

## NON-FICTION BOOK GROUP: ALL YEARS

### **2023-2024**

January	<i>Brave the Wild River</i>	Melissa L. Sevigny	Garlene
February	<i>Ancestor Trouble</i>	Maud Newton	Debby
March	<i>Stiff</i>	Mary Roach	Cathy
April	<i>Fuzz</i>	Mary Roach	Stephanie
May	<i>A Mankiller</i>	Wilma Mankiller & Michael Wallis	Diana
June	<i>A Fever in the Heartland</i>	Timothy Egan	Catharine and Garlene
July	<i>The Wager</i>	David Grann	Diane
September	<i>The Fly Girls Revolt</i>	Eileen Bjorkman	Sandra
October	<i>Paved Paradise</i>	Henry Graber	Mary Pat
November	<i>Lessons from the Edge: A Memoir</i>	Marie Yovanovitch	Marty
December	<i>Free</i>	Laureen Kessler	Susan

### **2022-2023**

*The Radium Girls: The Dark Story of America's Shining Women*, by Kate Moore

*Riverman: An American Odyssey*, by Ben McGrath

*Book of Ages: The Life and Opinions of Jane Franklin*, by Jill Lapore

*Twelve Patients: Life and Death at Bellevue Hospital*, by Eric Manheimer

*Aloha Rodeo: Three Hawaiian Cowboys, the World's Greatest Rodeo and a Hidden History of the American West*, by David Wolman and Julian Smith

*Autism in Heels: A Memoir*, by Jennifer O'Toole

*Bad Blood: A Walk Along the Irish Border*, by Colm Toibin

*Bitch: On the Female of the Species*, by Lucy Cooke

*The Last Slave Ship: The True Story of How Clotilda Was Found, Her Descendants, and an Extraordinary Reckoning*, by Ben Raines

*The Great Stewardess Rebellion: How Women Launched a Workplace Revolution at 30,000 Feet*, by Nell McShane Wulfart

*These Precious Days: Essays*, by Ann Patchett

### **2021-2022**

*The Language of Butterflies*, by Wendy Williams

*Tightrope: Americans Reaching for Hope*, by Nicholas D. Kristof & Sheryl We Dunn

*Susan, Linda, Nina and Cokie: The Extraordinary Story of the Founding Mothers of NPR*, by Lisa Napoli

*Stubborn Twig: Three Generations in the Life of a Japanese American Family*, by Lauren Kessler

*The Feather Thief: Beauty, Obsession, and the Natural History Heist of the Century*, by Kirk Wallace Johnson

*The Book of Eels*, by Patrik Svensson

*The World in a Grain: The Story of Sand and How it Transformed Civilization*, by Vince Beiser

*Yellow Bird: Oil, Murder, and a Woman's Search for Justice in Indian Country*, by Sierra Crane Murdoch

*The Code Breaker: Jennifer Doudna, Gene Editing and the Future of the Human Race*, by Walter Isaacson

*The Spirit Catches You and You Fall Down: A Hmong Child, Her American Doctors and the Collision of Two Cultures*, by Ann Fadiman

*The Woman They Could Not Silence: One Woman, Her Incredible Fight for Freedom and the Men Who Tried to Make Her Disappear*, by Kate Moore

## **2020-2021**

*The Library Book*, by Susan Orlean

*Breath: The New Science of a Lost Art*, by James Nestor

*White Rage: The Unspoken Truth of Our Racial Divide*, by Carol Anderson

*The Devil in the Grove: Thurgood Marshall, the Groveland Boys, and the Dawn of a New America*, by Gilbert King

*How to be An Anti-Racist*, by Ibram X. Kendi

*Spare Parts: Four Undocumented Teenagers, One Ugly Robot and the Battle for the American Dream*, by Joshua Davis

*Caste*, by Isabel Wilkerson

*Gathering Moss: A Natural and Cultural History of Mosses*, by Robin Wall Kimmerer

*The Cloudspotters Guide: The Science, History and Culture of Clouds*, by Gavin Protor-Phinney

*Donut Economics: 7 Ways to Think Like a 21<sup>st</sup> Century Economist*, by Kate Haworth

*On Call in the Arctic: A Doctor's Pursuit of Love, Life and Miracles in the Alaskan Arctic*, by Thomas J. Sims

*The Story of More: How We Got to Climate Change and Where to go From Here*, by Hope Jahren

## **2019-2020**

*Showdown: Thurgood Marshall and the Supreme Court Nomination that Changed America*, by Wil Haygood

*Growing a Revolution: Bringing Our Soil Back to Life*, by David R. Montgomery

*Factfulness: Ten Reasons We're Wrong About the World and Why Things are Better than you Think*, by Hans Rosling, with Ola Rosling and Anna Rosling Rönnlund

*Educated*, by Janet Wallach

*Sisters-in-Law: How Sandra Day O'Connor and Ruth Bader Ginsburg Went to the Supreme Court and Changed the World*, by Linda Hirshman

*Amateur: A True Story About What Makes a Man: A Reckoning with Gender, Identity and Masculinity*, by Thomas Page McBee

## **2018-2019**

*Grace and Grit: My Fight for Equal Pay and Fairness at Goodyear and Beyond*, by Lily Ledbetter and Lanier Scott Isom

*Soul of the Octopus: A Surprising Exploration into the Wonder of Consciousness*, by Sy Montgomery

*Between the World and Me*, by Ta-Nehisi Coates

*The Lemon Tree: An Arab, a Jew, and the Heart of the Middle East*, by Sandy Tolan

*Blue Highways: A Journey Into America*, by William Least Heat-Moon

*Braiding Sweetgrass: Indigenous Wisdom, Scientific Knowledge and the Teachings of Plants*, by Robin Wall Kimmerer

*The Warmth of Other Suns*, by Isabel Wilkerson

*Just Mercy: A Story of Justice and Redemption*, by Bryan Stevenson

*The Children of Willesden Lane: Beyond the Kindertransport: A Memoir of Music, Love and Survival*, Mona Golabek and Lee Cohen

*This House of Sky*, by Ivan Doig

*Who Cooked Adam Smith's Dinner*, by Katrine Marcal

*How to Change Your Mind: What the New Science of Psychedelics Teaches Us About Consciousness, Dying, Addiction, Depression, and Transcendence*, by Michael Pollan

*The Trials of Nina McCall: Sex, Surveillance and the Decades-Long Government Plan to Imprison "Promiscuous Women"*, by Scott Stern

*The Moment of Lift – How Empowering Women Changes the World*, by Melinda Gates

*UnBowed: A Memoir*, by Wangari Maathai

*Women Rowing North: Navigating Life's Currents and Flourishing As We Age*, by Mary Pipher

*Prisoners of Geography: Ten Maps That Explain Everything About the World*, by Tim Marshall

*Biased: Uncovering the Hidden Prejudice that Shapes What We See, Think and Do*, by Jennifer L. Everhardt

## **2017-2018**

*The Sound of Gravel*, by Ruth Wariner

*American Nations: A History of the Eleven Regional Culture of North America*, by Colin Woodard

*Have a Little Faith: A True Story*, by Mitch Albom

*Midnight in Siberia*, by David Greene

*Rain: A Natural and Cultural History*, by Cynthia Barnett

*Hidden Girl: The True Story of a Modern Day Child Slave Ship*, by Shyima Hall

*Killers of the Flower Moon: The Osage Murders and the Birth of the FBI*, by David Grann

*Hillbilly Elegy: A Memoir of a Family and Culture in Crisis*, by J.D. Vance

*Chasing the Scream: The First and Last Days of the War on Drugs*, by Johann Hari

*West with the Night*, by Beryl Markham

*Eleanor and Franklin: An Extraordinary Marriage*, by Hazel Rowley

### **2016-2017**

*The Snowden Files: The inside story of the world's most wanted man*, by Luke Harding

*The Spiral Staircase: My Climb Out of Darkness*, by Karen Armstrong

*Nicked and Dimed*, by Barbara Ehrenreich

*The Seventh Sense: Power, Fortune, and Survival in the Age of Networks*, by Joshua Cooper Ramo

*The Immortal Life of Henriette Lacks*, by Rebecca Skloot

*The Rainbow Comes and Goes*, by Anderson Cooper

*Being Mortal: Medicine and What Matters in the End*, by Atul Gawand

*The Forest Unseen: A Year's Watch in Nature*, by David Haskell