

## Hafsa Zayyan

### Writer - fiction

Hafsa Zayyan is half-Nigerian, half-Pakistani and was born and raised (mostly) in the UK. She is a dispute resolution lawyer working in the City of London, and is also the author of *We Are All Birds of Uganda*, the winner of MerkyBooks' inaugural New Writer's Prize. Other work includes contributions to *Of This Our Country*, a collection of essays exploring writers' relationships with Nigeria, and *Will You Read This Please?*, a collection of short stories based on real experiences focusing on mental health.



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