



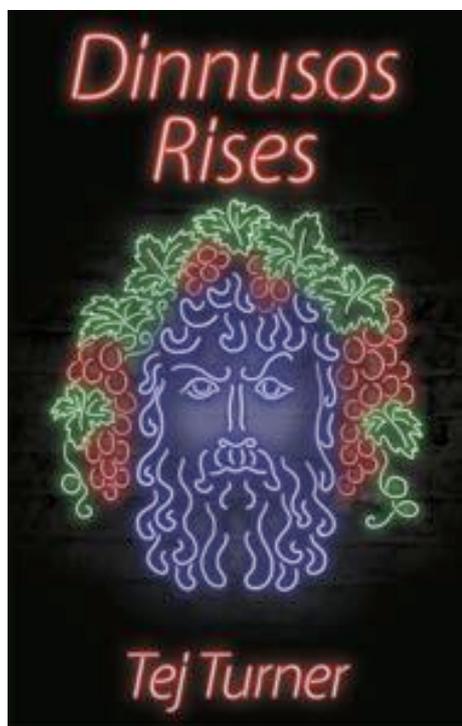
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### Archetypal grass roots activists take on the threat of alternative facts

*New urban fiction from Tej Turner tackles the malevolent influence of power and politics and its effects on society's outsiders*

**DARTFORD, KENT – 20 February 2017 – Elsewhen Press**, an independent UK publisher specialising in Speculative Fiction, is delighted to announce the forthcoming publication of *Dinnusos Rises* by British author **Tej Turner**. Set in the same urban landscape as his debut novel *The Janus Cycle*, and featuring some of the same characters along with new voices, *Dinnusos Rises* is a modern-day fantasy with a sharp tongue and a hard heart but a profound soul.



The vibe has soured somewhat after a violent clash in the Janus nightclub a few months ago, and since then Neal has opened a new establishment called ‘Dinnusos’.

Located on a derelict and forgotten side of town, it is not the sort of place you stumble upon by accident, but over time it enchants people, and soon becomes a nucleus for urban bohemians and a refuge for the city’s lost souls. Rumour has it that it was once a grand hotel, many years ago, but no one is quite sure. Whilst mingling in the bar downstairs you might find yourself in the company of poets, dreamers, outsiders, and all manner of misfits and rebels. And if you’re daring enough to explore its ghostly halls, there’s a whole labyrinth of rooms on the upper floors to get lost in...

Now it seems that not just Neal’s clientele, but the entire population of the city, begin to go crazy when beings, once thought mythological, enter the mortal realm to stir chaos as they sow the seeds of militancy.

Eight characters. Most of them friends, some of them strangers. Each with their own story to tell. All of them destined to cross paths

in a surreal sequence of events which will change them forever.

“With his new novel,” says Peter Buck, Editorial Director of Elsewhen Press, “Tej has revisited the unnamed rundown urban environment he introduced in *The Janus Cycle*. But rather than merely meeting a small, almost exclusive, community of outsiders, this time we are drawn into a series of events fueled by the dubious propagation of alternative facts, which lead to a political melée with wide implications. In its midst, the outsiders also have to deal with very real and disturbing issues on a more personal scale. The idea of the intervention of mythological creatures to try to deal with societal problems might have seemed unlikely not that long ago, but now... who knows? If recent events have taught us anything, it must surely be not to make assumptions about anyone, and question everything.”

*Dinnusos Rises* will be published in digital formats in April 2017 and in paperback in July 2017.

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## Notes for Editors

### About Tej Turner



Tej has spent much of his life on the move and he does not have any particular place he calls 'home'. For a large period of his childhood he dwelt within the Westcountry of England, and he then moved to rural Wales to study Creative Writing and Film at Trinity College in Carmarthen, followed by a master's degree at The University of Wales Lampeter.

After completing his studies he spent a couple of years travelling around Asia, where he took a particular interest in jungles, temples, and mountains. He returned to the UK in 2015 for the release of his debut novel *The Janus Cycle*, published by Elsewhen Press. Since then he has been living in Cardiff, where he works as a chef by day, writes by moonlight, and squeezes in the occasional trip to explore historic sites and the British countryside.

*Dinnusos Rises* is his second novel and he plans on spending the next few years writing more. He will probably get itchy feet again, and when that happens he has his sights set upon South America.

He keeps a travelblog on his website, where he also posts author-related news, at [tejturner.wordpress.com](http://tejturner.wordpress.com)

visit <http://bit.ly/DinnusosRises>

### About Elsewhen Press

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