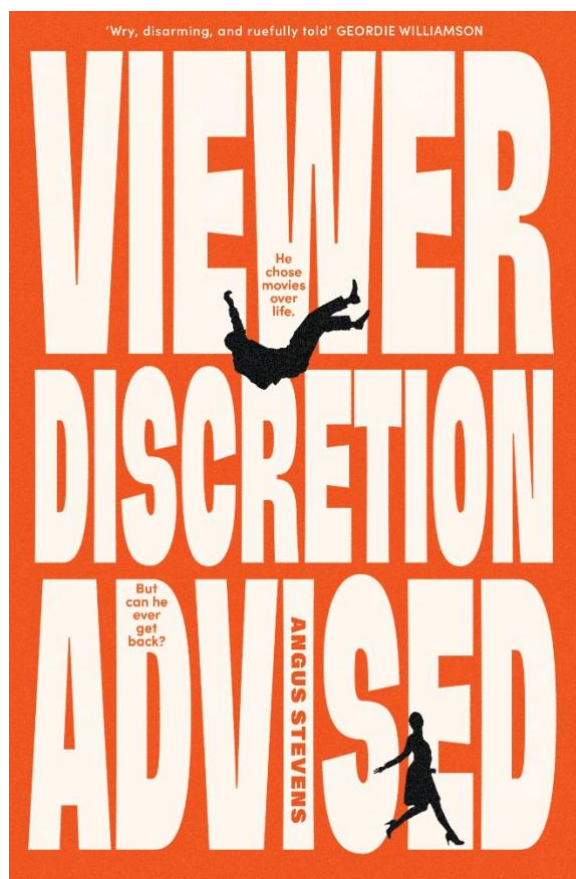


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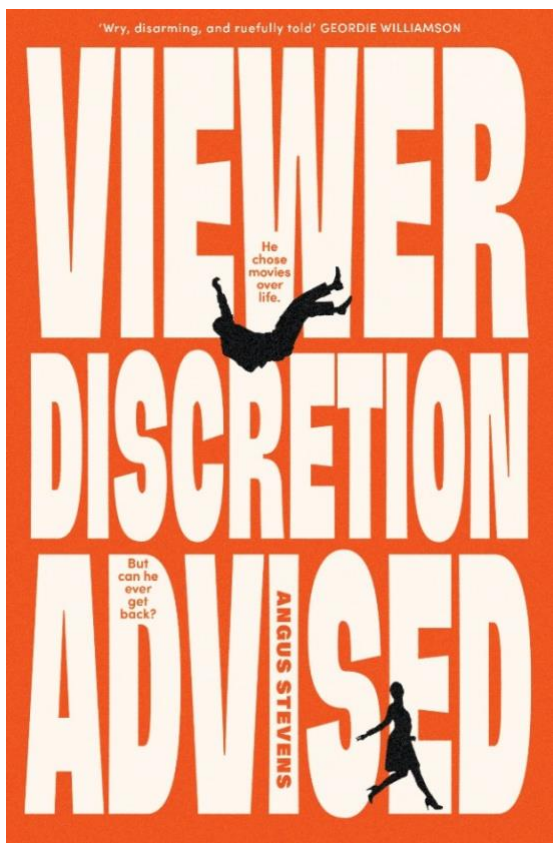
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## HOW DID YOU COME UP WITH THE TITLE *VIEWER DISCRETION ADVISED*?

I wanted a title that captured the essence of the book while also serving as an enticement that would intrigue people and make them want to read it.

I was riffing on the ritual of watching movies, especially back in the era of VHS and DVDs, their rating system and how the language used to express these warnings, would, when you are a kid and you see a movie that's rated for an age older than what you were at the time, make the film seem edgier and more attractive.

The title, *Viewer Discretion Advised* plays into that experience and taps into the appeal of seeking out something that offers attractive risk.

## ABOUT THE AUTHOR



Angus Stevens began his career writing, directing, and producing television, documentaries, theatre, and short films.

Following on from stints in London and LA he returned to Sydney and spent the next decade directing and producing entertainment and live music TV, working with artists such as Ed Sheeran, Lady Gaga, and Taylor Swift, and building digital properties for Today FM, Triple M and Nova Entertainment.

In 2016 Angus shifted his focus to virtual and augmented reality. He is now CEO of Start Beyond, Australia's leading VR and AR immersive learning studio.

He lives in Sydney's inner west with his film producer wife and their two children. This is his first novel.

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