

HAUNTED HOUSE REALTOR

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When an aspiring real estate agent manages to sell a haunted apartment, he suddenly becomes the go-to guy for moving ghost-ridden properties. To replicate his initial success, however, he'll need to convince the ghosts that it's time to let go of the past, and move on to the great beyond.

Laid-back Taipei twenty-something Yang Shu has been bumbling through life since graduation. After his rice-ball business is forced to close, he takes a job at a real estate agency to make ends meet, but he is in no way prepared for what happens next: the first property he tries to sell is haunted by the ghost of a murder victim!

Thankfully, after a series of bizarre incidents, he crosses paths with Hsin-Tung, a young woman with a gift for dealing with spirits. Together, they manage to help the ghost move on to the afterlife, and even end up with a hefty commission from selling the property.

Before he's had the chance to pay Hsin-Tung back for her help, Yang receives a strange box filled with photographs and newspaper clippings concerning a house. It turns out an old friend heard about the haunted apartment and wants Yang to sell another property with a dark past: a house where a young woman committed suicide. The two friends bring Hsin-Tung along when they go to inspect the house, and quickly realize that the situation is more complicated than they thought: the young woman did not commit suicide alone....

Join Yang and his friends on this suspenseful romp across Taiwan, as they band together to help unfortunate spirits move on to the next realm, and earn a healthy commission along the way. The first supernatural suspense novel from celebrated author Chiang Tai-Yu, *Haunted House Realtor* is a unique genre mashup that delivers side-splitters and spine-shivers in equal measure.



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