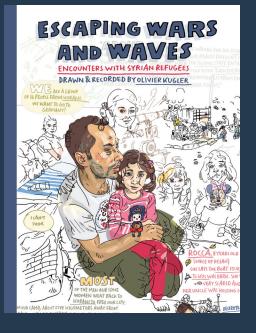
**Roberto Weil** is an award-winning illustrator living in Miami. He collaborated with Ilan Stavans on the graphic novel *Mister Spic Goes to Washington*.



128 pages | 120 color illus. 8 x 10.5 | October ISBN 978-0-271-08230-1 paper: \$16.95 tr "Olivier Kugler is an extraordinarily skilled journalist and cartoonist who is taking comics journalism to a new level. These potent profiles from the migration front lines will leave an indelible impression on your brain and heart."

-JOE SACCO, author of Footnotes in Gaza





**Escaping Wars and Waves** Encounters with Syrian Refugees Olivier Kugler

While on assignment between 2013 and 2017, often for Médecins Sans Frontières (Doctors Without Borders), Olivier Kugler interviewed and photographed Syrian refugees and their caregivers in camps, on the road, and in provisional housing in Iraqi Kurdistan, Greece, France, Switzerland, and England. *Escaping Wars and Waves* is the astonishing result of that record keeping—a graphic novel that brings to life the improvised living conditions of the refugees, along with the stories of how they survived.

Kugler captures the chaotic energy of the camps through movement-filled drawings, based on the photos he took in the field, that depict figures, locations, and seemingly random details that take on their own resonance. He also gives precedence to the voices of the refugees themselves by incorporating excerpts from his many interviews and portraits sketched from thousands of reference photos. What emerges is a complicated and intense narrative of loss, sadness, fear, and hope and an indelible impression of the refugees as individual humans with their own stories, rather than a faceless mass.

*Escaping Wars and Waves* is an unnervingly close and poignant look at the lives of those affected by the Syrian war and the doctors and volunteers who tend to them.

**Olivier Kugler** is a reportage illustrator based in London and has won many awards, including a Victoria & Albert Illustration Award in 2011 and a World Illustration Award in 2015. His reportage drawings have appeared in *The Guardian, Harper's, Le Monde diplomatique, Port, XXI,* and other publications.

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grateful to the author for capturing their

meaning and beauty; we should do all that

we can to keep them healthy."

-BILL MCKIBBEN, author of The End of Nature



#### TWILIGHT OF THE HEMLOCKS AND BEECHES TIM PALMER



#### Twilight of the Hemlocks and Beeches

Tim Palmer

In this magnificently illustrated book, award-winning author and photographer Tim Palmer launches us on a revealing journey among the hemlock and beech trees that have for millennia towered over America's eastern woodlands.

The eastern hemlock and North American beech once thrived from Maine to Georgia, casting shade on trout streams, nourishing wildlife large and small, and gracing uncounted valleys, mountainsides, parks, and backyards. These trees now face tragic decimation by exotic insects and pathogens. Palmer's photos record the splendor of the cherished hemlock and beech in the same way that pictures of iconic, historic buildings commemorate classic landmarks gone the way of the wrecking ball. And yet, as Palmer underscores in his final chapter, the lessons learned as we address the fate of these trees can help us chart a better course for all wooded landscapes in the years ahead. This story of loss, scientific inquiry, and prospective recovery is vital to understanding nature in our time.

As an act of artistic preservation, a report on the science vital to the survival of these trees, and a call to action, *Twilight of the Hemlocks and Beeches* assures a lasting legacy for this irreplaceable forest community. With more than one hundred exquisite full-color photographs, this book is a must-have for outdoor enthusiasts, natural historians, ecologists, and all lovers of nature.

**Tim Palmer,** an award-winning author and photographer, has written and photographed twenty-six books about the environment, forests, and adventure travel. See his work at www.timpalmer.org.

184 pages | 105 color illus./2 maps | 9 x 9 | August ISBN 978-0-271-07953-0 | cloth: \$34.95/€24.95/€33.95 tr Keystone Books General Interest/Nature



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**Shale Play** Poems and Photographs from the Fracking Fields Julia Spicher Kasdorf and Steven Rubin

In *Shale Play*, acclaimed poet Julia Spicher Kasdorf and award-winning documentary photographer Steven Rubin explore the small towns, farms, and forests of Appalachian Pennsylvania to gather the stories of these places and the working people who inhabit them.

In the parlance of the oil and gas industry, "shale play" refers to a region exploited for its natural gas by means of hydraulic fracturing and horizontal drilling—transient industrial processes that often occur far from the populations that benefit from them. Amid polarized claims about fracking and pressure to develop these areas around the world, this project gathers evidence from everyday life in the Marcellus shale play. Kasdorf and Rubin follow in the footsteps of the documentarians of the 1930s such as the artists and writers of the Works Progress Administration, taking a deliberate and thoughtful approach to gather the stories of workers on pipelines and well pads, landowners and leaseholders, waitresses, ministers, farmers, retired miners, teachers, and neighbors. The resulting collage of vivid oral and pictorial testimony reveals the natural beauty of rural places as well as the disturbance and spectacle fracking creates.

A passionate work of witness, *Shale Play* invites the reader to look beyond the easy caricatures of the white working class to create an urgent, authentic representation of a sacrifice zone that fuels America.

Julia Spicher Kasdorf was born in Lewistown, Pennsylvania. She is Professor of English and Women's, Gender, and Sexuality Studies at Penn State University.

**Steven Rubin** is Associate Professor of Art in the Photography Department at Penn State University.

The industry spelling of fracking actually fracing.

oil and gas to ascape—as if they twere trapped—under tight regulatory control. Blame the fracktivists, frackademics. A bumper sticker claims, *I'm surroundee by gasholes*. *Frack her 'til she blows*, says the T-shirt stretched over a roughneck's belly at the Williamsport Wegmans Frackville, PA, named for Daniel Frack, *vrack* 

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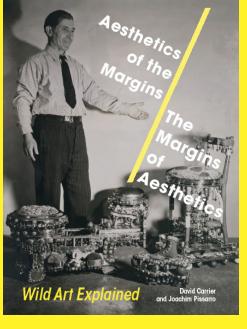
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useless. Are you going to say what the word sug a student timidly asks, ... to women, I mean? Fracket, a sophomore explains, is that hoodie worn over a spaghetti-strap dress to a frat hous an old Jacket that won't matter if it gets stolen or left behind on a flagstone patio, splattered with someone's else's vomit.

"Rarely have I read a work that so strongly, profoundly, and empathically characterizes the history of a region through those who have labored hardest to make a decent life in a beautiful yet ravaged land."

-ALISON HAWTHORNE DEMING, author of Stairway to Heaven: Poems

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200 pages | 32 b&w illus. | 6 x 8 | December ISBN 978-0-271-08113-7 | cloth: \$39.95/£28.95/€38.95 sh Art History

#### Aesthetics of the Margins / The Margins of Aesthetics Wild Art Explained

David Carrier and Joachim Pissarro

In this volume, David Carrier and Joachim Pissarro expand on the exploration begun in their last book, *Wild Art*, which featured art that stands outside the margins of the art world in the way that wild animals stand apart from domestic cats and dogs. This new collaboration delves further into explaining how "wild art" came to be, the critical and cultural conditions that made its exclusion from the art world possible, and how its recognition radically transforms our understanding of contemporary art.

Harking back to Kant's Critique of the Power of Judgment, Carrier and Pissarro look beyond the parameters of the formal art world and consider the vast array of art forms that are democratically available. Eschewing a high/low binary as well as any encyclopedic characterization of these unquantifiable forms of art, they focus on recovering the democratizing potential of Kant's key insight: that all of us make aesthetic judgments and that these diverse judgments merit serious consideration. Most notably, they invoke Heinrich von Kleist's argument that it is fully possible to have an utterly fulfilling aesthetic experience when encountering marionettes, skateboarders, or a graffiti wall, just as one might have while viewing a ballet performance or a minimalist installation in an art museum.

Written by two philosophers of art who are also active critics and members of the art world about which they write, Aesthetics of the Margins/ The Margins of Aesthetics is a provocative and optimistic work. Recognizing that there is no inherent distinction between "wild art" and "art world art," this book challenges the art world to become a much larger and accepting place. "A hard-headed, level-headed corrective to politicized accounts that pit one form of aesthetic practice against another."

-RICHARD SHIFF, author of Between Sense and De Kooning

David Carrier was Champney Family Professor of Art History at Case Western Reserve and Professor of Philosophy at Carnegie Mellon University. His numerous publications include A World Art History and Its Objects, The Aesthetics of Comics, and Principles of Art History Writing, all also published by Penn State University Press, as well as Aesthetic Theory, Abstract Art, and Lawrence Carroll.

Joachim Pissarro is Bershad Professor of Art History and Director of the Hunter College Art Galleries. He previously served as curator at the Museum of Modern Art and the Yale University Art Gallery. His publications include Cézanne/ Pissarro, Johns/Rauschenberg: Comparative Studies on Intersubjectivity in Modern Art and contributions to Jeff Koons: The Painter and the Sculptor; Martin Creed: What's the Point of It?; Joseph Beuys: Set Between One and All; and Notations: The Cage Effect Today.





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#### GERMAN PIETISM AND THE PROBLEM OF CONVERSION

#### JONATHAN STROM

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"Jonathan Strom's manuscript is a landmark study that redirects our understanding of one of the key concepts of Pietist religion in a fundamental way."

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## German Pietism and the Problem of Conversion

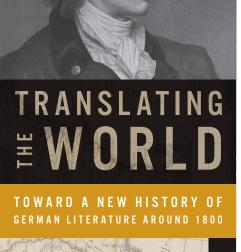
Jonathan Strom

August Hermann Francke described his conversion to Pietism in gripping terms that included intense spiritual struggle, weeping, falling to his knees, and a decisive moment in which his doubt suddenly disappeared and he was "overwhelmed as with a stream of joy." His account came to exemplify Pietist conversion in the historical imagination around Pietism and religious awakening. Jonathan Strom's new interpretation challenges the paradigmatic nature of Francke's narrative and seeks to uncover the more varied, complex, and problematic character that conversion experiences posed for Pietists in the seventeenth and eighteenth centuries.

Grounded in archival research, German Pietism and the Problem of Conversion traces the way that accounts of conversion developed and were disseminated among Pietists. Strom examines members' relationship to the pious stories of the "last hours," the growth of conversion narratives in popular Pietist periodicals, controversies over the Busskampf model of conversion, the Dargun revival movement, and the popular, if gruesome, genre of execution conversion narratives. Interrogating a wide variety of sources and examining nuance in the language used to define conversion throughout history, Strom explains how these experiences were received and why many Pietists had an uneasy relationship to conversions and the practice of narrating them.

A learned, insightful work by one of the world's leading scholars of Pietism, this volume sheds new light on Pietist conversion and the development of piety and modern evangelical narratives of religious experience.

**Jonathan Strom** is Associate Dean of Faculty and Academic Affairs and Professor of Church History at Candler School of Theology, Emory University, and the author of *Pietism and Community in Europe and North America*, 1650–1850.





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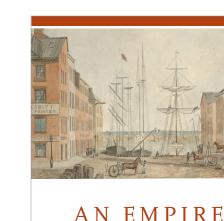
#### **Translating the World** Toward a New History of German Literature Around 1800 Birgit Tautz

In *Translating the World*, Birgit Tautz provides a new narrative of German literary history in the late eighteenth and early nineteenth centuries. Departing from dominant modes of thought regarding the nexus of literary and national imagination, she examines this intersection through the lens of Germany's emerging global networks and how they were rendered in two very different German cities: Hamburg and Weimar.

German literary history has tended to employ a conceptual framework that emphasizes the nation or idealized citizenry, yet the experiences of readers in eighteenth-century German cities existed within the context of their local environments, in which daily life occurred and writers such as Lessing, Schiller, and Goethe worked. Hamburg, a flourishing literary city in the late eighteenth century, was eventually relegated to the margins of German historiography, while Weimar, then a small town with an insular worldview, would become mythologized for not only its literary history but its centrality in national German culture. By interrogating the histories of and texts associated with these cities, Tautz shows how literary styles and genres are born of local, rather than national, interaction with the world. Her examination of how texts intersect and interact reveals how they shape and transform the urban cultural landscape as they are translated and move throughout the world.

A fresh, elegant exploration of literary translation, discursive shifts, and global cultural changes, *Translating the World* is an exciting new story of eighteenth-century German culture and its relationship to expanding global networks that will especially interest scholars of comparative literature, German studies, and literary history.

**Birgit Tautz** is Professor of German at Bowdoin College. She is the author of *Reading and Seeing Ethnic Differences in the Enlightenment: From China to Africa.* 



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Peter Shillingsburg ISBN 978-0-271-07850-2 cloth: \$115.00/£81.95/€110.95 sh Penn State Series in the History of the Book **An Empire of Print** The New York Publishing Trade in the Early American Republic Steven Carl Smith

Home to the so-called big five publishers as well as hundreds of smaller presses, renowned literary agents, a vigorous arts scene, and an uncountable number of aspiring and established writers alike, New York City is widely perceived as the publishing capital of the United States and the world. This book traces the origins and early evolution of the city's rise to literary preeminence.

Through five case studies, Steven Carl Smith examines publishing in New York from the post-Revolutionary War period through the Jacksonian era. He discusses the gradual development of local, regional, and national distribution networks, assesses the economic relationships and shared social and cultural practices that connected printers, booksellers, and their customers, and explores the uncharacteristically modern approaches taken by the city's preindustrial printers and distributors. If the cultural matrix of printed texts served as the primary legitimating vehicle for political debate and literary expression, Smith argues, then deeper understanding of the economic interests and political affiliations of the people who produced these texts gives necessary insight into the emergence of a major American industry. Those involved in New York's book trade imagined for themselves, like their counterparts in other major seaport cities, a robust business that could satisfy the new nation's desire for print, and many fulfilled their ambition by cultivating networks that crossed regional boundaries, delivering books to the masses.

A fresh interpretation of the market economy in early America, *An Empire of Print* reveals how New York started on the road to becoming the publishing powerhouse it is today.

**Steven Carl Smith** is Assistant Professor of History at Providence College.

## SENTIMENTS of a BRITISH-AMERICAN WOMAN

ESTHER DEBERDT REED and the AMERICAN REVOLUTION

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"In a comprehensive and moving study, Owen Ireland brings to light the important but little-known story of Esther DeBerdt Reed, one of the most powerful female figures to emerge during the American Revolution. Improbable, inspirational, and instructive, Reed's life is a tale of female self-invention and of love played out in the shadows of the Revolutionary crisis." —ROSEMARIE ZAGARRI, author of Revolutionary Backlash: Women and Politics in the Early American Republic

#### Sentiments of a British-American Woman Esther DeBerdt Reed and the American Revolution Owen S. Ireland

At the time of her death in 1780, British-born Esther DeBerdt Reed—a name few know today was one of the most politically important women in Revolutionary America. Her treatise "The Sentiments of an American Woman" articulated the aspirations of female patriots, and the Ladies Association of Philadelphia, which she founded, taught generations of women how to translate their political responsibilities into action. DeBerdt Reed's social connections and political sophistication helped transform her husband, Joseph Reed, from a military leader into the president of the Supreme Executive Council of Pennsylvania, a position analogous to the modern office of governor.

DeBerdt Reed's life yields remarkable insight into the scope of women's political influence in an age ruled by the strict social norms structured by religion and motherhood. The story of her courtship, marriage, and political career sheds light both on the private and political lives of women during the Revolution and on how society, religion, and gender interacted as a new nation struggled to build its own identity.

Engaging, comprehensive, and built on primary source material that allows DeBerdt Reed's own voice to shine, Owen Ireland's expertly researched biography rightly places her in a prominent position in the pantheon of our founders, both female and male.

**Owen S. Ireland** is Distinguished Professor of History at The College at Brockport, State University of New York, and the author of *Religion, Ethnicity, and Politics: Ratifying the Constitution in Pennsylvania,* also published by Penn State University Press.

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#### Museum Rhetoric Building Civic Identity in National Spaces

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"A complex, innovative, and yet clear and elegantly presented analysis of the work done by and through museums in placing their orchestrated and authorized rhetoric in dialogue with the experiences of visiting citizens."

—**PETER ARONSSON**, coeditor of National Museums and Nation-Building in Europe, 1750-2010: Mobilization and Legitimacy, Continuity and Change

#### **Museum Rhetoric** Building Civic Identity in National Spaces

M. Elizabeth Weiser

In today's diverse societies, museums are the primary institutions within the public sphere in which individuals can both engage critical thought and celebrate community. This volume uses the lens of rhetoric to explore the role these societal repositories play in establishing and altering cultural heritage and national identity.

Based on fieldwork conducted in over sixty museums in twenty-two countries across six continents, Museum Rhetoric explores how heritage museum exhibits persuade visitors to unite their own sense of identity with that of the broader civic society and how the latter changes in response. Elizabeth Weiser examines what compels communities, organizations, and nations to create museum spaces, and how museums operate as sites of both civic engagement and rhetorical persuasion. Moving beyond rhetorical explorations of museums as "memory sites," she shows how they intentionally straddle the divides between style and content, intellect and affect, and unity and diversity, and why their portrayal of the past matters to civic life—and particularly studies of nationalism-in the present and future.

Deeply researched and artfully argued, *Museum Rhetoric* sheds light on the public impact of cultural and aesthetic heritage and opens avenues of inquiry for scholars of museum studies and public history.

**M. Elizabeth Weiser** is Professor of English at The Ohio State University. She has published three other books, most recently *Women and Rhetoric Between the Wars*, coedited with Ann George and Janet Zepernick.



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#### Soviet Salvage

Imperial Debris, Revolutionary Reuse, and Russian Constructivism Catherine Walworth

In *Soviet Salvage*, Catherine Walworth explores how artists on the margins of the Constructivist movement of the 1920s rejected "elitist" media and imagined a new world, knitting together avant-garde art, imperial castoffs, and everyday life.

Applying anthropological models borrowed from Claude Lévi-Strauss, Walworth shows that his mythmaker typologies-the "engineer" and "bricoleur"—illustrate, respectively, the canonical Constructivists and artists on the movement's margins who deployed a wide range of clever make-do tactics. Walworth explores the relationships of Nadezhda Lamanova, Esfir Shub, and others with Constructivists such as Aleksei Gan, Varvara Stepanova, and Aleksandr Rodchenko. Together, the work of these artists reflected the chaotic and often contradictory zeitgeist of the decade from 1918 to 1929 and redefined the concept of mass production. Reappropriated fragments of a former enemy era provided a wide range of play and possibility for these artists, and the resulting propaganda porcelain, film, fashion, and architecture tell a broader story of the unique political and economic pressures felt by their makers.

An engaging multidisciplinary study of objects and their makers during the Soviet Union's early years, this volume highlights a group of artists who hover like free radicals at the border of existing art-historical discussions of Constructivism and deepens our knowledge of Soviet art and material culture.

**Catherine Walworth** is Curator at the Columbia Museum of Art and co-author of *Silver to Steel: The Modern Designs of Peter Muller-Munk.* 



Laura Anne Kalba

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"In this beautifully conceived and written book, Kalba shows her depth of vision and understanding of the relationship between Impressionism and the technological advances that allowed Impressionism to have such a unique impact on society in the late 1800s and beyond. The examples are well chosen, and the book is a joy to experience. Summing up: Essential." -J. ALLISON. Choice

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#### Color in the Age of Impressionism Commerce, Technology, and Art Laura Anne Kalba

Winner of the 2018 Charles Rufus Morey Prize from the College Art Association

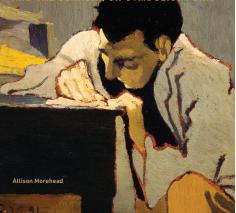
This study analyzes the impact of color-making technologies on the visual culture of nineteenth-century France, from the early commercialization of synthetic dyes to the Lumière brothers' perfection of the autochrome color photography process. Focusing on Impressionist art, Laura Anne Kalba examines the importance of dyes produced in the second half of the nineteenth century to the vision of artists such as Edgar Degas, Pierre-Auguste Renoir, and Claude Monet.

The proliferation of vibrant new colors in France during this time challenged popular understandings of realism, abstraction, and fantasy in the realms of fine art and popular culture. More than simply adding a touch of spectacle to everyday life, Kalba shows, these bright, varied colors came to define the development of a consumer culture increasingly based on the sensual appeal of color. Impressionismemerging at a time when inexpensively produced color functioned as one of the principal means by and through which people understood modes of visual perception and signification-mirrored and mediated this change, shaping the ways in which people made sense of both modern life and modern art.

Demonstrating the central importance of color history and technologies to the study of visuality, *Color in the Age of Impressionism* adds a dynamic new layer to our understanding of visual and material culture.

**Laura Anne Kalba** is Associate Professor of Art History at Smith College.

#### NATURE'S EXPERIMENTS AND THE SEARCH FOR SYMBOLIST F



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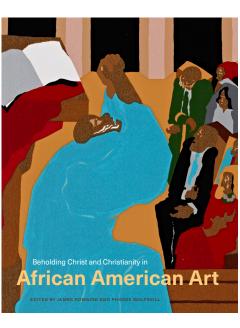
Focusing on the scientific, psychological, and experimental tactics of symbolism, *Nature's Experiments* demystifies the avant-garde value of experimentation and reveals new and important insights into a foundational period for the development of European modernism.

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#### Beholding Christ and Christianity in African American Art

Edited by James Romaine and Phoebe Wolfskill

Many of the most celebrated African American artists have created works that visually manifest Christian motifs and themes, yet this component of the history of African American art is often subsumed by attention to racial identity. This volume constructs a vivid new history of African American art by exploring biblical and Christian subjects and themes in the work of such noted artists as Romare Bearden, Edmonia Lewis, Archibald Motley, Henry O. Tanner, and James VanDerZee.

Focusing on the work of artists who came to maturity between the Civil War and the Civil Rights Era, the contributors show how engaging with religious themes has served to express an array of racial, political, and socio-economic concerns for African American artists. Through a close analysis of aesthetic techniques and choices, each author considers race but does not assume it as a predominant factor. Instead, the contributors assess artworks' formal, iconographic, and thematic participation in the history of Christianity and the visual arts. In doing so, this collection refuses to lay a single claim on black religiosity, culture, or art, but rather explores its diversity and celebrates the complexity of African American visual expression.

In addition to the editors, the contributors are Kirsten Pai Buick, Julie Levin Caro, Jacqueline Francis, Caroline Goeser, Amy K. Hamlin, Kymberly N. Pinder, Richard J. Powell, Edward M. Puchner, Kristin Schwain, James Smalls, Carla Williams, and Elaine Y. Yau.

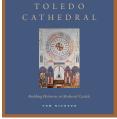


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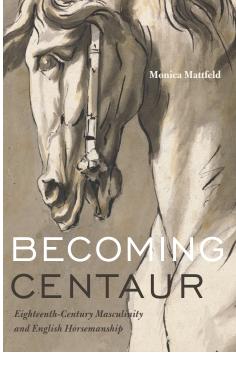
#### **Hagia Sophia** Sound, Space, and Spirit in Byzantium Bissera V. Pentcheva

Experiencing the resonant acoustics of the church of Hagia Sophia allowed the Byzantine participants in its liturgical rituals to be filled with the Spirit of God, and even to become his image on earth. Bissera Pentcheva's vibrant analysis examines how these sung rites combined with the church's architectural space to make Hagia Sophia a performative place of worship representative of Byzantine religious culture in all its sensory richness.

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Immersive, deeply researched, and beautifully illustrated, this exploration of Hagia Sophia sheds new light on sacred space, iconicity, and religious devotion in Byzantium. Scholars of art and architectural history, religious studies, music and acoustics, and the medieval period will especially appreciate Pentcheva's field-advancing work.

**Bissera V. Pentcheva** is Professor of Art History at Stanford University and the author of *Icons and Power: The Mother of God in Byzantium* and *The Sensual Icon: Space, Ritual, and the Senses in Byzantium*, both also published by Penn State University Press.



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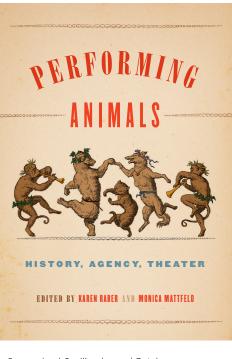
#### **Becoming Centaur** Eighteenth-Century Masculinity and English Horsemanship Monica Mattfeld

In this study of the relationship between men and their horses in seventeenth- and eighteenth-century England, Monica Mattfeld explores the experience of horsemanship and how it defined one's gendered and political positions within society.

Men of the period used horses to transform themselves, via the image of the centaur, into something other-something powerful, awe-inspiring, and mythical. Focusing on the manuals, memoirs, satires, images, and ephemera produced by some of the period's most influential equestrians, Mattfeld examines how the concepts and practices of horse husbandry evolved in relation to social, cultural, and political life. She looks closely at the role of horses in the world of Thomas Hobbes and William Cavendish; the changes in human social behavior and horse handling ushered in by elite riding houses such as Angelo's Academy and Mr. Carter's; and the public perception of equestrian endeavors, from performances at places such as Astley's Amphitheatre to the satire of Henry William Bunbury. Throughout, Mattfeld shows how horses aided the performance of idealized masculinity among communities of riders, in turn influencing how men were perceived in regard to status, reputation, and gender.

Drawing on human-animal studies, gender studies, and historical studies, *Becoming Centaur* offers a new account of masculinity that reaches beyond anthropocentrism to consider the role of animals in shaping man.

**Monica Mattfeld** is Assistant Professor of English and History at the University of Northern British Columbia and coeditor of *Cosmopolitan Animals*.



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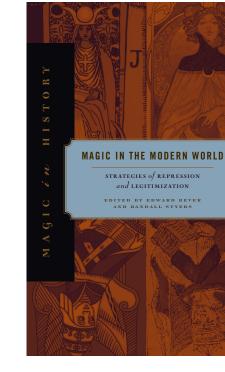
Exploring the human-animal relationship from the early modern period to the nineteenth century, the contributors discuss the role of animals in venues as varied as medieval plays, natural histories, dissections, and banquets, and they raise provocative questions about animals' agency. In so doing, they demonstrate the innovative potential of thinking beyond the boundaries of the present in order to dismantle the barriers that have traditionally divided human from animal.

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In addition to the editors, the contributors are Todd Andrew Borlik, Pia F. Cuneo, Kim Marra, Richard Nash, Sarah E. Parker, Rob Wakeman, Kari Weil, and Jessica Wolfe.

**Karen Raber** is Professor of English at the University of Mississippi. Her most recent book is *Animal Bodies, Renaissance Culture.* 

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**Edward Bever** is Professor of History at the State University of New York at Old Westbury and the author of *The Realities of Witchcraft and Popular Magic in Early Modern Europe: Culture, Cognition, and Everyday Life.* 

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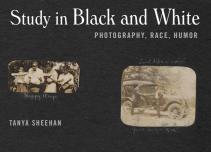
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In Study in Black and White, Sheehan employs a trove of understudied materials to write a new history of photography, one that encompasses the rise of the commercial portrait studio in the 1840s, the popularization of amateur photography around 1900, and the mass circulation of postcards and other photographic ephemera in the twentieth century. She examines the racial politics that shaped some of the most essential elements of the medium, from the negative-positive process to the convention of the photographic smile. The book also places historical discourses in relation to contemporary art that critiques racism through humor, including the work of Genevieve Grieves, Adrian Piper, Lorna Simpson, Kara Walker, and Fred Wilson.

By treating racial humor about and within the photographic medium as complex social commentary, rather than a collectible curiosity, *Study in Black and White* enriches our understanding of photography in popular culture. Transhistorical and interdisciplinary, this book will be of vital interest to scholars of art history and visual studies, critical race studies, U.S. history, and African American studies.

Tanya Sheehan is William R. Kenan Jr. Associate Professor of Art at Colby College. She is the author of *Doctored: The Medicine of Photography in Nineteenth-Century America,* also published by Penn State University Press.

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In *Projecting Citizenship*, Gabrielle Moser gives a comprehensive account of the Colonial Office Visual Instruction Committee's lantern slide lectures—an unusual project produced by the British government at the beginning of the twentieth century—that combined geography education and photography to teach schoolchildren around the world what it meant to look and to feel like an imperial citizen.

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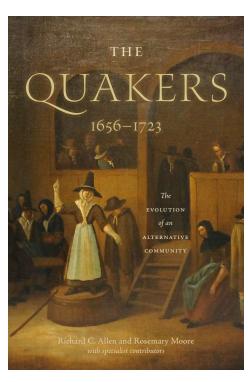
In *The Letters of Mary Penry*, Scott Paul Gordon provides unprecedented access to the intimate world of a Moravian single sister. This vast collection of letters—compiled, transcribed, and annotated by Gordon—introduces readers to an unmarried woman who worked, worshiped, and wrote about her experience living in Moravian religious communities at the time of the American Revolution and early republic.

Penry, a Welsh immigrant and a convert to the Moravian faith, was well connected in both the international Moravian community and the state of Pennsylvania. She counted among her acquaintances Elizabeth Sandwith Drinker and Hannah Callender Sansom, two American women whose writings have also been preserved, in addition to members of some of the most prominent families in Philadelphia, such as the Shippens, the Franklins, and the Rushes. This collection brings together more than seventy of Penry's letters, few of which have been previously published. Gordon's introduction provides a useful context for understanding the letters and the unique woman who wrote them.

This collection of Penry's letters broadens perspectives on early America and the eighteenth-century Moravian Church by providing a sustained look at the spiritual and social life of a single woman at a time when singleness was extraordinarily rare. It also makes an important contribution to the recovery of women's voices in early America, amplifying their views on politics, religion, and social networks from a time when few of their perspectives on these subjects have been preserved.

**Scott Paul Gordon** is Professor of English and Andrew W. Mellon Chair at Lehigh University.

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- "The authors' analytical rigor is matched by their respect and concern for everyday people: a rare and worthy combination."
- —**PETER LEVINE**, author of We Are the Ones We Have Been Waiting For: The Promise of Civic Renewal in America

For decades, journalists have called the winners of U.S. presidential elections—often in error well before the closing of the polls. In *Votes That Count and Voters Who Don't*, Sharon E. Jarvis and Soo-Hye Han investigate what motivates journalists to call elections before the votes have been tallied and, more important, what this and similar practices signal to the electorate about the value of voter participation.

Jarvis and Han track how journalists have told the story of electoral participation during the last eighteen presidential elections, revealing how the portrayal of voters in the popular press has evolved over the past half century from that of mobilized partisan actors vital to electoral outcomes to that of pawns of political elites and captives of a flawed electoral system. The authors engage with experiments and focus groups to reveal the effects that this depiction has on voters and share their findings from interviews with prominent journalists. In doing so, they explore the failings of the media and show how the story of electoral participation might be told in ways that support both democratic and journalistic values.

At a time of crises of confidence within both journalism and electoral politics, this book invites academics, organizations, the press, and citizens alike to advocate for the voter's place in the news.

**Sharon E. Jarvis** is Associate Professor of Communication Studies and Government and Associate Director for Research at the Annette Strauss Institute for Civic Life at the University of Texas at Austin.

**Soo-Hye Han** is Associate Professor of Communication Studies and Research Associate at the Institute for Civic Discourse and Democracy at Kansas State University.

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#### Homeless Advocacy and the Rhetorical Construction of the Civic Home

Melanie Loehwing

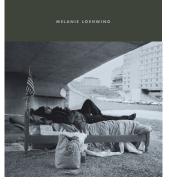
"Approaches a topic connected to marginalized voices that is sorely missing from rhetorical studies and, in many cases, from critical analysis writ large: the discourse of, and rhetoric about, homeless communities. The value of this study is that it demonstrates the transformative benefits of viewing homelessness advocacy as rhetorical means rooted in 'home' rather than just through and by instrumental and utile ends. Loehwing's work serves as a watershed moment of exploring the double-marginalization of homeless communities." —JASON BLACK, author of American Indians and the Rhetoric of Removal and Allotment

Homeless assistance has frequently adhered to the "three hots and a cot" model, which prioritizes immediate material needs but may fail to address the political and social exclusion of people experiencing homelessness. In this study, Loehwing reconsiders typical characterizations of homelessness, citizenship, and democratic community through unconventional approaches to homeless advocacy and assistance.

While conventional homeless advocacy rhetoric establishes the urgency of homeless suffering, it also implicitly invites housed publics to understand homelessness as a state of abnormality that destines the individuals suffering it to life outside the civic body. In contrast, Loehwing focuses on atypical models of homeless advocacy: the meal-sharing initiatives of Food Not Bombs, the international competition of the Homeless World Cup, and the annual Homeless Persons' Memorial Day campaign. She argues that these modes of unconventional homeless advocacy provide rhetorical exemplars of a type of inclusive and empowering civic discourse that is missing from conventional homeless marginalization and exclusion in contemporary democratic culture.

Loehwing's interrogation of homeless advocacy rhetorics demonstrates how discursive practices shape democratic culture and how they may provide a potential civic remedy to the harms of disenfranchisement, discrimination, and displacement. This book will be welcomed by scholars whose work focuses on the intersections of democratic theory and rhetorical and civic studies, as well as by homelessness advocacy groups.

**Melanie Loehwing** is Assistant Professor in the Department of Communication at Mississippi State University.



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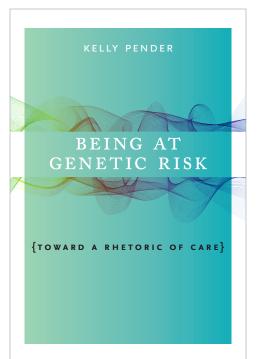
In *How to Belong*, Belinda Stillion Southard examines how women leaders throughout the world have asserted their rhetorical agency in troubling economic, social, and political conditions. Rather than utilizing the concept of citizenship to bolster political influence, the women in the case studies presented here rely on the power of relationships to create a more habitable world.

With the rise of global capitalism, many nation-states that have profited from invigorated flows of capital have also responded to the threat of increased human mobility by heightening national citizenship's exclusionary power. Through a series of case studies that include women grassroots protesters, a woman president, and a woman United Nations director, Stillion Southard analyzes several examples of women, all as embodied subjects in a particular transnational context, pushing back against this often violent rise in nationalist rhetoric. While scholars have typically used the concept of citizenship to explain what it means to belong, Stillion Southard instead shows how these women have reimagined belonging in ways that have enabled them to create national, regional, and global communities.

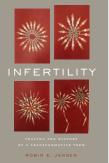
As part of a broader conversation centered on exposing the violence of national citizenship and proposing ways of rejecting that violence, this book seeks to provide answers through the powerful rhetorical practices of resilient and inspiring women who have successfully negotiated what it means to belong, to be included, and to enact change beyond the boundaries of citizenship.

**Belinda Stillion Southard** is Associate Professor of Communication Studies at the University of Georgia. She is the author of *Militant Citizenship: Rhetorical Strategies of the National Woman's Party, 1913–1920*, winner of the 2012 Marie Hochmuth Nichols Book Award.

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**Being at Genetic Risk** Toward a Rhetoric of Care Kelly Pender



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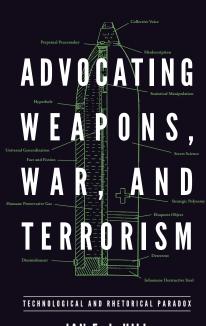
Well researched and thoughtfully argued, *Being at Genetic Risk* will be welcomed by scholars of rhetoric and communication, particularly those who work in the rhetoric of science, technology, and medicine, as well as scholars in allied fields who study the social, ethical, and political implications of genetic medicine. Pender's insight will also be of interest to organizations that advocate for those at genetic risk of breast and ovarian cancers.

**Kelly Pender** is Associate Professor of English at Virginia Tech. She is the author of *Techne, From Neoclassicism to Postmodernism: Understanding Writing as a Useful, Teachable Art.* 

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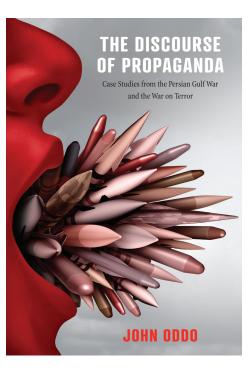
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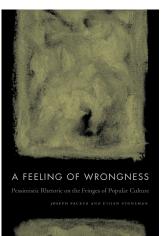
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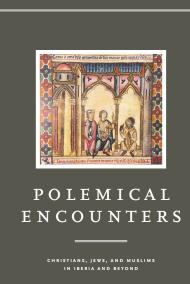
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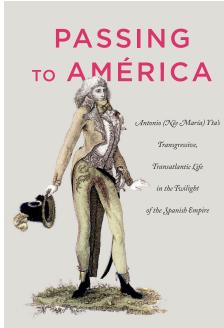
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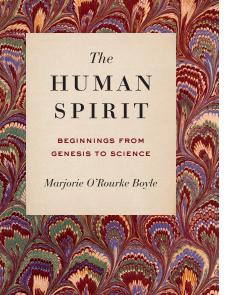
Passing to América is at once a historical biography and an in-depth examination of the sex/gender complex in an era before "gender" had been divorced from "sex." The book presents readers with the original court docket, including Don Antonio's extended confession, in which he tells his life story, and the equally extraordinary biographical sketch offered by Felipa Ybañez of her "son María," both in English translation and the original Spanish. Thomas A. Abercrombie's analysis not only grapples with how to understand the sex/gender system within the Spanish Atlantic empire at the turn of the nineteenth century but also explores what Antonio/María and contemporaries can teach us about the complexities of the relationship between sex and gender today.

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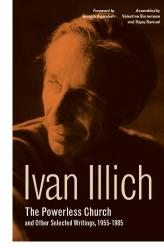
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Dalmatian-Austrian philosopher, Roman Catholic priest, and radical cultural critic Ivan Illich is best known for polemical writings such as *Deschooling Society* and *Tools for Conviviality*, which decried Western institutions of the 1970s. This collection brings together Illich's shorter writings from his early publications through the rise of his remarkable intellectual career, making available works that had fallen into undue obscurity.

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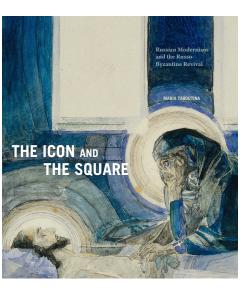
"This book speaks softly and carries a big wallop. Through precise readings and meticulous historical research, Stewart demonstrates that there was a common transnational epistemology uniting black reformers. Highly recommended." —KATHRYN LOFTON, author of Consuming Religion Temperance and Cosmopolitanism explores the nature and meaning of cosmopolitan freedom in the nineteenth century through a study of selected African American authors and reformers: William Wells Brown, Martin Delany, George Moses Horton, Frances E. W. Harper, and Amanda Berry Smith. Their voluntary travels, a reversal of the involuntary movement of enslavement, form the basis for a critical mode of cosmopolitan freedom rooted in temperance.

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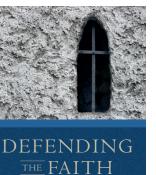
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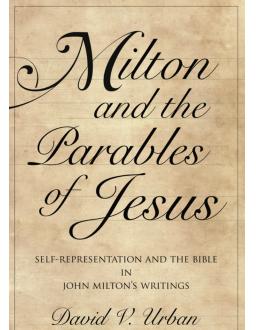
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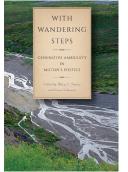
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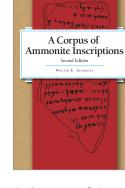
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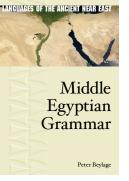
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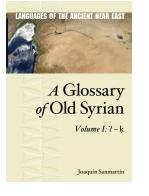
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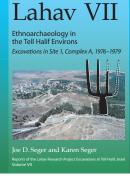
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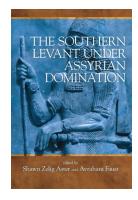
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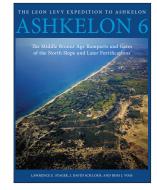
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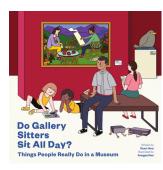
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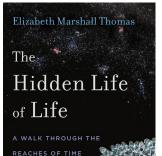
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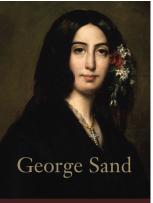
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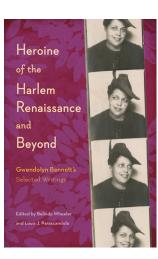


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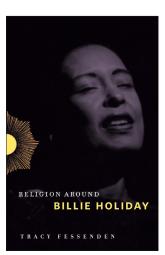
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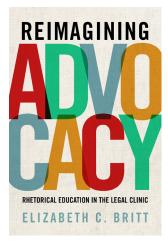
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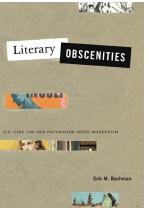
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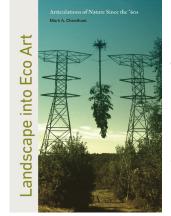
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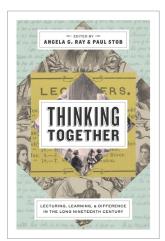
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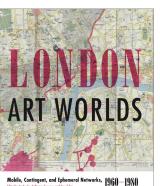
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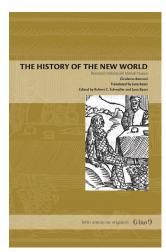
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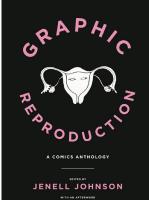
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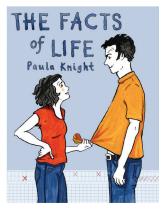
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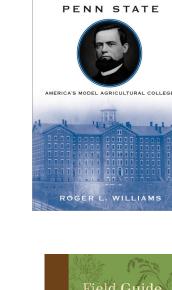
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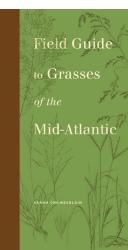
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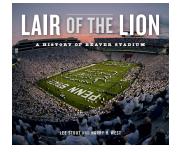
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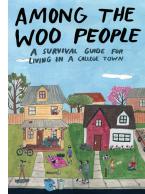


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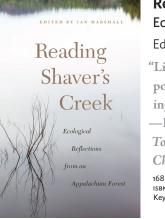
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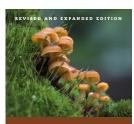


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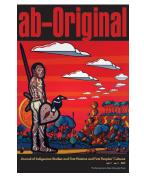
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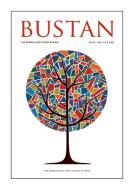


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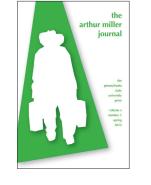


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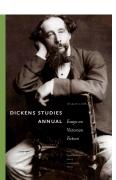
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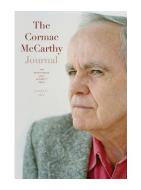
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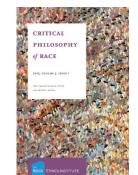
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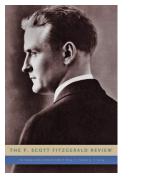
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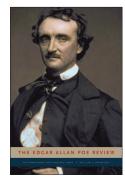
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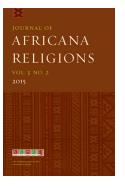
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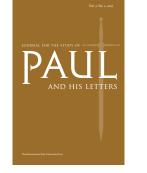
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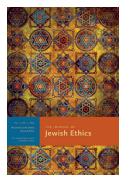
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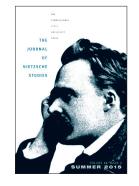


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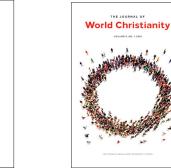
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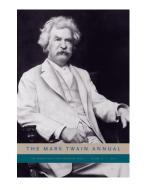
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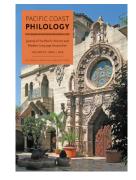
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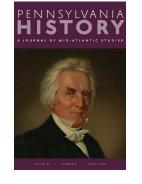
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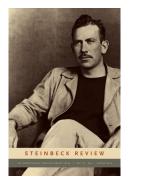




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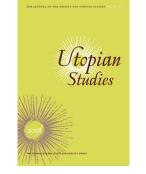
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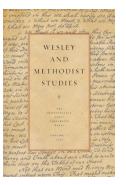
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