

A Feminist Theory of Refusal

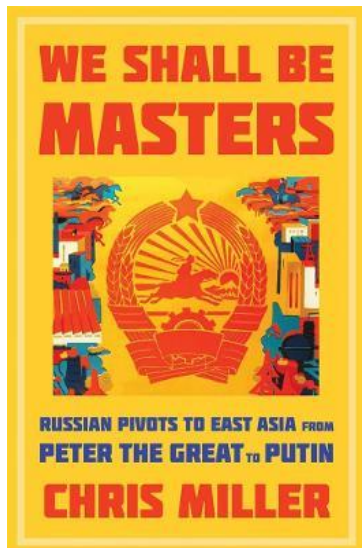
by Bonnie Honig

Harvard University Press (Wiley)

9780674248496 | £23.95 | HB | 208 pp. | 14 photos

May 2021

Bonnie Honig invigorates debate over the politics of refusal by insisting that withdrawal from unjust political systems be matched with collective action to change them. Historical and fictional characters from Muhammad Ali to the Bacchantes of ancient Greek tragedy teach us how to turn rejection into transformative efforts toward self-governance.



We Shall Be Masters

by Chris Miller

Harvard University Press (Wiley)

9780674916449 | £23.95 | HB | 384 pp. | 7 Maps

June 2021

Generations of Russians have pursued wealth and power in the East, colonizing Pacific regions and spreading political influence into Asia. Why have these efforts largely failed? Chris Miller argues that Russian citizens and leaders, concentrated in the European borderlands, have always struggled to maintain faith and interest in eastward expansion.



Beautyscapes

by Ruth Holliday

Manchester University Press (IPS)

9781526155818 | £20 | PB | 232 pp. | 41 colour ill.

April 2021

Beautyscapes is the first book to focus specifically on cosmetic surgery tourism. It draws on key themes of interest to students and researchers interested in globalisation and mobility, such as gender and class, neoliberalism, social media, conviviality and care, to explain the nature and growing popularity of international medical travel.





The Wolves are Coming Back

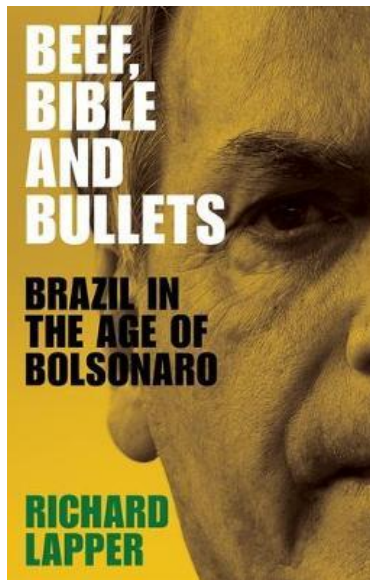
by Rebecca Pates

Manchester University Press (IPS)

9781526147011 | £20 | HB | 232 pp. | 13 BW ill.

May 2021

The Wolves Are Coming Back moves beyond stereotypic representations of East Germany, and shines light on the complexities of post-socialist life and losses. It seeks to explain the extraordinary success of new far right parties in a vivid ethnographic recounting of the local politics of fear, hope and national identity.



Beef, Bible and Bullets

by Richard Lapper

Manchester University Press (IPS)

9781526149015 | £20 | HB | 304 pp.

June 2021

Beef, bible and Bullets looks at the social, political and economic trends that brought a maverick right-wing populist to office in Latin America's largest economy.



Critical Theory and Sociological Theory

by Darrow Schechter

Manchester University Press (IPS)

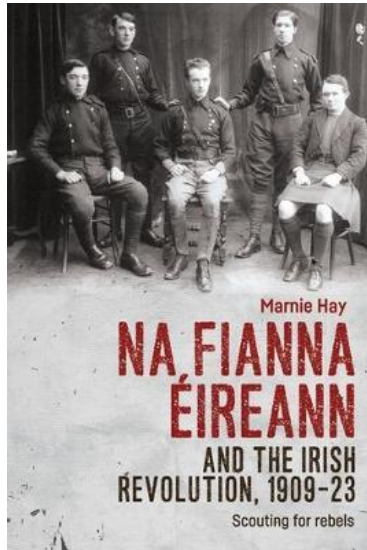
9781526105851 | £20 | PB | 224 pp.

June 2021

Series: [*Critical Theory and Contemporary Society*](#)

Rearticulating critical theory with a contemporary focus, this book investigates how the conditions of democratic statehood have changed at key historical intervals since 1945. It argues that a sociological approach is needed to address conceptual deficits and explain how the mechanisms of democratic statehood can be updated today.





Na Fianna Éireann and the Irish Revolution, 1909-23

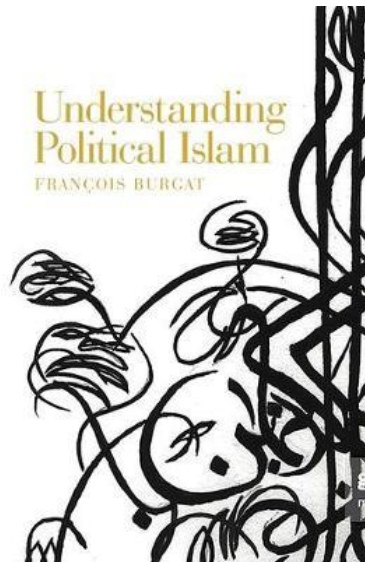
by Marnie Hay

Manchester University Press (IPS)

9781526156129 | £20 | PB | 288 pp. | 8 BW ill.

June 2021

This book examines the early history of the Irish nationalist youth organisation Na Fianna Eireann and its notable contribution to the Irish Revolution in the period 1909-23.



Understanding Political Islam

by Francois Burgat

Manchester University Press (IPS)

9781526143457 | £20 | PB | 264 pp.

June 2021

Looks at how the rise of political Islam has been expressed: first in the Arab world, then in its interactions with French and Western societies, and finally in its interactions with other European and Western societies.



Connected Capitalism

by David Weitzner

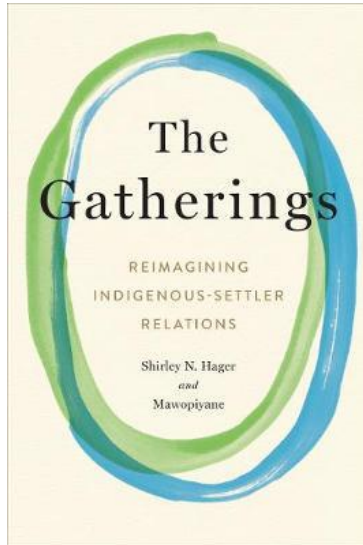
University of Toronto Press (IPS)

9781487508425 | £19.99 | HB | 264 pp.

April 2021

Applying the classic teachings of Judaism, *Connected Capitalism* is an empowering call to fix what is currently broken in our social, political, and economic spaces.





The Gatherings

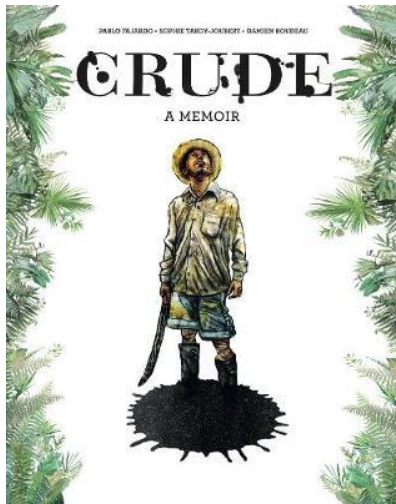
by Shirley Hager

University of Toronto Press (IPS)

9781487508951 | £19.99 | HB | 304 pp. | 23 ill.

April 2021

In a world that more than ever needs all of our knowledge and wisdom to address the developing crises around us, *The Gatherings* shows how Indigenous and non-Indigenous peoples can come together to create mutually beneficial relationships.



Crude: A Memoir

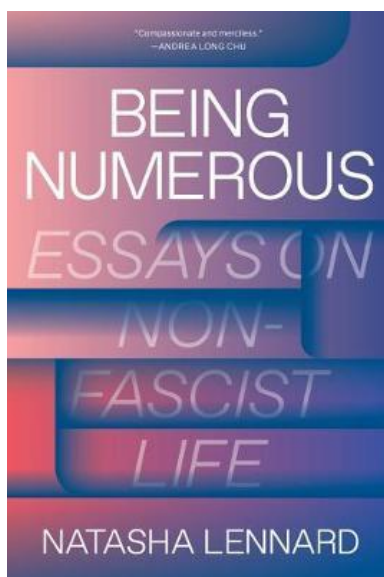
by Hannah Chute

Graphic Mundi (IPS)

9780271088068 | £15.95 | HB | 136 pp. | Coloured

April 2021

A graphic novel exploring Texaco's involvement in the Amazon, as well as the ensuing legal battles between the oil company, the Ecuadorian government, and the region's inhabitants, from the perspective of Ecuadorian lawyer and activist Pablo Fajardo.



Being Numerous

by Natasha Lennard

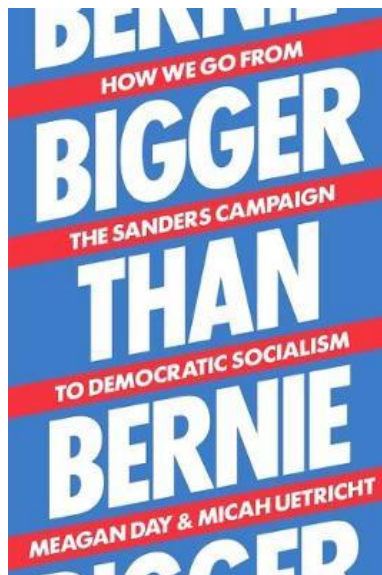
Verso Books (Marston)

9781788734608 | £9.99 | PB | 176 pp.

April 2021

An urgent challenge to the prevailing moral order from one of the freshest, most compelling voices in radical politics today.





Bigger Than Bernie

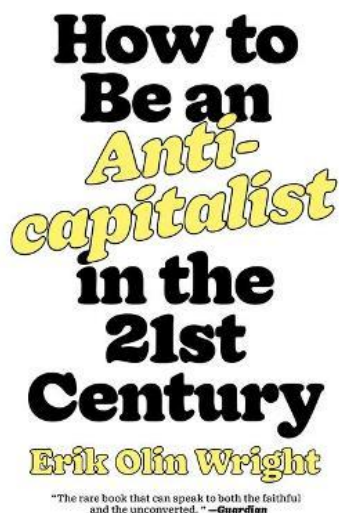
by Megan Day and Micah Uetricht

Verso Books (Marston)

9781788738392 | £12.99 | PB | 304 pp.

April 2021

After inauguration day in 2021, what's next for Democratic Socialism in America and Bernie Sander's political revolution?



How to Be an Anticapitalist in the Twenty-First Century

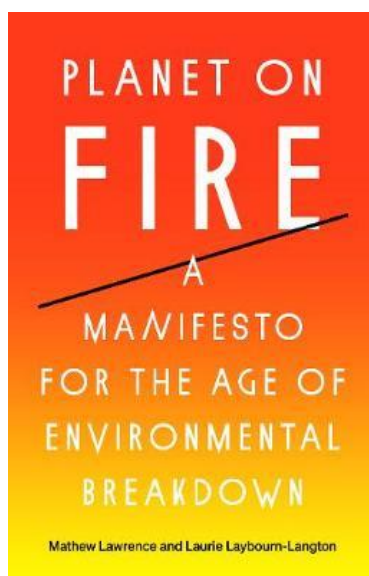
by Erik Olin Wright

Verso Books (Marston)

9781788739559 | £8.99 | PB | 176 pp.

April 2021

Capitalism has transformed the world and increased our productivity, but at the cost of enormous human suffering. Our shared values – equality and fairness, democracy and freedom, community and solidarity – can both provide the basis for a critique of capitalism and help to guide us towards a socialist and democratic society.



Planet on Fire

by M. Lawrence and L. Laybourn-Langton

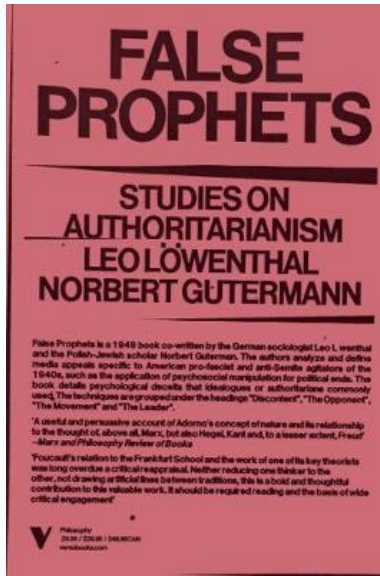
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9781788738774 | £12.99 | HB | 288 pp.

April 2021

Planet on Fire is an urgent manifesto for a fundamental reimagining of the global economy. It offers a clear and practical road map for a future that is democratic and sustainable by design. Laurie Laybourn-Langton and Mathew Lawrence argue that it is not enough merely to spend our way out of the crisis; we must also rapidly reshape the economy to create a new way of life that can foster a healthy and flourishing environment for all.





Prophets of Deceit

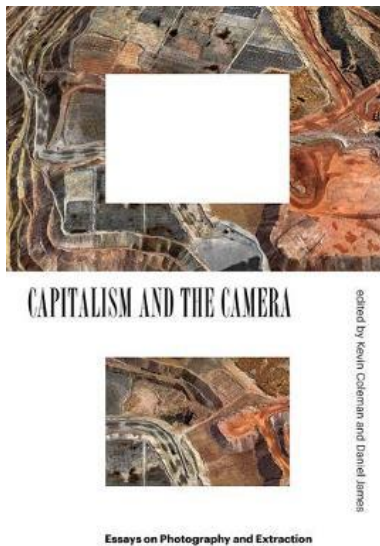
by Leo Löwenthal and Norbert Gutermann

Verso Books (Marston)

9781788736961 | £16.99 | PB | 224 pp.

April 2021

A classic book that analyzes and defines media appeals specific to American pro-fascist and anti-Semitic agitators of the 1940s, such as the application of psychosocial manipulation for political ends. The book details psychological deceptions that ideologues or authoritarians commonly used.



Capitalism and the Camera

Ed. by Kevin Coleman and Daniel James

Verso Books (Marston)

9781839760808 | £19.99 | PB | 320 pp. | + 16pp colour

May 2021

A provocative exploration of photography's relationship to capitalism, from leading theorists of visual culture.



Disobey!

by Frederic Gros

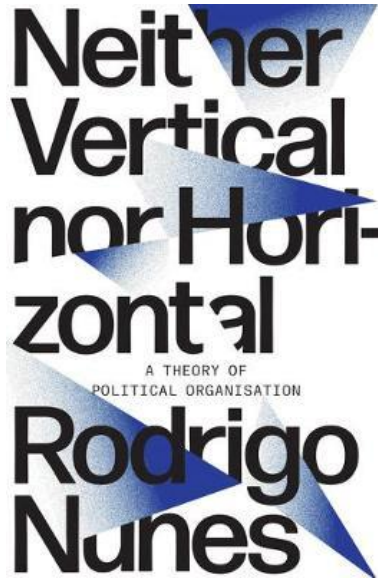
Verso Books (Marston)

9781788736329 | £9.99 | PB | 224 pp.

May 2021

Following his best-selling *A Philosophy of Walking*, Gros explores the philosophy of disobedience.





Neither Vertical nor Horizontal

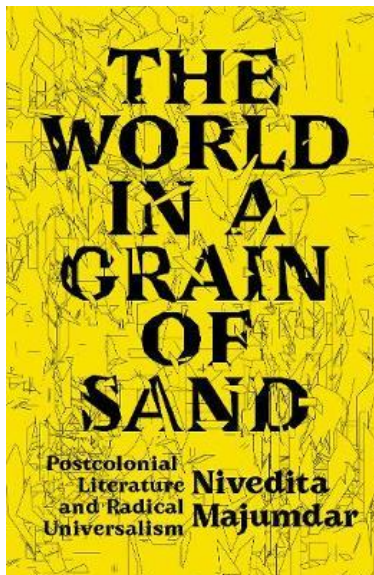
by Rodrigo Nunes

Verso Books (Marston)

9781788733830 | £19.99 | PB | 320 pp.

May 2021

How do we organize in a world after both Occupy and the Sanders campaign? For something so often described as essential, political organisation remains a surprisingly under-theorised field. Nunes redefines the terms of organisational theory and argues that organisation must be understood as always supposing a diverse ecology of different initiatives and organisational forms.



The World in a Grain of Sand

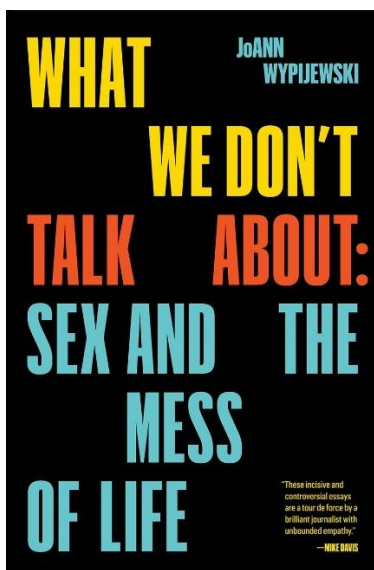
by Nivedita Majumdar

Verso Books (Marston)

9781788737463 | £19.99 | PB | 288 pp.

May 2021

The World in a Grain of Sand makes an argument for literature from the Global South against the grain of cultural studies, especially postcolonial theory. It critiques the valorisation of the local in cultural theories, typically accompanied by a rejection of universal categories since the latter are viewed as Eurocentric projections.



What We Don't Talk About

by JoAnn Wypijewski

Verso Books (Marston)

9781788738507 | £10.99 | PB | 320 pp.

May 2021

In this extraordinary book, and in defiance of the long-standing media obsessions that turn every sexual topic into a morality tale of monsters and victims, shame and virtue, journalist JoAnn Wypijewski does exactly that.





White Skin, Black Fuel

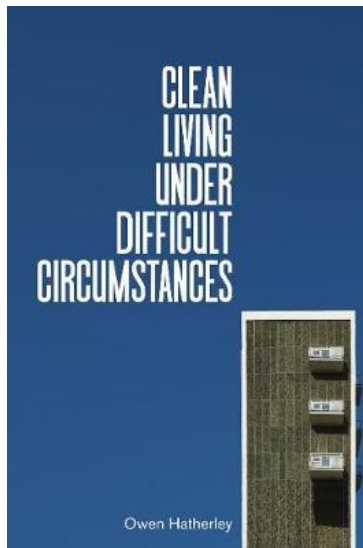
by Andreas Malm and the Zetkin Collective

Verso Books (Marston)

9781839761744 | £20 | PB | 576 pp.

May 2021

White Skin, Black Fuel presents an eye-opening sweep of a novel political constellation, revealing its deep historical roots. Fossil-fuelled technologies were born steeped in racism. No one loved them more passionately than the classical fascists. Now right-wing forces have risen to the surface, some professing to have the solution—closing borders to save the nation as the climate breaks down.



Clean Living Under Difficult Circumstances

by Owen Hatherley

Verso Books (Marston)

9781839762215 | £18.99 | HB | 336 pp.

June 2021

From the grandiose histories of grand state building projects to the minutiae of street signs and corner pubs, from the rebuilding of capital cities to the provision of the humble public toilet, *Clean Living under Difficult Circumstances* argues for the city as a socialist project.



Culture Strike

by Laura Raicovich

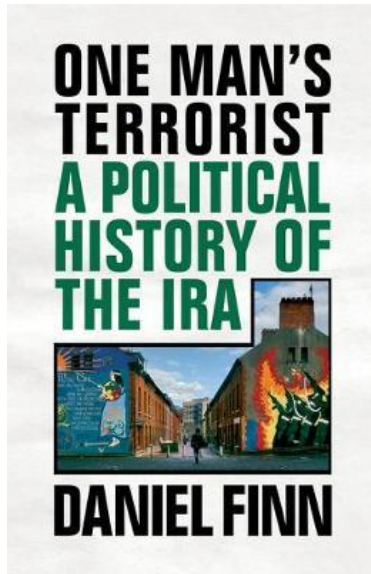
Verso Books (Marston)

9781839760501 | £14.99 | HB | 224 pp.

June 2021

In this book, Raicovich shows how art museums arose as colonial institutions bearing an ideology of neutrality that masks their role in upholding capitalist values. And she suggests how museums can be reinvented to serve better, public ends.





One Man's Terrorist

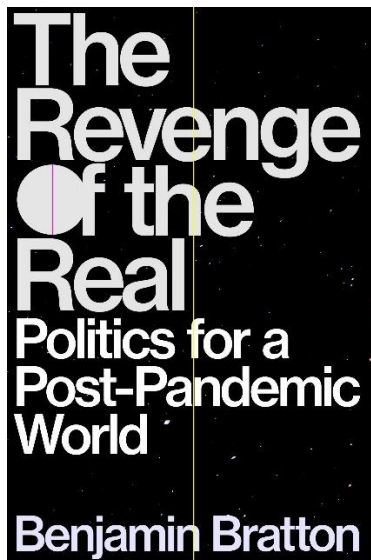
by Daniel Finn

Verso Books (Marston)

9781786636898 | £9.99 | PB | 272 pp.

June 2021

The conflict in Northern Ireland was one of the most devastating in post-war Europe, claiming the lives of 3,500 people and injuring many more. This book is a riveting new history of the radical politics that drove a unique insurgency that emerged from the crucible of 1968.



The Revenge of the Real

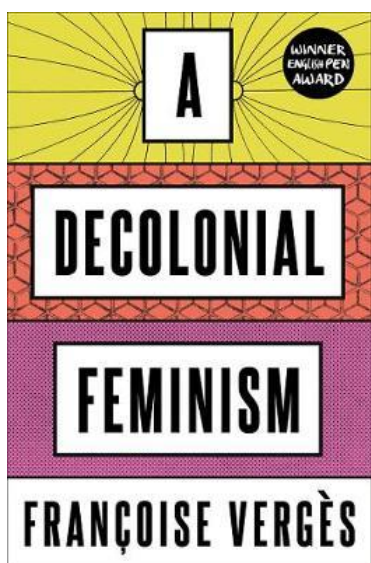
by Benjamin Bratton

Verso Books (Marston)

9781839762567 | £10.99 | HB | 176 pp.

June 2021

The Revenge of the Real envisions a new positive biopolitics that recognizes that governance is literally a matter of life and death. We are grappling with multiple interconnected dilemmas – climate change, pandemics, the tensions between the individual and society – all of which have to be addressed on a planetary scale. Even when separated, we are still enmeshed.



A Decolonial Feminism

by Françoise Vergès

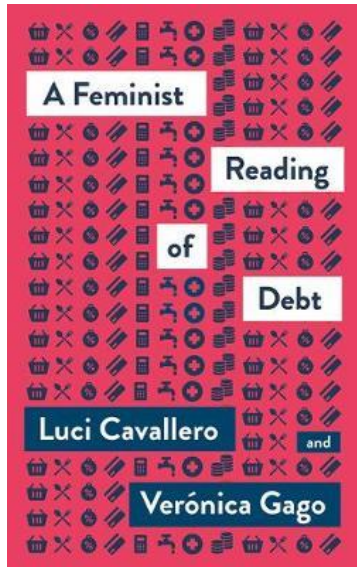
Pluto Press (Marston)

9780745341125 | £12.99 | PB | 128 pp.

April 2021

A Decolonial Feminism grapples with the central issues in feminist debates today: from Eurocentrism and whiteness, to power, inclusion and exclusion. Delving into feminist and anti-racist histories, Vergès also assesses contemporary activism, movements and struggles, including #MeToo and the Women's Strike.





A Feminist Reading of Debt

by Luci Cavallero and Veronica Gago

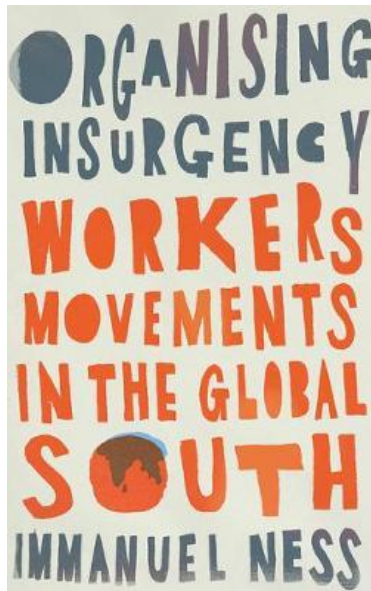
Pluto Press (Marston)

9780745341729 | £16.99 | PB | 112 pp.

April 2021

Series: [*Mapping Social Reproduction Theory*](#)

In this sharp intervention, authors Luci Cavallero and Veronica Gago defiantly develop a feminist understanding of debt, showing its impact on women and members of the LGBTQ+ community and examining the relationship between debt and social reproduction.



Organizing Insurgency

by Immanuel Ness

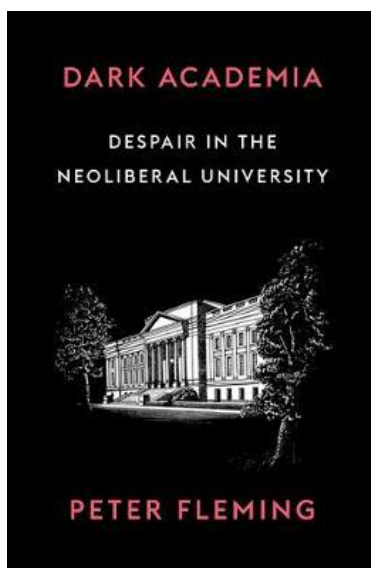
Pluto Press (Marston)

9780745343594 | £18.99 | PB | 240 pp. | 7 Tables, black and white; 4 Graphs

April 2021

Series: [*Wildcat*](#)

Looking at contemporary case studies in India, the Philippines and South Africa, this book affirms the significance of political and economic representation to the struggles of workers against deepening levels of poverty and inequality that oppress the majority of people on the planet.



Dark Academia

by Peter Fleming

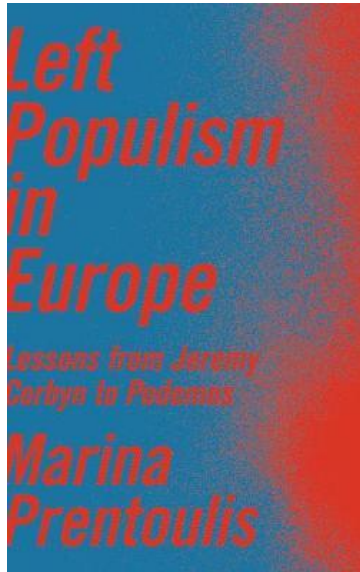
Pluto Press (Marston)

9780745341064 | £14.99 | PB | 224 pp.

May 2021

Peter Fleming delves into this new metrics-obsessed, overly hierarchical world to bring out the hidden underbelly of the neoliberal university. He examines commercialisation, mental illness and self-harm, the rise of managerialism, students as consumers and evaluators, and the competitive individualism which casts a dark sheen of alienation over departments.





Left Populism in Europe

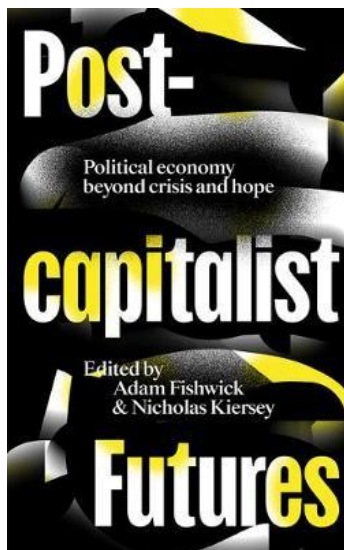
by Marina Prentoulis

Pluto Press (Marston)

9780745337630 | £16.99 | PB | 192 pp.

May 2021

Bringing a wealth of experience in political organising, Marina Prentoulis argues that left populism is a political logic that brings together isolated demands against a common enemy. She looks at how egalitarian pluralism could transform economic and political institutions in a radical, democratic direction.



Postcapitalist Futures

Ed. by Adam Fishwick and Nicholas Kiersey

Pluto Press (Marston)

9780745340838 | £19.99 | PB | 272 pp.

May 2021

This book critically engages with the proliferation of literature on postcapitalism, which is rapidly becoming an urgent area of inquiry, both in academic scholarship and in public life. It collects the insights from scholars working across the field of Critical International Political Economy to interrogate how we might begin to envisage a political economy of postcapitalism.



Transgender Marxism

Ed. by Jules Joanne Gleeson and Elle O'Rourke

Pluto Press (Marston)

9780745341668 | £16.99 | PB | 320 pp. |

May 2021

Exploring trans lives and movements, the authors delve into the experience of surviving as transgender considering the totality of gendered experience under capitalism.





A People's Green New Deal

by Max Ajl

Pluto Press (Marston)

9780745341750 | £14.99 | PB | 224 pp.

May 2021

An urgent demand for a People's Green New Deal, foregrounding global agricultural transformation and climate justice for the Global South.



Lost in Work: Escaping Capitalism

by Amelia Horgan

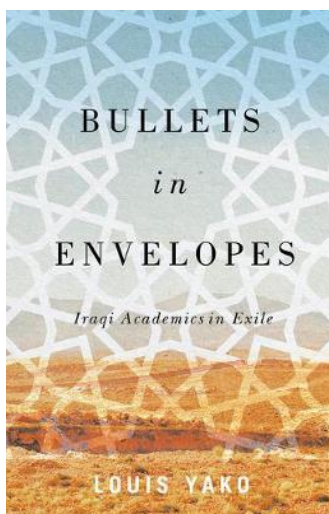
Pluto Press (Marston)

9780745340913 | £9.99 | PB | 176 pp.

June 2021

Series: [*Outspoken by Pluto*](#)

Amelia Horgan poses three big questions: what is work? How does it harm us? And what can we do about it? *Lost in Work* shows that when we are able to take control of our workplaces, we become less miserable, and can work towards the transformative goal of experimenting with 'work' as we know it.



Bullets in Envelopes: Iraqi Academics in Exile

by Louis Yako

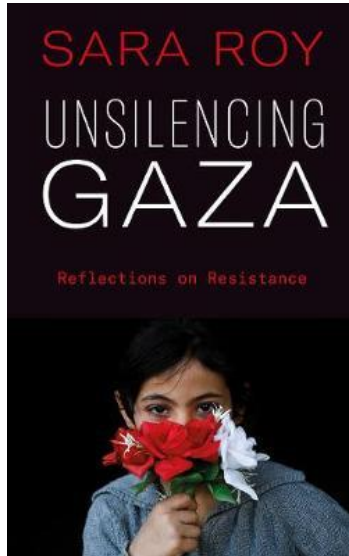
Pluto Press (Marston)

9780745341989 | £19.99 | PB | 256 pp.

June 2021

Tracing the academic, political, and social lives of more than 60 academics, *Bullets in Envelopes* offers a 'genealogy of loss', and a ground-breaking appraisal of the dismantling and restructuring of Iraqi institutions, culture and society.





Unsiloencing Gaza

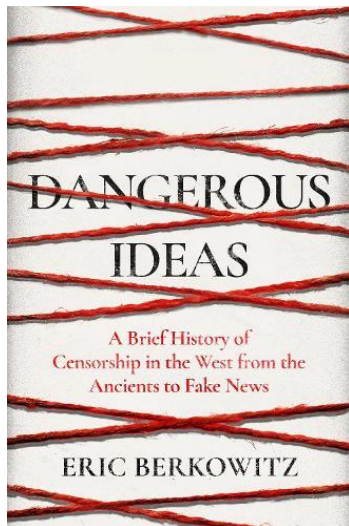
by Sara Roy

Pluto Press (Marston)

9780745341378 | £19.99 | PB | 320 pp.

June 2021

Gaza is the linchpin of the Israeli-Palestinian conflict and the key to its resolution. Since 2005, Israel has deepened the isolation of Gaza, severing it almost completely from its most vital connections to the West Bank, Israel and beyond, and has deliberately shattered its economy. Sara Roy unpacks this process, looking at US foreign policy towards the Palestinians, as well as analysing the trajectory of Israeli policy toward Gaza.



Dangerous Ideas

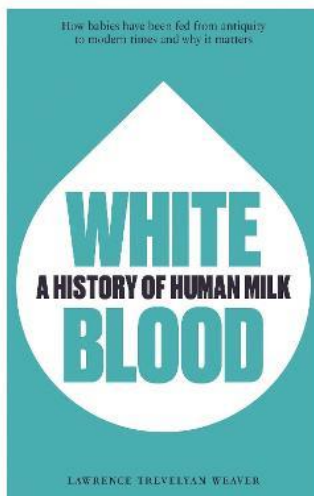
by Eric Berkowitz

The Westbourne Press (Marston)

9781908906427 | £20 | HB | 352 pp.

June 2021

A fascinating examination on how restricting speech has continuously shaped our culture, and how - regardless of political leanings - every individual can act as both the suppressors and the suppressed.



White Blood: A History of Human Milk

by Lawrence Trevelyan Weaver

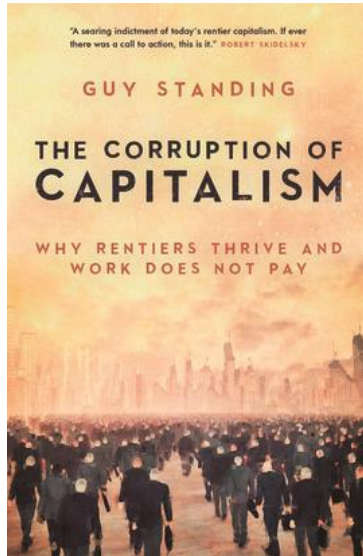
Unicorn Publishing Group (Marston)

9781913491260 | £15 | PB | 280 pp. | 80 ill.

April 2021

White Blood is a history of human milk and tells the story of how babies have been fed from antiquity to modern times and why it matters.





The Corruption of Capitalism

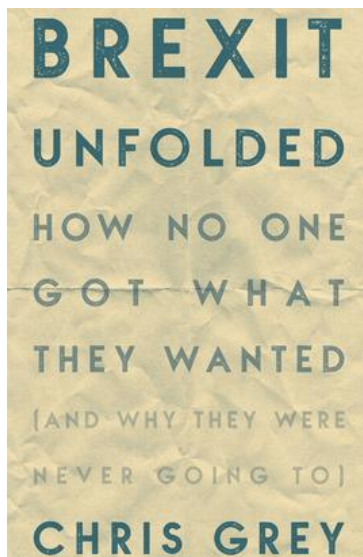
by Guy Standing

Biteback Publishing (Marston)

9781785906817 | £9.99 | PB | 416 pp.

May 2021

In this third edition of his best-selling polemic celebrated labour economist Guy Standing brings his tale of corruption up to date to encompass debates around the pandemic slump and Brexit.



Brexit Unfolded

by Christopher Grey

Biteback Publishing (Marston)

9781785906923 | £14.99 | PB | 320 pp.

June 2021

The definitive guide to the twists and turns of Brexit from start to finish by one of its most consistent observers.



Canceling Comedians While the World Burns

by Ben Burgis

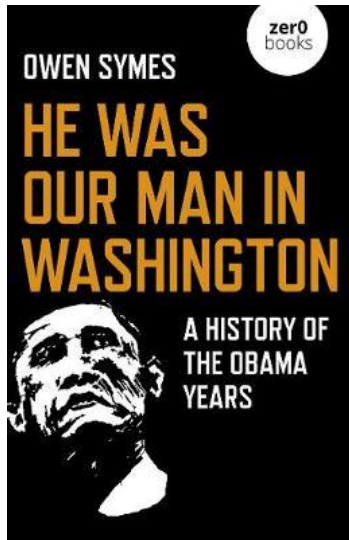
John Hunt Publishing (Wiley)

9781789045475 | £10.99 | PB | 136 pp.

April 2021

We have gotten far too used to thinking of leftism as a performative exercise in expressing our political commitments rather than a serious effort to achieve left-wing goals in the real world. We need a smarter, funnier, and more strategic left.





He Was Our Man in Washington

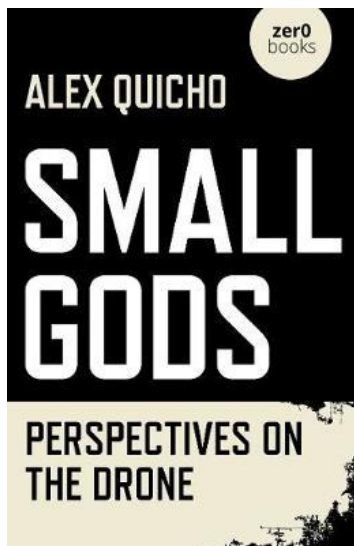
by Owen Symes

John Hunt Publishing (Wiley)

9781789043310 | £19.99 | PB | 400 pp.

April 2021

A fair-minded but highly critical interpretation of president Obama and his brand of "hope and change," grounded in a reality that goes beyond the headlines.



Small Gods

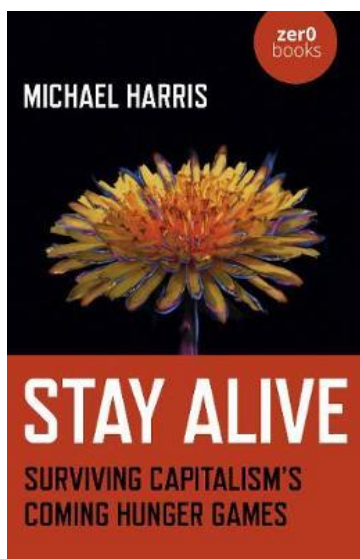
by Alex Quicho

John Hunt Publishing (Wiley)

9781789040043 | £10.99 | PB | 152 pp.

April 2021

A lucid, unexpected look at how the drone imports its bloodied legacy into contemporary art and everyday life.



Stay Alive

by Michael Harris

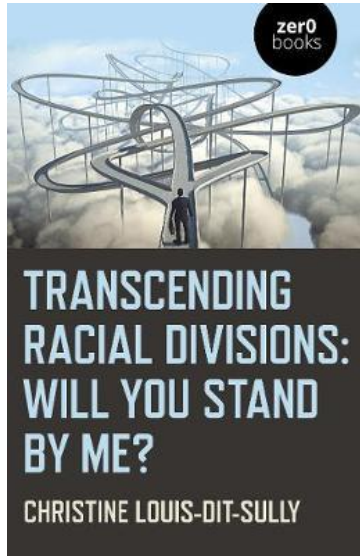
John Hunt Publishing (Wiley)

9781789046113 | £14.99 | PB | 216 pp.

April 2021

Stay Alive reveals the hidden revolution at the heart of The Hunger Games and what it means for our age of defiant youth-led revolt.





Transcending Racial Divisions

by Christine Louis-dit-sully

John Hunt Publishing (Wiley)

9781789041316 | £14.99 | PB | 216 pp.

June 2021

Christine Louis-Dit-Sully examines the origins of racial thinking and the relationship between race and culture, asking us to recognise that racial thinking is not the only way of understanding ourselves and the world around us.

