

# A Steampunk Reading List

## Family Tree:

- The Huge Hunter: or the steam man of the Prairies by Edward S. Ellis (Irwin P. Beadle's *American Novels* #45 August 1868)
- Frank Read and his steam man of the Plains by Harry Enton (*Boys of New York* #28 Tousey dime novels February 28, 1876)
- H.G. Wells—The Time Machine (1888, first published as The Chronic Argonauts)
- Mary Shelley—Frankenstein (1818 rev. 1831)
- Jules Verne—20, 000 Leagues Under the Sea (1873)
- Ronald C. Clark—Queen Victoria's Bomb 1967
- Michael Moorcock—Warlord of the Air 1971 and Nomad of Time 1971
- Tim Powers—The Anubis Gates 1983
- K. W. Jeter—Infernal Devices: A Mad Victorian Fantasy 1987

## Featured Books

- **Difference Engine** by William Gibson and Bruce Sterling. 1991
- *Leviathan Trilogy* by Scott Westerfeld
  - **Leviathan.** 2009
  - **Behemoth.** 2010
  - **Goliath.** 2011
- *Clockwork Century Series* by Cherie Priest
  - **Boneshaker.** 2009
  - **Clementine.** 2010 (Limited Run)
  - **Dreadnought.** 2010
  - **Ganymede.** 2011
- *Burton & Swinburne Series* by Mark Hodder
  - **The Strange Affair of Spring Heeled Jack.** 2010
  - **The Curious Case of the Clockwork Man.** 2011
- **The Half-Made World.** by Felix Gilman, 2010
- **Aurorarama.** by Jean-Christophe Valtat, 2010
- Books edited and written by Ann & Jeff Vandermeer
  - **Steampunk.** 2010
  - **Steampunk II: Steampunk Reloaded.** 2010
  - **The Steampunk Bible.** 2011

- **Boilerplate: History's Mechanical Marvel** by Paul Guinana and Anina A Bennett. 2009
- **Steampunk Style Jewelry** by Jean Campbell. 2009
- **Steampunk: The Art of Victorian Futurism** by Jay Strongman. 2011

## 1987-Current

- Akers, Tim. **Heart of Veridon**. 2009
- Ballantine, Pip & Tee Morris. 1<sup>st</sup> in the series: **Phoenix Rising: A Ministry of Peculiar Occurrences Novel**. 2011
- Brook, Meljean. **Iron Duke** 2010
- Carriger, Gail. Parasol Protectorate series. 1<sup>st</sup> in the series: **Soulless** 2009
- Colfer, Eoin. 1<sup>st</sup> in the series: **Airman**. 2008
- DiFilippo, Paul. **The Steampunk Trilogy**. 1995
- Judson, Theodore. **Fitzpatrick's War**. 2004
- Lake, Jay. Mainspring Series  
1<sup>st</sup> in the series: **Mainspring** 2007
- Mayer, Andrew P. 1<sup>st</sup> in the series: **The Falling Machine**. 2011
- Mieville, China. New Crobuzon series  
1<sup>st</sup> in the series: **Perdido Street Station** 2001
- Moore, Alan. O'Neill, Kevin.  
**League of Extraordinary Gentlemen Volume I & II**. 2000/2003
- Opiel, Kenneth. Matt Cruse series. 1<sup>st</sup> in the series: **Airborn** 2004
- Pagliassotti, Dru. **Clockwork Heart**. 2008
- Palmer, Dexter. **The Dream of Perpetual Motion** 2010
- Pullman, Philip.  
**Clockwork: or, All Woundup**. 1998  
His Dark Materials Trilogy  
1<sup>st</sup> in the series: **The Golden Compass** 1996.
- Pynchon, Thomas. **Against the Day**. 2007
- Rosen, Lev AC. **All Men of Genius**. 2011
- Stirling, S.M. **The Peshawar Lancers**. 2003
- Talbot, Bryan. **Grandville**. 2009
- Valentine, Genevieve. **Mechanique**. 2011
- Valentino, Nick. **Thomas Riley**. 2010

