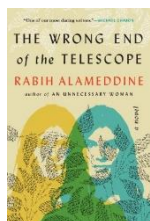




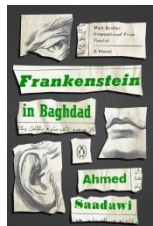
## Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion Booklist

### Adult Fiction



Alameddine, Rabih. [The Wrong End of the Telescope](#)

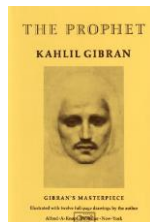
Cunningly weaving in stories of other refugees into Mina's singular own, *The Wrong End of the Telescope* is a bedazzling tapestry of both tragic and amusing portraits of indomitable spirits facing a humanitarian crisis.



Sa'dawī, Aḥmad. [Frankenstein in Baghdad : a novel](#)

After he constructs a corpse from body parts found on the street, Hadi wants the government to prepare a proper burial, but when the corpse goes missing, a series of strange murders occur and Hadi realizes he has created a monster.

### Adult Non-Fiction



Gibran, Kahlil. [The Prophet](#)

One of the most beloved classics of our time--a collection of poetic essays that are philosophical, spiritual, and, above all, inspirational. Published in 1923, Gibran's masterpiece has been translated into more than twenty languages.

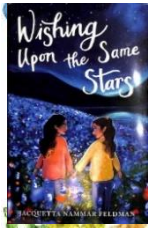


Salman, Ayser. [The Wrong End of the Table : a mostly comic memoir of a Muslim Arab American woman just trying to fit in](#)

What happens when a shy, awkward Arab girl with a weird name and an unfortunate propensity toward facial hair is uprooted from her comfortable

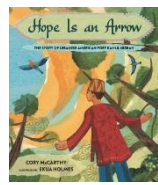
homeland of Iraq, and thrust into the cold, alien town of Columbus, Ohio, with its Egg McMuffins, Barbie dolls, and kids playing doctor everywhere?

## Family and Children's



Feldman, Jacquetta Nammar. [Wishing Upon the Same Stars](#)

Young Yasmeen Khoury and her family have moved from Detroit to San Antonio, leaving her friends and Arab Christian community behind. She soon makes friends with a Mexican boy, and her Jewish neighbor, but it seems like she cannot escape the ethnic tensions that swirl around her.



McCarthy, Cory. [Hope is an Arrow : the story of Lebanese American poet Kahlil Gibran](#)

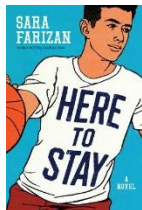
How could Kahlil Gibran be both Arab American and the immigrant Lebanese boy who longed for the mountains of his homeland? Kahlil found the answer in art becoming third-best-selling poet of all time.

## Teen Fiction



Courtney, Nadine Jolie. [All-American Muslim Girl](#)

Sixteen-year-old Allie, aged seven when she knew her family was different and feared, struggles to claim her Muslim and Arabic heritage while finding her place as an American teenager.



Farizan, Sara. [Here to Stay](#)

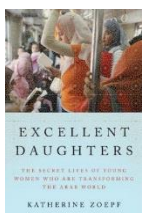
When a cyberbully sends the entire high school a picture of basketball hero Bijan Majidi, photo-shopped to look like a terrorist, the school administration promises to find and punish the culprit, but Bijan just wants to pretend the incident never happened and move on.

## Teen Non-Fiction



Tolan, Sandy. [The Lemon Tree : an Arab, a Jew, and the heart of the Middle East](#)

Sandy Tolan brings the Israeli-Palestinian conflict down to its most human level, demonstrating that even amid the bleakest political realities there exist stories of hope and transformation.



Zoepf, Katherine. [Excellent Daughters : the secret lives of young women who are transforming the Arab world](#)

Deeply informed, heartfelt and urgent, Excellent Daughters brings us a new understanding of changing Arab societies and gives voice to the remarkable women at the forefront of this change.