Explore the origins of Gothic and sensation novels, elements of which can be found in current popular works such as the Twilight and Harry Potter book series, and in television programs like *American Horror Story* and *Fargo*.

Examining several examples, participants will trace the popularity of these “thrillers” from the late 1800s to the present day and be encouraged and inspired to put their own pens to paper and carry on the Gothic and sensational traditions.

Suggested reading:
- *The Mysteries of Udolpho* by Ann Radcliffe
- *Uncle Silas* by J. Sheridan LeFanu
- *Lady Audley's Secret* by Mary Elizabeth Braddon
- *No Name* by Wilkie Collins

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