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## **BOOK RESUME: SEEK YOU**

## **BOOK SYNOPSIS**

In Seek You, Kristen Radtke's wide-ranging exploration of our inner lives and public selves, Radtke digs into the ways in which we attempt to feel closer to one another, and the distance that remains. Through the lenses of gender and violence, technology and art, Radtke ushers us through a history of loneliness and longing, and shares what feels impossible to share.

## **REVIEWS AND PRAISE**

"Part literature review, part essay, part autobiographical meditation, *Seek You* exemplifies the capaciousness of nonfiction comics today . . . The book's title, a nod to the amateur radio operator 'CQ call,' is evidence of Radtke's significant command of interesting facts, which range over five sections dedicated to various senses (plus 'Click,' about life online, now its own special category of being in the world) . . . Radtke's aesthetic is impressive, with clean, crisp black lines, swaths of white shadow and stylized, muted blocks of color. She has a designer's eye for arresting graphics." —Hillary Chute, *The New York Times Book Review* 

## AWARDS AND ACCOLADES

- Finalist for the 2021 Kirkus Prize for Non-Fiction
- Longlisted for the 2022 PEN/Jean Stein Book Award
- Shortlisted for the 2022 Andrew Carnegie Medal for Excellence in Nonfiction
- Nominated for the 2022 Eisner Awards

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