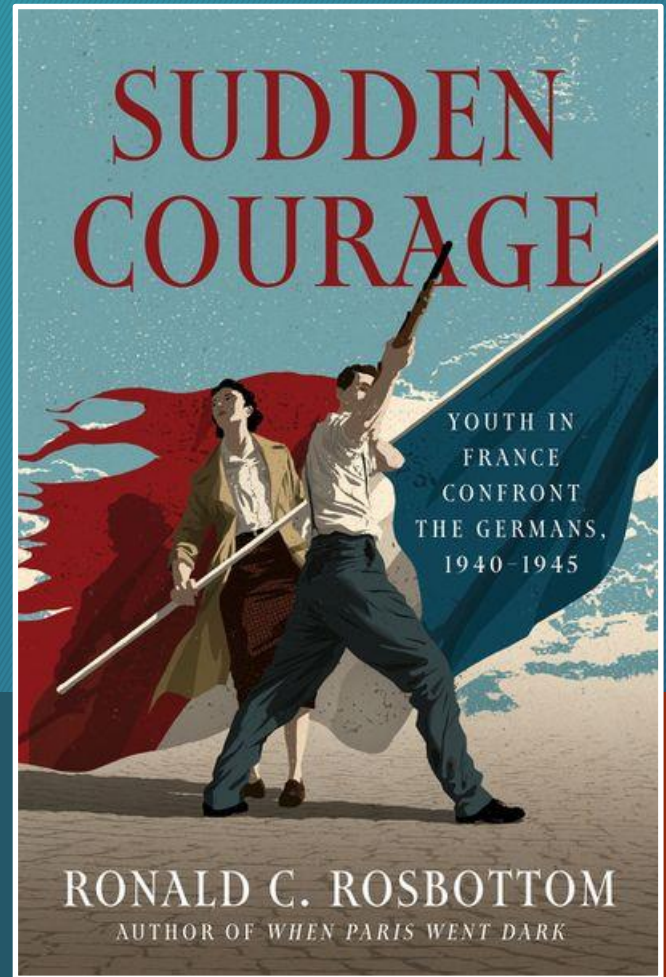


Special Author Event

Ronald Rosbottom, the author of the acclaimed *When Paris Went Dark*, longlisted for the National Book Award, returns to World War II once again to tell the incredible story of the youngest members of the French Resistance —many only teenagers—who waged a hidden war against the Nazi occupiers and their collaborators in Paris and across France.



Wednesday, October 2, 2019
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