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Book Culture has three locations in New York City. Book Culture was founded as Labyrinth Books on 112<sup>th</sup> in 1997 by current owner **Chris Doeblin** and his partner at the time, Cliff Simms. In the summer of 2007, Book Culture became a completely independent company when Doeblin bought out his partner. In the fall of 2009, Book Culture opened a second location, **Book Culture on Broadway**. There has been an independent bookstore on the corner of 114<sup>th</sup> and Broadway Ave for over fifty years. In 2010 **Annie Hedrick** joined Doeblin as co-owner of the two stores. Book Culture opened **Book Culture on Columbus** in November of 2014 on the Upper West Side, adding **Rick MacArthur**, president and publisher of *Harper's Magazine*, as a co-owner of the new store. This store, on the corner of 82<sup>nd</sup> and Columbus Ave, is in what was once Endicott Booksellers.

Book Culture has received a lot of press in recent months, catching the attention of such publications as *The New York Times, Gothamist, Publishers Weekly, Time Out,* and *The Wall Street Journal*.

In **2014**, Book Culture worked with **245 authors**, hosting **135 in-store events** and offering bookselling services for **98 offsite events**. Book Culture also hosts six children's story time readings every week.

In **2015**, Book Culture launched the new **bookculture.com**, combining ecommerce with featured content, such as Author Q&A's, Staff Picks, and book news.



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## **Book Culture (112<sup>th</sup>)**

- Strong connection to the literary and academic community of Morningside Heights in Manhattan.
- Inventory mix of Trade and Academic titles, new and second hand
- > Author event capacity of up to 75 people

## **Book Culture on Broadway**

- Caters to Morningside Heights family and general interest readers
- ➤ Inventory mix of trade, genre, and children's Titles
- Separate children's floor, with capacity for 30 people

## **Book Culture on Columbus**

- ➤ Brand new bookstore on the Upper West Side.
- Inventory mix of trade, genre, and children's titles
- ➤ Author event capacity of up to 85 people
- Separate children's floor, with capacity for 40 people



Event Highlights
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Author	Title	Date	Location	Attendance	Units Sold	
Tovah Klein	How Toddlers Thrive	2/25/2014	Barnard College	300	124	
Robert Ferguson	Inferno	3/5/2014	112th	65	24	
Janet Mock	Redefining Realness	4/23/2014	Barnard College	200	41	
Patrik Henry Bass	Zero Degree Zombie Zone (Middle Reader)	10/5/2014	Private Apt.	50	45	
Adam Sobel	Storm Surge	11/10/2014	112th	70	28	
Paula Rizzo	Listful Thinking	1/15/2015	Columbus	60	30	
Claudia Rankine & Robert Hass	Citizen, The Apple Trees at Olema	2/26/2015	Barnard College	200	60	

## **Marketing Channels**

- ➤ Weekly newsletter with **30,000 subscribers**
- ➤ Website with ecommerce & blog
- Print calendar fliers, window displays, and sidewalk signs
- Children's events listed with Mommy Poppins, Big Apple Parent
- ➤ 15% "Give Back" Program with 30 area schools
- Weekly Reporting to *Indiebound* and *The New York Times*
- Active Facebook & Twitter accounts



