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### The Sherlock Holmes Journal McFarland

This book provides an introduction to 24 iconic figures, real and fictional, that have shaped the detective/mystery genre of popular literature. • Parallel chronologies placing each of the book's 24 subjects in their historical/cultural context • Individual selected bibliographies for each of the 24 figures plus a selected general bibliography of critical sources treating the genre

*Book Review Digest Mimesis*

In this sensitive and revealing biography of Agatha Christie, Gillian Gill probes the mysterious private life and motivations of one of the bestselling authors of all time and discovers a brilliant and eccentric woman whose passionate search for success was balanced by an obsession with privacy. The break-up of Agatha's first marriage to Archibald Christie and her subsequent ten-day disappearance had made headline news. Feeling hunted and wounded by the press, Christie determined never again to let them into her private life. Instead she developed a public persona - seemingly tongue-tied and dull - which ensured the journalists and the public would let her be. This successful strategy helped to account for a happy second marriage and family life as well as an astonishing literary productivity. Skillfully weaving the details of Christie's life with the plots and characters of her mystery novels, Gillian Gill uncovers the flesh-and-blood woman behind the popular and celebrated Marple-like image, and establishes Agatha Christie as a unique and determined person whose fictional creations sparked the imagination of millions around the world.

*Saturday Review* Oxford University Press, USA

This volume contains fictional biographies of seven fictional detectives: Sherlock Holmes, Miss Marple, Nero Wolfe, Ellery Queen, Philip Marlowe, Hercule Poirot, and Maigret.

**A Study in Sidekicks** Saint James Press

Suggests educational activities for gifted students based on reading mysteries

*Seven Original Investigations* ABC-CLIO

Lists the current value of collectible books, and provides addresses for bookbuyers, arranged by subject speciality.

*Contemporary Novelists* Greenwood

A world list of books in the English language.

**The Detective's Companion in Crime Fiction** Simon and Schuster

In questa sensibile e rivelatrice biografia di Agatha Christie, Gillian Gill sonda la misteriosa vita privata e le ragioni del successo di una delle maggiori autrici di bestseller di tutti i tempi, scoprendo una donna brillante ed eccentrica ossessionata dalla privacy. La fine del primo matrimonio con Archibald Christie e la successiva scomparsa di Agatha per dieci giorni avevano suscitato clamore. Sentendosi ferita dalla stampa, aveva deciso di non lasciare più che i giornalisti entrassero nella sua vita privata e di dare l'impressione di essere un personaggio noioso, così da essere lasciata in pace. Strategia che le permise di vivere un secondo felice matrimonio e un'intensa vita familiare, nonché di raggiungere una produttività letteraria sorprendente. Intrecciando la vita di Agatha Christie con le storie, i complotti e i personaggi dei suoi romanzi, Gillian Gill rivela il volto di una donna passionale e sanguigna, unica e determinata, un'autrice geniale le cui creazioni hanno fatto volare l'immaginazione di milioni di persone in tutto il mondo.

**The Posthumous Continuations of 325 Authors' Fictional Characters** JOYDHAK PRAKASHAN

"A collection of 11 short stories that pay homage to the style and characters of Rex Stout's Nero Wolfe mysteries"--

*Nearly Nero* Ashgate Publishing

Looks at the mystery genre in books, radio, and film, with biographies and critical commentary

**Great Detectives** Metuchen, N.J. : Scarecrow Press

Between 1887 and 1927, Sir Arthur Conan Doyle wrote sixty Sherlock Holmes stories, and his great Canon has become the most praised, most studied, and best-known chapter in the history of detective fiction. Over twenty thousand publications pertaining to the Sherlock Holmes phenomenon are known to have been published, most of them historical and critical studies. In addition, however, almost since the first stories appeared, such was their uniqueness and extraordinary attraction that other authors began writing stories based on or derived from them. A new genre had appeared: pastiches; parodies; burlesques; and stories that attempted to copy or rival the great detective himself. As the field widened, there was hardly a year in the twentieth century in which new short stories or novels did not appear. Many hundreds are now known to have been published, some of them written by authors well-known for their work in other literary fields. The non-canonical Sherlock Holmes literature not only constitutes a literary field of considerable historical interest, but includes many stories that are both enjoyable and fascinating in their own right. Although a large bibliography on these stories exists, and a few limited anthologies have been published, no attempt has previously been made to collect them all and discuss them comprehensively. The Alternative Sherlock Holmes does so: it provides a new and valuable approach to the Sherlock Holmes literature, as well as making available many works that have for years remained forgotten. Presented as an entertaining narrative, of interest to both the aficionado and the scholar, it provides full bibliographic data on virtually all the known stories in the field.

*From Sleuths to Superheroes* Macmillan General Reference

Contains entries for each author with a biography, a list of separately published books, and an essay.

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**The Adventures of Claudius Lyon, the Man Who Would Be Wolfe** Springer Nature

Agatha Christie Bibliography with Commentaries & a Personal Memoir by Julian Symons & a Preface by H.R.F. Keating

*Agatha Christie* ABRAMS

Includes, beginning Sept. 15, 1954 (and on the 15th of each month, Sept.-May) a special section: School library journal, ISSN 0000-0035, (called Junior libraries, 1954-May 1961). Also issued separately.

**Quiz on Fictional Charcters** Gale / Cengage Learning

Designed to introduce the lives and works of those individuals who influenced the development of literary biography as a recognizable genre during the century.

*A Who's who of Fictional Characters from the Eighteenth Century to the Present Day* Saint James Press

Looks at a wide variety of popular American fiction genres, including comic books, mystery novels, historical fiction, fantasy and science fiction, and westerns.

*Critical Survey of Mystery and Detective Fiction* Saint James Press

Presents critical studies of more than 270 authors of detective and mystery fiction from around the world dating from the mid-eighteenth century to the present day.

**Pastiche, Parodies and Copies** Routledge

Presents critical studies of more than 290 authors of detective and mystery fiction from around the world dating from the mid-eighteenth century to the present day.

*The Armchair Detective* Sura Books

A new edition of the who's who of over 1,400 fictional characters whose names are sometimes so familiar it's difficult to remember they're imaginary. Included in the biographical parade is Ben Casey, Casper, and Fitzwilliam Darcy, a compendium of high, low, and no brow at all, each exactly recorded with a snippet of biographical anecdote. The reference is as equally useful for scholarly work as it is for killing time in aimless pursuits of information. Distributed by Ashgate. Annotation

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**The Baker Street Journal** Portico

Rational Emotive Behaviour Therapy in a Nutshell provides a concise overview of a popular therapeutic approach, starting with the ABCDE Model of Emotional Disturbance and Change. Written

by leading REBT specialists, Michael Neenan and Windy Dryden, the book goes on to explain the core of the therapeutic process: - Assessment - Disputing - Homework - Working through - Promoting self-change. As an introduction to the basics of the approach, this updated and revised edition of Rational Emotive Behaviour Therapy in a Nutshell is the ideal first text and a springboard to further study.

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- [The Five-star Weekend](#)
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- [Young Forever: The Secrets To Living Your Longest, Healthiest Life \(the Dr. Hyman Library, 11\) By Dr. Mark Hyman Md](#)
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- [Hello Beautiful \(oprah's Book Club\): A Novel](#)
- [The 48 Laws Of Power By Robert Greene](#)
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