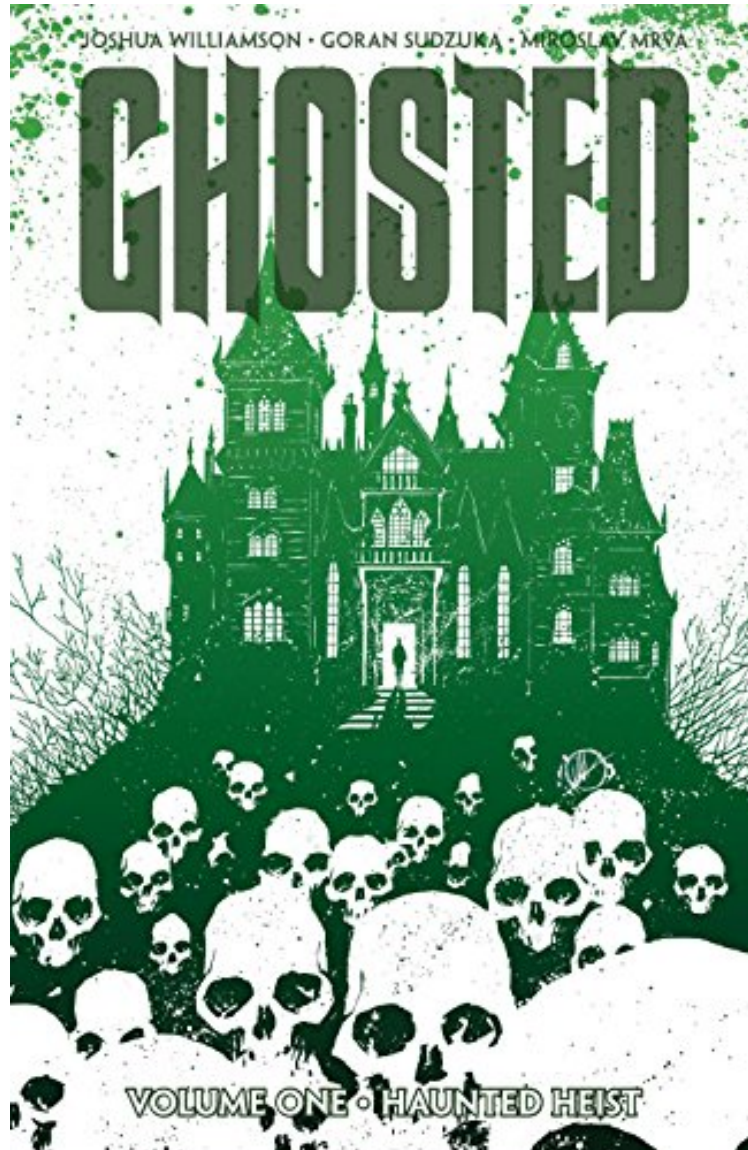


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Joshua Williamson : Ghosted Volume 1 TP before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Ghosted Volume 1 TP:

1 of 1 people found the following review helpful. a horror/crime mashup that entertainsBy Frank L. Greenagel IIThe back cover's synopsis captures this perfectly: "a horror/crime mashup that is equal parts Ocean's 11 and The Shining." That is incredibly accurate.Jackson Winters is a career thief who is in prison at the start of the story (the first page is quite jarring and not for minors). His last job went bad and he is quite jaded. Prison is also horrible. Within the first

few pages, he is broken out under cover of a riot. A rich old man offers him a fortune (and a private island) to capture a ghost for him at a well known haunted house. Winters scoffs, but with a lack of alternative he accepts the job. He puts a crew together (the Ocean's 11 part, though the banter is not nearly as clever or funny). They go to the house and....well, the Shining part happens. The story idea is fantastic. The written plot is good and the pacing is quite good. There are a few hitches (characters not entirely flushed out, dialogue weak at times, some parts happens too fast), but overall, this is a quality story. 2 of 2 people found the following review helpful. Good story, bad writing By Kyle It feels like someone came up with a great story about a ghost heist, then they took it and gave the reigns to a first time writer. There are so many transitions that happen too quickly, and parts where the characters blatantly tell you what's happening, because apparently they aren't able to just show us. It all happened far far too quick, if they would have made this story into two volumes it could have been far better. 1 of 1 people found the following review helpful. Different than expected By Evil Dr. Zenwatt Well, it went in a whole different direction than I was expecting. Not a bad thing. I was thinking it was going to be more of a ghost hunters story than putting together a team to pull off a heist in a haunted house. That was certainly different, and the ending of the self contained story was satisfying.

A HORROR/CRIME MASHUP THAT'S EQUAL PARTS OCEAN'S 11 AND THE SHINING. Jackson T. Winters is one of the greatest criminal masterminds to ever live...except he's rotting in jail after his last, doomed score. But when a filthy rich collector breaks him out, he's tasked with putting together an elite team of paranormal experts to do the impossible: Steal a ghost from a haunted house of horrors!

From Booklist If you've ever found yourself wanting an Oceans Eleven style caper, but with more ghosts, ghouls, and gore, then Ghosted is a dream come true. Just busted out of prison, silver-tongued con man Jackson T. Winters can win permanent freedom if he can deliver a free-floating, full-torso, vaporous apparition to a filthy-rich collector. A suit, a shave, and one fantastic heist-crew-assembly montage later, Winters discovers that the old collector might have ulterior motives in sending him and his team to the old manor to find a ghost. Williamson has developed a page-turner of a concept, and this first trade begs readers to stay around for more character development among his crew. The story flows cinematically, skipping over character motives and tucking them away for later exploration, which only underscores the tension and raises the stakes. Sudzukas traditional figures and Mrvas saturated palette fittingly hearken back to adventure comics in style and panel layout. This new spin on a heist story belongs on the shelf next to anything by Ed Brubaker, particularly Fatale or Criminal. --Ben Spanner