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Eco-mystery FALLING INTO GREEN features an ecopsychologist turned detective in an environmental twist on the genre

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(Ashland, OR—January 16, 2012) — Ashland Creek Press is pleased to announce the publication of the eco-mystery *FALLING INTO GREEN*. Cher Fischer's captivating debut novel offers an intimate, humorous, and sensual look at the myriad ways in which nature defines us, as well as memorable characters: A pilot for a TV series is currently being developed based on the characters in the book.

Ecopsychologist Dr. Esmeralda Green is skilled at solving the mysteries of the mind, especially if they collide with the laws of nature. But when a body is found below the crumbling cliffs near her Los Angeles home—the young girl was murdered at the same cliff that took the life of her best childhood friend—Ez is pulled back in time to a tragedy that defies all understanding.

Already balancing her client list with the renovations to her slipping-off-the-hill house, Ez now must find a way to look into this tragedy, whose connections to the past are all too familiar. Meanwhile, Ez's sustainable lifestyle—from her hybrid car to her organic diet—is colliding with the man in her life, an attractive TV news reporter who drives, of all things, a Hummer.

Swept into a maze of corporate corruption and family secrets whose depths seem to have no bounds, Ez finds that her intuition and psychological skills can take her only so far, and she finds herself falling deeper and deeper into danger...

About the author: Cher Fischer is an ecopsychologist who received her doctorate in clinical psychology in 2004. She was a professor of psychology at Ryokan College in Los Angeles and has worked with at-risk families and children as well as practiced health psychology in several hospitals. She is the author, with Heather Waite, of the LA Times bestseller *Moving from Fear to Courage: Transcendent Moments of Change in the Lives of Women* and has long been involved in environmental issues and the green movement in the United States.

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