Biography

Karen Akins writes humorous, light science fiction for young adults and the young-in-spirit. When not writing or reading, she loves lightsaber dueling with her two sons and forcing her husband to watch BBC shows with her. Karen has been many things in her life: an archery instructor, drummer for the shortest-lived garage band in history, and a shockingly bad tic-tac-toe player. –from www.goodreads.com

Akins’ book Twist was featured on the 2015 Arkansas Gems list. Arkansas Gems is an annual publication of the Arkansas Center for the Book. The annual project highlights new works about Arkansas, or by authors from the natural state. –adapted from http://www.library.arkansas.gov/

Books at Bentonville Public Library

Young Adult Fiction
LOOP (2014) [YAF Akins, Karen]
Twist (2015) [YAF Akins, Karen]
Related Authors Recommended by NoveList Plus

Pete Hautman
Myra McEntire
Trevor Baxendale

Megan Shepherd
Gary Russell
Pierce Askegren

Link to Lesson Plan

http://www.bentonvillelibrary.org/assets/YLF/pdfs/akins-lesson.pdf

Additional Library Resources

Print

More Books About Time Travel –

The Obsidian Mirror (2013) by Catherine Fisher [YAF Fisher Catherine]
Tempest: A Novel (2012) by Julie Cross [YAF Cross Julie]
Time Travel (2014) by Lisa Arias [JNF 529 ARI]
The Time-Traveling Fashionista (2011) by Bianca Turetshy [JF Turetsky Bianca]
When You Reach Me (2009) by Rebecca Stead [JF Stead Rebecca]

E-Learning on BPL’s Student Portal Page

Time Travel in Science Fiction and Other Media
