Science Fiction List

Literature

- 1. "The Unparalleled Adventure of One Hans Pfaall," Edgar Allan Poe (1835, US, short story)
- 2. Looking Backward, Edward Bellamy (1888, US, novel)
- 3. A Princess of Mars, Edgar Rice Burroughs (1912, US, novel)
- 4. Herland, Charlotte Perkins Gilman (1915, US, novel)
- 5. "The Comet," W.E.B. Du Bois (1920, US, short story)
- 6. Fahrenheit 451, Ray Bradbury (1951, US, novel)
- 7. Limbo, Bernard Wolfe (1952, US, novel)
- 8. The Stars My Destination, Alfred Bester (1956, US, novel)
- 9. *Venus Plus X*, Theodore Sturgeon (1960, US, novel)
- 10. Do Androids Dream of Electric Sheep?, Philip K. Dick (1968, US, novel)
- 11. The Left Hand of Darkness, Ursula K. Le Guin (1969, US, novel)
- 12. The Female Man, Joanna Russ (1975, US, novel)
- 13. "The Screwfly Solution," "The Girl Who Was Plugged In," "The Women Men Don't See," "Houston, Houston Do You Read?", James Tiptree Jr./Alice Sheldon (1977, 1973, 1973, 1976, US, novelettes, novella)
- 14. Native Tongue, Suzette Haden Elgin (1984, US, novel)
- 15. Stars in My Pocket Like Grains of Sand, Samuel R. Delany (1984, US, novel)
- 16. Neuromancer, William Gibson (1984, US-Canada, novel)
- 17. The Handmaid's Tale, Margaret Atwood (1985, Canada, novel)
- 18. The Gilda Stories, Jewelle L. Gómez (1991, US, novel; extended edition 2016)
- 19. Dawn, Octavia E. Butler (1987, US, novel); Parable of the Sower, Butler (1993, US, novel); Bloodchild and Other Stories, Butler (1995, US, short stories; extended edition 2005)
- 20. Red Spider, White Web, Misha Nogha/Misha (1990, US, novel)
- 21. The Rag Doll Plagues, Alejandro Morales (1991, US, novel)
- 22. Synners, Pat Cadigan (1991, US, novel)
- 23. *Steel Beach*, John Varley (1992, US, novel)
- 24. "Story of Your Life," Ted Chiang (1998, US, short story)
- 25. The Intuitionist, Colson Whitehead (1999, US, novel)
- 26. Salt Fish Girl, Larissa Lai (2002, Canada, novel)
- 27. Atomic Aztex, Sesshu Foster (2005, US, novel)
- 28. Lunar Braceros 2125-2148, Rosaura Sanchez and Beatrice Pita (2009, US, novel)
- 29. Annihilation, John VanderMeer (2014, US, novel)
- 30. The Fifth Season, NK Jemisin (2015, US, novel)
- 31. Everfair, Nisi Shawl (2016, US, novel)

Theory

- 32. "Utopia and Science Fiction," Raymond Williams (1978, Wales)
- 33. Selections from *Metamorphoses of Science Fiction: On the Poetics and History of a Literary Genre*, Darko Suvin (1979, Croatia)
- 34. "A Cyborg Manifesto, Donna Haraway (1985, US), Staying with the Trouble: Making Kin in the Chthulucene, Donna Haraway (2016, US)
- 35. Critical Theory and Science Fiction, Carl Freedman (2000, US)
- 36. Decoding Gender in Science Fiction, Brian Attebery (2002, US): Ch. 1, 2, 8, 9
- 37. "Googling the Cyborg," William Gibson (2003, US/Canada)
- 38. Selections from *Archaeologies of the Future: The Desire Called Utopia and Other Science Fictions*, Frederic Jameson (2005, US): Introduction, Part One: Ch 1, 2, 10, 13, Part Two: Ch 4
- 39. Speculations on Speculation: Theories of Science Fiction, James Gunn (ed) (2005, US)
- 40. Full Metal Apache: Transactions Between Cyberpunk Japan and Avant-Pop America, Takayuki Tatsumi (2006, Japan, trans): Introduction, Ch 1-2
- 41. Bodies of Tomorrow: Technology, Subjectivity, Science Fiction, Sherryl Vint (2007)
- 42. Colonialism and the Emergence of Science Fiction, John Rieder (2008, US)
- 43. "On Defining SF, Or Not: Genre Theory, SF, and History," John Rieder (2010, US)
- 44. Race in American Science Fiction, Isiah Lavender III (2011, US)
- 45. Speculative Blackness: The Future of Race in Science Fiction, André M. Carrington (2016, US)
- 46. Postcolonialism and Science Fiction, Jessica Langer (2017): Introduction, Ch 1-3, Conclusion