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The Chaos Kind Simon and Schuster
Hoping to reconcile with the mother of his child, reluctant contract killer John Rain inadvertently places them in the path of dangerous enemies and is forced to recruit the help of his nemesis from the Japanese FBI and an ex-Marine sniper. Reprint.
All the Old Knives Penguin
"This combined Workbook/Laboratory Manual is an integrated part of the

Parliamo italiano! program. It is designed to reinforce the new material in each textbook unit and to provide practice in the skills you will need to communicate effectively in Italian.

Pioggia nera su Tokyo Currency
A Japanese American assassin who specializes in "natural causes" killings finds his carefully ordered world coming under siege in the wake of a government official's murder, with which he has been falsely connected.

March Was Made of Yarn Vintage
This book is divided into categories, including typographic, icons, and

illustrations, and further classified into categories, like Hip-Hop, Neo-Baroque, kanji, kana, psychedelic, 60s to 70s, corporate, erotic, and other distinct groups, this book features more than 1,000 works, selected from thousands of entries submitted from hundreds of designers worldwide.

Obsolete Objects in the Literary Imagination Houghton Mifflin

After a failed rescue attempt of a hijacked plane in Vienna, two retired spies, former lovers, can't help but relive the past and determine if the mission went wrong because of a compromised agent on the

inside. By the New York Times best-selling author of *The Cairo Affair*.

Writing Ground Zero Penguin

Returning to Tokyo in 1982 after a decade of mercenary work in the Philippines, John Rain learns that the killing business is now controlled by a half-Russian, half-Japanese sociopath who wants John to kill a government minister or die a grisly death.

Enciclopedia europea Yale University Press

Digital technology is now a normal part of everyday life. The mutation of music and film into bits and bytes, downloads and streams is now taken for granted. For the world of book and magazine publishing however, this transformation has only just begun. Still, the vision of this transformation is far from new. For more than a century now, avant-garde artists, activists and technologists have been anticipating the development of networked and electronic publishing.

Although in hindsight the reports of the death of paper were greatly exaggerated, electronic publishing has now certainly become a reality. How will the analog and the digital coexist in the post-digital age of publishing? How will they transition, mix

and cross over? In this book, Alessandro Ludovico rereads the history of the avant-garde arts as a prehistory of cutting through the so-called dichotomy between paper and electronics. Ludovico is the editor and publisher of *Neural*, a magazine for critical digital culture and media arts. For more than 20 years now, he has been working at the cutting edge (and the outer fringes) of both print publishing and politically engaged digital art.

Madame Sadayakko Thomas & Mercer Treat summarizes the Japanese contribution to such ongoing international debates as the crisis of modern ethics, the relationship of experience to memory, and the possibility of writing history. This Japanese perspective, he shows, both confirms and amends many of the assertions made in the West on the shift that the death camps and nuclear weapons have jointly signaled for the modern world and for the future.

Choke Point Vintage
NATIONAL BOOK AWARD FINALIST • Latinas of Indigenous descent living in the American West take center stage in this haunting debut story collection—a powerful meditation on friendship,

mothers and daughters, and the deep-rooted truths of our homelands. “Here are stories that blaze like wildfires, with characters who made me laugh and broke my heart.”—Sandra Cisneros WINNER OF THE AMERICAN BOOK AWARD • FINALIST FOR THE STORY PRIZE • FINALIST FOR THE PEN/ROBERT W. BINGHAM PRIZE FOR DEBUT SHORT STORY COLLECTION Kali Fajardo-Anstine’s magnetic story collection breathes life into her Latina characters of indigenous ancestry and the land they inhabit in the American West. Against the remarkable backdrop of Denver, Colorado—a place that is as fierce as it is exquisite—these women navigate the land the way they navigate their lives: with caution, grace, and quiet force. In “Sugar Babies,” ancestry and heritage are hidden inside the earth but tend to rise during land disputes. “Any Further West” follows a sex worker and her daughter as they leave their ancestral home in southern Colorado only to find a foreign and hostile land in California. In “Tomi,” a woman leaves prison and finds herself in a gentrified city that is a shadow of the one she remembers from her childhood. And in the title story, “Sabrina & Corina,” a

Denver family falls into a cycle of violence against women, coming together only through ritual. *Sabrina & Corina* is a moving narrative of unrelenting feminine power and an exploration of the universal experiences of abandonment, heritage, and an eternal sense of home. NAMED ONE OF THE BEST BOOKS OF THE YEAR BY The New York Public Library • Kirkus Reviews • Library Journal “*Sabrina & Corina* isn’t just good, it’s masterful storytelling. Fajardo-Anstine is a fearless writer: her women are strong and scarred witnesses of the violations of their homelands, their culture, their bodies; her plots turn and surprise, unerring and organic in their comprehensiveness; her characters break your heart, but you keep on going because you know you are in the hands of a master. Her stories move through the heart of darkness and illuminate it with the soul of truth.”—Julia Alvarez, author of *How the García Girls Lost Their Accents* “[A] powerhouse debut . . . stylistically superb, with crisp dialogue and unforgettable characters, *Sabrina & Corina* introduces an impressive new talent to American letters.”—Rigoberto González, NBC News

The Sleeping Dictionary Penguin

“I believe that man will not merely endure: he will prevail. He is immortal, not because he alone among creatures has an inexhaustible voice, but because he has a soul, a spirit capable of compassion and sacrifice and endurance.” —William Faulkner, on receiving the Nobel Prize
Go Down, Moses is composed of seven interrelated stories, all of them set in Faulkner’s mythic Yoknapatawpha County. From a variety of perspectives, Faulkner examines the complex, changing relationships between blacks and whites, between man and nature, weaving a cohesive novel rich in implication and insight.

Enciclopedia del cinema Penguin

“A masterly book . . . will prove of great assistance to a student of Japanese literature and thought from the eleventh century onwards.”—Times Literary Supplement
 “A major contribution to the fields of Japanese studies, comparative literature, and history of religions . . . a book that begs for classroom use.”—The Eastern Buddhist
 “Innovative and provocative . . . will be of interest not only to specialists in Japanese religion and

Japanese culture, but also to literary critics and cultural historians.”—Religious Studies Review
 “Rich and stimulating material . . . an important help and influence to all concerned with understanding the tradition that has shaped Japanese culture and religion.”—History of Religions
 “Thought provoking, finely written . . . one of the more original and creative contributions to the study of medieval culture and religion to be produced by a Western scholar. . . . Can be read with profit by all Western students of Japanese culture . . . one of those rare books that has something to offer Japanese specialists in medieval studies.”—Journal of Japanese Studies
 “A very important contribution to Japanese studies . . . a paradigm of the genre.”—Pacific Affairs
 “This is an exciting, ground-breaking book.”—Chanoyu Quarterly
 “I have been most impressed and even excited by what I have read.”—Donald Keene, Professor Emeritus and Shincho Professor Emeritus of Japanese Literature at Columbia University
 “This is one of the most important books in Japanese studies in a long time and will influence the entire field.”—Robert Bellah, former Elliott

Professor of Sociology, Professor Emeritus at the University of California, Berkeley
Requiem for an Assassin Harvard Univ Asia Center

"Murakami Haruki is perhaps the best-known and most widely translated Japanese author of his generation. Despite Murakami's critical and commercial success, particularly in the United States, his role as a mediator between Japanese and American literature and culture is seldom discussed. Bringing a comparative perspective to the study of Murakami's fiction, Rebecca Suter complicates our understanding of the author's oeuvre and highlights his contributions not only as a popular writer but also as a cultural critic on both sides of the Pacific. Suter concentrates on Murakami's short stories—less known in the West but equally worthy of critical attention—as sites of some of the author's bolder experiments in manipulating literary (and everyday) language, honing cross-cultural allusions, and crafting metafictional techniques. This study scrutinizes Murakami's fictional worlds and their extraliterary contexts through a range of discursive lenses: modernity and

postmodernity, universalism and particularism, imperialism and nationalism, Orientalism and globalization. By casting new light on the style and substance of Murakami's prose, Suter situates the author and his works within the sphere of contemporary Japanese literature and finds him a prominent place within the broader sweep of the global literary scene."

The Karma of Words Adelphi Edizioni spa
 John Rain si ◆ operato agli occhi per assomigliare ancora di pi◆ a un orientale. Durante la guerra del Vietnam ha lavorato per la CIA. Tornato in Giappone, ◆ diventato un killer. Lavora su commissione. Non importa chi lo paga, la sola cosa che conta ◆ andare a segno. La sua specialit◆: omicidi che sembrano morti naturali utilizzando tecnologie d'avanguardia. Riceve l'incarico di eliminare Yasuhito Kawamura, un corrotto funzionario governativo: lo segue in metropolitana e grazie a un sofisticato sistema elettronico gli provoca un arresto cardiaco e la morte. La settimana successiva incontra per caso la figlia della sua vittima, Midori, una giovane e bella pianista jazz. Ma nel frattempo qualcuno

sta iniziando a cercarlo.

The Japanization of Modernity Macmillan
 Esistono già molte guide di Tokyo. Perché farne BOVA un'altra? Ho vissuto più di cinque anni in questa realtà e comprenderla non è stata un'impresa facile. Ho avuto però molte occasioni per una conoscenza più approfondita di questo incredibile Paese, sicuramente lontano, per cultura e geografia, dalla nostra Europa, ma curiosamente interlocutore più affine all'Italia di altri Paesi europei o mediterranei. Di qui lo scopo della guida: dare di Tokyo una lettura più vicina alla sensibilità europea, più attenta dunque agli aspetti culturali, sociali e storici e, per quanto possibile, esaustiva della sua straordinaria ricchezza. Raccontare le miriadi di musei, templi, santuari, giardini e parchi. Proporre la partecipazione alla vita giapponese, non limitandosi ad una mera visita turistica, ma condividendo esperienze quali il kabuki, il nō, il kyōgen, il bunraku, il sumō, il Takarazuka, le arti marziali, la cerimonia del tè, l'ikebana, la calligrafia, i matsuiri, l'onsen o il karaoke. Illustrare gli esempi più interessanti d'architettura moderna. Evidenziare le tracce del passato sopravvissuto ai

terremoti, alla guerra, alla modernizzazione e alla speculazione edilizia, ancora percepibile attraverso i luoghi storici, i quartieri tradizionali, i musei. Descrivere i luoghi naturali che costellano la città moderna: oltre ai giardini che hanno mantenuto intatta la loro raffinata bellezza, le aree naturali protette, quali il Tokyo Wild Bird Park, il Natural Park for Nature Study, l'acquario di Shinagawa e quello del Kasai Rinkai Park. E poi qualche informazione sullo shopping: dai mercatini delle pulci dove si possono fare affari, ai grandi magazzini, vere e proprie istituzioni, all'elegantissimo artigianato giapponese: lacche, ceramiche, dipinti, tessuti, kimono, obi, ma anche elettronica e fotografia. Ed infine introdurre alla raffinatezza del cibo giapponese segnalando i piatti più facilmente apprezzabili dal palato occidentale e la possibilità, per un accostamento non traumatico, di ottimi ristoranti di cucina italiana o di altri Paesi. Trasmettere la mia esperienza al visitatore occidentale.

Guida di Tokyo One World

John Rain is back. And the assassin is up against his most formidable enemy yet:

the nexus of political, military, media, and corporate factions known only as the Oligarchy.

Post-Digital Print Thomas & Mercer Translated here into English for the first time is a monumental work of literary history and criticism comparable in scope and achievement to Eric Auerbach's *Mimesis*. Italian critic Francesco Orlando explores Western literature's obsession with outmoded and nonfunctional objects (ruins, obsolete machinery, broken things, trash, etc.). Combining the insights of psychoanalysis and literary-political history, Orlando traces this obsession to a turning point in history, at the end of eighteenth-century industrialization, when the functional becomes the dominant value of Western culture. Roaming through every genre and much of the history of Western literature, the author identifies distinct categories into which obsolete images can be classified and provides myriad examples. The function of literature, he concludes, is to remind us of what we have lost and what we are losing as we rush toward the future.

White as Silence, Red as Song John Rain Novel

The assassins of Barry Eisler's #1 bestseller *The Killer Collective* are back-- and this time, it's chaos. Assistant US Attorney Alondra Diaz hates traffickers. And she's determined to put one of America's most powerful financiers, Andrew Schrader, in prison forever for his crimes against children. But Schrader has videos implicating some of the most powerful members of the US national security state. To eliminate Diaz, the powers that be bring in a contractor: Marvin Manus, an implacable assassin whose skills have been forged in intelligence, the military, and the hardest prisons. Enter former Marine sniper Dox and black-ops veteran Daniel Larison with an unusual assignment: not to kill Diaz, but to keep her alive. A lot of players are determined to acquire the videos and the blackmail power they represent. But with Seattle sex-crimes detective Livia Lone, "natural causes" killer John Rain, and ex-Mossad honey-trap specialist Delilah, the good guys might just have a chance. They're not going to play by anyone else's rules. They're not going to play by any rules at all. They want a different kind of fight. The chaos kind.

Pioggia nera su Tokio Thomas Nelson
Offering the first systematic examination of five modern Japanese fictional narratives, all of them available in English translations, Atsuko Sakaki explores Natsume Sōseki's *Kokoro* and *The Three-Cornered World*; Ibuse Masuji's *Black Rain*; Mori Ōgai's *Wild Geese*; and Tanizaki Jun'ichirō's *Quicksand*.

Sette, settimanale del Corriere della sera
Penguin

In una cala rocciosa della baia di Hakata, i corpi di un uomo e di una donna vengono rinvenuti all'alba. Entrambi sono giovani e belli. Il colorito acceso delle guance rivela che hanno assunto del cianuro. Un suicidio d'amore, non ci sono dubbi. La polizia di Fukuoka sembra quasi delusa: niente indagini, niente colpevole. Ma, almeno agli occhi di Torigai Jutarō, vecchio investigatore dall'aria indolente e dagli abiti logori, e del suo giovane collega di Tokyo, Mihara Kiichi, qualcosa non torna: se i due sono arrivati con il medesimo rapido da Tokyo, perché mai lui, Sayama Ken'ichi, funzionario di un ministero al centro di un grosso scandalo per corruzione, è rimasto cinque giorni chiuso in albergo in attesa di una telefonata? E

perché poi se n'è andato precipitosamente lasciando una valigia? Ma soprattutto: dov'era intanto lei, l'amante, la seducente Otoki, che di professione intratteneva i clienti in un ristorante? Bizzarro comportamento per due che hanno deciso di farla finita. Per fortuna sia Torigai che Mihara diffidano delle idee preconcepite, e sono dotati di una perseveranza e di un intuito fuori del comune. Perché chi ha ordito quella gelida, impeccabile macchinazione è una mente diabolica, capace di capovolgere la realtà. Non solo: è un genio nella gestione del tempo. Con questo noir dal fascino ossessivo, tutto incentrato su orari e nomi di treni - un congegno perfetto che ruota intorno a una manciata di minuti -, Matsumoto ha firmato un'indagine impossibile, ma anche un libro allusivo, che sa con sottigliezza far parlare il Giappone.

Recontextualizing Texts Univ of California Press

In the boldest expose on the nature of power since Machiavelli, celebrated Jungian therapist James Hillman shows how the artful leader uses each of two dozen kinds of power with finesse and subtlety. Power, we often forget, has many

faces, many different expressions. "Empowerment," writes best-selling Jungian analyst James Hillman, "comes from understanding the widest spectrum of possibilities for embracing power." If food means only meat and potatoes, your body suffers from your ignorance. When your idea of food expands, so does your strength. So it is with power. "James Hillman," says Robert Bly, "is the most lively and original psychologist we have had in America since William James." In *Kinds Of Power*, Hillman addresses himself for the first time to a subject of great interest to business people. He gives much needed substance to the subject by showing us a broad experience of power, rooted in the body, the mind, and the emotions, rather than the customary narrow interpretation that simply equates power with strength. Hillman's "anatomy" of power explores two dozen expressions of power every artful leader must understand and use, including: the language of power, control, influence, resistance, leadership, prestige, authority, exhibitionism, charisma, ambition, reputation, fearsomeness, tyranny, purism, subtle power, growth, and

efficiency.

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