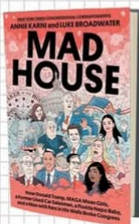


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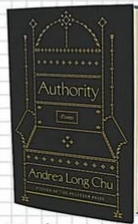
# Hit Us With the Torpedo Bat

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## HIGHBROW



• Timespeople Annie Karni and Luke Broadwater's **exposé of Congress**, *Mad House*.



• New York critic Andrea Long Chu's **Authority**.

• Robert Peterson's **portraiture** at Albertz Benda gallery.

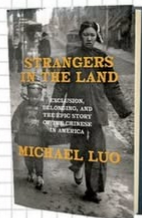


• Heinous nativist Marine le Pen **banned** from France's next presidential election. Must be nice!



• Carolyn Case's **fabulously gnarly** women's art at Asya Geisberg Gallery.

• Cats: *The Jellicle Ball* appears to be **Broadway bound**.



• Michael Luo's *Strangers in the Land*, a history of the **Chinese experience** in America.

• U.K. PM Keir Starmer moves to outlaw **"ninja swords."**



• Fort Greene Park **tree fight** makes it confusing who's a YIMBY, who's a NIMBY, and who hates trees.

• McNally Jackson's "Publishing 101" series **democratizes authorship** just a little.



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