

# April Indie Playlist

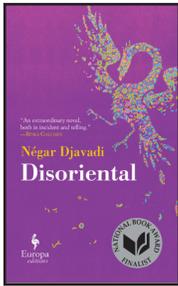
Special promotions from Indie Publishers. Plus a \$500 display contest prize!



## Prize-Winning

see also this month's "Quick Reads" promo!

### Disoriental



NÉGAR DJAVADI, translated by TINA KOVER

Shortlisted for the 2018 National Book Award for Translation

Longlisted for the 2019 Pen Translation Prize

WINNER of the Le Prix du Roman News, Style Prize, *Lire* Best Debut Novel 2016 & la Porte Dorée Prize

In this high-spirited, kaleidoscopic story, key moments of Iranian history, politics, and culture punctuate stories of family drama and triumph. Yet it is Kimiâ herself—punk-rock aficionado, storyteller extraordinaire, a Scheherazade of our time, and above all a modern woman divided between family traditions and her own “disorientalization”—who forms the heart of this bestselling and beloved novel.

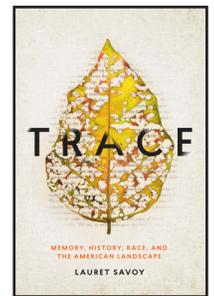
Europa Editions | 9781609454517 | \$18.00 | Contact your PGW/Ingram representative

### Trace: Memory, History, Race, and the American Landscape

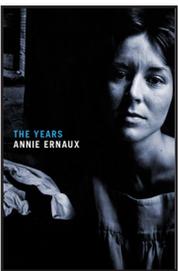
LAURET SAVOY

In *Trace*, Savoy explores how the country's still unfolding history, and ideas of “race,” have marked her and the land. From twisted terrain within the San Andreas Fault zone to a South Carolina plantation, from national parks to burial grounds, from “Indian Territory” and the U.S.-Mexico Border to the U.S. capital, *Trace* grapples with a searing national history to reveal the often unvoiced presence of the past. Winner of the ASLE Creative Writing Award and recipient of the 2016 American Book Award from The Before Columbus Foundation.

Catapult | 9781619028258 | \$16.95 | Contact your PGW/Ingram representative



### The Years



ANNIE ERNAUX, translated by ALISON L. STRAYER

Co-winner of the 2018 French-American Foundation Translation Prize in Nonfiction

Winner of the 2017 Marguerite Yourcenar Prize for her entire body of work

Winner of the 2016 Strega European Prize

A personal narrative of the period 1941 to 2006 told through the lens of memory, impressions, photos, books, songs, and headlines. “An earnest, fearless book, a *Remembrance of Things Past* for our age of media domination.”—Edmund White, *New York Times Book Review*

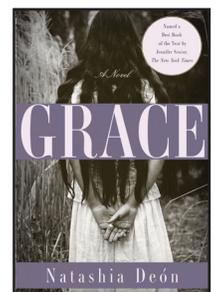
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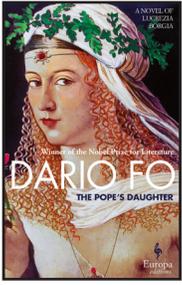
### Grace

A novel by NATASHIA DEON

For a slave in the 1840s South, life on the run can be just as dangerous as life under a sadistic Massa. That's what fifteen-year-old Naomi learns after she escapes the brutal confines of life on an Alabama plantation and takes refuge in a Georgia brothel run by a gun-toting Jewish madam named Cynthia. Named a *New York Times* Best Book of the Year, and winner of the Black Caucus of the American Library Association's First Novel award, *Grace* is a sweeping, intergenerational saga.

Catapult | 9781619029439 | \$16.95 | Contact your PGW/Ingram representative





## The Pope's Daughter

DARIO FO, translated by ANTONY SHUGAAR  
Winner of the Nobel Prize for Literature

In this richly imagined novel, Nobel laureate Dario Fo reveals Lucrezia Borgia's humanity, her passion for life, her compassion for others, and her skill at navigating around her family's evildoings.

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## The Castle Cross the Magnet Carter

A novel by KIA CORTHRON

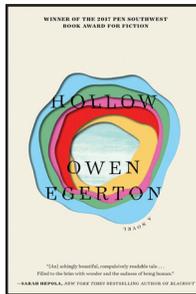
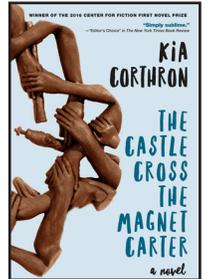
Winner of the Center for Fiction's 2016 First Novel Prize

Sharing a cultural and literary heritage with the work of Toni Morrison, Alex Haley, and Edward P. Jones, Corthton's debut *The Castle Cross the Magnet Carter* is a monumental epic deftly bridging the political and the poetic.

"A stunning novel . . . moving with force and subtlety through the charged realities of race, gender and region."—Margo Jefferson, *Negroland*

"By turns, tender, brutal and redemptive."—Viet Thanh Nguyen, Pulitzer Prize-winning author of *The Sympathizer* in a Q&A in the *New York Times Book Review*

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## Hollow

A novel by OWEN EGERTON

When Oliver Bonds, a revered religious studies professor at the University of Texas, loses his toddler son and undergoes intense legal scrutiny over his involvement, grief engulfs him completely. With unforgettable characters, wild imagery, and dark humor, *Hollow* explores the depths of doubt and hope, stretching past grief and into the space where we truly begin to heal. Winner of the 2017 PEN Southwest Book Award for Fiction and an NPR Best Book of 2017.

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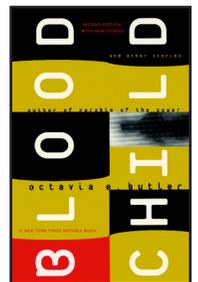
## Bloodchild and Other Stories

OCTAVIA E. BUTLER

A perfect introduction for new readers and a must-have for avid fans, this *New York Times* Notable Book includes Hugo and Nebula award-winning stories by one of our most lauded African American writers of science fiction.

"One of the finest voices in fiction—period."—*Washington Post Book World*

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## The Distant Marvels

CHANTEL ACEVEDO

Finalist for the 2016 Andrew Carnegie Medal for Excellence in Fiction

Maria Sirena tells stories. She does it for money—she was a favorite in the cigar factory where she worked as a lettora—and for love, spinning gossamer tales out of her own past for the benefit of friends, neighbors, and family. But now, as Hurricane Flora is bearing down on the island of Cuba, she will be asked to tell one last story so that eight women can keep both hope and themselves alive.

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Promotion runs from March 28th through April 29th. The publishers are offering a **\$500 prize** (\$250 to the individual bookseller and \$250 to the bookstore) for the best display using the books from one of our April Indie Playlist promotions, "Quick Reads" or "Prize-Winning". The display contest is open to all bookstores nationally and must include some of the featured titles, but may include other books as well. Submit a photograph of the display to NAIBAeileen@gmail.com by May 6th, 2019. A panel of judges from NAIBA & 7 Stories Press will select from the submissions, and will award the prize based on inventiveness and selling effectiveness.