

David Szalay

Writer - Fiction

David Szalay was born in Montreal in 1974, moved to the UK the following year and has lived here ever since. He went to Oxford University and has written a number of radio dramas for the BBC. He won the Betty Trask Prize for his first novel [LONDON AND THE SOUTH-EAST](#) (2008, Jonathan Cape), along with the Geoffrey Faber Memorial Prize. His second and third novels, *THE INNOCENT* (2009) and *SPRING* (2011) were also published by Jonathan Cape. He was recently named one of the *Telegraph's* 'Top 20 British Writers under 40', a *Granta* Best of Young British Novelist in 2013, and in early 2016 he won the Plimpton Prize for Fiction, awarded by the *Paris Review* for an outstanding contribution to the magazine.



His most recent novel, [ALL THAT MAN IS](#), was published by Jonathan Cape in April 2016. It was shortlisted for the 2016 Man Booker Prize and won the 2016 Gordon Burn Prize, and the novel was selected as a Book of the Year by the *Guardian*, *Telegraph*, *New Statesman*, *TLS*, *Financial Times*, *The New York Times*, *The Paris Review*, *Harper's Bazaar*, *NPR* and *BBC Culture*, among others. In late 2016, David was awarded a Travel Scholarship from the Society of Authors.

His new book of stories, [TURBULENCE](#), will be published by Jonathan Cape in December 2018

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