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**Reading List for the Dogs of Chernobyl Webinar**

Please see the following links for additional reading and resources on the subject of the Chernobyl reactor accident and the life of the dogs.

An article currently under scientific review with publication TBA by Tim Mousseau who headed the research part of the project along with Elaine Ostrander of the National Institutes of Health. Participating libraries (past and future) will be given links when they become available.

Just out, 01-22-22, this NY Times article is on how the [Russians may invade Ukraine through the Exclusion Zone](https://www.nytimes.com/2022/01/22/world/europe/chernobyl-ukraine-invasion-russia.html). You’ll recognize some of the photos!

This is a very interesting article by a colleague and friend of mine, Jonny Turnbull who was on the campaign with me in Chernobyl. [Checkpoint Dogs, Photovoicing Canine Companionship in the Chernobyl Exclusion Zone](https://drive.google.com/file/d/1fEVmhQub0pYxTGkIlZnZ60wPvwN360aQ/view?usp=sharing) by Jonathan Turnbull. It talks about the relationship between many dogs and the guards who patrol the checkpoints into the Chernobyl Exclusion Zone.

[Packing Lists](https://drive.google.com/file/d/1iJQ-VeS8c0bcdU_mSRiz0AYj6_26_Nmb/view?usp=sharing) by librarian Albie Ashbrook. This short article is a wonderful, heartfelt and affecting autobiographical story of Albie Ashbrook’s time in Kyiv (Kiev) Ukraine in the mid 90’s when radiation was still a big concern. Originally published by The Examined Life Journal, the University of Iowa Carver School of Medicine (2017).

The [Photography Website](https://www.brendamanthe.com/chernobylzone) of Brenda Manthe: Amazing photos of the abandoned city of Pripyat.

[The Biology of Chernobyl](https://drive.google.com/file/d/1-QwZgsFXxIlD3HPu_FphcxQW2hox-txA/view) by Timothy A. Mousseau. This is not the still anticipated paper described above but is a recently published comprehensive article on radiation and biology following the Chernobyl accident of 1986 to today.

While not specifically about Chernobyl, this book, [Citizen Canine: Our Evolving Relationship with Cats and Dogs](https://www.amazon.com/Citizen-Canine-Evolving-Relationship-Cats-ebook/dp/B00G1SD502/ref=sr_1_1?dchild=1&keywords=citizen+canine+david+grimm&qid=1635272165&qsid=131-5170273-8139638&sr=8-1&sres=B00J2D758Q%2CB016R90VBK%2CB071WCV19B%2CB00DBUVKP0%2CB008OC18JS%2CB00WFVF1CY%2CB000EQS1JW%2CB009DRP9RU%2CB00S59NYT2%2CB07VZYM87N%2CB01KVVUZHK%2CB00PXVUKBK%2CB00UMD8ICW%2CB06XYYF4BG%2CB000EQU15O%2CB071FBZLWN&srpt=ABIS_BOOK) by David Grimm (link goes to Amazon) is a fascinating look at the domestication of dogs and cats and our evolving relationships with them. You can also get a signed copy from Grimm’s website, <http://davidhgrimm.com/>.

## **[Midnight in Chernobyl: The Untold Story of the World's Greatest Nuclear Disaster](https://www.amazon.com/Midnight-Chernobyl-Greatest-Nuclear-Disaster/dp/1501134639/ref=sr_1_3?crid=R46TK65XFUVF&dchild=1&keywords=chernobyl+book&qid=1628795717&sprefix=chernobyl%2Caps%2C185&sr=8-3)**

by [Adam Higginbotham](https://www.amazon.com/Adam-Higginbotham/e/B00O510VZ4?ref=sr_ntt_srch_lnk_3&qid=1628795717&sr=8-3). A fairly recent and in my opinion definitive (and page turning) re-telling of the accident and the aftermath.

The [Dogs of Chernobyl Research Initiative](https://experiment.com/projects/the-dogs-of-chernobyl-research-initiative). Tim Mousseau mentioned above is a part of this.

The [Clean Futures Fund](http://cleanfutures.org/projects/dogs-of-chernobyl/) which organized the spay/neuter, research campaign.

[The Chernobyl Disaster: What Happened and the Long Term Impacts](https://www.nationalgeographic.com/culture/article/chernobyl-disaster) by Erin Blakemore for National Geographic, with photos.

[The True Toll of the Chernobyl Disaster](https://www.bbc.com/future/article/20190725-will-we-ever-know-chernobyls-true-death-toll) by Richard Grey of the BBC. Very interesting, detailed look with great photos.

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