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# TIME MACHINES REPAIRED WHILE-U-WAIT K A BEDFORD

Winner, Aurealis Award  
for Best Science Fiction Novel, 2008  
Shortlisted, Tin Duck Award, 2009  
Shortlisted, Philip K Dick Award, 2009

*Bedford is funny in a crazed, Rudy Rucker kind of way. While Rucker writes of gonzo theorists, Bedford writes of the gonzo mechanics who keep the machines running.*

Fred Cleaver, *Denver Post*

*... a fast-moving novel that will appeal to the reader who appreciates complicated plot lines, murder, and amusing dialogue. Highly Recommended.*

Ronald Hore, *CM Magazine*

*If you relish the conundrums of time travel and enjoy the slightly off-kilter perspective ... this story of a man attempting to both solve a mystery and come to terms with his life will provide a pleasurable escape from present day reality.*

*SF Revu*

### About the Book

When a routine time machine service ends in murder, mechanic and maverick ex-cop Spider feels compelled to find the killer. But pretty soon he's facing more possible futures than a choose-your-own-adventure. Worse, they all have two things in common – his own untimely death and very bad coffee. Can Spider save the universe and still find time to fix the coffee machine? Join him and see!

### About the Author

K. A. Bedford has been writing since he was a little kid, but started writing seriously when he was 14. He has studied Writing, Theatre, and Philosophy at Murdoch University, and is actively involved in the Australian Science Fiction community.

### Media Notes

- This book is a science fiction thriller that will appeal to an audience well beyond science fiction fans.
- Bedford's previous novels were published in North America by EDGE Science Fiction and Fantasy Publishing and include *Hydrogen Steel*, *Eclipse*, *Orbital Burn*
- All his novels have either won or been shortlisted for an Aurealis Award.



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