The top ten books published this month that librarians across the country love.

**THE INVISIBLE LIBRARY**
by Genevieve Cogman
(Roc)

"Directed by powerful librarians, agents roam alternate realities searching out special volumes for their mysterious library’s collections. Irene is a spy for the library but something is a little off about her current mission; there’s something strange about her new assistant that she can’t quite put her finger on and worse, the requested volume has already been stolen. Cogman’s engaging characters and most intriguing imagined world are sure to delight readers, especially bibliophiles."
—Beth Mills, New Rochelle Public Library, New Rochelle, NY

**UNDER THE HARROW**
A Novel
by Flynn Berry
(Penguin Books)

"Nora leaves London to visit her sister, Rachel, in the countryside often. But this trip is different, a silent house, a dead dog hanging from the railing and so much blood. Nora stays, trying to help the police solve the case. She thinks it might have something to do with the unsolved attack on Rachel when she was just a teen but it could be someone new. This story is thrilling and quietly gripping. We become as obsessed as Nora in finding her sister’s killer and wait if he strikes again?"
—Kimberly McGee, Lake Travis Community Library, Austin, TX

**MISSING, PRESUMED**
A Novel
by Susie Steiner
(Random House)

"This is a thoughtful police procedural about a missing person case and the secrets that come to the surface when a feisty detective becomes relentless in finding the truth. Edith is a successful college student from a well-known family, but all is not what it seems. Detective Manon Bradshaw is feeling the pressure to quickly resolve the case. What sets this apart from other detective stories is how the lead character is brought to life; she exposes her melancholy and it adds a satisfying mix to the thriller. Recommended for fans of Tana French."
—Andrienne Cruz, Azusa City Library, Azusa, CA

**STILETTO**
A Novel
by Daniel O’Malley
(Little, Brown and Company)

"In the long-awaited sequel to The Rook, negotiations between two highly secret organizations, one based on science and reason and the other on the supernatural, are continuing. Odette and Pawn both come to the forefront of the story as we get more of the history of the groups and why mortal enemies would want to join forces. With its blend of intricate world-building and fantastical situations, Stiletto both surprised me and made me laugh."
—Mary Bell, Wilbraham Public Library, Wilbraham, MA

**LILY AND THE OCTOPUS**
by Steven Rowley
(Simon & Schuster)

"Rowley has lovingly captured what it is like to be totally invested in caring for another life, another heart. This book is a true gift for anyone who has experienced the loss of a dog, but especially for those of us who have nursed a beloved dog through an illness even though you both knew it was going to be a losing battle. A special bond is formed there, and the story of Lily and Ted illustrates it so perfectly."
—Mary Coe, Fairfield Woods Branch Library, Fairfield, CT

**WIDOWMAKER**
A Novel
by Paul Doiron
(Minotaur Books)

"Doiron delivers a novel of intensifying suspense. The brooding and flawed Bowditch deals with a newly revealed family secret that sets him off on a search for the truth. His personal mission leads him into danger as he chases a vigilante through the wintry Maine woods. Doiron perfects his storytelling with a richly detailed setting and admirable sense of timing. You’ll want to go back to the previous Bowditch adventures while awaiting the next installment. Highly recommended for fans of Nevada Barr and C.J. Box."
—Mamie Ney, Auburn Public Library, Auburn, ME