

# WINNER! 2016 National Book Awards—Young People's Literature

# March: Book Three

by Congressman John Lewis, Andrew Aydin, and Nate Powell

A first-hand account of the author's lifelong struggle for civil and human rights spans his youth in rural Alabama, his life-changing meeting with Martin Luther King, Jr., and the birth of the Nashville Student Movement.

# 2016 NBA FINALISTS:

Raymie Nightingale by Kate DiCamillo

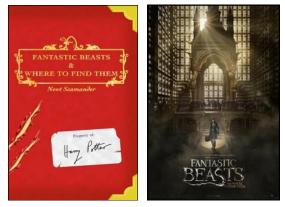
When the Sea Turned to Silver by Grace Lin

Ghost by Jason Reynolds

The Sun Is Also a Star by Nicola Yoon

# **INK TO IMAGE:** Read it, then... See it!

In Theaters: (11/18/2016)



Fantastic Beasts and Where to Find Them

On DVD: (11/29/2016)

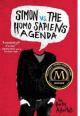




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# BEST TEEN BOOKS OF 2016

These titles were selected from YALSA (Young Adult Library Services Association) Top 10 selections for 2016.



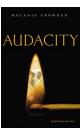
## Simon vs. the Homo Sapiens Agenda by Becky Albertalli

Sixteen-year-old and not-so-openly gay Simon Spier prefers to save his drama for the school musical. But when an email falls into the wrong hands, his secret is at risk of being thrust into the spotlight. Now change-averse Simon has to find a way to step out of his comfort zone before he's pushed out—without alienating his friends, compromising himself, or fumbling a shot at happiness with the most confusing, adorable guy he's never met.

# Six of Crows by Leigh Bardugo

Ketterdam: a bustling hub of international trade where anything can be had for the right price--and no one knows that better than criminal prodigy Kaz Brekker. Kaz is offered a chance at a deadly heist that could make him rich beyond his wildest dreams. But he can't pull it off alone. Kaz teams up with five dangerous outcasts for one impossible heist. Kaz's crew is the only thing that might stand between the world and destruction--if they don't kill each other first.





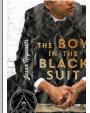
## Audacity by Melanie Crowder

Clara Lemlich is a spirited young woman who emigrates from Russia to New York at the turn of the 20th century. Bucking traditional Jewish family and societal norms, Clara refuses to accept substandard working conditions in the factories on Manhattan's Lower East Side. For years, Clara devotes herself to the labor fight, speaking up for those who suffer in silence. In time, she convinces the women in the factories to strike, organize, and unionize, culminating in the famous Uprising of the 20,000.

## Shadowshaper by Daniel Jose Older

When the murals painted on the walls of her Brooklyn neighborhood start to change and fade in front of her, Sierra Santiago realizes that something strange is going on. Then, she discovers her Puerto Rican family are shadowshapers, people who are capable of magic that infuses ancestral spirits into paintings, music, and stories, and finds herself in a battle with an evil anthropologist for the lives of her family and friends.





## The Boy in the Black Suit by Jason Reynolds

Matt wears a black suit every day. No, not because his mom died—although she did, and it sucks. But, for his gig at the local funeral home. Then Matt meets Lovey who has been through more crazy stuff than Matt can imagine. Yet Lovey never cries because she is tough. Tough in the way Matt wishes he could be. He is drawn to her, because there's nothing more hopeful than finding a person who understands your loneliness—and who can maybe even help take it away.

## Challenger Deep by Neal Schusterman

Caden Bosch lives in two worlds. One is his real life with his family, his friends, and high school. There he is paranoid for no reason, thinks people are trying to kill him, and demonstrates obsessive compulsive behaviors. In his other world, he's part of the crew for a pirate captain on a voyage to the Challenger Deep, the ocean's deepest trench. There he's paranoid, wary of the mercurial captain and his mutinous parrot, and tries hard to interpret the mutterings of his fellow shipmates as they sail uncharted waters toward unknown dangers. Slowly, Caden's fantasy and paranoia begin to take over, until his parents have only one choice left.





## More Happy Than Not by Adam Silvera

After enduring his father's suicide, his own suicide attempt, broken friendships, and more in the Bronx projects, Aaron Soto, sixteen, is already considering the Leteo Institute's memory-alteration procedure when his new friendship with Thomas turns to unrequited love.