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Oleksandra SHUTKO (born 1979)

writer, art critic, researcher of the Ottoman Empire's history.

The author of the popular science book "Roksolana: Myths and Reality" (2015; reissued in 2016 and 2017), that was also published in Turkish in the prestigious academic publishing house of Turkey "Kitap Yayınevi" under the title "Hürrem Sultan". Among her fiction books — "Hatice Turhan", a novel in three volumes dedicated to the Sultan-Ukrainian who actually ruled the Ottoman Empire, being the regent of her young son — Sultan Mehmed IV.



Sultanate of Women : Power and Love

The Hürrem (Roksolana), Mihrimah, Nurbane, Safiye, Kyosem, Hatice Turhan (Nadiia) Letters

This book contains letters written by the representatives of the Sultanate of Women in the Ottoman Empire, which shed light on the style of doing business, and even its character (letters from Hürrem (Roksolana), Mihrimah, Nurban, Safiye, Kyosem, Hatice Turhan (Nadiia)).

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Roksolana's Letters : Love and Diplomacy

In this book you will find eight love letters written by Roksolana to her husband Sultan Suleiman, and three diplomatic letters addressed to the King of Poland Sigismund II Augustus and Persian Princess Sultan, the sister of Shah Tahmasp I.

The book also contains new facts of Roksolana's biography that became known thanks to her personal correspondence and new discoveries of Turkish scholars.

978-966-10-5013-5, Hardcover, 145x200mm, 160 p.



Roksolana : Myths and Realities

The author discovers the biography of Roksolana, the wife of the Sultan of the Ottoman Empire on the basis of not only Ukrainian, but also Turkish, Polish, Russian, Western European and even American researches. Despite the large number of references to scientific sources and citations of archival documents and letters, the book is written in an accessible language and therefore will be interesting for the large number of readers.

978-966-10-4460-8, Paperback, 145x200mm, 272 p.



Hatice Turhan : Book 1 : Feather Grass Is not Afraid of Winds historical novel

In the harem of Sultan Ibrahim Madi another Ukrainian girl from Podillia — Nadiia received the name Hatice Turhan. Her life was full of trials and difficulties. But as the wife of the ruler and subsequently the regent of the young Sultan Mehmed IV, she steadily overcame them.

Under the reign of Hatice's son, Ukrainian Cossacks, headed by Bohdan Khmelnytskyi and Petro Doroshenko, received the Ottoman protectorate in the struggle for a united free Ukraine and acted in tandem with the janissaries and the Crimean Tatar army. On the basis of historical facts, archival materials and researches of Turkish, American and Western European scholars Olexandra Shutko wrote a novel about Hatice Turhan, in which not only events and heroes are real, but even their dialogues that have survived thanks to Ottoman chroniclers.

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Hatice Turhan : Book 2 : Sultan-Ukrainian on the Ottoman Throne historical novel

The second book is devoted to the years of the domination of Sultan Hatice Turhan in the Ottoman Empire. After the execution of her mother-in-law, the great Valide Kyosem, Hatice Turhan became the regent of his minor son, Sultan Mehmed IV, and in fact ruled the Ottomans. She paid great attention to Polish-Ukrainian relations. During her regency Hetman Bohdan Khmelnytskyi received the Ottoman protectorate. Hatice Turhan became the last representative of the "Sultanate of Women" in the Ottoman Empire.

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Hatice Turhan : Book 3 : Sultan-Ukrainian — Patron of the Cossacks historical novel

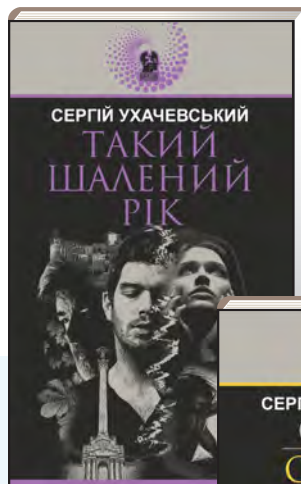
The third book tells about the last twenty years of the life of Sultan Hatice Turhan, who advocated Ukrainian Cossacks. Hetman Petro Doroshenko not only received the protectorate of her son, Mehmed IV, but also united with him for the campaign to Kamianets and Khotyn in 1672–1673. During the last years of her life she protected her grandsons Suleiman and Ahmed who were the first in the line of successors to the Ottoman throne from their stepmother Haseki Gülnush. She built herself the largest tomb in the capital of the Ottoman Empire.

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Serhii UKHACHEVSKYI (born 1966)

Ukrainian writer, screenwriter and journalist. He graduated from the Department of Ukrainian Language and Literature at the Philological Faculty of Ternopil National Pedagogical University. Participated in the Soviet-Afghan War, and in the Euromaidan and ATO. Works as a screenwriter for many TV and film companies.



Such a Crazy Year novel

The young people who passed through the turbulent 1990s, and crazy 2000s — with the Orange Revolution, crises and eternal promises of improvement — find themselves in front of a choice: to fight or to give up.

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The Wall. Autumn Illusions detective stories

The characters of the detective stories “The Wall” and “Autumn Illusions” live in the late 1980s, the years of brawls and boozes, shooting and thefts, blackmails and threats, just before the dissolution of the Soviet Union.

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Crazy Raid novel

The events of the novel take place in the hot May 2014. Ukraine was changing. The war began in the East. Under the pressure of armed separatists, the cities one by one came under their control. The novel is about a successful operation, carried out in 2014 by the citizens of Ukraine in order to export state property and documents from the Luhansk, which is no longer under the control of the Ukrainian authorities. The author shows Maidan life, as well as the life and mood in the cities controlled by the fighters. An exciting love line and a swirling plot with unexpected twists and turns will appeal to a wide range of readers.

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Viktor YANKEVYCH (born 1986)

Ukrainian writer, lawyer and economist by education. He is the author of books in the genre of detective prose, as well as a number of poems that were published in Ukrainian almanacs and literary journals.



Net detective story

In this hectic, multifaceted, eventful world, where one should strive for solitude, we suffer from... loneliness. It would be nice if, on the one hand, no one "would tell you what to do"... but on the other hand, no one would be knocked out of a clearly organized line of "right" people. And the "wrong" people are desperate to be heard and are looking for salvation on the Internet... And suddenly there appears a girl...

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Copy novel

Crime and punishment, sin and atonement, parents and children, love and lust... The vectors of this book are multifaceted, the plot is fascinating and dynamic. Do not look in the mirror against the night, for the sidelines looks for your soul. But there is still love that saves, because brother never renounces his brother!

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Murder in the Library at the Market Square, 9 detective story

No wonder the writer can involuntarily predict the events... The name of the presentation of detective stories suddenly became a reality, a real horror for him and for guests of the event, among whom we meet many well-known personalities of Ukraine. Julia Levytska — a librarian and a detective — will unravel a tight knot and, of course, find a murderer.

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Revenge detective story

The main character of the detective story "Revenge" is a librarian who, by coincidence, not only masterfully solved the crime in a foreign city, but also met her lover. But was it a fortune?

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Oleksii VOLKOV (born 1965)

Ukrainian writer, by profession — a surgeon. The winner of literary contests “Golden Babai”, “Coronation of the Word”, diploma contestant of “Grand Coronation”. The most famous works: “Amnesty for the Hacker”, “Dead Flowers”.

Amnesty for Hacker novel

What is the most important thing for a person who unexpectedly faces the last frontier? To spend the rest of your days enjoying yourself? Revenge? To find a way to God? True love? The main character of this novel tries to find the answer for this question. The plot of this detective story is so complex that even the true gourmet of this genre cannot predict its ending.

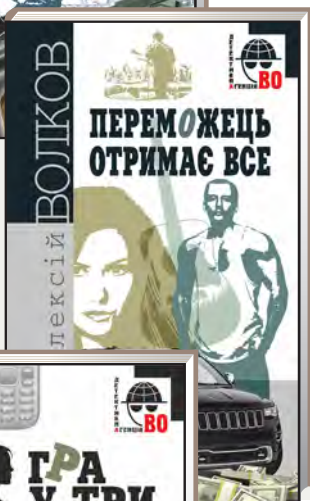
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The Winner Will Get Everything novel

Can love be a driving force? How to achieve reciprocity? Is it possible to turn from an average person into a pop star or a dangerous adventurer, in short, to become a winner for the sake of strong feelings? The author tries to find the answers to these questions... Reading this novel, you will be plunged into the amazing world of car racing, modern pop music, fierce duels and, of course, love. At the end of the story you will find out if the winners really get everything...

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Three-handed Play novel

The main character of this book is a woman who tries to unravel a tangle of circumstances that can be difficult even for a strong man. Will her strength fail at the most decisive moment?

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Journey to the Hopelessness novel

Andriy's work requires a constant balance between caution and risk. And the main character of the book does it skillfully. But when life gives you unplanned things, professional stereotypes often work. And then there is the dilemma — to rush for a ghostly love that is ready to disappear, or listen to your mind... The second variant is more reliable, but then there is another danger — you'll never get to a station "Happiness"...

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Do Not Ask the Shade for a Mercy novel

It is a thrilling fascinating intrigue, stunning adventures, a unique spirit of hunting atmosphere... For anyone who lives happily it is hard to imagine that tomorrow is going to be a misery — terrible, inevitable and incomprehensible... But a strong man, being in a state of shock, is able to consciously move on the edge of the abyss in order not only to survive but also to win. Desperately trying to survive, the main character of this novel slowly gets into the eternal struggle between good and evil, thus affecting the fate of other people — and not only alive ones...

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The Day of Departure novel

Serhii, a student of polytechnic, combines two extraordinary delights. They are sambo and a study of karst caves. It is thanks to them that the young man gets into trouble from which it seems impossible to get out intact. Moreover, when at such a moment the fate unexpectedly gives you woman, for whom you are ready to do everything, and in the underground kingdom, at the turn of the second millennia, happen things that ordinary people can't even imagine... Using his common style, the well-known Ukrainian detective writer Oleksii Volkov from the beginning till the end of the novel withstands the tension of the plot, and the solution is difficult to predict up to the last pages.

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328 p.





Oleksandr VILCHYNSKYI (born 1963)

Ukrainian novelist, journalist, scholar. Winner of the Ukrainian contest of novels and screenplays "Coronation of the Word 2002" and "Coronation of the Word 2003".



Trees on the Roofs novel

When life is at its bottom, you suddenly meets her... and everything changes. You can fall in love even at the age of 50. But the novel "Trees on the Roofs" is not only about the love of Jacob, a photographer and a rebel and a black Ukrainian girl, Angela, but also about the city, about its houses and trees, and also about the café "Penguin" where "intellectuals and artists" like to gather. It is also a book about the eternally difficult relationship between artist and alcohol, about cats and friendship...

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Viagra for Mayor novel

What can the election campaign turn into for a journalist of a small town? May be, it is a market, where you can sell your talent for a high price? Or the opportunity to finally tell the community who is who among those in power, and those who come to power... What will the main character of the novel Andriy Hrab choose?

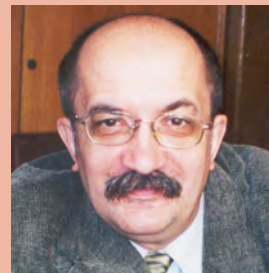
Oleksandr Vilchynskiy humorously and ironically destroys all possible stereotypes of the election campaign in a town that is very similar to one of the regional centres of Western Ukraine.

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Volodymyr LYS (born 1950)

Ukrainian journalist, playwright, writer. He made his literary debut as a playwright; five of his plays have been staged in various theatres in Ukraine and on Ukrainian radio. He has won many awards, including awards from Ukrainian contest of novels and screenplays “Coronation of the Word” (2000, 2001, 2003, 20008, 2010). Winner of Ahatanhel Krymskyi Literary and Art Prize (2007).



Woman for the Wall novel

This novel is a striking example of an interesting and dynamic detective story with an exciting plot. Criminal showdowns, the difficult world of private business, the war of “authorities”, the mysterious self-ignition of the house and the painful search for a voluntary victim — “a women for the wall” — will capture your attention with their realism and sharpness of intrigue.

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Oldeksandr LEVCHENKO (born 1960)

a science fiction writer, novelist, specialist in information technology. One of the founders of the Ukrainian Fiction Association, a member of the National Writers’ Union of Ukraine.

Killing Machine stories

The characters of this book are not superheroes at all. They are ordinary guys who find themselves in unusual or even extraordinary situations. The driver of one of the local political leaders must kill his boss... The scientist goes on an expedition to a mysterious island in the company of strangers, who mysteriously took the place of real researchers... Two soldiers find the scene of crash of a helicopter with a secret design aboard. Will they all manage to overcome the cruel circumstances and get out of trouble?

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Oleh KLYMENKO (born 1951)

candidate of Sciences. Graduated from Ivan Franko National University of Lviv, specializing in historical sciences. His novel "There, beyond the River Zbruch" was awarded B. Lepkyi literary prize.



There, beyond the River Zbruch Autumn Thunderstorm.

chronicle : in 2 books. Book 1

The novel is based on little-known, dramatic historical events that took place both on the territory of Ternopil region in Ukraine and beyond on the eve and after the beginning of World War II, which inevitably invaded the peaceful everyday lives of millions of people. With the help of irony and sarcasm the author metaphorically exposed the images of then worthy Poland marshal Rydz-Śmigły, President Mościcki and other perpetrators of the September disaster. Along with them we see a gallery of Polish officials of provincial level, who flew up the career ladder in order to rule, to rob their own people and to be enriched. On the pages of the novel in acute and extreme situations we see mostly heroes with real names, that gives the novel a documentary certainty.

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There, beyond the River Zbruch. The Split Mace

chronicle : in 2 books. Book 2

The second book gives us a broad panorama of dramatic events during and after the Soviet invasion of Western Ukraine.

The reader will not only meet the heroes of the first book, but will be able to follow their tragic lives.

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"Leveling" of the River Zbruch. Palpation chronicle: in 3 books. Book 1

The historical novel-chronicle "Palpation" is the first book of trilogy "Leveling" of the River Zbruch". It tells about the struggle of Polish and Soviet intelligence, that took place in Ternopil region before and at the beginning of World War II. The events related to the evacuation of the values of the Bank of Poland and the historical characters, including the dignitaries of Poland and the USSR, are represented metaphorically with irony and sarcasm.

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Yurii ILLENKO (1936-2010)

outstanding cinematographer, director, screenwriter.
Known as the operator of the film "Shadows of
Forgotten Ancestors" by Serhyi Paradzhanov. A unique
figure in the world culture, one of the co-creators of
modern Ukrainian cinema.



Yurko Illenko's reports to the Apostle Peter.

Self-portrait of the alter ego : novel-hoax

This edition — memoirs of prominent Ukrainian film director Yurii Illenko in three volumes, in which the author describes his own life. Memories of childhood, filming, creative contacts, difficult relationships with friends, foes, movie mates, women etc. Interesting autobiographical facts — duel and reconciliation with Serhyi Paradzhanov on the set of "Shadows of Forgotten Ancestors", desperate love to Larysa Kadochnykova, friendship with Ivan Mykolaichuk, Hennadii Shpalikov, Otari Ioseliani, Andrii Tarkovskiy, Bella Akhmadulina and many others, meetings with Oleksandr Dovzhenko, Serhii Bondarchuk, Pavlo Chukhrai, Marko Donskyi and others.

This edition is full of creative ideas, fragments of scripts, illustrated with storyboards for films and drawings made by Y. Illenko. The third book is completed by the script of the film "Mazepa". This three-volume edition also contains a block of photographs from Y. Illenko's archive and his paintings.

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Lana PERLULAINEN (born 1958)
writer, physicist, translator. Laureate of Vasyl Stus Prize and literary prizes of the Ukrainian magazines “Suchasnist” and “Berezil”. Author of 17 fiction books.

Engulfed by a Tangle novel in two parts

In Lyashki Murovany, in Lviv region, lives the daughter of magnate Jezhy Mnisch Marianna (1588–1614). She didn't know anything about neighboring Moscow. But fate brought to her a mysterious man who called himself Prince Dmytrii Uhlytskyi (? –27 May 1606) and dragged her into the maelstrom of events. Lyashki Murovany and then Sambir and Lviv became headquarters in preparation for the march to Moscow. Pseudo-Demetrius I was the king for 11 months only; after his execution people tried to destroy even the traces of his reforms. Russia could be very different now... Marianna Mnishkhovna (according to Russian sources Marina Mnyshchek) — the first Empress of Moscow, widow of Pseudo-Demetrius I and Pseudo-Demetrius II, the mistress of the Cossack chieftain Ivan Zarutskyi, mother of heir to the throne was tortured at the age of 26.

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