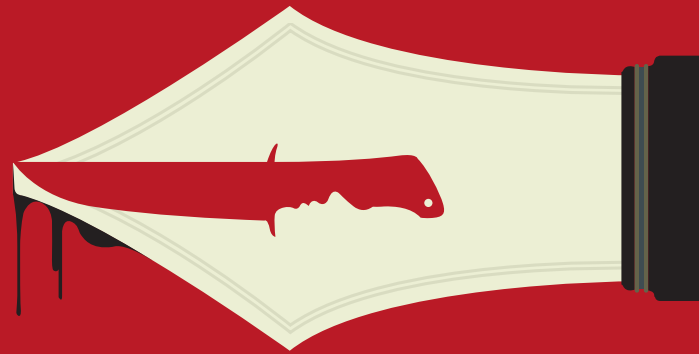


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The Dagger in the Library longlist has been announced and the ten authors that libraries across the UK and Ireland have chosen as their favourite crime authors of 2017 are as follows:

Andrew Taylor | Mari Hannah | Alison Bruce | CJ Sansom | Chris Ewan | Brian McGilloway | Nicola Upson | James Oswald | Tana French | Kate Ellis

Reading group material from the longlisted authors is available on the **Reading Groups for Everyone** and **Dagger Reads** websites so now it's time for you to get involved in the search for library readers' favourite crime fiction author of 2017. Read the books and let us know what you think on the **Reading Groups for Everyone** website!

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