International Right Sales Booming at Mosaic!


As you will see, our representation of Chinese books has expanded dramatically and we also now represent excellent books from India into the international market place.

Recent sales include the sale of Straight Talk About Children and Sports to Greece, the sale of Bedri Baykam’s most significant novel, originally published in Turkey and then banned in Turkey to the Italian publisher Barbera Editore, the sale of Leon Whiteson’s erotic novel In the Garden of Desire to Newton & Compton for Italian publication and to Grupo Tomo for Spanish-American publication, the sale of the US rights to Glenn Kay’s Disaster Movies and UK rights for the same book, the sale of On the Trail of a Lion: Ahmed Shah Massoud – Oil Politics and Terror to the Spanish American and Indian/Pakistani markets.

Mosaic Press will be at the Frankfurt Book Fair at our booth 8.0 L964 and will be attending the Guadalajara Book Fair at the end of November in Mexico.

A major part of what Mosaic now does is publish books for the Canadian market with a view to selling them into the international marketplace, Clearly, we are being very successful.

An international success – already!


“This rare and honest portrait is rooted in the two weeks Rowan spent camped among Massoud’s men in the Panjshir valley stronghold where they fought the Taliban after helping to bring the invading Russian army’s defeat. Rowan’s brief face time with the alternatively icy, graceful and passionate Massoud offers some perspective on how Massoud became a product and an instigator of the political turmoil that has defined Afghanistan for more than 20 years...B & W photos not seen by PW.”

Barnes & Noble in the US is selling this book very well. Foreign Rights already sold to Spanish-America and India/Pakistan.

by A.R. Rowan
ISBN 0-88962-833-5 PB
$20 Can / $15 US
Bravo Glenn Kay!!! One smash hit and another on the way! First Disaster Movies then comes Zombie Movies!!!

Rave reviews are already coming in for Glenn Kay’s book Disaster Movies!

Entertainment Today, LA, states: “The book is fun and entertaining...a great addition to the coffee table.”

Publishers Weekly says: “This smart and punchy guide...is a must have for the genre’s devoted fan...Movie buffs should get a kick out of this.”

Library Journal: “With enthusiasm, extensive knowledge, and a keen sense of fun Kay and Rose chronicle our love affair with disasters on the big screen. Recommended for large public libraries and highly recommended for libraries on film and popular culture.”

Sci-Fi – The Official Magazine of the Sci-Fi Channel: “Rating: A...they produce a fine read, if not one appropriate for airplanes.”

Rights sold to the US, where the edition has just been published and the UK edition will be released simultaneously with the Canadian edition in October 2006.


It’s rare to have an Icon of German culture write a Foreword to a Canadian book, but internationally renowned Alfred Grosser has done so for Eric Koch’s memoir on growing up in Frankfurt German between the wars, I Remember the Location Exactly (ISBN 0-88962-861-0). Klaus Bohr, the former German cultural attaché at the German embassy in Ottawa stated: “Few books have made such a deep impression in our lives than your autobiography. We know of no other report of those years which brings to life the conditions in Frankfurt and beyond with such intensity and chronological mastery.”
Off to a terrific start. The return of the remarkable Mosaic Press Science Fiction series!!

North of Infinity II
Edited by Mark Leslie

From cutting edge technology to bizarre disturbing adventures, from planet altering consequences to speculative erotics…
A star-studied collection of great authors contributing their very best stories to this second anthology in the series. Includes stories by internationally renowned
Robert J. Sawyer, Hugo, Nebula and Aurora Award winner, author of 16 novels,
Nancy Kilpatrick, whose works are now translated into five languages,
Douglas Smith,
Andrew Weiner, Bram Stoker finalist and Arthur Ellis Award winner and more!


Watch for the next Nancy Kilpatrick novel, the third in the Power of the Blood Series!
Nancy is already an international Star with French, German, Italian, Spanish and shortly Russian editions of her works published.

Reborn
by Nancy Kilpatrick

“reborn is the best novel of Kilpatrick’s I’ve read to date, with very nice detail, enticing settings and wrenching characterization. It’s clever and original in its treatment of vampires and their problems, running the gamut from psychological to cellular.” – gothic.net

Coming Soon:
BLOODLOVER
The thrilling conclusion to the Power of Blood series.
0-88962-851-3 • PB
$20 Can / $15 US

Also by Nancy Kilpatrick:

CHILD OF THE NIGHT, 2nd printing:
The first in the Power of the Blood series
0-88962-820-3 • PB
$21 Can / $15 US

THE VAMPIRE STORIES OF NANCY KILPATRICK
Big stuff in Mexico, 10,000 copies sold!!
0-88962-726-6 • PB
$20 Can / $15 US

Silver
by Pablo Urbanyi

Now reviewed positively in Publishers Weekly, the Library Journal, and more! Silver, the satirical novel by Pablo Urbanyi. French, Hungarian and Slovak editions sold.

In Praise of Joy: White washing fences with Jim Haynes

The Paris Voice gave good coverage to In Praise of Joy: White Washing Fences with Jim Haynes – A Celebration (ISBN 0-88962), the book that provides a wonderful introduction to the life and times of this most intriguing person.

“Culture has always been central to Hayne’s life since leaving the United States in the 1950s, he has, among other things, started the Traverse Theatre, participated in creating the Edinburgh Fringe Festival, launched several magazines and been awarded the Whitebread Prize.”

Jim Haynes has also attended 50 Edinburgh Festivals and 40 Frankfurt Book Fairs and has an international following. Every Sunday, in Paris, he hosts an open house where writers, painters, musicians, anybody can come to dinner and meet other people from around the world. Visit http://www.jim-haynes.com/

Reno
by Marty Gervais

“It is a fictional account of the life of Reno Bertopia, like Gervais a Windsor, Ont. boy, who rose to some small success with the Detroit Tigers. It’s a delightfully compressed offering, matching developing character with a vivid portrait of Canada slowly emerging from its colourless postwar torpor.”

One of Canada’s most popular post-colonial writers!

Danforth praises Cyril Dabydeen!

Play A Song Somebody by Cyril Dabydeen gets a huge praise from the Danforth Review. “This anthology by one of Canada’s most popular post-colonial writers……contains some of Dabydeen’s best stories and is an excellent introduction to the breadth and depth of his fiction.”

Seymour Mayne wins high praise!

Seymour Mayne continues to startle reviewers and win high praise for his poetry. His latest books are Richocet and September Rain “Reading these poems exercises the eye, and the desire to read horizontally instead of vertically has the effect of drawing the reader into an altered consciousness.”
New Releases!!

Track Talk: Racing memories by jalopy, hobby & Canadian vintage modified drivers.
by Wendy Ward Roper

A terrific work of oral history, popular culture and nostalgia. Not so long ago, there were 2000 race tracks in Canada and the United States that entertained stock car fans six nights each week. Who were those drivers? Why did they do it? What drove them to jalopies, modifieds, stock cars? Wendy Roper was one of them and now she explores these question in this book.

Grieving: Personal Reflections
by Reuven P. Bulka

How to cope with the death of a spouse...the sudden death? The turmoil, the burdens, the grief... In a most personal and revealing manner, Rabbi Bulka explores these questions. His sage advice, his personal anguish, his honest writing can be a guide and a comfort to many.

Shlepping the Exile
a Novel by Michael Wex

The story of Yoine Levkes, boy hasid who lives on the Canadian prairies – the dying people, the ailing culture, the perils of near-orphanhood, the allures of Sabina...and more.

Wex is a very gifted comic/satiric writer and this first novel, now reprinted, establishes him as an authentic talent. This book has also been sold for German translation and is published in German by Bilger Verlag.

Tricks of Fate: Escape, Survival & Rescue (1939-1945)
by Morris Gruda

The story of one man and his flight from the German armies after they occupied Poland in September 1939. He headed towards the Russian frontier and this work details his efforts to survive, his attempts at staying in touch with his family, his working for the Red Army, his adventures in Ukraine and more.