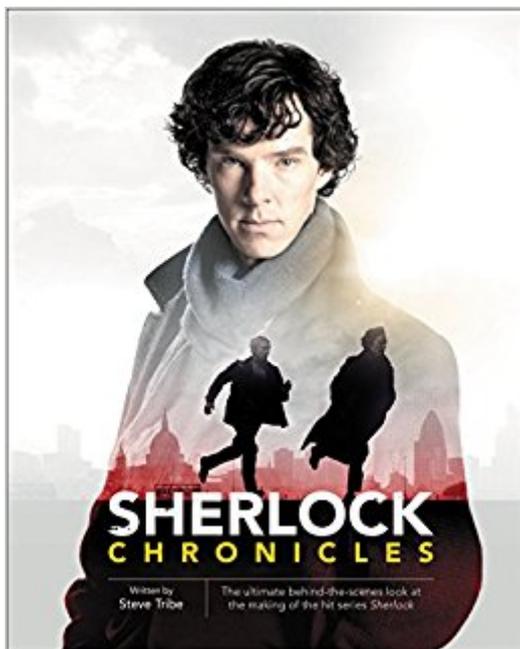


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# Sherlock: Chronicles



## Synopsis

Delve deep into the creative minds behind the world's greatest "and only" consulting detective with this ultimate behind-the-scenes look at the making of the smash PBS television series *Sherlock*, produced by BBC/Masterpiece and starring Benedict Cumberbatch and Martin Freeman. This is the hit series of *Sherlock* as you've never seen it before, from story development to casting, sets, costumes, props, music, and more. With unprecedented access to the production team's archives, as well as all-new interviews, unseen script pages, more than 500 illustrations, including color photographs, pieces of concept art, and storyboards, *Sherlock: Chronicles* unlocks the secrets of each unforgettable case in the words of the show's creators, cast, and crew. Discover how the *Sherlock* team adapted classic adventures and puzzles for a fresh new world. Meet the artists and designers whose creative vision brought the show to life. See how the show's dedicated crew converted everyday locations into "the great cesspool" of criminal London. Learn the real story about the producers' and writers' vision for *Sherlock*'s clever return from the grave at the beginning of season three, and what the esteemed cast of actors—including Benedict Cumberbatch, Martin Freeman, Rupert Graves, Mark Gatiss, and Una Stubbs—think about bringing Holmes to life. From 221B Baker Street to St. Bart's Hospital, from Buckingham Palace to Appledore, discover what lies behind every one of *Sherlock*'s closed doors with this essential companion for fans of the acclaimed show.

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The BBC's "Sherlock" television series is my favorite on-screen version of the detective, and it's great to have a book like this which celebrates the show. "Sherlock Chronicles" takes an in-depth look into the first three seasons. It has just about everything you'd want in a book like this - including profiles of the cast/characters and information about the show itself as well as the production. The book begins with a Foreword by Mark Gatiss (plays the role of Mycroft and also a writer for the series) and a brief introduction about the series. After that, each chapter corresponds to one episode of the show. There is a lot of interesting information about the making of the series, all compiled in a very pleasing layout with plenty of high-quality photographs. Below is a detailed list of the things you can find in the book:- The "Series Bible" written by the showrunners.- How the writers draw from the history of Doyle's novels.- The original BBC press release announcing the show.- Casting the series leads, with complete filmography of Benedict Cumberbatch and Martin Freeman.- Casting Andrew Scott as Moriarty; Lara Pulver as Irene Adler; and other supporting characters- "Holmes from Holmes" segments, which compare the screenplay to pages from the books.- Deleted Scenes from the scripts.- Constructing and designing the 221B Baker Street interior.- Profile on composer David Arnold and his great music for the show.- Discussion about editing the show- Dozens of on-location photos- Concept art and visual effects work on the Hound- Breakdowns of key scenes, including the Reichenbach Fall.- Storyboard sequence for Sherlock's fall.

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