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Coming-of-age. Steamy romance.
Empathy at their core.

Gaia B. Amman, Ph.D., is an Italian-born, award-winning author of steamy romance, romantasy, and coming-of-age fiction. A former cancer researcher, tenured professor of Biology, department chair, and senior editor at McGraw-Hill, Gaia has published research and commentary in international journals, including *Nature*.

Now a full-time writer, Gaia brings scientific rigor, cultural insight, and a deep curiosity about human nature to their storytelling. Their bold, character-driven stories explore identity, belonging, unconventional relationships, and the many ways we choose who we become. Across three distinct literary worlds, their work celebrates empathy, resilience, and the power of stories to challenge assumptions and bring people closer together.

14 NOVELS across three literary worlds

Ph.D. in Molecular Oncology

Former Professor & Department Chair

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THE BOOKS



EVER EFFING MORE

Dark werewolf romantasy

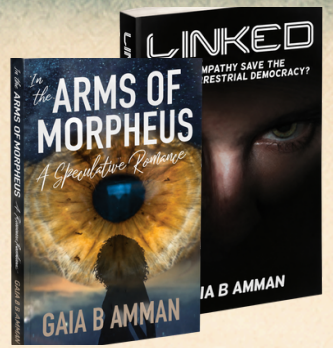
A fierce, steamy romantasy set in the Adirondacks, where found family, fated mates, polyamory, and power collide. A story of loss, resilience, and the freedom of choosing your own pack.



THE ITALIAN SAGA

Coming-of-age fiction

A sweeping series set in Italy, following a generation navigating identity, love, friendship, and the courage to build a life on their own terms.



STEAMY SPECULATIVE ROMANCES

Standalone romantasies

Bold, character-driven stories exploring desire, identity, queer love, and polyamorous relationships in imaginative worlds where connection rarely follows conventional rules.

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IN THE MEDIA

REVIEWS & RECOGNITION

Kirkus reviews· readers · awards

"Luminously messy, fun, and awkward, just like adolescence itself."

—Kirkus Reviews

"Evocative and realistic; captures the tangled feelings of young love and lust."

—Kirkus Reviews

"What a powerful novel and powerful voice! Empowering, thought-provoking and enlightening all at once."

—Cami Hensley

INTERNATIONAL BOOK AWARDS FINALIST

The Italian Saga Book 1

FEATURES & PRESENTATIONS

Selected talks· events · conversations

CREATIVEMORNINGS

THE SCIENCE OF LOVE

Featured speaker on the themes of "Finding Leda," Book 5 of The Italian Saga

PechaKucha

WHY DON'T WE TALK ABOUT SEX?

Featured speaker on the themes of "SEX-O-S," Book 4 of The Italian Saga

nature

CULTIVATE THE MUSE

Featured in Susan Moran's Nature article on scientists with parallel creative careers.

OWN YOUR CREATIVITY with ELIZABETH JOHNSTON

CREATIVITY IS WORTH IT

Featured podcast guest on the power of creativity and the duality of being a scientist and author.

PRESENTATION & PRESS

Research· commentary · coverage

Published research and commentaries in prestigious international journals including *Nature*.

Senior editor experience at McGraw-Hill. Tenured professor of Biology and university-level chair.

Interviews and features on identity, writing, and representation.

Recognized by the International Book Awards, Readers' Choice Book Awards, and Readers' Favorites Book Awards.

PRESS RESOURCES

High-resolution author photos, book covers, series information, and book description.

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SPEAKING TOPICS & CONTACT

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Author talks· panels · workshops

WRITING ACROSS IDENTITIES
Queer, nonbinary, and expansive representation in fiction as a way to understand the world around us.

FROM LAB TO FICTION
From science to fiction and the interplay between creative and analytical thinking.

BUILDING BELONGING
Exploring representation, found family, community, and the power of choice.

WORLD BUILDING WITH PLACE
The Adirondacks and Italy as characters in the story.

THE AUTHOR'S JOURNEY
Creativity, resilience, writing as a healing tool, and reinvention.

CONTACT

Media inquiries· speaking engagements · events · reviews



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Let's chat about stories, identity, science, and the power of belonging.

BOOK A TALK

> *"The love that matters is the love you give."*
> —Gaia B Amman, Creative Mornings