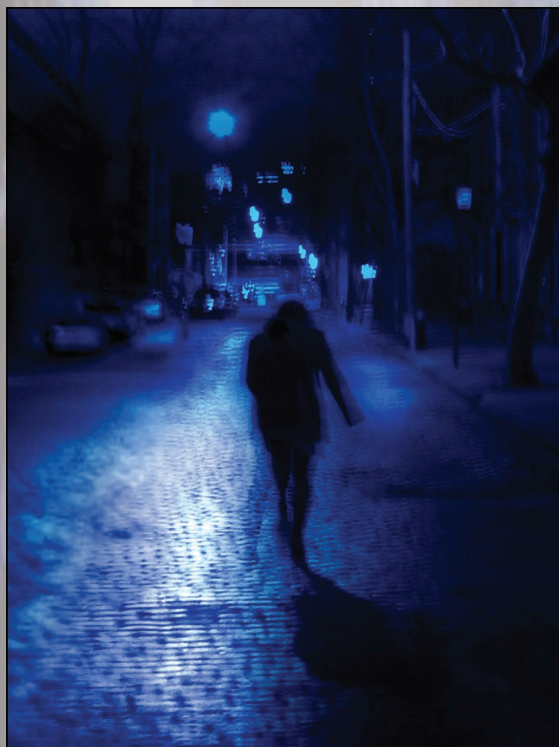


# World of Darkness® Rulebook



## Where the Shadows Grow Long

We live our days completely ignorant of the true terrors lurking around us. Only rarely do our experiences draw back the veil of shadows and reveal the horror in our midst. These glimpses into the supernatural can cause us to retreat into comforting lies — “There are no such things as monsters” — or stir our morbid curiosity. Only a few, however, can overcome their fear and dare to look deeper.

## Abandon Hope All Who Enter

The **World of Darkness Rulebook** introduces a version of our contemporary world where the supernatural is real. Players join to tell tales of mystery and horror, where theme, mood and plot are more important to a character's experiences than his weapons or equipment. Inside are rules for character creation, task resolution, combat and any activity your character attempts as he delves into the shadows. Hardcover.

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## Type of Book

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## Related Books

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## For Players

- Introduction to the World of Darkness and its conspiracy-laden history, told through the eyes of those who have glimpsed beyond the mundane
- Storytelling System rules for creating mortal characters — who can then be transformed into supernatural beings
- A comprehensive combat system, allowing for a wide range of fighting styles

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- The system rulebook for use with any World of Darkness game, a companion volume to **Vampire: The Requiem™**
- A streamlined rules system for quickly and easily resolving any task a character attempts, all the while emphasizing narrative and plot
- Guidelines for telling stories in a world of supernatural horror, where mortals are ignorant of the terrors stalking them

*Suggested for mature readers.*

