1. **Foundation** – The Galactic Empire has ruled supreme, but now it is dying. Only Hari Seldon, creator of the revolutionary science of psychohistory, can see into the future. To preserve knowledge and save mankind, Seldon gathers the best minds in the Empire – both scientists and scholars – and brings them to a bleak planet at the edge of the Galaxy to serve as a beacon of hope for a future generation. He calls his sanctuary the Foundation. But soon the fledgling Foundation finds itself at the mercy of corrupt warlords rising in the wake of the receding Empire.
2. **Foundation and Empire** – The Foundation has survived the greed and barbarism of its neighboring warrior-planets. Yet now it must face the Empire. When an ambitious general determined to restore the Empire's glory turns the vast Imperial fleet toward the Foundation, the only hope for the small planet of scholars and scientists lies in the prophecies of Hari Seldon.
3. **Second Foundation** – The story starts after years of struggle, the Foundation lies in ruins, but it is rumored that there is a Second Foundation hidden somewhere at the end of the Galaxy, established to preserve the knowledge of mankind through the long centuries of barbarism. The fate of the Foundation rests on young Arcadia Darell, only fourteen years old and burdened with a terrible secret.