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Chapter 1 : SHAZAM! Exploring Superhero Comics to Study Character Origin and Creative Writing

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Have a suggestion to improve this page? To leave a general comment about our Web site, please click [here](#) Share this page with your network. We instantly think of Superman, Batman, or Spider-Man, to name a few. These are characters that are universally known by young and old, foreign and domestic. Hollywood has recently had an influx of films based on comic book heroes. These movies are generating millions in revenue both domestically and in the foreign markets. Is it because these heroes are characters we can look up to? Is it because we have a need to see the good guys prevail over evil? Or is it simply that Hollywood has become unimaginative and therefore continues to recycle the same stories that have been told for years? Whatever the reason may be, the comic book superhero is someone that we are all familiar with. It is this notion that I would like to explore in this curriculum unit. Looking at comic book superheroes is an especially current topic now with so many comics becoming big budget movies. Of course characters such as Batman, Spiderman and Superman have, for years, been an attraction to the movie producers and movie-goers. Recently other comic superheroes have taken to the big screen. Characters such as Iron Man, Wolverine, and Incredible Hulk have gained wide popularity with movie audiences. Why are we so attracted to these comic book superheroes? It is fair to say that most superheroes are continually reinvented for new generations. Most of these characters live a double life by having an average human existence and then a separate life where they fight crime with their superhuman powers. It is always embedded in the plot that the character must remain unknown to the human world. The threat of being revealed to the public is always lingering. Recently, however, a movie called Hancock was released and in this story the superhero did not have a double life. The idea of the superhero as being out in the open is something we have not experienced much before, especially if you consider the big three: Batman, Spider-Man and Superman. It leaves the fans to wonder if this might be a new trend in developing superheroes. This unit is designed for an eighth grade language arts classroom. However, the content and strategies included can certainly be used for a variety of grade levels as the concepts of character development, origin stories and creative writing are prevalent in most language arts classrooms in some form or another. Movies The inspiration of this unit comes from the influence that in recent years there has been a flood of Hollywood movies that are based on comic book superheroes. There have been gaps between these movies until recently. From to there were no fewer than seven big budget movies that were live action accounts of classic comic book superheroes. A brief list of these movies includes: Young kids of today are very versed in the idea and story of these superheroes, thanks to the blockbuster movies. Using these characters and subsequently the comics that originated them should be an easy transition for students. It is always easier to start with something familiar in order to launch into something more complex. In addition, there are many superhero movies slated for production in coming years, so this phenomenon does not seem to be ending any time soon. Upon looking at movies for production for Paramount Pictures the following titles are in the works: Objectives Why are superheroes so popular and so widely familiar? Fingeroth states, "A hero embodies what we believe is best in ourselves. A hero is a standard to aspire to as well as an individual to be admired. By well written I am referring to the notion that these characters are relatable and likeable and therefore we continue to show interest in their activities. Therefore readers can relate to their characteristics and their thought process. By studying a variety of superhero characters, students can see what qualities a well written character has and therefore be able to identify other well written characters in all types of stories as well as incorporate these traits in their own writing. Creative writing is an important skill for all students. One way to enhance creative writing is to write from an image. One activity for this unit is for students to use a frame from a comic book, with the dialogue removed and write a brief story of what happened just before, during, and just after the frame. If the students know who the character is, they may incorporate traits that are

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known, however if the student does not know the character, they can simply create a persona for him or her. Origin stories are an important part of character development. This is true of superheroes but also true of any character in literature. The beginning of the character is crucial in understanding how he or she thinks and behaves in subsequent situations. A big part of superhero comics is the origin story. Sometimes the origin story is told after several issues have been released. There is something interesting about learning the background of a character after you have been introduced to them and have begun following their lives. After students have identified common motifs of superhero origin stories and studied a variety of heroes, they are ready to create their own superhero or supervillain. The value of this activity is to once again use creative writing as a means of storytelling. In addition, it allows students to work collaboratively by teaming an artist with a writer, just the same way that actual comics are written. Students will have free reign in creating a new superhero or supervillain as long as they utilize the knowledge of the common motifs and standards that accompany the common superhero, as studied in this unit. Strategies One way to start the unit is to engage in conversations on what defines a superhero. Fingerioth points out that a superhero has strength of character, a system of values, and determination. He also points out that these are characteristics of a supervillain. It is important that students define the word themselves in order to be able to distinguish the meaning. Perhaps each student might come to a conclusion that a superhero is subjective and therefore can take shape in a variety of ways depending on the person making the decision. However, it is important to find the commonalities within the discussion so there is a framework from which students can work. After a discussion of a framework for a superhero, then students can discuss what they know about superheroes both from comics and from movies. Discuss with students what traits certain superheroes have and how to they use their superhuman powers. Discussion should also lead to supervillains, which are essential to the superhero comic story. From this discussion on superheroes students should understand the vast appeal these characters have for many types of people. Implement to students that these superheroes have well developed characters that are in some regards believable to the common audience and that is why they continue to be popular. A poorly written and developed character will not last and readers will not embrace them. As an indispensable element in studying this unit, students will need to know how to read a comic book. Instructing students on how to read a comic is important because the images play such an important role in the story, a reader cannot look at just the words. The rules are essentially the same as reading a novel whereby the reader goes from left to right and top to bottom. However, there is the issue of different frame sizes and how to follow the story if one frame takes the space of two regular sized frames. Demonstrate with actual comic books how to sequentially read a comic and show some examples where the frame sizes differ on the page. In addition, the discussion of reading the dialogue before or after looking at the picture should be addressed. In essence it is probably an individual preference but it should be pointed out to students that both ways need to be explored. For some students the above information will be common knowledge, but for others this may be new information that they perhaps would have been too shy to inquire about before or simply had not come across previously. After the lesson on sequentially reading the comic book, students should be ready to engage in a sequencing activity. Provide for students comic strips that have been cut into frames. For an extra challenge for gifted students, remove the dialogue and all words. One page of frames is all that is minimally necessary. Ask students to study each frame and decide what the action and storyline is. Students should then reconstruct the comic in a logical order and explain what is happening. For the gifted students, they should write any words or dialogue that is missing. One way to enhance creative writing in students is through the image. Through studying comics and images students begin to see that there is a story being told both through the words and also through the images. In the professional world of comics there is one person who creates and writes the comic story. Once that story has been created the writer seeks out an illustrator. That illustrator reads the story and designs pictures based on the essence of the story. The writer and illustrator collaborate together to create the final comic book. The students will do something similar, but in a different order. Students will be provided with frames from comics, preferably one in which there is dialogue and action. The teacher will

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provide these images with the dialogue removed. Students will write a short story telling the events that happened just before, during, and just after the image. The students should be given free choice to work independently or with a partner. They should also be given more than once choice of image from which to choose. The goal of this activity is to allow students to think creatively in writing a story. Students will need to follow the images as a guide to creating the story. If the students know the characters in the image they can certainly use that information in the story and logically guide the narration with including the superpowers and abilities of the character. However, some students may not know the character in the image, and that is fine as well. They can create the name and powers of the character based on what they see and what they imagine is happening.

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Get this from a library! The psychology of superheroes: an unauthorized exploration. [Robin S Rosenberg; Jennifer Canzoneri;] -- In The Psychology of Superheroes, almost two dozen psychologists get into the heads of today's most popular and intriguing superheroes.

Early life and education[edit] Jerry Goldsmith as a child. Goldsmith, was born February 10, , in Los Angeles, California. His family was Romanian Jewish. In an interview with Andy Velez from BarnesandNoble. CBS had a workshop, and once a week the employees, whatever their talents, whether they were ushers or typists, would produce a radio show. But you had to be an employee. Then I could do these shows. About six months later, the music department heard what I did, liked it, and gave me a job. He also scored multiple episodes of the television series *The Twilight Zone*. He remained at CBS until , after which he moved on to Revue Studios and then to MGM Studios for producer Norman Felton, whom he had worked for during live television and would later compose music for such television shows as *Dr. Kildare* and *The Man from U*. He continued with scores to such films as the western *Face of a Fugitive* and the science fiction film *City of Fear*. *Kildare* and *Thriller* as well as the drama film *The Spiral Road*. However, he only began receiving widespread name recognition after his intimate score to the classic western *Lonely Are the Brave*. In , Goldsmith composed a score to *The Stripper* , his first collaboration with director Franklin J. It is curious that films with significant sequences that involve flight inspired Goldsmith to write some of his most exhilarating music, such as in *Supergirl*, *Star Trek: When scoring Planet of the Apes*, Goldsmith used such innovative techniques as looping drums into an echoplex , using the orchestra to imitate the grunting sounds of apes, having horns blown without mouthpieces, and instructing the woodwind players to finger their keys without using any air. He also used steel mixing bowls, among other objects, to create unique percussive sounds. Goldsmith concluded the decade with scores to such films as the western *Bandolero!* In , he also composed the theme to the comedy-drama television series *Room* Throughout the score, Goldsmith used an echoplex to loop recorded sounds of "call to war" triplets played on the trumpet that musically represented General George S. With only ten days to compose and record an entirely new score, Goldsmith quickly produced a score that mixed an eastern music sound with elements of jazz in an ensemble that only featured a trumpet, four pianos, four harps, two percussionists, and a string section. The score to *Chinatown* is often regarded as one of the greatest scores of all time and ranks No. The *Final Conflict* His score featured an orchestra augmented by a shofar , didgeridoo , steel drum , and serpent a 16th-century instrument , while creating further "alien" sounds by delaying string pizzicati through an echoplex. Many of the instruments were used in such atypical ways they were virtually unidentifiable. His score was, however, heavily edited during post-production and Goldsmith was required to rewrite music for several scenes. The final score resulted in several pieces being moved, replaced, or cut entirely. *Covenant* , released in , scored by Australian musician Jed Kurzel. That same year, Goldsmith concluded the decade composing what is widely considered his most recognized score for *Star Trek*: His initial score for the scene in which the newly-refit *Starship Enterprise* is revealed to the audience was not well received by the filmmakers, director Robert Wise feeling that it lacked a strong thematic hook and evoked sailing ships. Though somewhat irked by its rejection, Goldsmith consented to re-work his initial idea and finally arrived at the *Star Trek* theme which was ultimately used. The *Final Frontier* , *Star Trek: First Contact* , *Star Trek: Insurrection* , and *Star Trek: Nemesis* , as well as the theme to the television series *Star Trek: The Next Generation* in Goldsmith later returned in to compose the more synthetic score to *Poltergeist II* , the first of two sequels. In an interview with *Keyboard Magazine* in , Goldsmith said that in order to simulate the ambiance of a real orchestra, several speakers were set up in an actual orchestra hall similar to how they would be arranged if they were live players. The playback was re-recorded to capture the feel of the hall. Goldsmith finished out the decade with noteworthy scores to such films as the science-fiction fantasy family film *Explorers* , medieval adventure *Lionheart* , the science fiction comedy *Innerspace* , the action film

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Rambo III , the science fiction horror Leviathan , and Star Trek V: The Final Frontier , his second Star Trek film score. The New Batch in which Goldsmith also made a brief cameo appearance , [44] the psychological thriller Sleeping with the Enemy , the family comedy Mom and Dad Save the World , the fantasy romance Forever Young , the thriller The Vanishing , and the family comedy Dennis the Menace. In , Goldsmith composed and conducted a score to the erotic thriller Basic Instinct. The soundtrack, an unsettling hybrid of orchestral and electronic elements, garnered him another Oscar nomination as well as a Golden Globe Award nomination [14] and was later regarded by the composer as one of his most challenging works. Stallion of the Cimarron , and Seabiscuit Voyager composed by Jerry Goldsmith. Problems playing this file? Goldsmith composed acclaimed scores for such films as the superhero adaptation The Shadow , the thriller The River Wild , the romantic comedy I. First Contact which he composed with his son Joel Goldsmith. In , Goldsmith composed the critically successful score to the horror action film The Ghost and the Darkness which featured a traditional Irish folk melody interwoven with African rhythms. Goldsmith, with the assistance of composer Joel McNeely , completed the brassy, heroic score in only twelve days. Insurrection , the science fiction horror Deep Rising , and the action thriller U. Insurrection , the action adventure horror The Mummy , the horror film The Haunting , and the action adventure The 13th Warrior. Back in Action , directed by long-time Goldsmith collaborator Joe Dante. The album quickly became out of print and has since become a sought rarity among soundtrack collectors. Graham and narrated by Gary McKenzie. The piece, written in four movements, consisted of orchestra, choir, mezzo-soprano solo, and narration originally performed by Charlton Heston. I decided instead to make the piece a grand celebration of my childhood, growing years, my years of maturity, and all the events that climaxed with my first appearance at the Hollywood Bowl. You can help by adding to it. February Goldsmith was married twice. He was first married to Sharon Hennagin in ; they divorced in He married Carol Heather in , and the couple remained together until his death in His oldest son Joel Goldsmith &€” [65] was also a composer and collaborated with his father on the score for Star Trek: First Contact , composing approximately twenty-two minutes of the score. The Search for Spock. Carrie Goldsmith was working on a biography of her father, though the book has been suspended indefinitely for unspecified reasons. Certain composers are doing the same thing over and over again, which I feel is sort of uninteresting. I like to keep changing, trying to do new things. Once you get caught up in the creative process, something inside takes over, and your subconscious just does it for you. He recruited Morton to serve as his orchestrator. Their bond for a unique and expressive sound was borne, and their friendship flourished. Morton was there providing his orchestration services, assisting Goldsmith in attaining his visionary sounds. Their partnership endured for over 30 years and included the notable scores for Planet of the Apes , Patton , Tora! The final score that Arthur Morton orchestrated for Goldsmith was L. One thing he does, he keeps us honest. And the second one is he scares the hell out of us. I think he, more than any other composer bridged the gap between the old Hollywood scoring style and the the [sic] modern film composer. Despite this, Goldsmith won only one Oscar, for his score to the film The Omen. This makes Goldsmith the most nominated composer to have won an Oscar only on one occasion. On May 9, , Goldsmith posthumously received a star on the Hollywood Walk of Fame for his achievements in the music industry, located at Hollywood Boulevard.

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Stan Lee stated that it was the name of this character that inspired him to create a character that would become Spider-Man. He said the idea for Spider-Man arose from a surge in teenage demand for comic books, and the desire to create a character with whom teens could identify. As comics historian Greg Theakston recounts, Kirby told Lee about an unpublished character on which he had collaborated with Joe Simon in the s, in which an orphaned boy living with an old couple finds a magic ring that granted him superhuman powers. Lee and Kirby "immediately sat down for a story conference", Theakston writes, and Lee afterward directed Kirby to flesh out the character and draw some pages. One of the first things I did was to work up a costume. A vital, visual part of the character. I had to know how he looked It would also add mystery to the character But the whole thing was created by Steve on his own I think I added the business about the webs coming out of his hands. It was a gateway to commercial success for the superhero and inspired the launch of The Amazing Spider-Man comic book. Cover art by penciller Jack Kirby and inker Steve Ditko. According to Kirby, the idea for Spider-Man had originated with Kirby and Joe Simon , who in the s had developed a character called the Silver Spider for the Crestwood Publications comic Black Magic, who was subsequently not used. It was at this point that the nature of the strip changed. Lee gave Ditko the premise of a teenager bitten by a spider and developing powers, a premise Ditko would expand upon to the point he became what Bell describes as "the first work for hire artist of his generation to create and control the narrative arc of his series". One interviewee selected Spider-Man because he was "beset by woes, money problems, and the question of existence. In short, he is one of us. Previously, the Code forbade the depiction of the use of illegal drugs , even negatively. While the story had a clear anti-drug message, the Comics Code Authority refused to issue its seal of approval. Marvel Team-Up , in which Spider-Man was paired with other superheroes and villains. In , his second solo series, Peter Parker, the Spectacular Spider-Man began running parallel to the main series. The various versions combined sold over 3 million copies, an industry record at the time. Several limited series , one-shots , and loosely related comics have also been published, and Spider-Man makes frequent cameos and guest appearances in other comic series. Superior was an enormous commercial success for Marvel, [35] and ran for issue before the real Peter Parker returned in a newly relaunched The Amazing Spider-Man 1 in April Among them, The Amazing Spider-Man was relaunched as well and primarily focuses on Peter Parker continuing to run Parker Industries, and becoming a successful businessman who is operating worldwide. Amazing Fantasy 15, art by Steve Ditko. As depicted in Amazing Fantasy 15 August , he is bitten by a radioactive spider erroneously classified as an insect in the panel at a science exhibit and "acquires the agility and proportionate strength of an arachnid ". Through his native knack for science, he develops a gadget that lets him fire adhesive webbing of his own design through small, wrist-mounted barrels. Initially seeking to capitalize on his new abilities, Parker dons a costume and, as "Spider-Man", becomes a novelty television star. However, "He blithely ignores the chance to stop a fleeing thief , [and] his indifference ironically catches up with him when the same criminal later robs and kills his Uncle Ben. In time, Peter graduates from high school, [44] and enrolls at Empire State University a fictional institution evoking the real-life Columbia University and New York University , [45] where he meets roommate and best friend Harry Osborn , and girlfriend Gwen Stacy , [46] and Aunt May introduces him to Mary Jane Watson. The black costume debut that brought controversy to many fans. The suit was later revealed as a symbiote and paved the way for the creation of Venom. Cover art by Ron Frenz and Klaus Janson. From to , Spider-Man wore a black costume with a white spider design on his chest. It was promoted with a real-life mock wedding using models, including Tara Shannon as Watson, [62] with Stan Lee officiating at the June 5, , event at Shea Stadium. Peter gives up the Spider-Man identity to Reilly for a time, until Reilly is killed by the returning Green Goblin and revealed to be

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the clone after all. Peter later becomes a member of the New Avengers , and reveals his civilian identity to the world, [66] increasing his already numerous problems. Michael Straczynski , who "told Joe that I was going to take my name off the last two issues of the [story] arc" but was talked out of doing so. What made that very problematic is that we had four writers and artists well underway on [the sequel arc] "Brand New Day" that were expecting and needed "One More Day" to end in the way that we had all agreed it would. The fact that we had to ask for the story to move back to its original intent understandably made Joe upset and caused some major delays and page increases in the series. Also, the science that Joe was going to apply to the retcon of the marriage would have made over 30 years of Spider-Man books worthless, because they never would have had happened. Peter eventually regains control of his body. Parker had far more serious concern in his life: He is anti-social , [sic] castration -ridden, racked with Oedipal guilt , and accident-prone Jonah Jameson, publisher of the Daily Bugle , launches an editorial campaign against the "Spider-Man menace. Eventually, the bad press leads the authorities to brand him an outlaw. Fittingly, then, his comic book also contained some of the earliest references to the politics of young people. In , in the wake of actual militant student demonstrations at Columbia University, Peter Parker finds himself in the midst of similar unrest at his Empire State University Peter has to reconcile his natural sympathy for the students with his assumed obligation to combat lawlessness as Spider-Man. As a law-upholding liberal, he finds himself caught between militant leftism and angry conservatives. With his talents, he sews his own costume to conceal his identity, and he constructs many devices that complement his powers, most notably mechanical web-shooters to help navigate and trap his enemies along with a spider-signal as an flashlight and a warning beacon to criminals. The Amazing Spider-Man cover art featuring a collage of Spider-Man facing his supporting characters art by John Romita, Sr as displayed in the left. A variant cover art of The Amazing Spider-Man vol. In the right Spider-Man is shown along with his many Spider-themed family and alternate universe versions of himself in Spider-Geddon 1 Art by Jorge Molina Spider-Man has had a large range of supporting characters introduced in the comics that are essential in the issues and storylines that star him. After his parents died, Peter Parker was raised by his loving aunt, May Parker , and his uncle and father figure, Ben Parker. After his breakup with Betty Brant, Parker eventually falls in love with his college girlfriend Gwen Stacy , [43] [46] daughter of New York City Police Department detective captain George Stacy , both of whom are later killed by supervillain enemies of Spider-Man. In comics and in other media.

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The movie exists in its own superhero universe, where a number of people have psychic powers. It defines the nine types of psychic abilities in the world and references characters by their respective categories. The three main powers are Watchers, Movers and Pushers. On paper, the movie sounds really interesting. Unfortunately, it has a convoluted plot that is near impossible to piece together. Nowadays flashy visuals are not enough to carry a movie, it must have substance as well. This movie is far from the Marvel films we get today, but we think it is an excellent deconstruction of the Hulk. It zeroes in on the real issue Bruce Banner faces with the monster inside of him. It also explores themes of dysfunctional father-son relationships and the repercussions that follow. It is especially relevant today as Universal Studios is rebooting their classic monster movies. When it comes time for The Wolfman, they should look to Hulk for inspiration. The Incredible Hulk was the second film to be a part of the MCU and at the time it was not regarded as measuring up to Iron Man, but it was certainly seen as an adequate entry in the universe. The magic that the comic possess is the ability to tell a dark fantasy tale through incredibly likeable characters. He made the characters more charismatic and the visuals more imaginative than the first film. Again, another Del Toro film has aged well because of the incredible looking practical effects. Before the new Hellboy movie comes out in , you should give the sequel a rewatch. We love Nicolas Cage as much as the next movie fan, but he does not work as Johnny Blaze in this film. There is nothing about the character on-screen that is likeable, which is a major problem in a superhero story. As time goes on, it continues to look worse. The character has a flaming skull for a head, which should be quite scary, but the CGI makes it look cartoony instead. This movie never comes together and has only declined over the years. Not only is the sequel better than the original, it still holds up today as one of the best instalments in the franchise. Inspired by the original graphic novel *God Loves, Man Kills*, the story continues to stress the divide between the mutant race and humans. The movie seamlessly teams up the villains from the first movie with the heroes to defeat a greater evil. This is done so well, we never even stop to question the likelihood of the incompatible team working. *X-Men United* is a fantastic film and still sits as one of the best superhero films ever. The movie is so concerned with throwing in as many character cameos as possible, it fails to hit the emotional beats of the first two movies. The movie is held in low regard, so much so that when *X-Men: Days of Future Past* effectively started a new timestream that greatly diminished the emotional outcome of this film, fans were not upset, they were pleased. Iron Man set the stage for all of the following Marvel movies, establishing that these films would be intelligent and fun, just like the source material. One of the biggest criticisms across many of the Marvel movies is the lack of compelling villains. A number of the films in this universe simply present the villains as one dimensional characters with little cause for their destructive nature. There is no question Garner could have carried the movie. We also know Elektra can be a compelling character, as Yung has shown us on *Daredevil*. What we are lacking is a better script with a focused plot. He chose the villain of the movie to be Doctor Octopus and gave him the signature four mechanical tentacles we are used to seeing in the comic. The visuals should be outdated by now, just look at *The Matrix Reloaded* from one year earlier. The movie also posits that the tentacles are slowly driving the doctor mad as they deviously take over his mind, making the villain a compelling sympathetic character. The movie has three villains and it makes a mistake with all of them. This movie ended the franchise, which was cruising until this time. Watching it back now is disheartening as it starts out so well with the Green Goblin sequence, but by the time Tobey Maguire is singing at a Jazz club we wonder what this movie is trying to be. There were a lot of people who felt the movie deserved a Best Picture nomination at the Oscars and in response the Academy expanded the category the following year to include more films. Obviously *The Dark Knight* was in high regard in , but looking back on the film with eyes, it is even better. The movie set the tone

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for the Worlds of DC films and although it is not part of the shared universe, it is clearly a heavy influence. Think of how much better that universe of films would be if this was the official introduction. Wolverine was such a disappointment that there have been two movies to attempt to erase its timeline. Days of Future Past, where a time traveling storyline retconned the events of this movie. The second attempt at erasing the timeline was recently in Deadpool 2 which had a mid-credit scene that showed Ryan Reynolds using time travel to end his highly criticized X-Men Origins: Wolverine depiction of Deadpool. With every passing X-Men film this movie becomes more and more irrelevant. Only the people who really love this movie are rewatching these days.

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There is plenty of death and violence in this one. This was a well thought out concise story and Sturges took an unusual twist that I was pleasantly surprised with. I was still thinking about the ethical considerations the story leaves you with well after finishing it. I have no idea what the title has to do with the story. It is up to Retaliator and Atomahawk to stop him. I could actually figure out what happened at the very end, despite reading it twice. Additionally, there is a bunch of backstory thrown in that is just way too extraneous. Maxey describes a relationship between Retaliator and Nubile that serves no purpose to assist the story. In this case less would have been more for most of the story, with more exposition needed at the end. The writing is terrible and jumps all over the place. Cornell also appears to be trying to cram in as many homosexual references and ideas as he can into one very short story. Why does it matter if the men are gay? As expected, one segment of those gifted use their powers to commit crimes. The Non-Event is a short story about a group of super villains and their attempt to rob a bank. This is a decent story with another unusual ending. It also has a fairly unusual twist to it and I thought the story was well-written and unique. This leads to financially-lucrative jobs as an escort on shuttle rides, since his unique gift allows him the ability to go outside the shuttle for repairs in the event of an emergency. Downfall by Joseph Mallozzi writer and executive producer on almost all of the Stargate series. Much longer than the other stories, but well-contained and a very good conclusion. Author of the novel Hellboy: Fairly interesting though with a final twist more equivalent to the actual comic book formula. I wish someone could explain this one to me to make sure I understood it. Call Her Savage by Marjorie M. Has worked on some X-books for Marvel. I almost gave up on the book because of it. It explores a side of superheroes not normally seen - what happens to them when they get old as in "old" old, not a little over middle-aged like Bruce Wayne in "The Dark Knight Returns". Some of the stories are a single paragraph long, some several pages. They are all inter-related, and after the first half dozen, you see that they are intertwined to form a single story from several different viewpoints. There is a lot of action, a lot of interesting characters, and a lot of death. For the most part, comics are supposed to be simple and fun. I know there are much deeper comics and story lines that writers play around with, like Watchmen, but the problem with trying to do that here, is that 20 pages is not enough to throw a bunch of complex ideas at the reader and expect them to enjoy it. None of the stories in this anthology, with the exception of "A to Z," really stood out for me.

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Chapter 7 : Will Smith is John Hancock | Will Smith : Just Jared

When I grow up I want to be a superhero - Bryan J. Dik; Is there a superhero in all of us? - Peter A. Hancock and Gabriella M Cracking the superhero's moral code.

Hancock Script - Dialogue Transcript Voila! Finally, the Hancock script is here for all you fans of the Will Smith movie. I know, I know, I still need to get the cast names in there and all that jazz, so if you have any corrections, feel free to drop me a line. Better than Farmville, anyway. V heading East on Alameda service road. Suspects, three Asian males. What do you want a cookie? Get the Hell out of my face. Your head is going up the drivers ass His head, is going up your ass and you drew the short stick cause your head is going up my ass. Oh, now you speak the English huh? This, Hancocks latest act of so-called heroics took a hefty financial toll. Initial estimates are said to top Nine Million dollars Which, if accurate, represents a personal record for the notoriously publicity shy Hancock. Who, as usual, cant be reached for comment On TV With all the cracks in the streets, the fires, the water damage, the fires L. Zero I dont mind if he could just do it somewhere else. Let them tussel with him for a while. What the hell is the crane doing there? Actually, Bono is like the Bono of P. The All Heart symbol. Did you say free? Only to those that really need it. Only to those who, without it, would other wise die. Get indicted, go to jail Get out, work at IHop for the rest of your life Understandable reactions. A radical concept but. It is the brand that represents a fairer and better world The brand that everyone is talking about Who is everyone? We do already have a sports franchise. We can save the world. Someones just gotta go first What do you say? Are you a crackpot? I think i made a connection Not really And I want some meatballs ok? Hey, What is it National Horn Day? Move it theres a train coming! You dont hear that horn? Lets go I gotta train Back your car up Theres a train I cant go anywhere. Son of a bitch! Fix the handle Ray fix the handle. Train Engineer Get off the tracks. Crowd yelling Ahhh Shit. And whats withe the train? She should sue you! Well, you should sue McDonalds cause they fucked you up alrite. Dont you people understand? I get to go home and see my family. I should be dead right now. Yeah, he could have gone strait up Obviously you should have gone strait up. Thank you very much Hancock. Alrite, one guy will be right here. You gotta drop back I say the driveway would have been better but.. I want you to meet somebody. Hancock, this is my boy Arron. Oh my God, Ray? What happened to the car? Oh boy, you would not have believed it I came this close to getting hit by a train.. Hancock, this is my wife Marry. Believe it or not pal, I almost kissed a train today.. Saw my whole life flash before my eyes He saved your life? Keep it off the tracks. Arron, sweetheart, he has to go and do other things. Do you like eagles? This guy is like a little talking machine huh? Look at that huh.. Hun, Is the heat on? We started Spagetti madness about two years ago. Thats some good meatballs boy. His name is Arron. Hey, Arron pal, How was school today huh? No more problems with that bully Michael? Michele is this neighborhood bully. Know what i mean? Yeah, Turn the other cheek and all that? Never let them punk you. The way you deal with bullies is you take you right foot You dont have to do that honey. Make sure he cant use that thing for nothing but a flap to keep the dust out of his buttercrack. Michele is not a man. And maybe you dont know this but not everything in this world gets resolved by brute force Not everything has to be bang, scream, blood, more blood. She watches so much news That sometimes it gets to be a little too much. Yeah, just past the fridge. Just take the wiskey bottle to the bathroom? Do you want him to kill us all? Thanks for coming on in. You want to say goodbye to him? Hey, Alright little buddy. It was a joke Come on Arron. Sorry, I was just trying to She didnt get it I owe you more than I can say you gave my life back to me today. Just hear me out for one second.. Do you know what i do for a living? You know what thats is? Of course you do. Good to meet you Ray. Im sorry but, hear me out but people should love you They really should okay? Now I want to deliver that for you. People should be cherring you in the streets you know? What the hell are you pricks looking at? But, I just want you to give me just one short pitch.

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Chapter 8 : Hancock () - Hancock () - User Reviews - IMDb

Hancock () is a comedy superhero film about an amnesiac hero directed by Peter Berg and starring Will Smith, Jason Bateman, and Charlize Theron.

Overall, I thought the authors did a nice job discussing various legal aspects in regards to superheroes and their behavior, how superheroes might be breaking more laws than they realize in their zeal to uphold those same laws. It does get dry, in some parts, but even then the authors I enjoyed reading this book. It does get dry, in some parts, but even then the authors do a nice job of keeping everything "understandable" instead of falling back on "legalese" while trying to explain the applicability of the laws to a given situation. There were some parts of the book I thought were very interesting, some pretty boring but still educational. The "weakest" aspect of the book is how abruptly it ends. It felt like the last chapter could have gone on a bit further, and it really needed a "final" chapter to wrap it all up. It focused mostly on DC and Marvel [which kind-of makes sense, considering how long these two companies have been in existence and pumping out comics], with an occasional dalliance with smaller companies [Dark Horse is mentioned a couple of times]. Of course, as the focus is "super heroes" and "super villains" that could explain why smaller, indie companies are not considered or utilized in the various chapter discussions. He does have quite a bit of wealth that he has never paid taxes on; it would be interesting to see how he would "justify" not paying the taxes especially as he claims to be an American citizen. It was interesting that, technically, he could not be taxed for turning coal into diamonds, but he could be heavily taxed if he gave the diamonds away as gifts. However, if he gave a person a lump of coal, first, and then turned that lump of coal into a diamond, both he and the recipient of the lump of coal could avoid having to pay any kind of taxes on the coal. I found it fascinating. Their take on it was very interesting, to say the least. There has to be some kind of legal foundation for Congress to be able to write such a law, and the authors seemed to feel like the reasons given by the editors and writers at Marvel were pretty weak. It got me to thinking that what probably needed to take place was a new amendment needing to be added to the Constitution. Once the new amendment had been accepted and ratified by the requisite number of states, this would have allowed Congress to be able to pass any subsequent legislation needed to enforce the registration of super heroes. I think, though, that the public would have demanded some kind of legal action being taken long before "the Stamford Incident" and death of hundreds of school children. Super villains have caused enough damage to the nation, to the national infrastructure, and to municipalities for decades with the common person having to shoulder the burden of the damages caused by the actions of the super villains and the heroes opposing them. I thought the SHRA was a long time coming, but Marvel went about it "the wrong way" in their stories and how it was presented. In addition, the authors talk about embassies in other countries. Either during or toward the end of the Civil War event the Wakandan embassy is destroyed. A foreign embassy was destroyed by the warring super hero factions. This essentially creates an international incident and potential foundation for a declaration of war between the two countries. For example, the "fact" that Wakanda sides with the insurrectionists like it does should also have created some kind of international incident that could have led to war between the United States and the African nation. There were numerous issues that were not addressed in the Civil War event that were, no doubt, unexpected by-products of the primary narrative and its focus. That is something I had never considered while reading the comics. Air space is heavily patrolled and people cannot just fly into a controlled airspace with impunity without having filed some kind of prior flight plan. Severe penalties can be incurred by not following proper procedures, but somehow superheroes are exempt of course! So one can only deduce that somehow superheroes are given "free passes" whenever they violate controlled airspace without first filing a flight plan? I did not know what to expect; I hoped it would be entertaining, which it was. Even the parts where it dragged were "interesting" because I felt like I had learned something I did not know before [which was actually quite a bit]. I am glad that I read it.

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