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Hunting Party Elizabeth Moon 1993-07-01 After she is forced to resign her post in disgrace, Herris Serrano takes a job as "captain" of an interstellar luxury yacht and finds herself fighting a bunch of cutthroats, smugglers, and others. Original.

Building Imaginary Worlds Mark J.P. Wolf 2014-03-14 Mark J.P. Wolf's study of imaginary worlds theorizes world-building within and across media, including literature, comics, film, radio, television, board games, video games, the Internet, and more. Building Imaginary Worlds departs from prior approaches to imaginary worlds that focused mainly on narrative, medium, or genre, and instead considers imaginary worlds as dynamic entities in and of themselves. Wolf argues that imaginary worlds—which are often transnarrative, transmedial, and transauthorial in nature—are compelling objects of inquiry for Media Studies. Chapters touch on: a theoretical analysis of how world-building extends beyond storytelling, the engagement of the audience, and the way worlds are conceptualized and experienced a history of imaginary worlds that follows their development over three millennia from the fictional islands of Homer's *Odyssey* to the present internarrative theory examining how narratives set in the same world can interact and relate to one another an examination of transmedial growth and adaptation, and what happens when worlds make the jump between media an analysis of the transauthorial nature of imaginary worlds, the resulting concentric circles of authorship, and related topics of canonicity, participatory worlds, and subcreation's relationship with divine Creation Building Imaginary Worlds also provides the scholar of imaginary worlds with a glossary of terms and a detailed timeline that spans three millennia and more than 1,400 imaginary worlds, listing their names, creators, and the works in which they first appeared.

Die Hugo Awards 1985-2000 Hardy Kettlitz 2016-10-15 Der Hugo Award ist weltweit der wichtigste und bekannteste Preis für Science-Fiction-Werke. Er wird seit 1953 von den Mitgliedern der World Science Fiction Convention während einer feierlichen Zeremonie in zahlreichen, gelegentlich wechselnden Kategorien vergeben. In diesem Buch werden die ausgezeichneten Werke und die Preisträger aus dem Zeitraum 1985 bis 2000 gewürdigt und einzeln vorgestellt, und zwar nicht nur die bedeutenden Romane oder Filme, sondern auch Illustratoren, Herausgeber und Fans. Ein großartiges Lesebuch wie auch ein äußerst nützliches Nachschlagewerk für alle, die sich für die Science Fiction interessieren!

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Strange Divisions and Alien Territories Keith Brooke 2012-02-10 Strange Divisions and Alien Territories explores the sub-genres of science fiction from the perspectives of a range of top SF authors. Combining a critical viewpoint with the exploration of the challenges and opportunities facing authors working in the field, contributors include Michael Swanwick, Catherine Asaro and Paul di Filippo.

Vellum Hal Duncan 2014-01-14 Das mächtigste Buch der Welt Im düsteren Gewölbe einer schottischen Bibliothek stößt Reynard Carter auf das legendäre Ewige Stundenbuch. In diesem Buch soll nicht nur das Schicksal unserer Welt geschrieben stehen, sondern auch die wahren Namen aller Lebewesen, die jemals existiert haben. Wer diese Namen kennt, hat Macht über ihre Träger, ihm offenbaren sich die Geheimnisse des Universums. Als Carter das Buch öffnet, verändert sich alles – und er bricht auf zu einer Reise, die ihn an die Grenzen der Wirklichkeit führt ...

Oath of Gold Elizabeth Moon 2019-05-07 The Compton Crook Award winning Deeds of Paksenarrion comes to an epic conclusion. Paksenarrion finishes her journey from sheepfarmer's daughter to warrior hero. Includes a new introduction by author Elizabeth Moon. Paksenarrion—Paks for short—was somebody special. Never could she have followed her father's orders and married the pig farmer down the road. Better a soldier's life than a pig farmer's wife, and so, though she knew that she could never go home again, Paks ran away to be a soldier. And so began an adventure destined to transform a simple Sheepfarmer's Daughter into a hero fit to be chosen by the gods. Features an all-new introduction by the author! About Elizabeth Moon: "Excellent plotting and characters support the utterly realistic action sequences: swift, jolting, confusing, and merciless. It's a corker!"—Kirkus Reviews "Moon has created a richly imagined universe of different cultures, replete with intriguing characters and the sense of unlimited possibility that characterizes the most appealing science fiction."—School Library Journal "Rip-roaring action and intriguing science and tactics . . . [a] grand space opera tour de force."—Publishers Weekly "[T]he first work of high heroic fantasy I've seen that has taken the work of Tolkien, assimilated it totally and deeply and absolutely, and produced something altogether new and yet incontestably based on the master... [Moon's] military knowledge is impressive, her picture of life in a mercenary company most convincing. I'm deeply impressed."—Judith Tarr

Divided Allegiance Elizabeth Moon 2019-01-01 The Compton Crook Award Deeds of Paksenarrion series continues as Paksenarrion continues her journey from sheepfarmer's daughter to warrior hero. Includes a new introduction by author Elizabeth Moon. Once a sheepfarmer's daughter, now a seasoned veteran, Paksenarrion has proven herself a fighter. Years with Duke Phelan's Company taught her weaponry, discipline, and how to react as part of a military unit. Now, though, Paks feels spurred to a solitary destiny. Against all odds she is accepted as a paladin-candidate by the fellowship of Gird. Years of study will follow, for a paladin must be versed in diplomacy and magic as well as the fighting arts. But before she is fully trained, Paks is called on her first mission: to seek out the fabled stronghold of Luap far to the west. The way is long, the dangers many—and not even the Marshal-General of Gird can say whether glory or ruin awaits. Features an all-new introduction by the author! About Elizabeth Moon: "Excellent plotting and

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Once a Hero Elizabeth Moon 1999-12 A battle over a starship in space. The ship belongs to Earth and is commanded by Lieutenant Esmay Suiza, a woman who has already proved herself in battle. The attackers are Alien barbarians and they capture the ship, but Esmay and her team counter-attack and save the day. By the author of *Remnant Population*.

Heris Serrano Elizabeth Moon 2002-08 When fleet officer Heris Serrano reluctantly takes on the job of commanding a wealthy old woman's interstellar luxury yacht, she soon discovers that her employer can offer her more than she expected.

Nodus Arthur C. Clarke 2014-02-25 Ramas Geheimnis Nachdem die Zustände in der Kolonie bei Sirius immer unerträglicher werden, flüchtet Nicole Wakefields Familie zurück in das Schiff Rama II, in dem sie während der Reise jahrelang gelebt hat. Dort hatten sie den ersten Kontakt zu den Oktoarachniden, die Nicole jetzt helfen, sich vor den Polizisten der Kolonie zu verstecken. Als der Konflikt eskaliert, schaltet sich die KI ein, die das Schiff kontrolliert ...

Changer of Worlds David Weber 2001-03-01 WELCOME AGAIN TO THE MANY WORLDS OF HONOR Lady Dame Honor Harrington's starship captain, admiral, Steadholder, and Duchess has spent decades defending the Star Kingdom of Manticore against all comers. Along the way, she has become the legend known as "the Salamander" from her habit of always being where the fire is hottest . . . and also a national bestseller (*Ashes of Victory*: #7, *The Wall Street Journal*). But it's a big universe, and Honor's actions affect a lot of lives, not all of them human. And their actions affect her—a lesson "Ms. Midshipwoman Harrington" learns years before rising to command rank when a desperate battle against "pirates" who aren't quite what they seem begins her brilliant career. Closer to home, in "Changer of Worlds," a secret that the alien treecats have kept from their human friends for hundreds of years is about to come out . . . and completely change the relationship between the two species forever. Meanwhile, Eric Flint weighs in with "From the Highlands." Honor can't be everywhere, so when the People's Republic of Haven tries to stage a political assassination on Earth, Anton Zilwicki's husband of one of the Star Kingdom's most revered military martyrs, and father of a young woman who is clearly a chip off the old block steps into the breach . . . and takes the opportunity to settle some old scores along the way. And finally, Esther McQueen and Oscar Saint-Just square off for their final confrontation in *Nouveau Paris* in "Nightfall." At the publisher's request, this title is sold without DRM (Digital Rights Management).

Voices of Vision Jayme Lynn Blaschke 2005-01-01 As the world around us becomes more fantastic, and science itself more surreal, the realms of science fiction and fantasy become correspondingly both more bizarre and more relevant. *Voices of Vision* offers a rare look into the inner workings of this realm and into the very thoughts and methods of those who make it tick: editors and writers of science fiction and fantasy, and creators of comic books and graphic novels. In wide-ranging interviews that are by turns intimate and thought provoking, irreverent and outrageous, Jayme Lynn Blaschke talks shop with some of the most interesting voices in these genres as well as the people behind them, such as current *Science Fiction Weekly* and former *Science Fiction Age* editor Scott Edelman. A host of authors talk to Blaschke about what it's like to do what they do, how they work and how they started, and where they think the genre is headed. Blaschke talks to writers such as Robin Hobb, Charles de Lint, Patricia Anthony, and Elizabeth Moon; revered authors of comic books and graphic novels, including Neil Gaiman and Brad Meltzer; and icons such as Samuel R. Delany, Gene Wolfe, Harlan Ellison, and Jack Williamson. Editors such as Gardner Dozois, editor of *Asimov's Science Fiction* magazine, discuss their publishing philosophies and strategies, the origins and probable directions of their magazines, and the broader influence of such ventures. For devoted reader, aspiring writer, and curious onlooker alike, these interviews open a largely hidden, endlessly engrossing world.

The Serrano Connection Elizabeth Moon 2008-10-07 1. Elizabeth Moon is a New York Times best-selling author. 2. This volume combines the third and fourth in her popular Serrano/Suiza space adventure series. 3. Advertising in *Locus*, *Romantic Times*, more 4. Simultaneous hardcover and trade paperback editions 5. Co-op available. Two Full-Length Novels of Space Adventure: *Once a Hero*: Esmay Suiza wasn't a member of a great Navy family like the Serranos. She'd had to make her way on grit alone, which meant it wasn't likely she'd make admiral, but all she wanted was to be part of the Fleet. But then she ended up a raging space battle, and was the only one who could stop a superior officer turned traitor. She had never wanted to be a hero, but fate had other ideas. . . . *Rules of Engagement*: Brun Meager is a young woman from a rich and powerful family, which had a lot to do with why Esmay Suiza didn't get along with her, not to mention both having an amorous interest in Barin Serrano. When Brun was abducted by a repressive religious militia movement that makes the 21st century Taliban look like a bunch of Unitarians, Esmay was suspected of having connived in the capture to eliminate a rival. To clear herself, it looked like Esmay would have to locate and rescue Brun. Time to be a hero again. . . .

Against the Odds Elizabeth Moon 2016-12-13 The galactic order has been shattered, and amidst the chaos heroes will rise...and fall—as Hugo Award-winning and New York Times bestselling author Elizabeth Moon brings her stellar *Familias Regnant* saga to a spectacular conclusion. Across *Regnant* space, the fight to put down the mutinous factions of the Fleet continues. Though the initial assaults have been contained, the mutineers are still at large. And the dangerous seditious elements are not limited to the military alone. Within the *Familias*, the aged leaders of the great septs continue to hoard the mysterious rejuvenation drugs that may allow them to rule forever. And that is something that the ambitious younger generations of the ruling families can no longer abide... Heroic Fleet loyalist Esmay Suiza has been coldly ousted from the service after her elopement to Barin Serrano is discovered and her religious status comes under suspicion. But she's not about to back down from her sworn duty, and races to confront the members of the Grand Council—one of whom owes her a great service... But unbeknownst to anyone, a powerful leader in the ranks of the Fleet has already turned against them, and their common enemy is determined to destroy the *Familias Regnant* in a final conflagration... "SF readers will delight in the twisting, thorny adventure in the compelling continuation to this popular series."—Publishers Weekly "Fans of David Weber's "Honor Harrington" series will appreciate Moon's space opera of high politics and military adventure."—Library Journal "A fun fast-paced mix of space and soap opera."—Locus "A triumphant coda."—Booklist

Moon Flights Elizabeth Moon 2019-10-01 Fifteen classic stories of science fiction and fantasy from Nebula Award-winning author Elizabeth Moon (*The Deed of Paksenarrion*, *Vatta's War*). Over the past two decades, few authors have garnered the critical acclaim and fan following of Elizabeth Moon, Nebula Award-winning author of *The Speed of Dark*, *The Deed of Paksenarrion*, and *Remnant Population*. *Moon Flights*, the definitive Elizabeth Moon short story collection, represents the highlights of an impressive career. Gathering together fifteen tales of fantasy, alternative history, and science fiction, *Moon Flights* features an original story, "Say Cheese," set in the *Vatta's War* cosmology, and an introduction by Anne McCaffrey, legendary creator of the *Dragonriders of Pern* series. Ranging from humorous high fantasy tales of "The Ladies' Aid & Armor Society" to gritty, realistic chronicles of far-flung militaristic space opera, former marine Elizabeth Moon's storytelling mastery and eye for painstaking detail is evidenced in each of the tales contained herein. When honor, politics, and personal relationships clash against backdrops of explosive battles and larger-than-life action, the result is the breathtaking and astounding fiction found in *Moon Flights*.

Teaching Science Fiction A. Sawyer 2011-03-24 *Teaching Science Fiction* is the first text in thirty years to explore the pedagogic potential of that most intellectually stimulating and provocative form of popular literature: science fiction. Innovative and academically lively, it offers valuable insights into how SF can be taught historically, culturally and practically at university level.

Sassinak Anne McCaffrey 2020-10-06 A TRUE WARRIOR WILL NEVER BE BROKEN. BOOK ONE IN THE PLANET PIRATES SERIES. Old Enough to be Used. Young Enough to be Broken. Sassinak was twelve when the raiders came. That made her just the right age: old enough to be used, young enough to be broken. Or so the slavers thought. But Sassy turned out to be a little different from your typical slave girl. Maybe it was her unusual physical strength. Maybe it was her friendship with the captured Fleet crewman. Maybe it was her spirit. Whatever it was, it wouldn't let her resign herself to the life of a slave. She bided her time and watched for her moment. When it finally came, she escaped. But that was only the beginning for Sassinak. Now she's a fleet captain with a pirate-chasing ship of her own, and only one regret in her life: not enough pirates. About Elizabeth Moon: "Excellent plotting and characters support the utterly realistic action sequences: swift, jolting, confusing, and merciless. It's a corker!"—Kirkus Reviews "Moon has created a richly imagined universe of different cultures, replete with intriguing characters and the sense of unlimited possibility that characterizes the most appealing science fiction."—School Library Journal "Rip-roaring action and intriguing science and tactics . . . [a] grand space opera tour de force."—Publishers Weekly ". . . the first work of high heroic fantasy I've seen that has taken the work of Tolkien, assimilated it totally and deeply and absolutely, and produced something altogether new and yet incontestably based on the master . . . [Moon's] military knowledge is impressive, her picture of life in a mercenary company most convincing. I'm deeply impressed."—Judith Tarr

Change Of Command Elizabeth Moon 2000-12 While Esmay Suiza and Barin Serrano struggle to convince their families that their marriage is good for everyone, rumors that the Space Service was unwittingly given bad drugs cause violent reactions. Reprint.

Sheepfarmer's Daughter Elizabeth Moon 1988-06 Pak senses her special destiny, disobeys her father's plans for her marriage, and sets off for the army, where her heroic restoration of a lost ruler to his throne will make her a legend

Rules Of Engagement Elizabeth Moon 1999-12 Rivals despite the many things they share in common, Esmay becomes a suspect in Brun's capture by a religious militia movement, while Brun, pregnant and imprisoned, struggles to survive despite her captors' dangerous practices.

Generation Warriors Anne McCaffrey 2022-01-04 A CLASSIC NOVEL IN THE PIRATE PLANETS SERIES FROM SF MASTER ANNE MCCAFFREY AND ELIZABETH MOON The fate of the galaxy is placed in the hands of Lunzie, who discovers the true nature of three friends: Fordeliton, who is dying of a mysterious poison; Dupaynil, who is exiled; and Aygar, who tries to prove himself. About Elizabeth Moon: "Excellent plotting and characters support the utterly realistic action sequences: swift, jolting, confusing, and merciless. It's a corker!"—Kirkus Reviews "Moon has created a richly imagined universe of different cultures, replete with intriguing characters and the sense of unlimited possibility that characterizes the most appealing science fiction."—School Library Journal "Rip-roaring action and intriguing science and tactics . . . [a] grand space opera tour de force."—Publishers Weekly ". . . the first work of high heroic fantasy I've seen that has taken the work of Tolkien, assimilated it totally and deeply and absolutely, and produced something altogether new and yet incontestably based on the master . . . [Moon's] military knowledge is impressive, her picture of life in a mercenary company most convincing. I'm deeply impressed."—Judith Tarr

Heiliges Feuer Bruce Sterling 2014-08-25 Ein zweites Leben bekommt man nicht geschenkt Ende des 21. Jahrhunderts erscheint die Welt wie ein Paradies: ökologische und soziale Differenzen sind überwunden, Krankheiten und Kriege existieren nicht mehr und auch der Menschheitstraum vom ewigen Leben rückt dank neuer Behandlungsmethoden in greifbare Nähe. Auch die 94-jährige Mia Ziemann beschließt, sich einer medizinischen Behandlung zu unterziehen, die ihre Zellen entgiftet und von Grund auf genetisch regeneriert – ein Eingriff, für den sie allerdings einen hohen Preis bezahlen muss ...

Träumende Leere Peter F. Hamilton 2014-02-14 Im Jahr 3580 lebt die Menschheit in über tausend Sonnensystemen. Eine mächtige Raumflotte beschützt sie vor jeder feindlichen Spezies. Selbst der Tod ist besiegt. Doch im Herzen der Galaxie liegt eine schwarze Welt. Und auf das, was von dort kommt, hat die Menschheit keine Antwort ... Auftakt der neuen Commonwealth-Serie von Peter F. Hamilton

Das Buch der seltsamen neuen Dinge Michel Faber 2018-03-12 Der junge Pastor Peter Leigh wird auf die Reise seines Lebens geschickt: Er soll den Einwohnern eines fernen Planeten seinen Glauben näherbringen. Die Mission verlangt von Peter ein enormes Opfer, denn seine Frau Bea muss auf der Erde zurückbleiben und durchlebt dort eine schwierige Zeit. Noch nie in der Geschichte der Menschheit musste eine Liebe eine derart große Distanz überbrücken. Wird es gelingen? »Das Buch der seltsamen neuen Dinge« ist eine unvergessliche Liebesgeschichte mit einem einzigartigen Setting und einer emotionalen Präzision, die direkt ins Herz führt. Dieser Roman ist ein monumentales Meisterwerk, das sich über alle Genre Grenzen hinwegsetzt. »Der bewegendste Abschiedsroman, den ich je gelesen habe.« Clemens J. Setz »Furios. Lesend bei sich sein und doch nicht von dieser Welt - das ging lang nicht so gut wie mit diesem Roman.« Die Zeit »Ein berührendes Buch über große Liebe, Sehnsucht und Verlust.« Brigitte

Die Planetenpiraten Anne McCaffrey 2001

Tentakel Rita Indiana 2018-03-09 Ein karibischer Roman vom Strand der Zukunft – und die uralte Frage, brennend wie der Kuss einer Seeanemone: Wer ist Ich? "Tentakel" tankt den magischen Treibstoff lateinamerikanischer und karibischer Traditionen, um deren Grenzen lustvoll hinter sich zu lassen. Ein Roman, der unsere Fragen nach Identität, Sex und Gender auf unkonventionelle Weise verhandelt – und eine so bemerkenswerte wie befreiende Antwort findet. Ein kompromissloses, schnelles, unverschämtes Buch, an dem sich nicht nur die Voodoo-Geister scheiden – wie immer, wenn Literatur etwas wagt.

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Deeds of Honor Elizabeth Moon 2014-12-22 Elizabeth Moon, the New York Times bestselling author of the celebrated Deed of Paksenarrion and Paladin's Legacy epic fantasy series, presents Deeds of Honor, a brand new collection of short stories set in the world of Paksenarrion. With two exclusive, never-before-published stories featuring characters from the Paladin's Legacy series, Deeds of Honor gathers together lore and legends from Paksenarrion's world, along with tales from the Paladin's Legacy era, all revised and updated for this special compilation. Rich with the vivid and immersive storytelling for which Elizabeth Moon is known, the eight short stories in Deeds of Honor — collected here for the first time, with all-new author notes — are certain to please any fan of the Paksenarrion saga. Deeds of Honor: Tales of Paksenarrion's World "Point of Honor" — "Falk's Oath" — "Cross Purposes" — "Torre's Ride" — "A Parrion of Cooking" — "Vardan's Tale" — "Those Who Walk in Darkness" — "The Last Lesson"

The Enceladus Crisis Michael J. Martinez 2014-05-06 The sequel to acclaimed The Daedalus Incident. "Hard science fiction in one corner and Alchemy in the other . . . You're in for a wild ride" (GeekDad). Lt. Commander Shaila Jain has been given the assignment of her dreams: the first

manned mission to Saturn. But there's competition and complications when she arrives aboard the survey ship *Armstrong*. The Chinese are vying for control of the critical moon Titan, and the moon Enceladus may harbor secrets deep under its icy crust. And back on Earth, Project DAEDALUS now seeks to defend against other dimensional incursions. But there are other players interested in opening the door between worlds...and they're getting impatient. For Thomas Weatherby, it's been nineteen years since he was second lieutenant aboard HMS Daedalus. Now captain of the seventy-four-gun *Fortitude*, Weatherby helps destroy the French fleet at the Nile and must chase an escaped French ship from Egypt to Saturn, home of the enigmatic and increasingly unstable aliens who call themselves the Xan. Meanwhile, in Egypt, alchemist Andrew Finch has ingratiated himself with Napoleon's forces . . . and finds the true, horrible reason why the French invaded Egypt in the first place. "Continues the first novel's mix of alchemy, intrigue, mystery, science fiction and high adventure . . . A follow-up that manages to improve on the first in significant ways." —SF Signal "A great adventure tale that combined elements of a spy thriller with that of a space opera, with a bittersweet ending reminiscent of *The Empire Strikes Back*. I recommend Enceladus, and the series as a whole." —Matt Mitrovich, *Amazing Stories*

The Serrano Succession Elizabeth Moon 2009-09-08 Two Full-Length Novels of Space Adventure: *Change of Command*: Esmay and Barin are reconciled—but their universe is falling apart! The exposure of defective rejuvenation drugs has sent fear sweeping across the known galaxy, including the Regular Space Service, while neighboring states fear the aggressive expansion of the *Familias Regnant*. Fear begets violent reactions—from foreign governments, from great Families determined to hold on to power, from internal rivalries in the Fleet—and nothing escapes the resultant bloodbath unscathed, including Esmay and Barin. *Against the Odds*: The worst has happened: Fleet is tearing itself apart. Some of the mutineers see injustice in the unequal spread of the rejuvenation drugs that offer virtual immortality to the rich; others are simply thirsty for power, or for blood. But when Esmay Suiza-Serrano is unceremoniously booted out of Fleet, the apparent victim of Family politics, she has no idea of the conflict into which she has been thrown. As the noose tightens on galactic civilization, great battles will be fought and greater loves affirmed . . . and old friends will meet their destinies.

Rules of Engagement Elizabeth Moon 2016-12-02 The New York Times bestselling and Hugo Award-winning author of *Once a Hero* continues her epic saga of war, power, and loyalty in the cold reaches of space... After proving herself in battle, Esmay Suiza is continuing her RSS Fleet training alongside her erstwhile love Barin when she meets Brun—the ebullient daughter of Lord Thornbuckle—who idolizes her as a reluctant hero. But Esmay cannot abide Brun's highborn airs. And when their shared affection for Barin ignites a rivalry between them, Esmay is exiled to remote duty. Crushed by the rebuke of her friendship, Brun leaves the facility—and enters a nightmare. For the enemies of civilization are on the move. The savage New Texas Militia, driven to spread their fanatical dogma, has been stealing the *Familias Regnant*'s own weaponry to use against them. When Brun accidentally witnesses their depredations, her life is all but forfeit. Taken by the Militia, she is subjected to inhuman torment as Esmay is blamed for the disastrous situation and the galaxy prepares for inevitable conflict. With the life of Brun and the dominance of the *Familias Regnant* both in peril, Esmay must go into action once again against a brutal, deranged enemy who would rather die than face defeat...

Im Dienst der Föderation Tanya Huff 2020-09-01 Torin Kerr, Staff Sergeant der Föderation, ist ein kampferprobter Profi. Als sie und ihre Einheit für einen Einsatz als Ehrengarde einer diplomatischen Gesandtschaft ausgewählt werden, scheint dies ein Spaziergang zu werden. Es sollen Beitrittsverhandlungen zur Föderation auf dem Planeten der Silsviss geführt werden. Sicher, es hatte Gerüchte gegeben, dass die Anderen - die eingeschworenen Feinde der Föderation - in diesem Sektor des Weltraums gesichtet wurden. Aber Gerüchte gibt es immer. Das Ziel der Mission war der Schutz der Diplomaten. Und alles schien perfekt zu laufen. Vielleicht zu perfekt...

Jagd auf Ikarus Timothy Zahn 2010-11-04 Ein ganz einfacher Job ... Als Jordan McKell, seines Zeichens Schmuggler und Kapitän ohne Raumschiff, den Auftrag erhält, die Ikarus samt hochbrisanter Ware zur Erde zu fliegen, sieht er zunächst keine größeren Probleme auf sich zukommen. Bereits der erste Zwischenstopp erweist sich als problematisch, ein Mitglied der Besatzung wird ermordet. Und ehe er sich versieht, ist McKell in eine intergalaktische Handelsverschwörung verwickelt, und das halbe Universum ist ihm auf den Fersen...

Kommando Rachel Bach 2017-11-13 Seit sie auf dem Raumschiff von Captain Caldwell angeheuert hat, gleicht das Leben von Devi Morris einem Desaster: Intrigen, feindliche Aliens und ein tödlicher Virus, der sie befallen hat. Doch als nach dem Verschwinden des Captain selbst die eigene Regierung Jagd auf sie macht, trifft Devi eine Entscheidung: Sie wird sich nicht länger verstecken – sondern den Kampf aufnehmen. Jetzt übernimmt sie das Kommando ...

Sporting Chance Elizabeth Moon 1994-09-01 Spiriting home Prince Gerel, the first in line to the throne, in the hope of avoiding a scandal, yacht owner Lady Cecelia and Captain Heris Serano begin to suspect the sinister nature of Gerel's ever-failing mental capacity. Reissue.

Change of Command Elizabeth Moon 2016-12-09 New York Times bestselling author of *Rules of Engagement* Elizabeth Moon continues her grand epic as enemies from both without and within strike at the heart of the *Familias Regnant*. After the suppression of the New Texas barbarians, Esmay Suiza and Barin Serrano hoped for a respite to develop their relationship. But there is time for neither rest nor pleasure as events around the galaxy push all the great powers towards war. When Speaker Lord Thornbuckle is assassinated, his daughter Brun finds herself trapped in the machinations of politics and power—with the true villain behind her father's death keeping an ever-watchful eye on her every move... Meanwhile, the shadowy criminal empire of the *Benignity*, having already sabotaged the controversial "rejuvenation drugs" that fuel the *Familias*' longevity, is now poised to spread its influence and corruption directly into *Familias* government. On the planet Copper Mountain, the once-hunted Pilar Bacarion has quietly assumed command of a military prison. But she has far greater ambitions in play: she will carry out Lepescu's plan to gain control of the Fleet and crack the very foundations of the government. But for Esmay and Barin, a long-forgotten betrayal is about to be revealed, a secret that in one moment entangled the fates of both the Suiza and Serrano clans—and made them mortal enemies. "A thoroughly excellent adventure." —Booklist "Political intrigue, mutiny in space, and ideological battles of war and weapons lend variety to this fast-moving space opera set in the distant future." —Library Journal

Winning Colors Elizabeth Moon 1995-08-01 Captaining a rich lady's interstellar pleasure yacht, former navy fleet officer Heris Serrano finds an opportunity to restore her tarnished reputation by intercepting mafia plans to invade the galaxy. Original.

An Informal History of the Hugos Jo Walton 2018-08-07 Engaged, passionate, and consistently entertaining, *An Informal History of the Hugos* is a book about the renowned science fiction award for the many who enjoyed Jo Walton's previous collection of writing from Tor.com, the Locus Award-winning *What Makes This Book So Great*. The Hugo Awards, named after pioneer science-fiction publisher Hugo Gernsback, and voted on by members of the World Science Fiction Society, have been presented since 1953. They are widely considered the most prestigious awards in science fiction.

Between 2010 and 2013, Jo Walton wrote a series of posts for Tor.com, surveying the Hugo finalists and winners from the award's inception up to the year 2000. Her contention was that each year's full set of finalists generally tells a meaningful story about the state of science fiction at that time. Walton's cheerfully opinionated and vastly well-informed posts provoked valuable conversation among the field's historians. Now these posts, lightly revised, have been gathered into this book, along with a small selection of the comments posted by SF luminaries such as Rich Horton, Gardner Dozois, and David G. Hartwell. "A remarkable guided tour through the field—a kind of nonfiction companion to *Among Others*. It's very good. It's great." —New York Times bestselling author Cory Doctorow, *Boing Boing* on *What Makes This Book So Great* At the Publisher's request, this title is being sold without Digital Rights Management Software (DRM) applied.

Edging Into the Future Veronica Hollinger 2002-04 "The savvy critical essays in this provocative collection investigate the interface between science fiction and postmodern culture. . . . Highly recommended for readers at all levels." —Choice

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