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| **Porn Panic!** Sex and Censorship in the UK  Jerry Barnett  First they came for the pornography, and then strip clubs, lads' mags and music videos. Then they came for hate speech, and then speech that was merely offensive. They eroded free speech online and on university campuses. They sought to divide people by gender and by race. Porn Panic! charts the rise of a new social conservatism for the new millennium, coinciding with the collapse of liberalism as a political force. A new fascism is here, and it’s nothing like anyone expected...  **Author Bio** Jerry Barnett is a technologist, political activist, photographer and writer. His long experience in anti-fascist politics led him to become a dedicated campaigner for free speech and sexual freedom, and he founded the Sex & Censorship campaign in 2013. He is a regular speaker and writer on sex, free expression, race and other issues, and has made regular media appearances over the past several years. Online: [Facebook](http://facebook.com/SexAndCensorship), [Blog](http://sexandcensorship.org), [Twitter](http://www.twitter.com/#!/@PornPanic)  **Endorsements** *Porn Panic! documents new and rising threats to free expression, and mounts a fierce and entertaining defence.* ***Nadine Strossen, Professor of Law, New York Law School and former ACLU President***  **Promotional Plans** Author platform: 25,000 Twitter followers, 10,000 Facebook users, and over 1,000 opted-in email subscribers. Active campaigner on sex & censorship since making adult films. Confirmed publicity: Promote through http://sexandcensorship.org/porn-panic-the-book/. Tour in Sept London, Manchester, Glasgow.  **USP** Only up-to-date coverage of UK state attempts to censor the internet. First-person perspective: historical and social narrative is interwoven with author's direct experience.  **Competing Books** Anti-Porn: The Resurgence of Anti-Pornography Feminism (1780320256), by Julia Long Zed Books, 2012  **Categories** SOCIAL SCIENCE (General)(SOC034000) -> Pornography(SOC034000) POLITICAL SCIENCE (General)(POL039000) -> Censorship(POL039000) HEALTH & FITNESS (General)(HEA042000) -> Sexuality(HEA042000) |  | **Publication Date** August 2016  **Paperback** ISBN: 978-1-78535-374-1 $24.95  |  £13.99 8.5x5.5 inches | 216x140 mm 232PP  **e-book** ISBN: 978-1-78535-375-8 $12.99  |  £7.99  **Library of Congress** 2015960668 |
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