

# The Awkward Squad Maclehorse Press Editions

Are you tired of reading the same old crime novels that follow predictable plots and introduce cliched characters? Are you looking for something fresh and exciting in the crime fiction genre? Look no further, as Maclehorse Press brings you the critically acclaimed "The Awkward Squad" series, featuring unconventional detectives that will keep you on the edge of your seat.

## Unravel the Intrigue

Maclehorse Press, known for its commitment to publishing exceptional international crime fiction, presents "The Awkward Squad" series. Translated from the original French novels by Sophie Henriksson, these editions bring to life the quirky team of detectives led by Superintendent Anne Capestan. As the title suggests, this squad is a collection of outcasts and misfits from the French police force, assigned to solve cold cases that nobody else cares about.

Each installment of "The Awkward Squad" introduces readers to a new case that challenges the team's unconventional methods of investigation. From unorthodox approaches to peculiar quirks, these detectives captivate readers with their unpredictability and unparalleled determination. While the characters may come off as awkward initially, readers soon find themselves invested in their stories and rooting for their success.

## The Awkward Squad (MacLehorse Press Editions

**Book 3)** by Sophie Hénaff (Kindle Edition)

★★★★☆ 4.1 out of 5

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Text-to-Speech : Enabled



Screen Reader : Supported  
Enhanced typesetting: Enabled  
Word Wise : Enabled  
Print length : 255 pages



## Meet the Quirky Investigators

From a former hippie to an alcoholic aristocrat, and a pigeon collector to a disturbed petty criminal-turned-detective, "The Awkward Squad" showcases a diverse range of characters, each with their fascinating personalities and backgrounds. Maclehose Press beautifully captures the essence of these idiosyncratic detectives, making them incredibly relatable despite their flaws.

Superintendent Anne Capestan, the team's leader, brings her own baggage and a fresh perspective to solving crimes. She is the glue that holds the squad together, and readers are drawn to her resilience and unwavering dedication. Furthermore, the supporting characters display an array of traits that add depth and complexity to the narrative, making each member of the squad memorable in their own right.

## Engage in Riveting Plots

"The Awkward Squad" Maclehose Press editions are a treat for readers who crave compelling mysteries with unconventional twists. These novels excel at creating intricate and unpredictable plots that keep readers guessing until the very end. The stories are peppered with unexpected turns, red herrings, and

surprising revelations, all written with masterful storytelling that grips readers from start to finish.

Not only does "The Awkward Squad" entertain, but it also provides insightful commentary on social issues. Sophie Henriksson's writing delves into the complexities of the criminal justice system, highlighting the flaws and bureaucracy that hinder effective policing. Through the lens of these awkward detectives, readers are encouraged to question established norms and challenge the status quo.

## Why You Should Read "The Awkward Squad" Maclehorse Press Editions

If you are tired of mainstream crime novels that follow a formulaic approach, "The Awkward Squad" Maclehorse Press editions are the perfect escape. These books breathe new life into the crime fiction genre, offering relatable characters, engrossing plots, and thought-provoking themes that will leave you craving for more.

So, what are you waiting for? Dive into the world of "The Awkward Squad" and immerse yourself in the extraordinary investigations of these unconventional detectives. Get ready for an addictive reading experience that will have you eagerly anticipating the next installment.



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Suspended from her job as a promising police officer for firing "one bullet too many", Anne Capestan is expecting the worst when she is summoned to H.Q. to learn her fate. Instead, she is surprised to be told that she is to head up a new police squad, working on solving old cold cases.

Though relieved to still have a job, Capestan is not overjoyed by the prospect of her new role. Even less so when she meets her new team: a crowd of misfits, troublemakers and problem cases, none of whom are fit for purpose and yet none of whom can be fired.

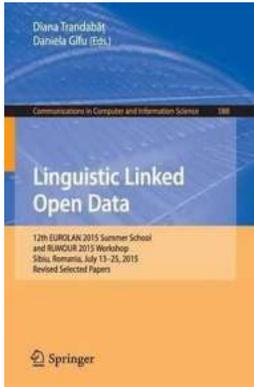
But from this inauspicious start, investigating the cold cases throws up a number a number of strange mysteries for Capestan and her team: was the old lady murdered seven years ago really just the victim of a botched robbery? Who was behind the dead sailor discovered in the Seine with three gunshot wounds? And why does there seem to be a curious link with a ferry that was shipwrecked off the Florida coast many years previously?

Translated from the French by Sam Gordon



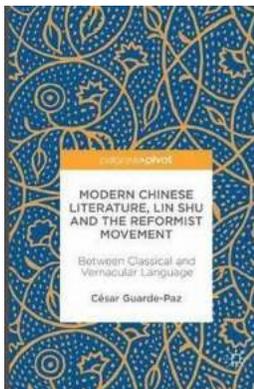
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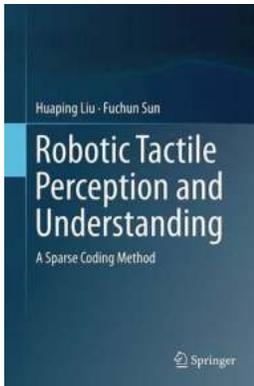
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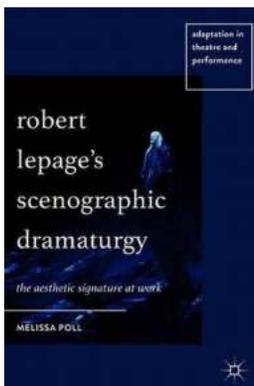
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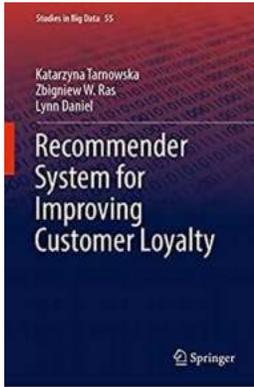
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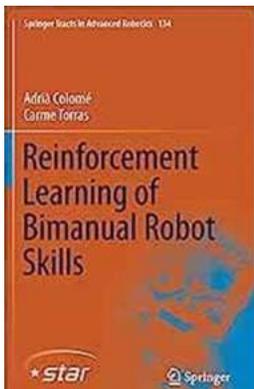
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