MESSAGE FROM THE PUBLISHERS

It is amazing how the forces of the right are continually successful in determining the parameters of debate and discussion. It is equally amazing how the right is able to keep the left and voices of opposition on the defensive. Because we on the left expend most of our energy responding to the agenda of the right, we have very little chance to propagate our own agenda. In truth, the left has spent so much time reacting that there is little time for presenting any alternatives to the hegemonic sway of the right.

Perhaps the biggest example of this phenomenon in the past year is the way that Donald Trump has been able to dominate not only the mainstream media but the left media as well. As we listen to and read the deliberations of the left, we could hardly be blamed if we were to reach the conclusion that if we got rid of Trump all societal problems would magically disappear. But Trump is such an easy target. His daily spewing of racism, sexism, misogamy, anti-immigration, Islamophobia, etc. distract good people from the real rot in the United States on which these attitudes are based and from which they flow.

In Canada the distraction is different but nonetheless effective. Trudeau also dominates the media but he puts on a progressive face while, in fact, continuing to carry out a right agenda. While Trump’s attacks are blatant and up front, Trudeau’s are manipulative and misleading. He supports a corporatized version of cannabis legalization, yet champions the construction of the Kinder Morgan pipeline. He talks environmentalism, yet supports tar sands development, the biggest polluter on the planet.

In all of this there is little talk of anything new. There is little talk or analysis of an alternative vision, a vision that would go to building a future that would respect and work within the bounds of nature. When all is said and done, Trump and Trudeau serve the same masters. While they have contrasting approaches, the end result is hardly different.

But there are people who are seeking and articulating a new vision. Many of these are from the Indigenous community. Books like Nta’tugwaqanminen (Our Story) by Gespe’gewa’gi Mi’gmawei Mawiomi, Unsettled Expectation by Eva Mackey, Indigenous Nationhood by Pamela Palmater, Kaandossiwin by Kathleen E. Absolon and Inuit Quajimajatuqangit (What the Inuit Have Always Known to Be True) point to pathways that will allow us to both live together in harmony and live in harmony with nature. Through works like these Fernwood Publishing seeks to give voice to the colonized and oppressed, voices that direct us to a new future.
Game Misconduct
Injury, Fandom, and the Business of Sport

Nathan Kalman-Lamb

Professional athletes suffer tremendous damage to their bodies over the course of their careers. Some literally lose years from their lives because of their injuries. Why do athletes sacrifice themselves? Is it the price of being a professional? Is it all for the fans, or the money? What’s clear is that the physical and emotional tolls of being a professional athlete may not be worthwhile. In *Game Misconduct*, Nathan Kalman-Lamb takes us into the world of professional hockey players to illustrate how money, consumerism and fandom contribute to the life-altering injuries of professional athletes.

Unlike many critical takes on professional sports, this book illustrates how the harm suffered by the athlete is a necessary part of what makes professional sport a desirable commodity for the consuming fan. In an economic system — capitalism — that deprives people of meaning because of its inherent drive to turn everyone into individuals and everything into commodities, sports fandom produces a feeling of community. But there is a cost to producing this meaning and community, and it is paid through the sacrifice of the athlete’s body.

Drawing on extensive interviews with fans and former professional hockey players, Kalman-Lamb reveals the troubling dynamics and dangerous costs associated with the world of professional and semi-professional sport.

Nathan Kalman-Lamb is a lecturing fellow in the Thompson Writing Program at Duke University, where he teaches on social inequality and sports. His research and teaching focus on labour, race, multiculturalism, gender, spectatorship and sport.
There’s Something in the Water
Environmental Racism in Indigenous and Black Communities

Ingrid R.G. Waldron

In There’s Something in the Water, Ingrid R.G. Waldron examines the legacy of environmental racism and its health impacts in Indigenous and Black communities in Canada, using Nova Scotia and the grassroots resistance activities by Indigenous and Black communities against the pollution and poisoning of their communities as a case study.

Using settler colonialism as the overarching theory, Waldron unpacks how environmental racism operates as a mechanism of erasure enabled by the intersecting dynamics of white supremacy, power, state-sanctioned racial violence, neoliberalism and racial capitalism in white settler societies. By and large, the environmental justice narrative in Nova Scotia fails to make race explicit, obscuring it within discussions on class, and this type of strategic inadvertence mutes the specificity of Mi’kmaq and African Nova Scotian experiences with racism and environmental hazards. By redefining the parameters of critique around the environmental justice narrative and movement in Nova Scotia and Canada, Waldron opens a space for a more critical dialogue on how environmental racism manifests itself within this intersectional context.

Waldron also illustrates the ways in which the effects of environmental racism are compounded by other forms of oppression to further dehumanize and harm communities already dealing with pre-existing vulnerabilities, such as long-standing social and economic inequality. Finally, Waldron documents the long history of struggle, resistance and mobilizing in Indigenous and Black communities to address environmental racism.

Ingrid Waldron is an associate professor in the Faculty of Health at Dalhousie University and the director of the Environmental Noxiousness, Racial Inequities and Community Health Project (The ENRICH Project).
Policing Indigenous Movements
Dissent and the Security State

Andrew Crosby & Jeffrey Monaghan

In recent years, Indigenous peoples have led a number of high profile movements fighting for social and environmental justice in Canada. From land struggles to struggles against resource extraction, pipeline development and fracking, land and water defenders have created a national discussion about these issues and successfully slowed the rate of resource extraction.

But their success has also meant an increase in the surveillance and policing of Indigenous peoples and their movements. In *Policing Indigenous Movements*, Crosby and Monaghan use the Access to Information Act to interrogate how policing and other security agencies have been monitoring, cataloguing and working to silence Indigenous land defenders and other opponents of extractive capitalism. Through an examination of four prominent movements — the long-standing conflict involving the Algonquins of Barriere Lake, the struggle against the Northern Gateway Pipeline, the Idle No More movement and the anti-fracking protests surrounding the Elsipogtog First Nation — this important book raises critical questions regarding the expansion of the security apparatus, the normalization of police surveillance targeting social movements, the relationship between police and energy corporations, the criminalization of dissent, and threats to civil liberties and collective action in an era of extractive capitalism and hyper surveillance.

In one of the most comprehensive accounts of contemporary government surveillance, the authors vividly demonstrate that it is the norms of settler colonialism that allow these movements to be classified as national security threats and the growing network of policing, governmental and private agencies that comprise what they call the security state.

Andrew Crosby is a coordinator with the Ontario Public Interest Research Group (OPIRG) at Carleton University. Jeffrey Monaghan is an assistant professor at the Institute of Criminology and Criminal Justice, Carleton University. His research examines practices of security governance, policing and surveillance.
Freeman Douglas Knockwood is a highly respected Elder and one of Canada's premier addictions recovery counsellors. The story of his life is one of unimaginable colonial trauma, recovery and hope.

At age six, Knockwood was placed in the Shubenacadie Residential School, where he remained for a year and a half. Like hundreds of other Mi’kmaw and Maliseet children, he suffered horrible abuse. By the time he reached his twenties, he was an alcoholic. He contracted tuberculosis in the 1940s, and had one lung and several ribs removed.

Having hit rock bottom, Knockwood gained sobriety in his thirties through Alcoholics Anonymous. He went on to become a much sought after drug and alcohol rehabilitation counsellor in Canada. Many of Doug’s initiatives have been implemented across Canada and used by thousands of people, both Indigenous and non-Indigenous.

Looking back now, says Doug, “I realize I wasn’t only helping them. They were helping me to gather strength in my presentations, in feeding them the knowledge I received, the same as it was fed to me. That helped me to gain confidence in myself; doing all these things that I didn’t know I could yet do.”

This book is an in-depth look at Doug Knockwood’s life that also casts a wide and critical glance at the forces that worked to undermine his existence. It reveals the indomitable spirit of a man who recovered from, yet still struggles to overcome, those forces.
Ohpikiihaakan-Ohpihmeh — Raised Somewhere Else
A 60s Scoop Adoptee’s Story of Coming Home

Colleen Cardinal; Foreword by Raven Sinclair

“Through her spirited activism and passionate advocacy for 60s Scoop survivors like herself, Colleen Cardinal has emerged as a crucial voice in telling the truth of Indigenous child welfare in Canada and its often tragic outcomes. Her personal story so strongly narrated in this important book is one of loss, struggle, determination, strength, and above all, resilience. With Canadians slowly awakening to the reality of the 60s Scoop and its ongoing repercussions, Cardinal’s inspiring work here is essential reading and will be an integral resource for generations to come.”
— Waubegeshig Rice, author of Legacy

During the 60s Scoop, over 20,000 Indigenous children in Canada were removed from their biological families, lands and culture and trafficked across provinces, borders and overseas to be raised in non-Indigenous households.

Ohpikiihaakan-ohpihmeh — Raised Somewhere Else delves into the personal and provocative narrative of Colleen Cardinal’s journey growing up in a non-Indigenous household as a 60s Scoop adoptee. Cardinal speaks frankly and intimately about instances of violence and abuse throughout her life, but this book is not a story of tragedy. It is a story of empowerment, reclamation and, ultimately, personal reconciliation. It is a form of Indigenous resistance through truth-telling, a story that informs the narrative on missing and murdered Indigenous women, colonial violence, racism and the Indigenous child welfare system.

Colleen Cardinal is Nehiyaw Iskwew from Onihcikiskowapowin Saddle Lake First Nation Alberta, daughter of a residential school survivor, 60s Scoop adoptee and MMIWG family member and social justice activist organizer. She is co-founder of the National Indigenous Survivors of Child Welfare Network and has successfully organized three national Indigenous Adoptee Gatherings, in 2014, 2015 and 2017. Colleen is the proud mother of four grown children and enjoys spending all her free time with her grandchildren.
Big Island, Small
A Novel by Maureen St. Clair

“Maureen St. Clair’s voice is true, her writing lyrical, her story intriguing and unique. If it’s one thing I know, here lies the voice of a powerful writer.”
— Donna Morrissey, author of The Fortunate Brother

“Maureen’s foreign-local observations and voice give her great potential for sharing important stories.”
— Oonya Kempadoo, author of All Decent Animals

Sola is confused the first time she sees Judith, a fair-skin woman with dreadlocks dancing to reggae music. Meeting her gaze, Judith thinks Sola is judging her for appropriating Black culture. A few days later, up against an interlocking fence, Judith kisses Sola. Onlookers hurl stones and racial and gay slurs. Thus begins the complicated friendship between Judith and Sola, who live in between the land they were born, the Caribbean, and the land where they presently live, North America.

Winner of the 2016 Beacon Award for Social Justice Literature and the 2015 Atlantic Writer’s Competition, Big Island, Small is a story of intimacy and friendship between two Caribbean/Canadian women with similar, yet vastly different backgrounds who must dismantle their assumptions and biases around race, class, gender and sexuality in order to make amends with violent pasts, release shame, find joy and reconnect with themselves and each other.

Maureen St. Clair is an artist, peace educator, activist and writer. Born and raised in Canada, with Grenadian citizenship, Maureen has lived in Grenada, West Indies, for twenty-five years with her Grenadian partner Theo and daughter Maya. Maureen is known throughout the Caribbean and internationally for her vibrant, women-positive paintings inspired by her work with women and youth. She is also an associate of Coady International Institute, where she facilitates programs in community peacebuilding and global community leadership.
Insatiable Machine

A Novel by Zoë Robertson

Wave goodbye to the American dream.

Just a heartbeat into the future, America is being dragged to its knees by social unrest and economic inequality. The furious pace of technological advancement has made medicine capable of near-miracles but has also enabled the widespread displacement of workers by automated systems. As unemployment and poverty levels rise to dangerous heights, those with fortunes to lose are pitted against those with nothing left. The threat of rebellion looms greater every day.

When a chance meeting in a Washington, D.C., slum leads journalist Richard LaPointe to a heinous discovery, he and his wife, internationally respected physician and medical technologist Allie MacKay, start down a path that exposes just how far those in power will go to protect themselves from the impending crisis. When their daughter, Skyie, an online video activist sensation, gets involved after pulling off a spectacular protest stunt, they are all plunged into a world in which no one is safe.

What they find behind the curtain is not an America made great again. It is an empire in ruin.

Zoë Robertson has enjoyed a long career as a professional violinist, with performances taking her across North America, through Europe and into Africa. In addition to music, Zoë works as an illustrator. When she isn’t playing the violin, drawing or writing, Zoë is most likely to be found exploring paths less travelled in the wilderness.
Alt Right
From 4chan to the White House
Mike Wendling

This book is a vital guide to understanding the racist, misogynist, far-right movement that rose to prominence during Donald Trump’s successful election campaign.

To some, the movement appears to have burst out of nowhere, but journalist Mike Wendling has been tracking the Alt-Right for years. He reveals the role of technological utopians, reactionary philosophers, the notorious 4chan bulletin boards, and a range of bloggers, vloggers and tweeters, and the extreme ideas they attempt to popularize.

Analysing what the Alt-Right stands for, based upon interviews with movement leaders and foot soldiers, Wendling provides evidence linking extremists with terror attacks and hate crimes. Ultimately the book argues that, despite its high-profile support, the movement’s contradictory tendencies will lead to its downfall.

Mike Wendling is a senior broadcast journalist at the BBC. He works in the BBC’s Digital Current Affairs department, where he is a blogger and editor of BBC Trending. He produced the BBC radio series America’s Own Extremists. He has also presented documentaries for Radio 4 and the BBC World Service on Native Americans and the Black Lives Matter movement.
No Choice
The 30-Year Fight for Abortion on Prince Edward Island

Kate McKenna; Foreword by Megan Leslie

In 1969, Prime Minister Pierre Trudeau passed a law legalizing abortion in Canada. But making abortion legal did not guarantee women access to these services. In many communities around the country, women have had to travel great distances and at great personal expense to exercise their legal right to an abortion. Others have taken matters into their own hands, often with devastating consequences.

In No Choice, Kate McKenna offers a firsthand account of Prince Edward Island’s refusal to bring abortion services to the Island, and introduces us to the courageous women who struggled for over thirty years to change this. With a very vocal Right to Life movement that used small town gossip, political pressure and the force of the Catholic Church to silence the pro-choice movement, the struggle seemed to be over before it even began. But everything changed in 2016.

Kate McKenna is a journalist with the CBC. She was a finalist for two Canadian Association of Journalism Awards and a silver medal winner of the Atlantic Journalism Award in enterprise print reporting.
From the Inside Looking Out
Competing Ideas about Growing Old, 2nd edition

Jeanette A. Auger, Diane Tedford-Litle & Brenda Wallace-Allen

In *From the Inside Looking Out*, Auger, Tedford-Litle and Wallace-Allen seek to overcome the “us” and “them” dichotomy that characterizes much of the literature on aging. By asking older people to talk about their experiences and treating this information as valuable, the authors have presented a tool that can be used to begin such a process.

This second edition documents the lived experiences of older persons obtained from a series of focus group discussions and interviews across Nova Scotia. Individuals compare their realities of growing old with the often-theoretical assumptions of gerontologists and specialists who claim knowledge of the aging experience. In this field of study, there are few instances where the voices of older persons are heard, other than as consumers of various programs and services. Furthermore, the voices of Indigenous and African-Canadians are typically unheard. Topics covered include health care, life satisfaction, death and dying, end of life decisions, cultural differences in the aging process, spirituality and religion, ageism and discrimination, and a critique of the many stereotypes of growing older.

Jeanette A Auger is a professor emeritus and adjunct professor of sociology at Acadia University. Diane Tedford-Litle is a women’s activist and palliative care volunteer with the Victorian Order of Nurses in Nova Scotia. Brenda Wallace-Allen is an instructor at Nova Scotia Community College and a lecturer in the Sociology Department at Acadia University.
Legalizing Theft
A Short Guide to Tax Havens

Alain Deneault; Translated by Catherine Browne
Preface by John Christensen

When our infrastructures deteriorate, when social benefits are frozen, when our living conditions are precarious, it is because of tax havens. A source of growing inequalities and colossal tax losses, the use of tax havens by large corporations and wealthy individuals explains austerity policies. Moreover, states have legalized these offshore schemes that contravene the very principle of taxation.

With formidable efficacy and clarity, and in the wake of the Paradise Papers leak, Alain Deneault raises the political questions of this legalized scam: How does one define the laws of complacency? What are the consequences of tax havens? How do we counter the private sovereignty thus conferred on the powerful? There is an urgent need to put an end to the process by which taxpayers finance banks through debt service and public services that benefit businesses all the while becoming poorer. Collectively, the issue of tax havens must be tackled so that what is legalized is no longer legal.

Alain Deneault is the research program director of Collège international de philosophie, Paris.
In *Speculative Harvests*, Clapp and Isakson investigate the evolving relationship between the agrifood and financial sectors, paying particular attention to how the contemporary process of financialization is reshaping agrarian development and food systems. Understood as the growing prevalence of financial actors, markets, motives and profits in an economy, financialization is a defining feature of modern-day capitalism that is reconfiguring the distribution of wealth and economic power in a variety of contexts across the globe. In a clear and accessible manner, Clapp and Isakson explain the character and ramifications of these changes for the world food economy and systematically detail how different elements of agrifood provisioning — including commodity trading, farmland tenure, the management of agricultural risk and food trading, processing and retailing — have been reconfigured for financial purposes.

Clapp and Isakson highlight the importance of confronting the financialization of food and agriculture, identify the challenges of conventional approaches to food system reform and point to the need for innovative alternatives. *Speculative Harvests* is essential reading for food scholars and activists who not only seek a better understanding of the problems inherent to the contemporary food system but are also in search of effective interventions towards its positive transformation.

Jennifer Clapp is a professor and Canada Research Chair in Global Food Security and Sustainability in the School of Environment, Resources and Sustainability at the University of Waterloo. S. Ryan Isakson is an assistant professor in the centre for Critical Development Studies and the Department of Geography and Planning at the University of Toronto.
Coming Back to Jail
Women, Trauma and Criminalization
Elizabeth Comack

“This is a superb book. At the theoretical level it breaks new ground in linking aboriginality, gender and incarceration. Empirically, through in-depth interviews with forty-two female prisoners, Comack shows how the women’s traumatic experiences — abuse, racism, misogyny — framed their lives. This book should be required reading for politicians, activists, scholars and students.”

— Laureen Snider, Professor Emerita, Queen’s University

Published some two decades ago, Elizabeth Comack’s Women in Trouble explored the connections between the women’s abuse histories and their law violations as well as their experience of imprisonment in an aged facility. What has changed for incarcerated women in those twenty years? Are experiences of abuse continuing to have an impact on the lives of criminalized women? How do women find the experience of imprisonment in a new facility?

Drawing on the stories of forty-two incarcerated women, Coming Back to Jail broadens the focus to examine the role of trauma in the women’s lives. Resisting the popular move to understand trauma in psychiatric terms — as post-traumatic stress disorder (PTSD) — the book frames trauma as “lived experience” and locates the women’s lives within the context of a settler-colonial, capitalist, patriarchal society. Doing so enables a better appreciation of the social conditions that produce trauma and the problems, conflicts and dilemmas that bring women into the criminal justice net.

In Coming Back to Jail, Comack shows how — despite recent moves to be more “gender responsive” — the prisoning of women is ultimately more punishing than empowering. What is more, because the sources of the women’s trauma reside in the systemic processes that have contoured their lives and their communities, true healing will require changing women’s social circumstances on the outside so they no longer keep coming back to jail.

Elizabeth Comack is a professor of sociology at the University of Manitoba. In addition to Women in Trouble, she is the author or editor of eleven other Fernwood Publishing titles.
Labour Under Attack

Anti-Unionism in Canada

Edited by Stephanie Ross & Larry Savage

This multi-disciplinary edited collection critically examines the causes and effects of anti-unionism in Canada. Primarily through a series of case studies, the book’s contributors document and expose the tactics and strategies of employers and anti-labour governments while also interrogating some of the labour movement’s own practices as a source of anti-union sentiment among workers. Contributors are concerned with the strategic implications of anti-union tactics and explore the possibilities and challenges for unions intent on overcoming them for the benefit of all working people.

Stephanie Ross is associate professor in the School of Labour Studies at McMaster University. Larry Savage is professor and chair of the Department of Labour Studies at Brock University.

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Racism and Anti-Racism in Canada

Edited by David Este, Liza Lorenzetti & Christa Sato

Multiculturalism is regarded as a key feature of Canada's national identity. Yet despite an increasingly diverse population, racialized Canadians are systematically excluded from full participation in society through personal and structural forms of racism and discrimination.

Race and Anti-Racism in Canada provides readers with a critical examination of how racism permeates Canadian society and articulates the complex ways to bring about equity and inclusion both individually and systemically.

David Este is a professor in the Faculty of Social Work at the University of Calgary. Liza Lorenzetti is an assistant professor in the Faculty of Social Work at the University of Calgary. Christa Sato holds an msw from the University of Calgary.

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Nta’tugwaqanminen
Notre histoire. L’évolution des Mi’gmaqs de Gespe’gewa’gi

Gespe’gewa’gi Mi’gmawei Mawiomi;
Avant-propos de Satsan (Herb George)

Traduit par Sonya Malaborza & Marie-Claude Hébert

Nta’tugwaqanminen : Notre histoire présente la vision, la relation à la terre, l’occupation historique et actuelle du territoire, de même que les noms de lieux et ce que révèlent ceux-ci sur l’occupation ancestrale du territoire. Il porte sur les traités conclus avec la couronne britannique, sur le respect de ces traités par la Nation mi’gmaque et le non-respect de ceux-ci par les divers paliers de gouvernement. Il explore la dépossession des Mi’gmaqs du Gespe’gewa’gi (Nord du Nouveau-Brunswick et péninsule gaspésienne) dans la foulée de la colonisation illégal de l’Europe, puis le développement de la péninsule par ces colons européens, à leur avantage. Il aborde également la question des droits et titres des Mi’kmaqs sur leur territoire.

Nta’tugwaqanminen montre que les Mi’kmaqs du Gespe’gewa’gi occupent ce territoire depuis toujours, qu’ils en étaient les seuls occupants avant la colonisation européenne, et qu’ils l’occupent sans interruption depuis ce temps. Deux voix émergent de cet ouvrage : celle des Mi’kmaqs du Gespe’gewa’gi et de leurs aînés, qui sont les narrateurs de leur histoire collective, et celle des chercheurs qui ont étudié cette histoire, notamment en faisant une enquête toponymique pour découvrir les mouvements migratoires.

« Nous savons que nous sommes au Gespe’gewa’gi depuis toujours. Mais comment le prouver ? » Nta’tugwaqanminen, le fruit d’un partenariat de recherche entre les Mi’gmaqs de Gespe’gewa’gi, de leurs aînés et d’un groupe de chercheurs chevronnés, veut permettre à ce peuple de se réapproprier son histoire, tant orale qu écrite. Il propose aux lecteurs allochtones un aperçu de l’histoire mi’gmaque écrite du point de vue des Autochtones.

Avec un avant-propos de Satsan (Herb George).
Change a Life, Change Your Own
Child Sponsorship, the Discourse of Development and the Production of Ethical Subjects

Peter Ove

“Change a Life, Change Your Own is a long-overdue adult discussion about how child sponsorship, a spectacularly successful fundraising tool, infantilizes both donor and recipient, turning good intentions into paternalism and reinforcing stereotypical Western ideas about helplessness and hopelessness in developing countries.”

— Ian Smillie, author of The Charity of Nations, Freedom from Want and Diamonds

“Change a Life. Change Your Own.” “For less than a dollar a day.” “For the cost of one coffee a day.” With these slogans, and their accompanying images of poor children, some of the world’s largest development organizations invite the global North to engage in one of their most prominent and successful fundraising techniques: child sponsorship.

But as Peter Ove argues in Change a Life, Change Your Own, child sponsorship is successful not because it addresses the needs of poor children, but because it helps position what it means to live ethically in an unequal and unjust world. In this way, child sponsorship is seen as more than an effective marketing tool; it is a powerful mechanism for spreading particular ideas about the global South, the global North and the relationship between the two. Through sponsorship, the desire to raise money, secure “appropriate” childhoods and become better people ends up taking priority over the goal of living together well on a global scale.

Drawing on in-depth interviews with child sponsors and sponsorship staff, Change a Life, Change Your Own explores the contexts in which sponsorship promotional material is produced, interpreted and acted upon. This is not an exposé on the use of sponsorship dollars or high administrative costs; it is a clearly written and compelling account of how the problem of development is constructed such that child sponsorship is seen to be a rational and ethical solution.

Peter Ove is an instructor in sociology at Camosun College.
Critical Development Studies
An Introduction
Henry Veltmeyer & Raúl Delgado Wise

Development studies is typically used by agencies concerned with improving the living conditions of people across the world by advancing capitalism as the institutional and policy framework of the global development process. Veltmeyer and Delgado Wise, on the contrary, view capitalism as the problem rather than the solution, and provide a critical development perspective on some of the major issues that afflict people and countries across the world.

This introductory volume provides readers with an overview of the key issues of development studies from a critical perspective: the nature of the global capitalist system and an analysis of the dynamics associated with the development process, the agrarian question, the outmigration and urbanization of rural areas, the formation of a global working class and the emergence of powerful resistance movements such as the Zapatistas.

Henry Veltmeyer is professor of development studies at the Autonomous University of Zacatecas (Mexico). Raúl Delgado Wise is director and professor of development studies at the Autonomous University of Zacatecas.
Policing Black Lives
State Violence in Canada from Slavery to the Present
Robyn Maynard

“Robyn Maynard’s meticulously-researched and compelling analysis of state violence challenges prevailing narratives of Canadian multiculturalism and inclusion by examining how structures of racism and ideologies of gender are complexly anchored in global histories of colonization and slavery.”

— Angela Y. Davis

“Every Canadian — black, white, Indigenous or otherwise — could benefit from reading Maynard’s frank and thorough assessment of racism in Canada.”

— Winnipeg Free Press

“Maynard pierces through centuries of deception and offers us a bold, unblinking — and frankly, shocking — rebuttal to the widespread sentiment that “we’re not as bad as the U.S.””

— Toronto Star

“Maynard plainly corrects and downright disrupts the friendly, welcoming and multicultural narrative on which Canada’s national identity relies.”

— Maclean’s

“A critical, sobering read for every Canadian.”

— NOW Toronto

“The brilliance of Maynard’s book is based not only on her scholarship, but, crucially, on her work as an activist and community advocate.”

— Montreal Review of Books

“A comprehensive and necessary book for anyone who cares about the past, present and future of Black life in this country. Brilliant work!”

— Black Lives Matter Toronto

“Eye-opening and chilling.”

— Andrea Ritchie
As Eagle spreads the seven teachings throughout the forest, he forgets to heed their warning, and soon the forest is lost to jealousy, greed and selfishness. Eagle must save the forest, and he soon learns the most important teaching of all: truth.

Caught between two worlds, Cougar struggles to find a place of belonging. As the Ghost Cat, Cougar lives as he must — in the forest but apart from his friends.

**Les Savoirs Perdus / Panuijkatasikl Kina’masuti’il**

texte : Michael James Isaac, 
illustrations : Dozay (Arlene) Christmas

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Aigle répartit sept savoirs fondamentaux parmi les animaux de la forêt, mais il oublie de mentionner une importante mise en garde; et ainsi, les animaux s’empêtrent dans la jalousie, la convoitise et l’égoïsme. Aigle se doit sauver les animaux et c’est ainsi qu’il est amené à découvrir le sens du savoir le plus important: la vérité.

**Comment le Puma a Fini par être appelé le Chat Fantôme / Ta’n Petalu Telui’Tut Skite’kmujewey Mia’wj**

texte : Michael James Isaac, 
illustrations : Dozay (Arlene) Christmas


Pris entre deux mondes, le puma a du mal à trouver un lieu où il est à sa place. En tant que chat fantôme, le puma vit comme il le devrait : dans la forêt, mais sans ses amis.
**Chocolate Cherry Chai**

A Novel by **Taslim Burkowicz**

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