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Simon Cowell The Unauthorized Biography [Michael O'Mara Books](#) *Love him or loathe him, Simon Cowell is arguably the most influential player in the British entertainment industry and one of Britain's most successful exports. After a humble start in the post room at EMI, his meteoric rise began when he became a top A&R executive, signing huge acts from Westlife and Five to Robson & Jerome. Fame and a television career followed when he became a judge in the TV talent shows Pop Idol and American Idol and subsequently created the hit shows The X Factor and Britain's Got Talent, watched by millions every year. His trademark blunt honesty coupled with his extraordinary business savvy has made him a household name - but what do we really know about this charismatic and sharp-tongued man? In Simon Cowell Chas Newkey-Burden finds out, interviewing friends and old colleagues, and lifting the lid on the professional and private life of one of Britain's most eligible bachelors.* **Simon Cowell A Short Unauthorized Biography** [Fame Life Bios](#) *Simon Cowell: A Short Unauthorized Biography is a short unauthorized biography produced from electronic resources researched that includes significant events and career milestones. Ideal for fans of Simon Cowell and general readers looking for a quick insight about one of today's most intriguing celebrities. This must-read short unauthorized biography chronicles: Who is Simon Cowell Things People Have Said about Simon Cowell Simon Cowell is Born Growing Up with Simon Cowell Simon Cowell Personal Relationships The Rise of Simon Cowell Significant Career Milestones Simon Cowell Friends and Foes Fun Facts About Simon Cowell How The World Sees Simon Cowell Simon Cowell A Short Unauthorized Biography is one of the latest short unauthorized biographies from Fame Life Bios. Check it out now!* **The Wanted The Unauthorized Biography** [Michael O'Mara Books](#) *Max George, Siva Kaneswaran, Tom Parker, Nathan Sykes and James McGuinness topped the UK charts within a week of the release of their first single 'All Time Low'. With two number one hits under their belts, as well as polished performances and cheeky group camaraderie, The Wanted are synonymous with young, cool and successful. After facing gruelling mass-auditions to be part of the band, the five boys moved into a flat together in London, where they quickly developed a strong bond. Now perfecting their third studio album, featuring collaborations with Dappy, Chris Brown and Rita Ora this is The Wanted's most ambitious project yet. With worldwide fame now so firmly in their sights, this uber cool boyband has taken the charts by storm - and has won the hearts of millions of fans in the process. The amazing and inspirational story of how The Wanted have risen to stardom, as well as fascinating details about each of the boys and their backgrounds, is set to be a gripping reading for their growing number of fans.* **1D - The One Direction Story An Unauthorized Biography** [Michael O'Mara Books](#) *The biography of the hugely successful British band One Direction, who shot to fame after taking the seventh series of The X-Factor by storm. 1D: The One Direction Story explores the backgrounds, early lives and motivations of Niall, Liam, Zayn, Harry and Louis from obscurity all the way to international stardom. Covering how the boys coped with the exposure of The X-Factor, their new celebrity status and the experiences around hugely successful, chart-topping singles, a BRIT award and a number one album in America, this is the definitive book for all One Direction fans.* **I Don't Mean to be Rude, But - Random House** *The "American Idol" judge the public loves to be shocked by now gives the low-down on the musical fame game in this witty, wicked look at what it takes to become a rock star.* **Justin Bieber The Unauthorized Biography** [Michael O'Mara](#) *The Sunday Times bestselling biography of the fresh-faced, charismatic and talented Justin Bieber, the teen singing sensation who has taken the music world by storm. Born on 1 March 1994, Justin grew up in the small city of Stratford in Canada. His love of singing was apparent from an early age and he was an avid member of the local church choir. His mum started posting videos on YouTube of her thirteen-year-old boy singing cover versions. Hits on the site started building almost immediately and it wasn't long before he had fans - of all ages, all over the world. When, in 2008, music-industry professional Scooter Braun became his manager, this young star was firmly on the path to stardom. His debut single 'One Time' was released in 2009 and went into the top 30 in ten countries around the world, and his album My World 2.0 caused instant excitement. In this book Chas Newkey-Burden explores this teenager's sensational story, making it the must-have book for anyone with Bieber Fever!* **The Unauthorized Guide to Doing Business the Simon Cowell Way 10 Secrets of the International Music Mogul** [John Wiley & Sons](#) *From a job in the mail room at EMI Music Publishing Cowell rose through the ranks swiftly and after becoming a record producer at the firm, left to set up his own company. Following the collapse of his first business and a time at BMG, Cowell went on to pioneer the Popstars TV talent show, and subsequently co-produce Pop Idol and more recently The X Factor. As a music producer he has achieved sales of over 25 million albums, over 70 top 30 records, and 17 Number 1 singles. His band 'Westlife' has achieved an impressive 10 Number 1 hits alone. The Sunday Times Rich List recently estimated that he earned £33.5m in one year alone, thanks to the global success of the 'Pop Idol' brand. The 10 Secrets of the International Music Mogul are: Work Your Way Up - get to know your industry Don't Be Defeated - how to overcome set backs in business Grab Opportunities - respond to the market Know Your Market - and consistently produce the product they want Think Differently - take your product and spin it in different formats Get Your Name on the Credits - and reap the rewards Don't Look Back - learn from missed opportunities but keep moving forwards Say it How It Is - straight talking saves time in business Build a Personal Brand - and be respected for what you do well if nothing else Use Your Contacts - there is no shame to pulling strings in business* **Sweet Revenge The Intimate Life of Simon Cowell** [Faber & Faber](#) *For this definitive biography, acclaimed journalist and*

bestselling author Tom Bower was granted unprecedented access to Simon Cowell and those around him--and the result is a fascinating multilayered portrait of one of the world's most intriguing television personalities ever to dominate the music industry. Simon Cowell has made an international name for himself as the no-holds-barred judge on the television phenomenon American Idol. He's been called mean, arrogant, brash, and unapologetic, but his stinging barbs and smug personality have also earned him cheers from fans, as well as millions of dollars, a string of exotic beauties, and industry clout to develop his own projects. But Cowell's true reward is revenge. Sweet Revenge is the ultimate insider's account of Simon Cowell's rise to fame--even as others plotted his downfall--from his cheeky exploits as a British school lad to his failures as a frustrated young music exec in London to his explosive rivalry with Simon Fuller over the genesis of the Idol franchise to the PR disaster that nearly sunk his wildly successful show The X Factor. Conducting more than 150 interviews with industry power players, Cowell's inner circle, and Cowell himself on a private jet, chartered yacht, at his L.A. home, and on the studio lot, Tom Bower pulls back the curtain on a man who is at once insecure, ambitious, easily bored, vain, needy, and driven, a man who will go to any limit to secure his success. Cowell is also revealed as a loyal friend and loving son. His father, to whom Cowell was particularly close, became his most trusted adviser and mentor. Packed with juicy details, exclusive interviews, and never-before-revealed facts, Sweet Revenge presents a complete picture of Simon Cowell that few have ever seen. **Tom Daley The Unauthorized Biography** Michael O'Mara Books World Champion, European Champion, Commonwealth Champion, diving ace Tom Daley has achieved more than most professional sportsmen could ever dream of in a lifetime. This talented young sportsman's career has been fascinating to follow from the start - Daley began competing in diving competitions at the age of eight at his local diving club in Plymouth, and he has been setting records ever since - gaining four gold medals and two silver medals in the last two years, along with an army of fans the world over. Recently named by Vogue magazine as 'one of the people who will define the coming decade', this highly anticipated biography tells the inspirational story of this 'boy-next-door', through his punishing training regime and his love of competing, to his brave stand against school bullying and his hopes for London 2012. **Justin Bieber** Puffin HC Fresh-faced and oh-so cute, Justin Bieber is a singing sensation who has rocked the music world to its foundations. Born on March 1, 1994, from Stratford Ontario, Justin's mum started posting videos on YouTube of her thirteen-year-old boy singing cover versions. Hits on the site started building almost immediately and it wasn't long before he had fans - of all ages, all over the world. When, in 2008, music-industry professional Scooter Braun became his manager, this young star was on his way. His debut single 'One Time' was released in 2009 and went into the top 30 in ten countries around the world, and his album My World 2.0 caused a sensation. Talented and gorgeous, Justin Bieber's inspirational story is a must for all his fans to enjoy. **Justin Bieber Uncovered! Unauthorized** Michael O'Mara Books Title abandoned, no copy. **Niall Horan The Unauthorized Biography** Michael O'Mara Discover all you need to know about the cheeky Irish charmer in this fully up-to-date biography Niall Horan: The Unauthorized Biography is the story of how a small town Irish boy shot to overnight national and then global fame. Born in Mullingar, County Westmeath, Ireland, Niall's early years were difficult as he and his older brother endured the breakdown of their parents' marriage and subsequent divorce. It was during this period that Niall embarked upon his remarkable musical journey. Stints in the school choir and performances around his homeland propelled him to The X Factor and his first brushes with fame. Nothing could have prepared Niall for the adulation and success that followed. **Harry Styles - Every Piece of Me** Simon and Schuster Harry Styles is 1/5 of the global boy band sensation that is One Direction. Made up of bandmates Liam Payne, Zayn Malik, Niall Horan, Louis Tomlinson and Harry himself, 1D came to prominence in the 2010 series of X Factor UK. Since then they've played to sold out arenas as they toured the world, topped the charts across the globe and broken numerous records. Initially auditioning as separate contestants, the band were put together by Simon Cowell who thought they would stand a much better chance as a group. Simon was proved right as the five boys went on to finish 3rd in the competition. Born 1 February 1994 in Holmes Chapel, Cheshire, Harry is often considered the favourite of 1D fans. Known for his trademark cute boyish looks and gorgeous curly hair, girls all over the world are falling head over heels in love with him and will do anything to get his attention. Lifting the lid on life as a member of the world's biggest band, this is the inspirational and sensational story of a how a boy from Cheshire followed his dreams to become an international star and heartthrob to millions of devoted fans. **Ed Sheeran A+ The Unauthorized Biography** The Grammy-winning singer has toured with Taylor Swift, performed with Elton John, and grown to be a huge star! **I Hate to Be Rude, But... Simon Cowell's Book of Nasty Comments** Blake Publishing Presents a collection of put-downs, witty one-liners, and appraisals of contestants, celebrities, and even his fellow judges by the outspoken American Idol judge, and includes quotes from his admirers and enemies. **Susan Boyle Dreams Can Come True** Penguin UK From that moment when Susan Boyle burst onto our screens on Britain's Got Talent, she has become an unexpected phenomenon, and has gone on to become the creator of the fastest selling female debut album of all time - in the UK and worldwide - hitting the number one spot in the US, UK, Australia, New Zealand, Canada and Ireland. Susan's own personal dream has finally come true, but the phenomenal success story doesn't end here - Susan has arrived and she's here to stay. This book will be the first to tell the full story of Susan's incredible journey from rags to riches, from West Lothian to Times Square. Ever since her mesmerising, historic performance on Britain's Got Talent, Susan has captured the heart of millions. Hers is a very modern fairytale that is at once uplifting and compelling. Bestselling biographer Alice Montgomery charts her meteoric rise from humble beginnings to global superstardom, exploring the relationships, events and people that have played a role in her astonishing story - a 21st century fairytale that became reality. **Emma Watson The Biography** Kings Road Publishing David Nolan is an award-winning journalist who's authored biographies on subjects ranging from Simon Cowell to the Sex Pistols. He's also written for newspapers, magazines, radio and television. **Brad and Angelina Truth and Lies** Penguin UK Brad Pitt and Angelina Jolie are the best-known and most talked-about couple in the world. When they got together in 2005 it made headlines worldwide - everyone wanted to know the full story of what had happened: had Brad cheated on Jen? How long had the affair been going on? Just what happened on the set of Mr and Mrs Smith to break up Hollywood's golden couple? Since the birth of 'Brangelina', Brad and Ange have never been out of the spotlight. Whether it's speculation about their wild and incredible sex life or the apparent cracks in their relationship, the public are fascinated. But never before has a book told the full story - of the relationships and lives that Brad, Jen and Angelina all led before fate brought them together, of the irresistible chemistry that drew Brad and Angelina together, of their relationship together, from its glorious honeymoon period through to its shaky present. Finally, Chas Newkey-Burden separates the rumours from the reality and the truth from the lies. This is the astonishing, electrifying and untold story of Brangelina. Once you pick up this book you will not be able to put it down... **Harry Styles Issue #9** Penguin A new series of unauthorized biographies on the world's biggest names and rising stars in

entertainment, sports, and pop culture! Complete with quizzes, listicles, trivia, and a full-color pull-out poster of the star, this is the definitive collection to get the full Scoop! and more on your favorite celebrities. Harry Styles seemed like your average boy-band-turned-solo-musician act. But when he took a leading role in Christopher Nolan's *Dunkirk*, Harry showed the world he was anything but a one-trick pony. And with a sophomore smash to follow up his debut album, things are really starting to heat up for this British bloke! So, what's next? Get the full Scoop! and more on Harry Styles: America's favorite Brit-pop super star. **Focus On: 100 Most Popular Billboard Adult Contemporary Number-one Singles** [e-artnow sro](#) **Tulisa - The Biography** [Kings Road Publishing](#) Tulisa Contostavlos has one of the most fascinating and shocking life-stories in showbusiness. Her childhood included harrowing episodes of self-harm, bullying, witchcraft, drug abuse and suicide attempts. Then there has been the ever-present challenge of her mother's mental disorder which Tulisa - as the only child in a single-parent family - had to face alone. How did she rise from such a troubled and dangerous childhood to become first an edgy urban artist and then the much-loved people's princess of Saturday night television? This book, written by leading celebrity biographer Chas Newkey-Burden, tells her eventful and inspirational story for the first time. It uncovers the rich showbusiness heritage of her ancestors and then follows her through her childhood, unflinchingly examining the horrors she faced. It then traces how music became her salvation, thanks to the loving mentorship of Uncle B - the man who formed N-Dubz. The book then follows this never satisfied, always ambitious young woman as she moved into the mainstream and became the nation's sweetheart on *The X Factor*. The reader is taken behind the scenes to discover the reality of her successful first series on the show, as she guided Little Mix to victory. With a fine cast of supporting characters including Dappy, Fazer, Gary Barlow and Simon Cowell, this is a colourful, entertaining, insightful and shocking portrait of one of Britain's most popular female celebrities. **Harry Styles: Every Piece of Me** [Simon and Schuster](#) An intimate biography of Harry Styles, breakout star and fan favorite of the hottest boy band on the planet—One Direction—featuring stunning, swoon-worthy photographs! Harry Styles is one-fifth of the worldwide boy band phenomenon that is One Direction. Made up of bandmates Liam Payne, Zayn Malik, Niall Horan, Louis Tomlinson, and Harry himself, 1D came to prominence in the 2010 television series of *X Factor UK*. 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Lifting the lid on life as a member of the world's biggest band, this is the inspirational and sensational story of a how a boy from Cheshire followed his dreams to become an international star and heartthrob to millions of devoted fans. **Fayed The Unauthorized Biography** [Pan Macmillan](#) Adult MM Mohamed Fayed has become Britain's most controversial tycoon. Flamboyant and condemned by DTI inspectors as a 'liar' and 'guilty of deception on a grand scale', Fayed, who has always bitterly attacked these findings has defied his critics and, unrestrained, has wilfully imposed himself on British public life. Taking the fiery Egyptian as his latest subject, Tom Bower has produced an outstanding biography of compulsive readability whose authority is enhanced by conversations with Fayed and over 200 of his friends and enemies. The tormented and bizarre journey of the poor boy from Egypt who became the self-proclaimed king of Knightsbridge is a saga reminiscent of an epic Hollywood thriller . . . 'A brilliant insight into the career of a driven man . . . a fascinating study in ambition' *Express* 'An unforgettable demolition job' *Guardian* 'There is enough sex and intrigue here for a sequel to the *Arabian Nights*' *Sunday Times* 'Tom Bower has triumphantly told the truth about an awful man' *Spectator* **Britney The Unauthorized Biography** [Michael O'Mara Books](#) She has sold more than 150 million albums, wowed sell-out audiences around the globe and starred in iconic music videos but Britney Spears' success has come with an unbearable price tag. This biography uncovers the story of how this church-going girl from the Deep South became an objectified teenage sensation and the princess of pop. It follows her rollercoaster existence from the top of the charts to the despair of a very public mental health crisis. Go behind the scenes of Britney's battle to free herself from her notorious conservatorship and the impact it had on this highly talented but fragile woman, whose cultural and social influence is fast approaching that of Marilyn Monroe. This book lifts the lid on the controversies that have plagued her life, covers her romances and celebrates her many remarkable triumphs. Along the way, we learn much about show-business and society itself. As she enters her fifth decade in the relentless glare of the spotlight, this is a compelling and intimate portrait of the real Britney and brings her story up to date, revealing what will come next for this fascinating star, who has perfected the art of reinvention. **Lady Gaga The Unauthorized Biography** [Michael O'Mara Books](#) Today one of the most successful music stars in the world, Lady Gaga fast became a household name after the release of her first album, *The Fame*, in 2008. Now noted as much for her flamboyant dress sense and extravagant live performances as her undoubted musical ability, Lady Gaga fascinates fans and critics alike. A throwback to the glam rock entertainers David Bowie and Queen, Gaga is unlike any other musician performing today, and such singularity has won her numerous accolades, including five Grammy Awards and thirteen MTV Video Music Awards, as well as being listed by *Time* magazine as one of the world's most influential people. *Lady Gaga: The Unauthorized Biography* charts this remarkable young woman's rise to the very summit of musical superstardom, covering her early years at a Roman Catholic school in Manhattan, her first forays into music writing and performing, her early struggles to find a break in an industry that didn't initially appreciate her abilities, her eventual breakthrough, her philanthropic work and, of course, her look. **Hugh Grant The Unauthorised Biography** [St Martins Press](#) Traces the life of the popular British actor, looks at his major film roles, and attempts to provide a glimpse of his real personality **Engenas Lekganyane and the Early ZCC An Unauthorized History** [booksmango](#) Biography of the obscure yet legendary founder of the Zion Christian Church, Engenas Lekganyane (1885-1948) **Imagining the Global Transnational Media and Popular Culture Beyond East and West** [University of Michigan Press](#) A focused multisited cultural analysis that reflects on the symbiotic relationship between the local, the national, and the global **Branson Behind the Mask** [Faber & Faber](#) The image remains pristine: a charismatic high-school dropout turned billionaire, whose stratospheric rise and daring exploits have won him millions of enduring admirers and made him a model for aspiring entrepreneurs throughout the world. But is this story still credible? Over the last decade, has Branson matched the expectations perpetuated by Virgin's relentless publicity machine? Or have we all been seduced by a brilliant showman? In his most explosive book to date, Tom Bower, bestselling biographer of Simon Cowell, Bernie Ecclestone, Conrad Black and Robert Maxwell, dares to explore the reality of the Branson empire. In doing so, he unravels the gripping story of his recent activities - from the astonishing success of mobile phones to his troubled airlines and his long delayed plan to send

multimillionaires into space - and asks whether he really remains Britain's heroic buccaneer. **States of Inquiry Social Investigations and Print Culture in Nineteenth-Century Britain and the United States** [JHU Press](#) Oz Frankel explores the nineteenth-century roots of the modern "information state," especially the roles of investigative projects and official reports in embedding the state in print culture and refashioning the politics of representation. **Broken Dreams Vanity, Greed And The Souring of British Football** [Simon and Schuster](#) Greedy, vain and ambitious personalities dominate English football. From the author of devastating exposes of Mohamed Fayed, Richard Branson and, most recently, Geoffrey Robinson, *BROKEN DREAMS* is a superbly incisive account of how self-interested individuals, adopting questionable and predatory business methods, are exploiting the sport of football to earn billions of pounds and huge glory. Focusing on key figures including Terry Venables, Ken Bates, David Dein, Harry Redknapp, Rio Ferdinand and other famous agents, chairmen and managers, Tom Bower exposes the money, the politics, and the vicious battles behind the beautiful game. For the first time a non-sports writer reveals the vanity and greed which endanger the national sport. **The Perfect English Spy Sir Dick White and the Secret War, 1935-90** [Random House \(UK\)](#) Sir Dick White was Britain's greatest spymaster for over 35 years. In an unprecedented succession of conversations over 11 years, White disclosed and discussed his career with Tim Bower. He provides a unique insight into crucial events & famous spies. **One Direction Behind the Scenes** [Turtleback](#) For use in schools and libraries only. Go behind the scenes with One Direction in this scrapbook, filled with never-before-seen pictures. **Taylor Swift: The Whole Story** [HarperCollins UK](#) The full story of Taylor Swift's stratospheric rise to fame; all any dedicated Swiftie needs to know about the pop superstar who's taking over the world. **Help! I'm Turning Into My Dad** *Help! I'm Turning Into My Dad!* is just what men need to face the world as middle-age looms over the horizon. Those DIY jobs really can wait until the weather gets better; the garden is a fine place to spend a summer Sunday afternoon; footballers are paid too much and there's no point watching that rubbish until they start winning again; does it sound familiar? Let's face it: you are turning into your Dad! You can fight it only in the same way that King Canute confronted the tide or Don Quixote tilted at windmills, bravely but in futility. This book assists you to make the transition from wide-eyed dreamer to wise old counsel. Illustrated with 50 wryly-observed cartoons and broken down into ten chapters, the carpet slippers brigade will find that *Help! I'm Turning Into My Dad!* is required reading. After all, who told you about the book in the first place? Your old dad, of course! **Wired The Short Life & Fast Times of John Belushi** [Simon and Schuster](#) This reissue of Bob Woodward's classic book about John Belushi—one of the most interesting performers and personalities in show business history—"is told with the same narrative style that Woodward employed so effectively in *All the President's Men* and *The Final Days*" (*Chicago Tribune*). John Belushi was found dead of a drug overdose March 5, 1982, in a seedy hotel bungalow off Sunset Boulevard in Hollywood. Belushi's death was the beginning of a trail that led *Washington Post* reporter Bob Woodward on an investigation that examines the dark side of American show business—TV, rock and roll, and the movie industry. From on-the-record interviews with 217 people, including Belushi's widow, his former partner Dan Aykroyd, Belushi's movie directors including Jack Nicholson and Steven Spielberg, actors Chevy Chase, Robin Williams, and Carrie Fisher, the movie executives, the agents, Belushi's drug dealers, and those who live in the show business underground, the author has written a close portrait of a great American comic talent, and of his struggle to succeed and to survive that ended in tragedy. Using diaries, accountants' records, phone bills, travel records, medical records, and interviews with firsthand witnesses, Woodward has followed Belushi's life from childhood in a small town outside Chicago to his meteoric rise to fame. Bob Woodward has written a spellbinding account of rise and fall, a cautionary tale for our times, and a poignant and gentle portrait of a young man who had so much, gave so much, and lost so much. **Boris Johnson The Gambler** [Random House](#) *Guardian* 'literary highlights of 2020' *Sunday Times* 'books to watch out for in 2020' *New Statesman* 'books to read in 2020' *Evening Standard* 'thirteen titles to look for in 2020' As divisive as he is beguiling, as misunderstood as he is scrutinised, Boris Johnson is a singular figure. Many of us think we know his story well. His ruthless ambition was evident from his insistence, as a three-year-old, that he would one day be 'world king'. Eton and Oxford prepared him well for a frantic career straddling the dog-eat-dog worlds of journalism and politics. His transformation from bumbling stooge on *Have I Got New for You* to a triumphant Mayor of London was overshadowed only by his colourful personal life, brimming with affairs, scandals and transgressions. His ascent to Number 10 in the wake of the acrimonious, era-defining Brexit referendum would prove to be only the first act in an epic drama that saw him play both hero and villain - from proroguing parliament to his controversial leadership of the Covid-19 Crisis, all against the backdrop of divorce, marriage, the birth of his sixth child, revolts among Tory MPs and the countdown to Brexit. Yet despite his celebrity, decades of media scrutiny, the endless vitriol of his critics and the enduring adoration of his supporters, there is so much we've never understood about Boris - until now. Previous biographies have either dismissed him as a lazy, deceitful opportunist or been transfixed by his charm, wit and drive. Both approaches fall short, and so many questions about Boris remain unanswered. What seismic events of his childhood have evaded scrutiny? How has he so consistently defied the odds, proved his critics wrong, and got away with increasingly reckless gambles? What were his real achievements and failures as Mayor of London, what was really going on during his time as Foreign Secretary, and why did he write two articles for the *Telegraph*, one in favour of Leave and the other for Remain? How have the women in his life exerted more influence than any of us realise, and why is his story ultimately one overshadowed by family secrets? Based on a wealth of new interviews and research, this is the deepest, most rounded and most comprehensive portrait to date of the man, the mind, the politics, the affairs, the family - of a loner, a lover, a leader. Revelatory, unsettling and compulsively readable, it is the most timely and indispensable book yet from Britain's leading investigative biographer. **The New Financial Order Risk in the 21st Century** [Princeton University Press](#) In his best-selling *Irrational Exuberance*, Robert Shiller cautioned that society's obsession with the stock market was fueling the volatility that has since made a roller coaster of the financial system. Less noted was Shiller's admonition that our infatuation with the stock market distracts us from more durable economic prospects. These lie in the hidden potential of real assets, such as income from our livelihoods and homes. But these "ordinary riches," so fundamental to our well-being, are increasingly exposed to the pervasive risks of a rapidly changing global economy. This compelling and important new book presents a fresh vision for hedging risk and securing our economic future. Shiller describes six fundamental ideas for using modern information technology and advanced financial theory to temper basic risks that have been ignored by risk management institutions--risks to the value of our jobs and our homes, to the vitality of our communities, and to the very stability of national economies. Informed by a comprehensive risk information database, this new financial order would include global markets for trading risks and exploiting myriad new financial opportunities, from inequality insurance to intergenerational social security. Just as developments in insuring risks to life, health, and catastrophe have given us a

quality of life unimaginable a century ago, so Shiller's plan for securing crucial assets promises to substantially enrich our condition. Once again providing an enormous service, Shiller gives us a powerful means to convert our ordinary riches into a level of economic security, equity, and growth never before seen. And once again, what Robert Shiller says should be read and heeded by anyone with a stake in the economy. **One Direction: Who We Are: Our Official Autobiography** [Harper Collins](#) *SUNDAY TIMES #1 BESTSELLER* For the first time EVER, global superstars One Direction are releasing their 100% official autobiography, offering a new, intimate insight into their lives as never before seen or heard! **Free, Melania The Unauthorized Biography** [Flatiron Books](#) The first behind-the-scenes look at the life of the most enigmatic First Lady in U.S. history Melania Trump is an enigma. Regardless of your political leanings, she is fascinating—a First Lady who, in many ways, is the most modern and groundbreaking in recent history. A former model whose beauty in person leaves people breathless, a woman whose upbringing in a communist country spurred a relentless drive for stability, both for herself and for her family. A reluctant pillar in a controversial presidential administration who speaks five languages and runs the East Wing like none of her predecessors ever could—underestimate her at your own peril (as a former government official did and was summarily fired). But who is she really? In *Free, Melania* we get an insider's look at Melania Trump, from her childhood in Slovenia to her days in the White House, and everything in between. We see the Trump family dynamics that Melania has had to navigate, including her strained relationship with Ivanka. We get a rare glimpse into what goes into her famous and sometimes infamous clothing choices (including perhaps the real message behind Melania's controversial jacket, "I Really Don't Care, Do U?", which she wore while visiting the U.S.-Mexico border), and how a publicly quiet Melania actually speaks very loudly—if you just know where, and how, to listen. And we get a behind-the-scenes look at her often eyebrow-raising relationship with Donald Trump, from their beginnings to becoming the most unusual First Family in modern history. Looking at Melania in the pantheon of historic First Ladies, Kate Bennett shows just how different Melania Trump is and why she matters. Bennett, an expert on First Ladies, has unparalleled access to Melania's very small and loyal inner circle. As she shows in this page-turning book, the seemingly most reluctant First Lady is, in many ways, the most compelling and complex First Lady, ever.