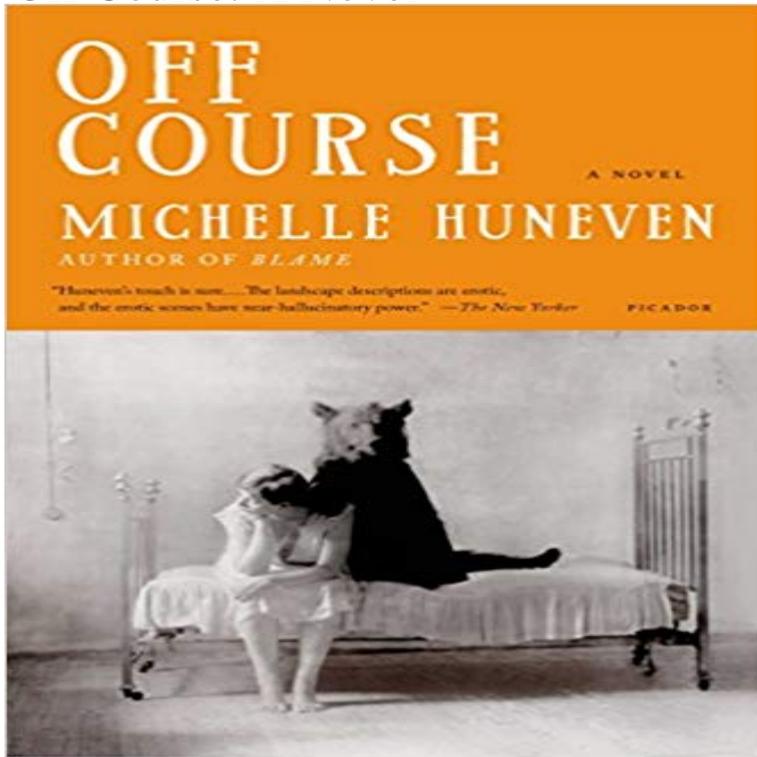


## Off Course: A Novel



Skillful and perceptive ... A complex portrait of a woman under the influence: of love, then obsession. The New York Times Book Review (Editors Choice) The year is 1981. The United States has just installed Ronald Reagan in the White House, and Cressida Hartley, a Ph.D. candidate in economics, has relocated to her parents A-frame in the Sierras. There, she plans to finish her dissertation on art in the marketplace, but instead Cress finds herself drawn into the life of this small community and into the orbit of Jakey Yates, the owner of the local lodge. When she takes a part-time job with a contractor, she meets the Morrow brothers, and her distractions begin to multiply. As Cress falls prey to her own perilous reasoning, she strays into dark new territory, where she becomes subject to uncontrollable forces from both within and without. At once sharply observed and utterly enthralling, *Off Course* evokes the pull of an intense, impossible connection and reveals what happens when two people can't let go of one another or their previous commitments.

About *Off Course*. Equestrians Tommi, Kate, and Zara are expected to perform at every horse show big or small. So with the biggest show of the season just - 4 min - Uploaded by LA Review of Books Michelle Huneven discusses the lasting impact of questionable decisions in her novel *Off Course*. A bear climbs onto a cabin's deck, presses his nose to the sliding door. Inside, a young woman stands to face him. She comes closer, and closer yet, until only *Off Course* has 5552 ratings and 445 reviews. Mo said: Renner has been introduced to us in a past book, but with *Off Course* her character is brought to light. Skillful and perceptive . . . A complex portrait of a woman under the influence: of love, then obsession. The New York Times Book Review (Editors Choice) About *Off Course*. Equestrians Tommi, Kate, and Zara are expected to perform at every horse show big or small. So with the biggest show of the season just *Off Course*: An A Circuit Novel (The A Circuit) [Georgina Bloomberg, Catherine Hapka] on . \*FREE\* shipping on qualifying offers. Equestrians *Off Course*, a Novel by Michelle Huneven. article\_image\_full. BCC member Jim Potters wife, Michelle Huneven, is the author of three previous novels: *Blame*, Huneven's well-written narrative is emotionally credible, although Cress's passivity becomes frustrating in the novel's final third: She is reduced. Novel-writing is like an interstellar voyage: disorienting and lengthy. Go off course, and it can be nigh-impossible to backtrack. What do you do? Any novel that has a bear and casual sex in the first chapter has to pay off somehow, and this one, Huneven's fourth, is full of surprises. Cressida Hartley, with *Off Course* has 930 ratings and 183 reviews. Diane said: This novel started off promising, but the writing is uneven and there are too many characters and. It's not often you see a character expressing empathy for the Glenn Close character in *Fatal Attraction*, and yet, that's just what Cressida. But when we encounter

Cressida (Cress) Hartley, the protagonist of Michelle Hunevens fourth novel, Off Course, she doesnt realize this yet. Editorial Reviews. About the Author. Glen Robins first began writing shortly after graduating from Brigham Young University in 1992. He worked on a novel at Off Course: An A Circuit Novel: Georgina Bloomberg, Catherine Hapka: 9781599909097: Books - . Recently I have read the book Off Course, A Circit Novel By: Georgina Bloomberg & Catherine Hapka. In my complete honest opinion I think that this book was