GETTING STARTED :: READERS

HOW TO CONTACT US
Send us your questions, comments, and requests for support in either of two ways:

- Preferred Method—Press the Message Popup icon in the lower right corner of the Inara company website page at https://inara.world Fill in your information and send.
- Use the Inara email address info@inara.world to send via email.

NOW, LET'S GET STARTED!

- Be sure to read the Reader FAQs page on this website.
- Use any of these devices—laptop, desktop, or smartphone—that runs a browser—Chrome, Safari, Firefox, Edge. Inara usage for tablet is in development.

  Note: you will need a smartphone to set up your Dropp account and Digital Wallet.

- Go to the Inara mobile web application
- Enter into your web browser window this URL: https://app.inara.world

JOIN INARA

- In the left navigation bar, press Join Inara (for mobile phones, press MENU first)
- On the Join Inara page, below the Readers and Authors/Publishers sections, press the Sign up button.
- Fill in the fields for Email, First name, Last name and your Password/Password confirmation.
- Check the Terms & Conditions box
- Press the DIAL IT UP! button.

SET UP NEW PROFILE

- Enter Username
- Press UPLOAD PROFILE PHOTO button and add your photo (file size must be less than 5 MB)
- Enter your Bio. This can be your reader bio or your author bio
- Click on and Select your favorite genres for reading
- Press the CREATE PROFILE button
- When you start reading a book on Inara for the first time, you will be prompted to set up your Dropp account and Dropp Digital Wallet.
- Get the Dropp Quick Start Guide here: https://dropp.cc/resources/quick-start-guide/
- Follow the steps to set up your account and fund your wallet. You will have the option to add a credit card or ACH to the bank account of your choice. You get $5 free when you set up your account. Later, you will add funds to your wallet from that account. We recommend starting with a minimum of $7.00
- You must add at least one currency account (USD or HBAR) to your wallet to make

micropayments as you read. You may add both USD and HBAR accounts to your wallet.

DROPP WALLET ACCOUNTS INSUFFICIENT FUNDS AND AUTOMATIC REPLENISHMENT

- If you have selected the Automatic Replenishment option (not available for HBAR), then Dropp will replenish your wallet from the bank account or credit card of your choice, without any interruption to your reading experience.
- You may opt-in for the Low Balance Notification which triggers when your balance is less than or equal to $5.00
- If you have not selected Automatic Replenishment (USD), your wallet has a low balance and you have opted-in for Low Balance Notification, you will receive a message advising you to replenish your account.
- If you are an HBAR user with an HBAR account in your wallet, in the event of insufficient funds for that HBAR account, you will receive a message from Inara advising you to replenish your account.

DROPP WALLET FUND ACCOUNT SCREEN

- Fund Now—Add funds to your Dropp wallet
- Funding Accounts—Add or change external accounts
- Automatic Replenishment—see above
- History—Funding and auto replenishment
- Redeem Now—Redeem your Dropp balance to your bank account

NAVIGATING THE CATALOG

The Left Navigation Bar on the app contains:

- Browse
- My Library
- Update Reader Profile
- My Wallet
- Login/Logout

Note: Authors/Publishers have all of the above PLUS Author/Publisher Dashboard

<u>Browse</u>

- Press Browse in the left navigation bar to see the ebooks on Inara.
- Click on the Book Title below a book cover to go to that book's Details page
- Click on the Author/Publisher Name below a book cover to go to that Author's/Publisher's Page.
- Click on a book cover to reveal three buttons:
    - Book Details—The book's description and other information.
    - Start reading—Opens the ereader and displays the book for reading
    - Save Book—Saves the book to My library
- Press the Filter Results button. Mouse over the Genre list and click on a genre to filter for that genre.
- Click on a rating to see books with that rating
- Press the Clear Filters button to clear the filters and start over.

My Library

- Press My library in the left navigation bar to open My Library
- You will see your name and profile photo
- Each of the four drop-down sections can be extended or retracted when you press that section
- Currently Reading Shelf—Books that you started to read. Press Mark Completed on any book to move it to the Completed Shelf
- Saved Books—Books that you have saved for reading
- Completed Shelf—Books that you have completed reading
    - Press Read Book Again to open it and continue reading.
    - Press Purchase to pay for the Value of the Whole Book (the balance remaining is automatically calculated). In the Dropp Purchase popup, press PAY or CANCEL.
    - Press Review This Book to leave your review.
- My Reviews—Press to see your reviews of the books that you have read

My Wallet

- In My Wallet, press the All Transactions History button. After you have opened an ebook and displayed pages, you will see your microtransactions recorded on this page.
- Press the Back to Wallet button. This returns you to the My Wallet page.
- Press the Reading History button. This shows the books and authors/publishers you have read.

READING EBOOKS ON THE INARA E-READER

Open a Book

From Browse

- In the Left Navigation Bar, press Browse
- Press on a Book Cover Image
- Press Start reading

From My Library

- In the Left Navigation Bar, press My library
- Choose a book from Currently Reading, Saved Books, or Completed Shelf
- Press on a Book Cover Image to open it

If you are reading a book for the first time:

- In the Read popup that appears, specify the maximum amount of money that you want to spend while reading this book and press CONFIRM.

Note: If the wallet has insufficient funds, a message will display advising you to replenish the wallet (USD/HBAR)

- In the Dropp Approve Recurring Payment popup, press Approve

With Book Displayed In the Ereader

- To move to next page: on a laptop or desktop, press the right arrow; on mobile phone, press right side of screen.

Note, you cannot swipe to turn the page.

- To move to preceding page: on a laptop or desktop, press the left arrow; on mobile phone, press left side of screen.
- To select and display the Table of Contents, press the Hamburger Menu (three bars) Icon at the top left of the screen
- Press any link in the Table of Contents to go directly to that Section in the Book.
- To retract the Table of Contents, press the left arrow at the top left of the screen.
- To display Fullscreen, press the expansion arrow icon/Fullscreen at the top right of the screen.
- To display the Notifications, press the bell icon a the top right of the screen
- To close the book either 1) press the X at the top right of the screen, or 2) press Close Book at the bottom center of the screen.

INARA PRO TIP: Add Inara mobile web app icon to your mobile phone home screen

Note: Inara does not vouch for the accuracy or effectiveness of the methods in the sources listed below—they are provided for your information and convenience only

iPhone (iOS)
https://www.groovypost.com/howto/add-a-website-shortcut-to-your-iphone-home-screen

Android
https://www.technologyhint.com/website-shortcut

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