NEW ISRAELI LITERATURE IN TRANSLATION
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The First Mrs. Rothschild by Sara Aharoni (translated by Yardenne Greenspan)
Amazon Crossing, 7/2019

To the Edge of Sorrow by Aharon Appelfeld (translated by Stuart Schoffman)
Schocken Books, 1/2020

The English Teacher by Yiftach Reicher Atir (translated by Philip Simpson)
Penguin, 2016 *in paperback*

Final Stop, Algiers by Mishka Ben-David (translated by Ronnie Hope)
Overlook Press, 2017 *paperback available*

The Teacher by Michal Ben-Naftali (translated by Daniella Zamir)
Open Letter, 1/2020

An Egyptian Novel by Orly Castel-Bloom (translated by Todd Hasak-Lowy)
Dalkey Archive Press, 2017 *in paperback*
See Also: Textile (2013), Dolly City (2010), Human Parts (2004)

The Coincidence Makers by Yoav Blum (translated by Ira Moskowitz)
St. Martin’s, 2018

The Orchard by Yochi Brandes (translated by Daniel Libenson)
Gefen, 2018 *in paperback*
See Also: The Secret Book of Kings (2016)

Muck by Dror Burstein (translated by Gabriel Levin)
Farrar Straus & Giroux, 2018
See Also: Netanya (2013), Kin (2012)

A Spy in Exile by Jonathan de Shalit (translated by Steven Cohen)
Atria Books, 2019 *paperback available 10/2019*
See Also: Traitor (2018)

Ring of Lies by Roni Dunevich (translated by Sara Kitai)
Harper Collins, 2016
The Hilltop by Assaf Gavron (translated by Steven Cohen)  
Scribner, 2014  
See Also: Tel Aviv Noir (2014)

A Horse Walks into a Bar by David Grossman (translated by Jessica Cohen)  
Knopf, 2017 *paperback available*  
2017 National Jewish Book Award Winner: Fiction; 2017 Man Booker International Prize: Winner  
See Also: Falling Out of Time (2014), To the End of the Land (2010), Lion’s Honey (2006), Her Body Knows (2005), Someone to Run With (2004)

The Liar by Ayelet Gundar-Goshen (translated by Sondra Silverston)  
Little Brown, 9/2019  
See Also: Waking Lions (2017), One Night, Markovitch (2015)

The Last Bullet Calls It by Amir Gutfreund (translated by Evan Fallenberg & Yardenne Greenspan)  
Amazon Crossing, 2017 *in paperback*  
See Also: Our Holocaust (2012), The World a Moment Later (2008)

Last Instructions by Nir Hezroni (translated by Steven Cohen)  
Thomas Dunne Books, 2018  
See Also: Three Envelopes (2017)

Second Person Singular by Sayed Kashua (translated by Mitch Ginsburg)  
Grove Press, 2012 *in paperback*  
See Also: Native: Dispatches from an Israeli-Palestinian Life (2016), Let It Be Morning (2006), Dancing Arabs (2004)

Fly Already: Stories by Etgar Keret  
(translated by Sondra Silverston, Nathan Englander, Jessica Cohen, Miriam Shlesinger, Yardenne Greenspan)  
Riverhead Books, 9/2019  

And the Bride Closed the Door by Ronit Matalon (translated by Jessica Cohen)  
New Vessel Press, 10/2019  
See Also: The Sound of Our Steps (2015), Bliss (2003), The One Facing Us (1998)

The Man Who Wanted to Know Everything by D.A. Mishani (translated by Todd Hasak-Lowy)  
HarperCollins, 2016 *in paperback*  
See Also: The Missing File (2013), A Possibility of Violence (2014)

The Ruined House by Ruby Namdar (translated by Hillel Halkin)  
HarperCollins, 2017 *paperback available*  
Winner of the 2014 Sapir Prize
Three Floors Up by Eshkol Nevo (translated by Sondra Silverston)  
Other Press, 2017 *in paperback*

2017 National Jewish Book Award: Book Club Finalist and Fiction Finalist  
See Also: Homesick (2010)

Judas by Amos Oz (translated by Nicholas de Lange)  
Houghton Mifflin Harcourt, 2016 *paperback available*

2017 Man Booker International Prize: Short List  

All the Rivers by Dorit Rabinyan (translated by Jessica Cohen)  
Random House, 2017  

The Diamond Setter by Moshe Sakal (translated by Jessica Cohen)  
Other Press, 2018 *in paperback*

Two She-Bears by Meir Shalev (translated by Stuart Schoffman)  
Schocken Books, 2016

2016 National Jewish Book Award: Book Club Finalist  

Pain by Zeruya Shalev (translated by Sondra Silverston)  
Other Press, 11/2019  

Asylum City by Liad Shoham (translated by Sara Kitai)  
HarperCollins, 2014 *paperback available*  
See Also: Lineup (2013)

The Best Place on Earth: Stories by Ayelet Tshabari  
Random House, 2016

2015 Sami Rohr Prize Winner; 2016 Edward Lewis Wallant Award Recipient  
See Also: The Art of Leaving: A Memoir (2019)

The Tunnel by A.B. Yehoshua (translated by Stuart Schoffman)  
Houghton Mifflin Harcourt, 1/2020  

The Beauty Queen of Jerusalem by Sarit Yishai-Levi (translated by Anthony Berris)  
Thomas Dunne/Randome House, 2016

Passport to Death by Yigal Zur (translated by Sara Kitai)  
Oceanview, 11/2019  
See Also: Death in Shangri-La (2018)
NEW NOVELS ABOUT OR SET IN ISRAEL:

*What to Do About the Solomons* by Bethany Ball (Grove, 2017) *paperback available*
2017 National Jewish Book Awards: Debut Fiction Finalist

*Kaddish.com* by Nathan Englander (Knopf, 2019)
See Also: *Dinner at the Center of the Earth* by Nathan Englander (2017),
*What We Talk About When We Talk About Anne Frank: Stories* (2012),

*The Parting Gift* by Evan Fallenberg (Other Press, 2018)

*Promised Land: A Novel of Israel* by Martin Fletcher (St. Martin’s, 2018)
2018 National Jewish Book Awards: Book Club Finalist

*Eternal Life* by Dara Horn (WW Norton, 2018) *paperback available*
JQ Wingate Literary Prize 2019 Short List; Booklist Editors’ Choice 2018

*Evacuation* by Raphael Jerusalmy (translated from French by Penny Hueston; Text Publishing 12/2019)
JQ Wingate Literary Prize 2019 Short List
See Also: *Saving Mozart* (2013)

*Forest Dark* by Nicole Krauss (HarperCollins, 2017) *paperback available*

*Tenants and Cobwebs* by Samir Naqqash (translated from Arabic by Sadok Masliyah & Nancy E. Berg;
Syracuse University, 2018)

*The Two-Plate Solution* by Jeff Oliver (Bancroft Press, 2018)

*The Worlds We Think We Know: Stories* by Dalia Rosenfeld (Milkweed, 2017) *in paperback*
2019 Sami Rohr Choice Award

*Sadness Is a White Bird* by Moriel Rothman-Zecher (Atria, 2018) *paperback available*
2018 National Jewish Book Awards: Debut Fiction Finalist

*The Book of Love and Hate* by Lauren Sanders (Akashic, 2017) *in paperback*

*Holy Lands* by Amanda Sthers (translated from French; Bloomsbury, 2019)
See Also: The film, directed by the author, will be released on DVD 7/2019

*Unholy Land* by Lavie Tidhar (Tachyon Publications, 2018) *in paperback*