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**March 31st 2021: The Future of Mystery Writers:  
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The Buzz: The first modern 'detective story' is considered to be The Murders in the Rue Morgue by Edgar Allan Poe. First published in the April 1841 issue of Graham's Magazine, the short story is about an amateur detective who sets out to solve the murders of a mother and daughter within a locked room of their apartment. (<https://www.biblio.com/blog/2020/01/a-brief-history-of-mystery-books/#>) The first mystery novel: Wilkie Collins's The Woman in White (1859). The Moonstone (1868): the first detective novel. The Woman in White is a gripping tale of murder, madness and mistaken identity tha

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#### Featured Guests



##### John Thibault

A. J. Thibault is an award-winning author, novelist and screenwriter. He has written over twenty screenplays and three novels. His western paranormal mystery "Ghost Town" was an Award Winner in the Horror: Supernatural/Paranormal category of the 2021 American Fiction Awards. In addition, he is the author of the thriller "Deadly Serious," published by Encircle Publications. He also authored the #1 international bestseller "How to Change a Law," a 2017 Reader's Favorite Gold Medal Winner, and a Finalist in the 11th Annual National Indie Excellence Book Awards. He is a member of Mystery Writers of America and the International Thriller Writers. He received his bachelor's degree from Ryerson Un

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##### Matt Cost

Over the years, Matt Cost has owned a video store, a mystery bookstore, and a gym. He has also taught history and coached just about every sport imaginable. During those years, since age eight actually, the true passion has been writing. I Am Cuba: Fidel Castro and the Cuban Revolution (Encircle Publications, March 2020) was his first traditionally published novel. Mainely Money is the third in the Mainely Mystery series featuring private detective Goff Langdon. It was preceded by Mainely Power and Mainely Fear. A new thriller series debuts in June with Wolfe Trap, to be followed by Mind Trap, and Mouse Trap. Cost now spends his days at the computer, writing.

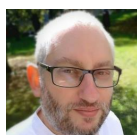
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##### Eddie Vincent

Eddie Vincent, publisher and co-owner of Encircle Publications, also owns ENC Graphic Services, helping self-publishing author publish their books. He has been in the publishing field for over thirty years. Eddie is also the President of Independent Publishers of New England (IPNE.org).

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##### Chris Wheatley

Chris Wheatley is a writer and journalist from Oxford, UK. He has far too many guitars, far too many records, and not enough cats.

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