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BOARD BOOKS





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BIG BEAR, LITTLE BEAR

MARINE SCHNEIDER

CAMBOURAKIS / FRENCH (ORIGINAL LANGUAGE)
 30 PAGES / 18 × 18 CM / BOARD BOOK / MARCH 2020

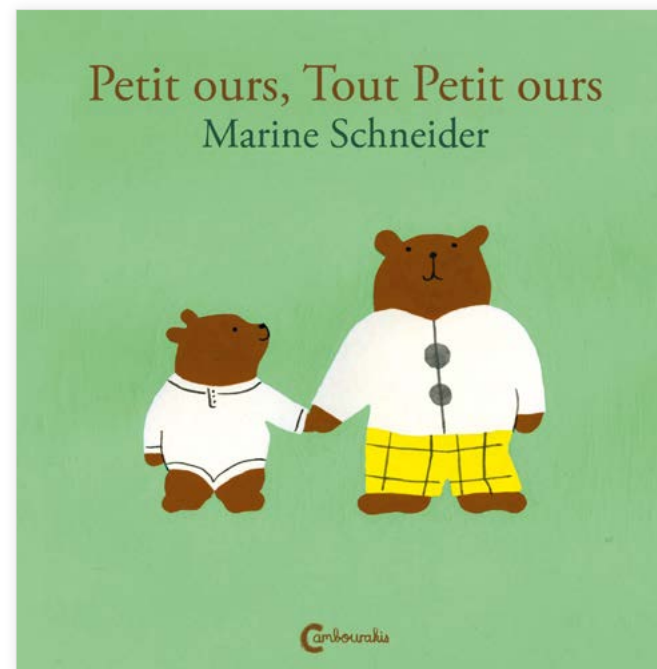
A heartwarming board book that celebrates the bonds between father and child!

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 Little Bear and Big Bear do everything the same... or almost. They both have boots, a plate, a toothbrush, a bed... Just in different sizes. They both drive a car, although Big Bear's is rather standard and Little Bear's is... Big Bear's back. They both sit on chairs, although Big Bear's is pretty traditional and Little Bear usually sits on Big Bear's knee... There is one difference though; Little Bear is not allowed coffee, but he has a cuddly toy, which Big Bear does not! A magnificent gentle and mischievous board book that cleverly and playfully explores comparisons and proportions.

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MARINE SCHNEIDER (Belgium) studied illustration at LUCA School of Arts in Gand and at KhIB in Bergen. After beginning her career as an illustrator in Norway, her work is now published in picture books all over the world.



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LITTLE BEAR, TINY LITTLE BEAR

MARINE SCHNEIDER

CAMBOURAKIS / FRENCH (ORIGINAL LANGUAGE)
30 PAGES / 18 × 18 CM / BOARD BOOK / FEBRUARY 2021

A touching board book that honors the special connections among siblings.

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Tiny Little Bear enters Little Bear and Big Bear's life. He's too small to get dressed by himself, isn't allowed biscuits, rolls around on the floor, is often grumpy, and his books and toys are smaller than Little Bear's. Little Bear suddenly looks very big in comparison... A gentle and playful board book, exploring comparisons and proportions, with bright and attractive colours that little readers will love.

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LITTLE BEAR, LITTLE BEAR

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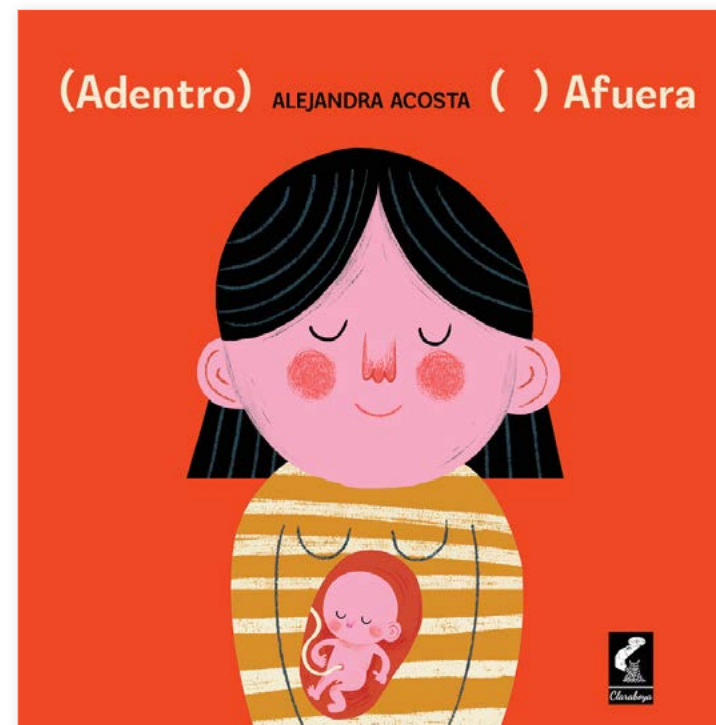
CAMBOURAKIS / FRENCH (ORIGINAL LANGUAGE)
30 PAGES / 18 × 18 CM / BOARD BOOK / AUGUST 2022

A lovely and tender praise of friendship!

Little Bear, Little Bear is a new title in Marine Schneider's board book series, after *Big Bear, Little Bear* and *Little Bear, Tiny Little Bear*. In this third book, Little Bear is back with his big family, as he gets to know one of his classmates. They have a lot in common – both hate broccoli – but they're also very different. Each of them like different things (one loves basketball, the other football) and have their own personalities. But none of that matters because they're great friends!

A new, sweet picture book, full of mischief, that cleverly plays with comparisons, illustrated with bright, bold colours that little readers will love.

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INSIDE, OUTSIDE

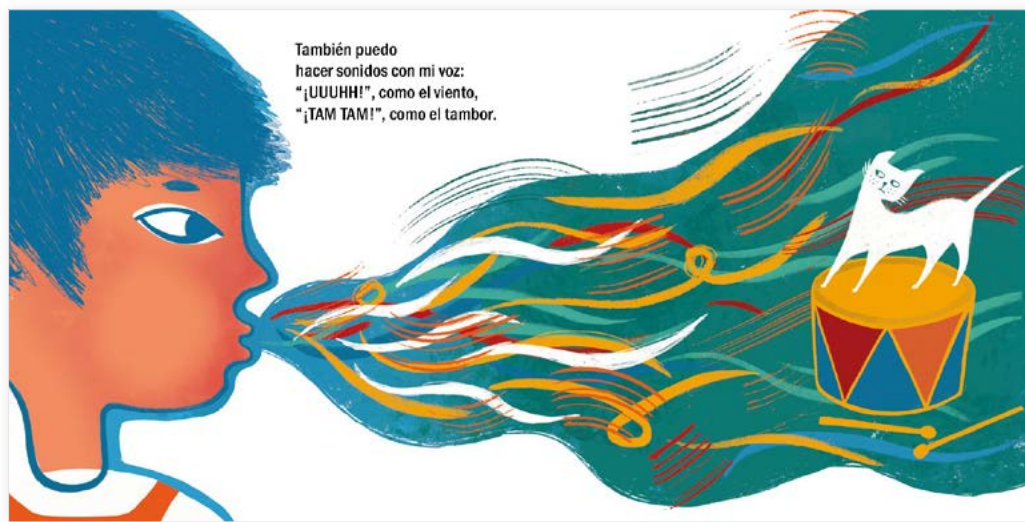
ALEJANDRA ACOSTA

CLARABOYA / SPANISH (ORIGINAL LANGUAGE)
20 PAGES / 16 × 16 CM / BOARD BOOK / SEPTEMBER 2023

A sweet board book to encourage young minds to explore mysteries both within and beyond, perfect to be enjoyed as a bedtime story!

What is hidden inside and outside of things? What happens, for example, inside a nut while outside the animals search for food? A board book that is an invitation for the little ones to investigate and imagine, surprising themselves with each couple inside and out.

ALEJANDRA ACOSTA (Chile) is a renowned designer and illustrator. She has been dedicated to illustration since 2008 and has published more than 20 books for children and adults with different publishers in Chile and abroad.



I HAVE A VOICE

PATRICIA FERNÁNDEZ BIEBERACH & PAULA ÁLVAREZ REYES

CLARABOYA / SPANISH (ORIGINAL LANGUAGE)
22 PAGES / 16 × 16 CM / BOARD BOOK / OCTOBER 2023

**"I have a name, I have a voice and I can tell you who I am."
A vibrant journey to discover the power of identity and self-awareness!**

Each child has many things to say; sometimes whispering, other times shouting. What happens if we are happy? And where does our voice go when we dream? An invitation for the little ones to discover how many things they can do with their voice.

Written by **PATRICIA FERNÁNDEZ BIEBERACH**, a Chilean author and child psychotherapist, and illustrated by **PAULA ÁLVAREZ REYES**, a Chilean graphic designer and illustrator with more than 20 years of experience.



PICTURE BOOKS



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PALOMAS PATTERSONS MAVERICKS

CATARINA SOBRAL

ORFEU NEGRO / PORTUGUESE (ORIGINAL LANGUAGE)
42 PAGES / 22 x 28,6 CM / HARDCOVER / MARCH 2024

Welcome to an engaging and vibrant exploration of our immune system!

— One day, the Pattersons came. They were a weird bunch. All of a sudden, they started devouring our food! What shall we do now? In this planet, there are skirmishes like this every day. These unexpected visitors make us feel weak and indisposed. Being sick can be scary, but our body is ready to jump into action! A fun and colourful journey through our immune system, so we can discover the way our bodies react to bacteria and infections, protecting us every single day — and for the most part, we don't even notice it.

— CATARINA SOBRAL (Portugal) is an award-winning illustrator. She works in graphic design, animation and art direction and won the Bologna Book Fair's International Award for Illustration 2014.



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THE THINGS THINGS DO WHEN NO ONE IS LOOKING

LUÍS LEAL MIRANDA & CAROLINA CELAS

ORFEU NEGRO / PORTUGUESE (ORIGINAL LANGUAGE)
56 PAGES / 19,8 × 28 CM / HARDCOVER / MAY 2024

What if objects came to life? Can you imagine?

Do we really know what our things get up to when we're not looking? An umbrella can become a cane, hangers could decide to be boomerangs and hats might just storm the dance floor! When you think about it, there's no end to what things can do when left to their own devices. And what are we ever going to do when our paper clips won't stop doing yoga? This is a poem and a visual essay on the power of our imagination, and a search for the meaning of things that, all things considered, don't really mean anything at all.

CAROLINA CELAS (Portugal) studied at the Royal College of Art and is an awarded illustrator. Her work explores detail, humour and the surreal. Carolina won the Big Revelation Prize 2017 and a Special Mention at Ilustrarte (Portugal) 2018, as well as other awards, for her book HORIZON.



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THE LAND OF CLOUDS

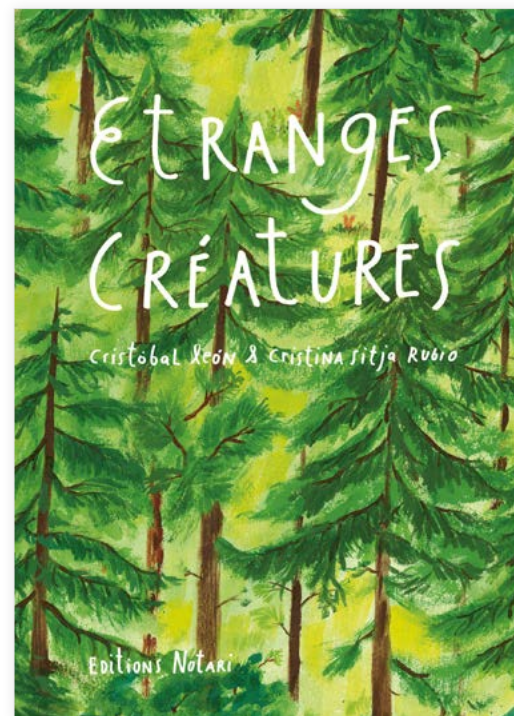
CRISTINA SITJA RUBIO

ORFEU NEGRO / PORTUGUESE (ORIGINAL LANGUAGE)
48 PAGES / 21,5 × 29,4 CM / HARDCOVER / APRIL 2024

An intriguing and surreal adventure that reminds us we must care for the environment and strive to live together as a community.

—
One day, there was no more water in the tanks. Where could the clouds be? It was a long time since Wolfie last saw them. She decided to go looking for them. She climbed to the Land of Mountains, went down to the Land of Cacti, looked in the Land of Glass and leaped over to the Land of Sea. No clouds. Until, the next day, she arrived somewhere she'd never been before: the Land of Clouds!
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CRISTINA SITJA RUBIO (Venezuela) lives between Barcelona and Berlin. She studied Design and Photography in Montreal and started working in illustration as far back as 2007.



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STRANGE CREATURES

CRISTINA SITJA RUBIO

ORFEU NEGRO / FRENCH (ORIGINAL LANGUAGE)
48 PAGES / 23 × 32 CM / HARDCOVER / AUGUST 2013

A book about the way we should live in harmony with animals and plants, erasing inter-species hierarchies and standing for a broader view of the world.

— One day, the forest animals notice a mysterious poster that announces a PARTY! They dance merengue, salsa and cha-cha-cha. And they eat a lot of chocolate cake. But, when they get back home, they discover they can no longer find shelter under trees or find food in nature. Strange creatures — people — had destroyed their habitat.

— **CRISTINA SITJA RUBIO** (Venezuela) was born in Caracas and studied Fine Art in Montreal, specialising in printmaking. In 2007, she decided to become an illustrator, and has since created a number of successful picturebooks, such as *Etranges Créatures* and *Amis Retrouvés* (Éditions Les Fourmis Rouges). Cristina lives and works between Berlin and Barcelona.



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FOXY & MEG ENCOUNTER A BUT-BUT

RICARDO HENRIQUES & ANDRÉ LETRIA

PATO LÓGICO / PORTUGUESE (ORIGINAL LANGUAGE)
48 PAGES / 17 × 22 CM / HARDCOVER / APRIL 2024

All mysteries are more exciting when shared with a friend!

Can a fox be friends with a chicken? Foxy & Meg prove to us that unlikely friendships are possible. Curious and cautious, fearless and wary, they never miss an opportunity to marvel at the discovery of the world.

Foxy & Meg are two characters created by André Letria in 2005 for a collection of toddler books, and they were also the protagonists of animated movies. They now return in a new collection of books shared with Ricardo Henriques.

The first title is *Foxy & Meg Encounter a But-But*. But what is a But-But? — you may ask. Is it a bird? Is it a sculpture? Is it better not to know? The readers, whether fearless or apprehensive, will find out.

ANDRÉ LETRIA (Portugal) founded the publishing house Pato Lógico in 2010 and has received some of the most prestigious illustration awards. He is the illustrator of award-winning books such as *War* and *If I were a book*.

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André Letria

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A FOR ASTOUNED

ANDRÉ LETRIA

PATO LÓGICO / PORTUGUESE (ORIGINAL LANGUAGE)
56 PAGES / 21 × 25,5 CM / HARDCOVER / MAY 2024

A playful book to explore the alphabet, enrich vocabulary
and learn more about our own feelings!

Letters that originate words that describe facial expressions that convey emotions or feelings. A for “astounded,” B for “bewildered,” or C for “cantankerous” are some of the proposals in this book, which uses the alphabet as a pretext for exploring self-awareness and emotional management while also introducing uncommon words.

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ASTRO

MANUEL MARSOL

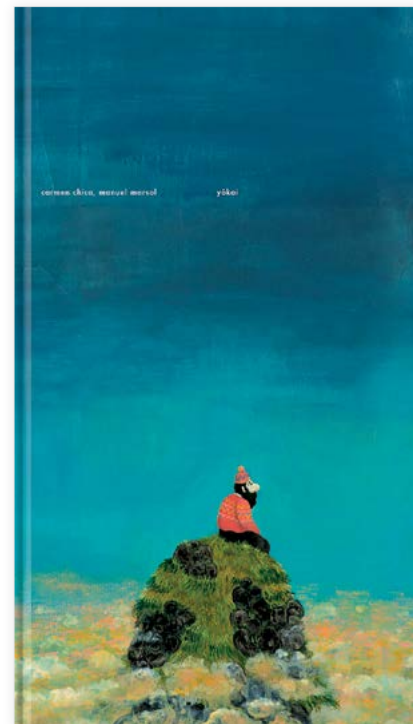
FULGENCIO PIMENTEL / SPANISH (ORIGINAL LANGUAGE)
64 PAGES / 32,6 × 24,1 CM / HARDCOVER / SEPTEMBER 2023

Embark with Astro on this captivating cosmic journey of wonder, love, and loss crafted by Manuel Marsol. A true masterpiece of imagination and beauty!

«I don't remember when Astro came to visit us. It was a long time ago. Perhaps thousands of years ago. He arrived with a mission».

MANUEL MARSOL, one of the most internationally renowned Spanish illustrators, returns with an album featuring an astronaut lost in a distant planet. *Astro* is truly the first work by Manuel Marsol, previously unpublished, which the author has brought back and updated using all the artistic experience acquired over these years. This project led Marsol to transition from a successful advertising career to explore a deeply personal and emotional theme: the loss of his father when he was 11.

Through the journey of an astronaut lost on an unknown planet and guided by a monumental indigenous figure, Marsol creates an allegory about fatherly love, laden with sensitivity and emotion. It also explores the discovery of the world, its wonders, and mysteries from a child's perspective. Far from a bitter tale, *Astro* offers an adventure full of surprises. The result is a dazzling stellar journey with all the elements to become a classic in its genre.



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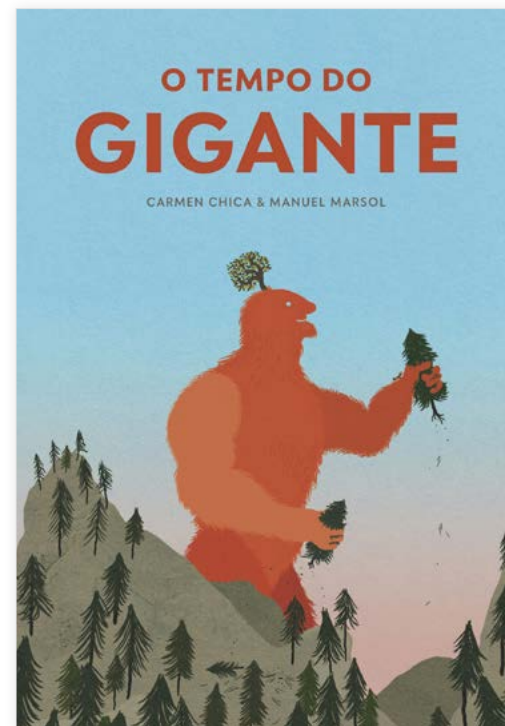
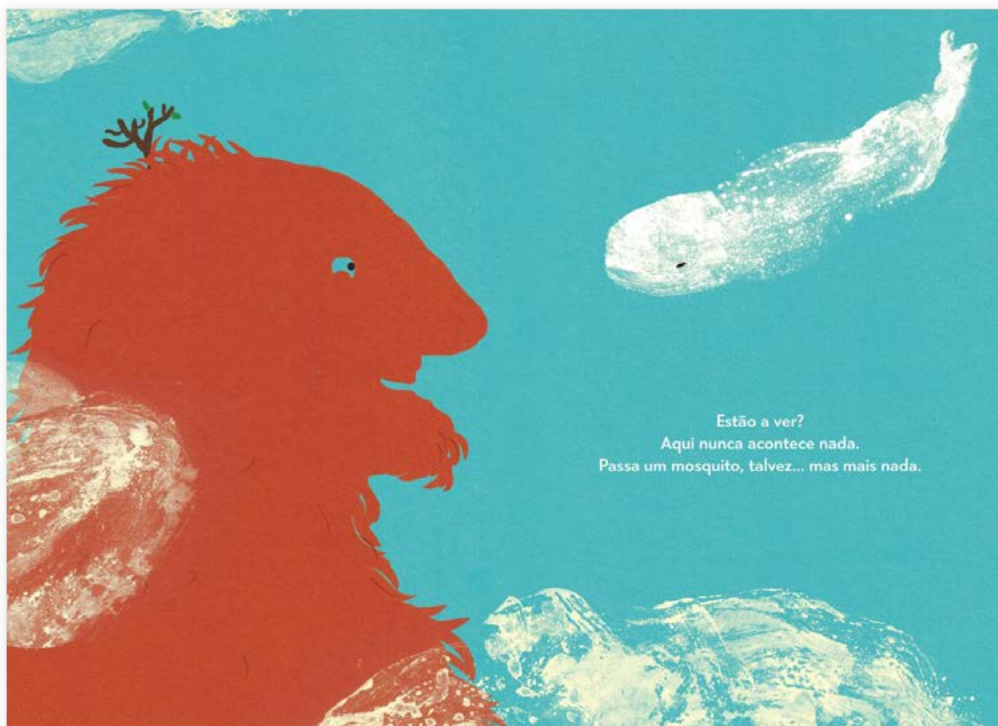
CARMEN CHICA & MANUEL MARSOL

FULGENCIO PIMENTEL / SPANISH (ORIGINAL LANGUAGE)
54 PAGES / 19,6 × 34,5 CM / HARDCOVER / OCTOBER 2017

An evocative and poetic album on the transforming power of nature.

Wild nature is something extraordinary. Taking a wildlife cruise is like going through an invisible door. The world changes around us and our identity changes. To get lost in the mountain, in any mountain, means losing something we were in our past life. Once we come back to our ordinary life, like in a dream, the known world becomes uncharted for just a moment. And crisply, we understand that on our short stroll we were someone else.

MANUEL MARSOL (Spain) is the winner of the Bologna International Illustration Award 2017 and author of **ASTRO**.



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THE GIANT'S TIME

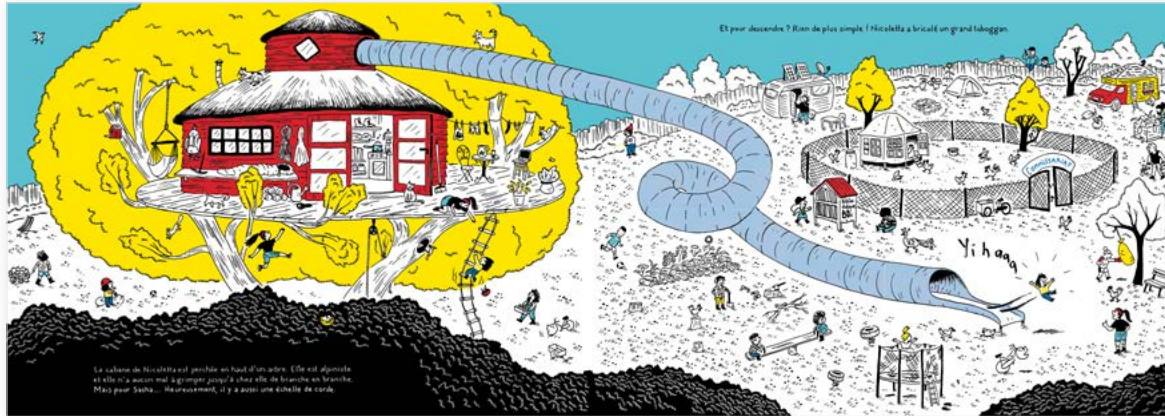
CARMEN CHICA & MANUEL MARSOL

ORFEU NEGRO / PORTUGUESE (ORIGINAL LANGUAGE)
48 PAGES / 24,4 × 34,5 CM / HARDCOVER / JULY 2015

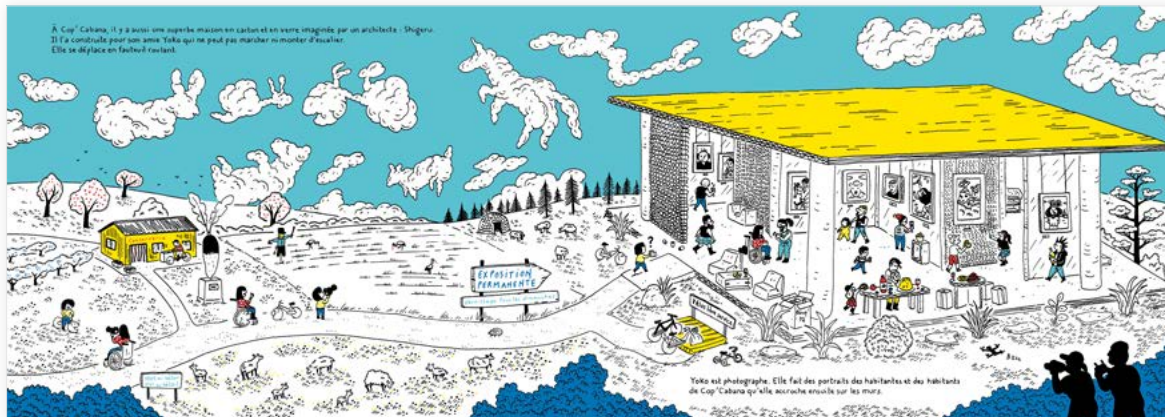
A reading to savor slowly and attentively!

—
Nothing happened today. Neither today. Nor today.
Days are like pine trees. They all look the same. Will it always be like this?

A very tender and poetic story illustrated by **MANUEL MARSOL**, the winner of the Edelvives International Picture Book Award 2014. Time, memory and all those little things that happen around us, mostly unnoticed, play a central and affectionate role in this large format book.



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SASHA AND THE CABANAS

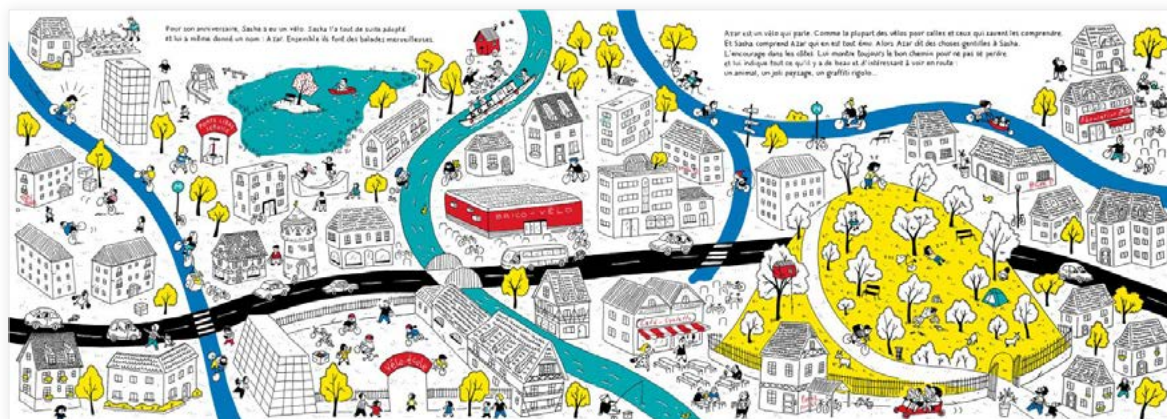
JOEL HENRY & ARIANE PINEL

CAMBOURAKIS / FRENCH (ORIGINAL LANGUAGE)
40 PAGES / 29,7 × 21 CM / HARDCOVER / APRIL 2024

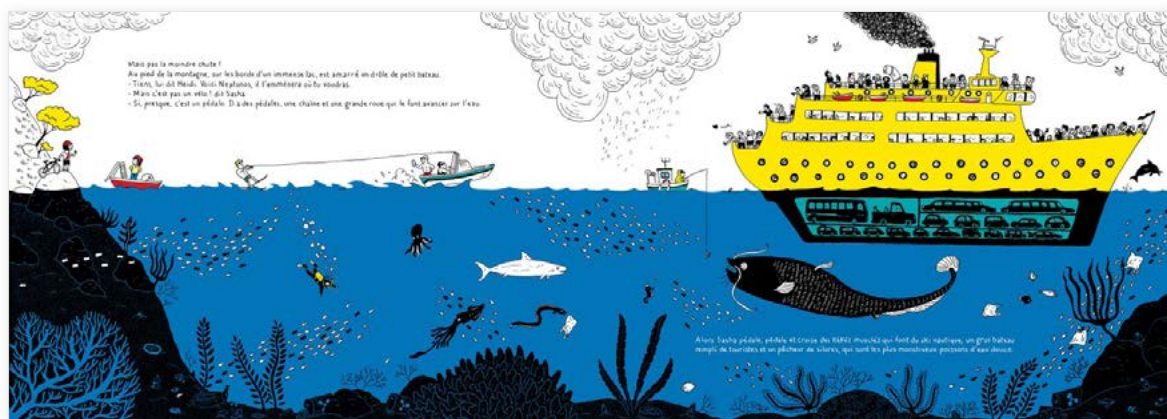
Sasha ventures into the vibrant community of Cop'Cabana, where every home is a testament to individual creativity and collective spirit. Come along!

Today, Sasha decided to meet the inhabitants of Cop'Cabana. Cop'Cabana is not a village like any other: everyone has built their own house with their own hands, and contributes with their talents to the day-to-day running of the village. A shared life that could give some people something to grind their teeth about...

ARIANE PINEL (France) devotes herself to comic books and illustration and has published several books, primarily for children.



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SASHA AND THE BIKES

JOEL HENRY & ARIANE PINEL

CAMBOURAKIS / FRENCH (ORIGINAL LANGUAGE)
32 PAGES / 29,7 × 21 CM / HARDCOVER / FEBRUARY 2020

A black and white picture book with flashes of colour in honour of the bicycle, in all shapes and sizes, often a child's very first means of transport.

As a birthday gift, Sasha, a character of undefined gender, gets a green bike. Sasha loves it and decides to call it Azar. But Azar is a talking bike, just like any bike for those who can understand. Moved by this new friendship and very knowledgeable about bikes around the world, Azar decides to send Sasha on a wonderful journey aboard the most extraordinary vehicles; a penny farthing, a bike sauna, a unicycle, a velomobile, a sail bike... and many more! The story ends with Sasha returning home to his friend Azar on a flying bike.

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THE GREEN GIRLS

LUZ MALAMUD & NADIA ROMERO MARCHESINI

CLARABOYA / SPANISH (ORIGINAL LANGUAGE)
32 PAGES / 20 × 25 CM / HARDCOVER / APRIL 2024

A book with powerful collage illustrations, which plays with the concepts of identity, femininity, sorority, and collaborative dialogue between women.

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In this narrative poem full of symbolism, a little girl becomes sick from having eaten a plant she should not eat, and this produces a growing and dominant anguish in her mother and neighbors. The characters' worry and anxiety surround the girl until help arrives in an unexpected way: the moon enters the little girl's house and takes away, at least a little, the green color of the illness. What kind of connection does the girl have with that moon that is now also green?

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NADIA ROMERO MARCHESINI (Argentina) has published books in Argentina, Chile, Spain, Italy, Turkey, the United Arab Emirates and Korea.



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WHERE DO THE NOISES GO?

MAURO ZOLADZ & LU PAUL

CLARABOYA / SPANISH (ORIGINAL LANGUAGE)

28 PAGES / 20 × 26 CM / HARDCOVER / APRIL 2024

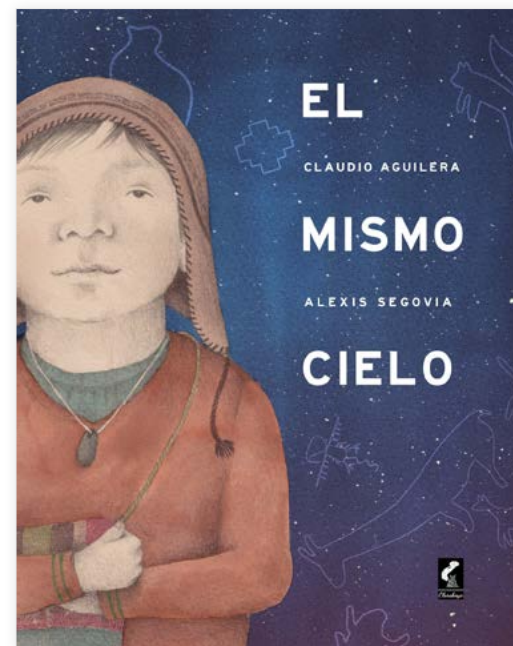
A reflection on all the little things around us with colourful illustrations full of plenty funny details!

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We can hear hundreds of different noises in the city! Babies crying, dogs barking, a hammer knocking a wall, a door being closed; what else can we hear? Where will the noise of the hairdressers' scissors, the fire engine's alarm, the drills of the building under construction and the shout of the market vendor go? In this funny book, a little kid asks everyone around where are all the noises gone at the end of the day. A book to ask questions like what noises can we find in the countryside or at the city, and what is the difference between noises and sounds.

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LU PAUL (Argentina) is an illustrator and graphic designer from Buenos Aires. She teaches illustration and has won the international contests Soy Author de Libro Álbum 2021 and Ilustra Amanuta 2023.



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THE SAME SKY

CLAUDIO AGUILERA & ALEXIS SEGOVIA

CLARABOYA / SPANISH (ORIGINAL LANGUAGE)

48 PAGES / 26 × 21 CM / HARDCOVER / NOVEMBER 2023

A journey of self-discovery in the Atacama Desert that will teach us about astronomy, the sky and constellations!

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A book of poetic and symbolic value with two stories that invite us to deep reflections on science, life, death, and the nature of things. Through those two short stories, children will be able to immerse themselves in the Atacama landscape, which will guide them along a path of astronomical research to think on the beliefs that ancient civilizations had as well.

First, or later (depending on how the book is open), we will learn the story of a girl who lives in the city and starts looking for answers at the sky, motivated by the legacy of a beloved one. On the other hand, we will learn about the story of an Atacama boy who, after the loss of his mother, looks for her into the sky and the stars, discovering the beliefs of his native people, culture, and family.

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Through his work, **ALEXIS SEGOVIA** (Chile) seeks to make visible themes linked to territory, nature, and heritage.



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A WRONG WINTER

IDA VITALE & MARÍA FLÓ

TOPITO / SPANISH (ORIGINAL LANGUAGE)
40 PAGES / 17 × 24 CM / PAPERBACK / 2022

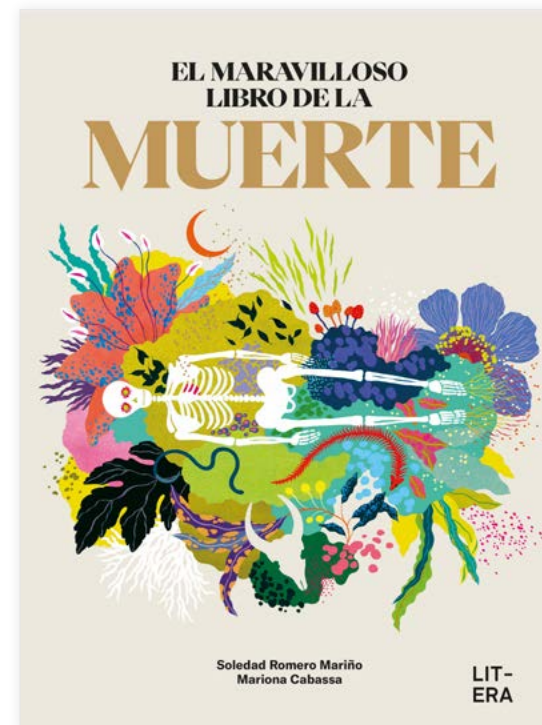
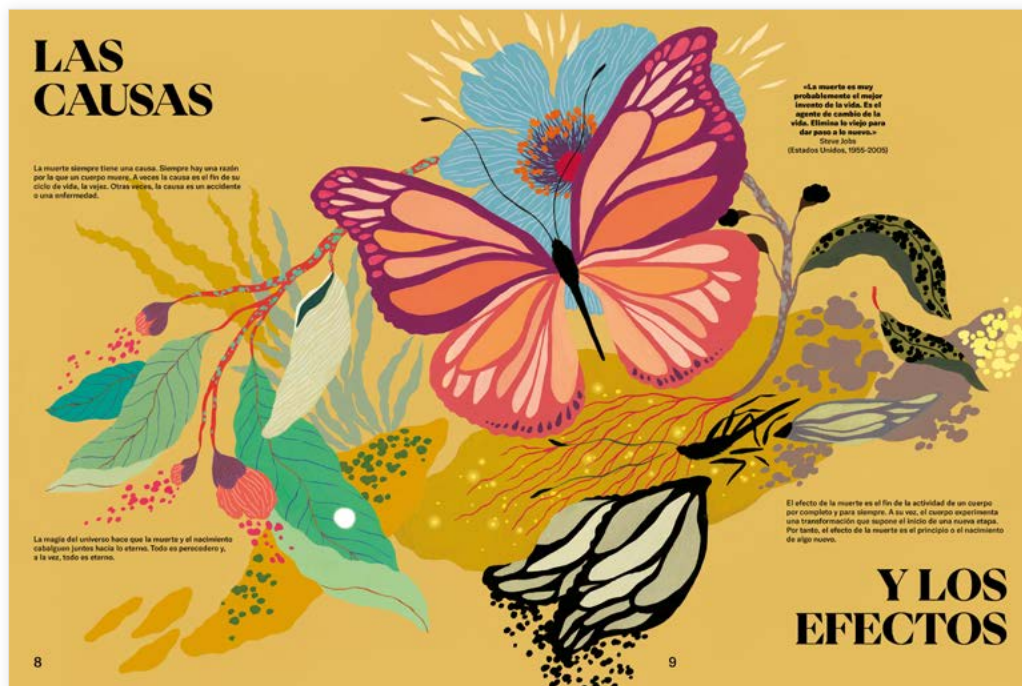
Welcome to the whimsical land of Nodar, a tale of enchantment and poetry by Ida Vitale, The only book the Uruguayan poet wrote for children.

— This story, by Cervantes Prize winner Ida Vitale, takes place in Nodar, a country so lost on the map that one day even winter arrives when it is not its turn. There are clouds, snow, wind, rusty musicians, and birds that don't know how to let people know what's going on.

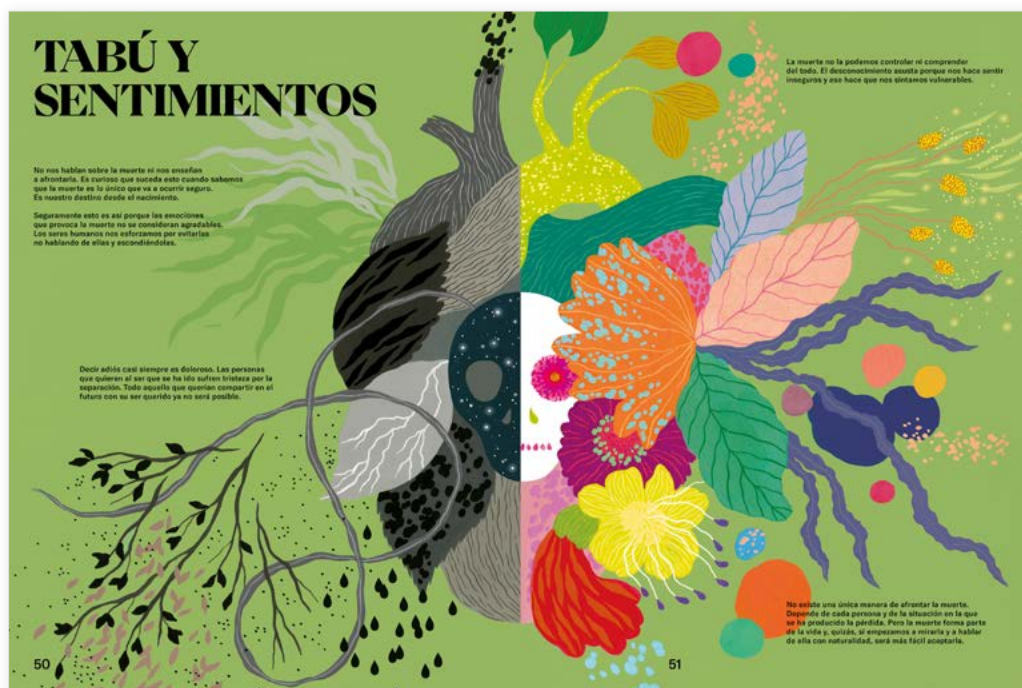
— There is also poetry, because this story was written by the great **IDA VITALE**, one of the most important poets in Latin America. In each sentence there is a melody that hums and vibrates and that never goes out of tune. Illustrations by **MARÍA FLÓ** (Argentina) finish building a landscape that is halfway between reality and dream.

NON-FICTION





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THE WONDERFUL BOOK OF DEATH

SOLEDAD ROMERO MARIÑO & MARIONA CABASSA

LITERA / SPANISH (ORIGINAL LANGUAGE)

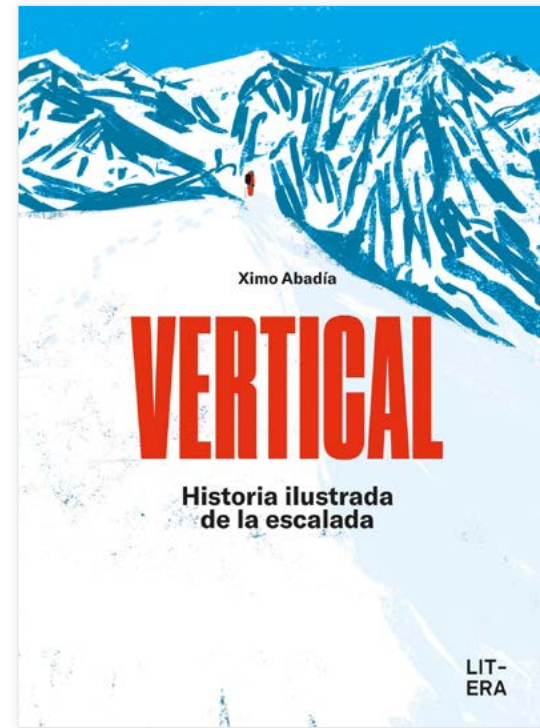
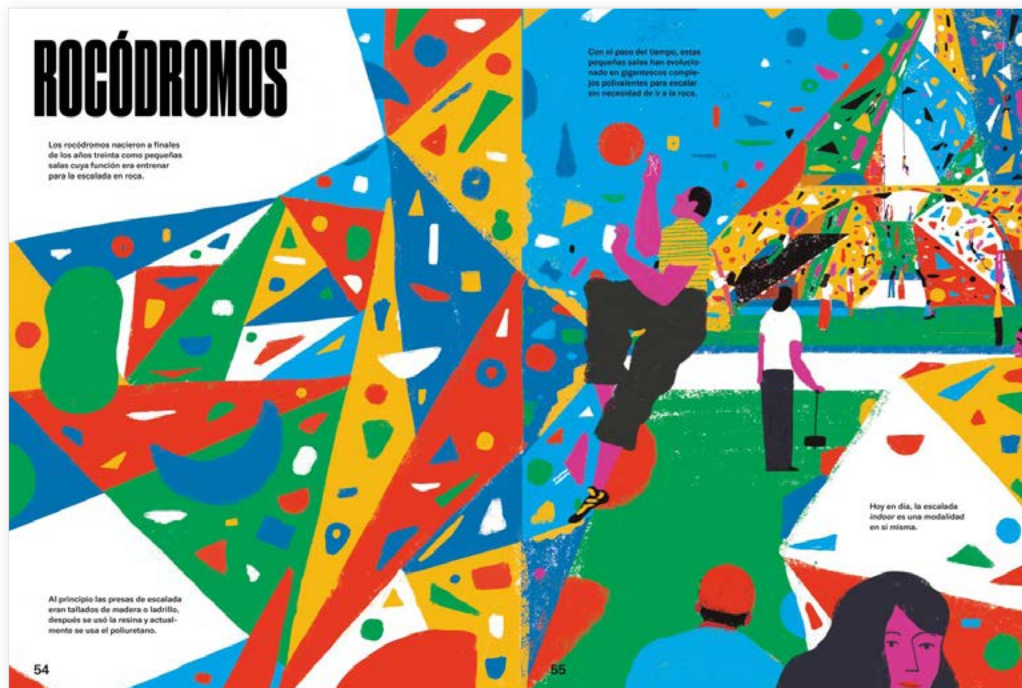
56 PAGES / 24 × 32 CM / HARDCOVER / MARCH 2024

The perfect conversation starter about life's profound mysteries and the inevitability of death in nature's intricate tapestry.

Why do we die? And what happens to us when we die? What is the most lethal animal for human beings? And the last sense we lose before we die? Did you know that there are dogs that smell death? And that there are species that reproduce only once and then die? Why don't we talk about death?

Death is part of the cycle of life. Death is as natural as birth. When we are born, we are all destined to die. It is one of the sacred laws of nature.

MARIONA CABASSA (Spain) has published nearly a hundred children's books in different languages and countries around the world and her work has been widely recognized with awards such as the Independent Press Award or White Ravens, among others.



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VERTICAL AN ILLUSTRATED HISTORY OF CLIMBING XIMO ABADÍA

LITERA / SPANISH (ORIGINAL LANGUAGE)
64 PAGES / 24 × 32 CM / HARDCOVER / NOVEMBER 2023

A book brimming with incredible feats, stories of overcoming obstacles and a wealth of information that will help you learn more about the exciting world of climbing.

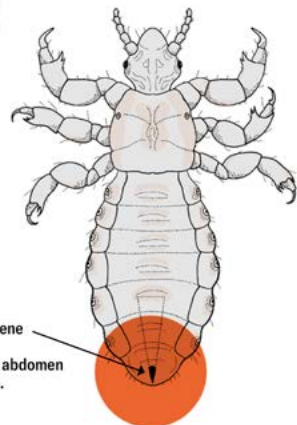
Who were the first people to reach the summits of the world's highest mountains? What materials did they use? How have these materials evolved? When did classic and sport climbing emerge? What is bouldering?

XIMO'S ABADÍA (Spain) is an internationally published author and illustrator of children's books, graphic novels and comics, recognised at prestigious fairs and festivals such as Bologna and Angoulême.

Ahora, mírate al espejo.
Observa tus genitales y comprueba
si eres macho o hembra.



MACHO
Vista dorsal

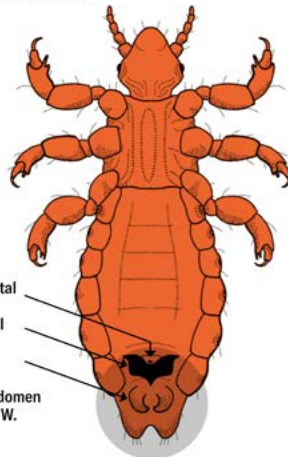


Pseudopene
Final del abdomen
en punta.

Si te ves grande, lo más probable
es que seas hembra.
También hay muchas más.



HEMBRA
Vista ventral



Orificio genital
Placa genital
Gonópodos
Final del abdomen
en forma de W.

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No intentes innovar. Eres un
piojo chupador y sangre es
lo único que puedes comer.

LICE SURVIVAL GUIDE

BERTA PÁRAMO

LITERA / SPANISH (ORIGINAL LANGUAGE)

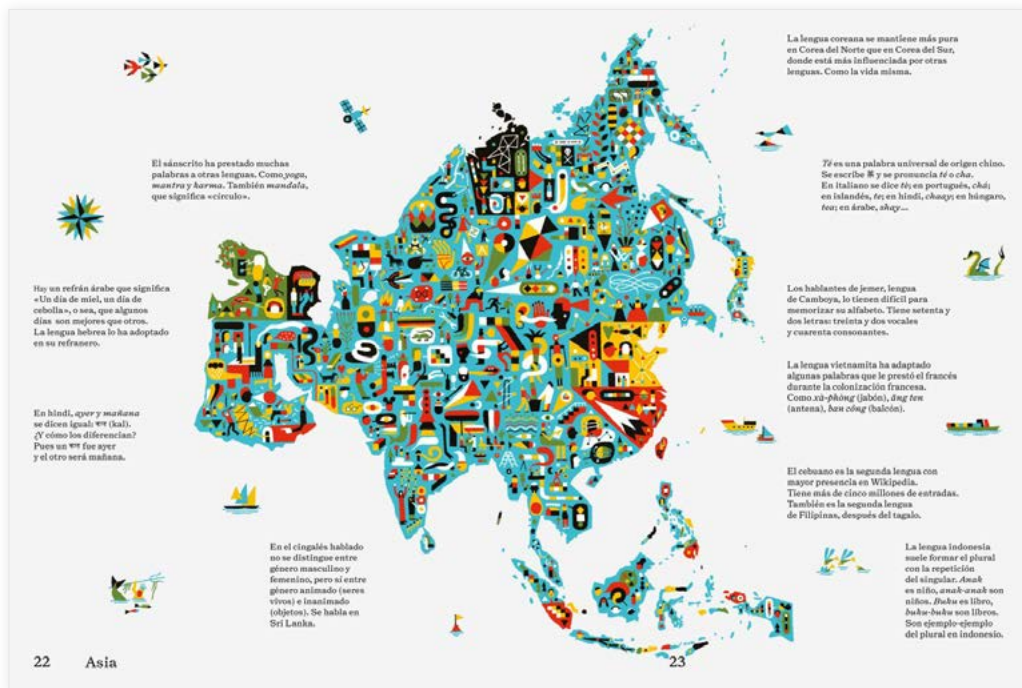
208 PAGES / 12 × 15 CM / SOFTCOVER / SEPTEMBER 2023

Come to learn more about the intriguing world of lice! A new title by Berta Páramo, awarded by the Bologna Ragazzi Award Special in 2022 for her title **FLUIDOTHEQUE**.

A fun and in-depth informative book with everything you ever wanted to know about one of the most common animals in a human being's life (especially if they are young): LICE!

Because lice... How do they move from head to head? Do they fly? What do they feed on? How do they reproduce? How long do they live? And what's the best way to get rid of them?

BERTA PÁRAMO (Spain) is a scientific illustrator who has made a forceful entrance into the panorama of Spanish illustration. In just 3 years her work has won international awards and been selected for several exhibitions around the world. Her book *Fluidotheque* (Litera, 2021) received a Bologna Ragazzi Award 2022 Special Mention (Opera Prima).



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LANGUAGES OF THE WORLD

PACO INCLÁN & JOAN NEGRESCOLOR

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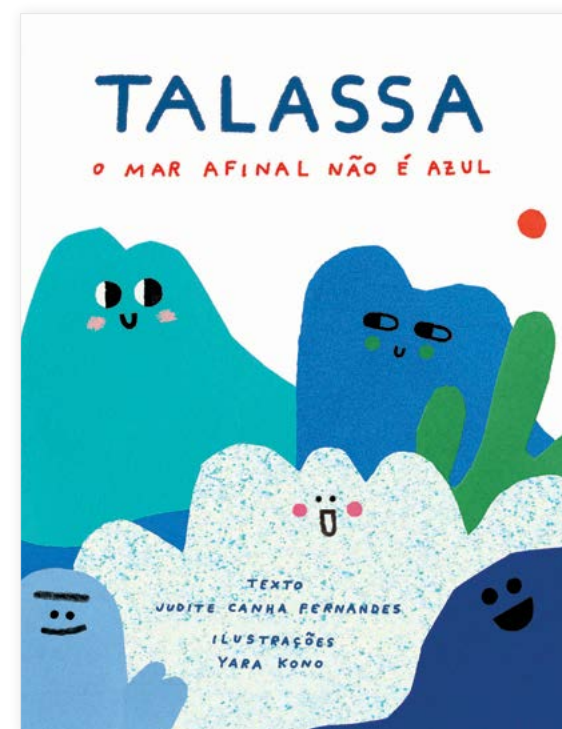
64 PAGES / 24 × 32 CM / HARDCOVER / MARCH 2023

An informative and entertaining book on languages, full of facts and curious stories!

There are thousands of languages in the world. And each one guards a treasure trove in its words, expressions, stories and games. Languages that are spoken by many people, and others spoken by very few. Languages that are whistled, invented, prohibited, expressed in signs... Thousands of languages!

This book shows us all this diversity and opens a window for us to explore the many ways of naming our world. Are you ready?

JOAN NEGRESCOLOR (Spain) is an award-winning illustrator, best known for his beautiful albums *Animal City* (Orfeu Negro, 2017) and *I, Alfonsina* (Orfeu Negro, 2019). His work is full of expressive characters and has been distinguished by many international prizes, such as the Junceda and Golden Pinwheel awards. He is also engaged in mural painting and collaborates with several non-profit cultural initiatives geared towards social change and awareness.



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THE SEA IS NOT BLUE AFTER ALL

JUDITE CANHA FERNANDES & YARA KONO

PATO LÓGICO & INCM / PORTUGUESE (ORIGINAL LANGUAGE)
48 PAGES / 21 × 27 CM / SOFTCOVER / DECEMBER 2023

A book dedicated to promoting ocean literacy, because only by increasing our knowledge about the environment can we protect it effectively!

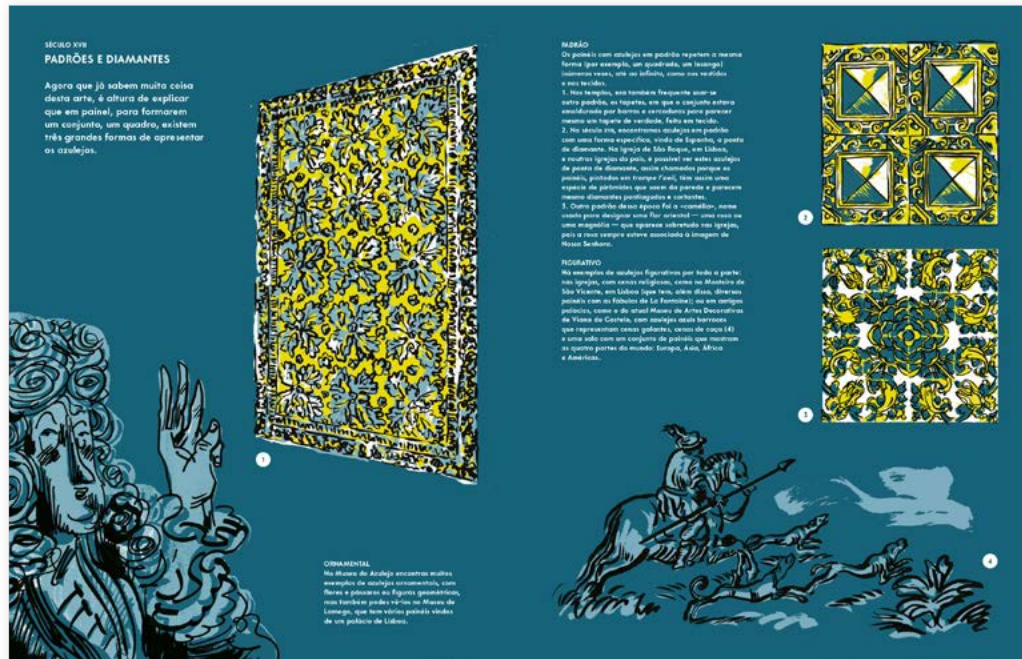
Oceans and seas are much more than gigantic masses of salt water on the surface of the Earth. They house extraordinary and essential ecosystems to our planet. The five ocean brothers – Antarctic, Arctic, Atlantic, Indian and Pacific – decided to hold the Great Ocean Meeting to debate their current state. They are unhappy with what is happening on their land and waters... What could have happened in this fantastic meeting?

YARA KONO (Brazil) lives in Portugal and has been part of the Planeta Tangerina team since 2004. She won the Portuguese National Illustration Prize in 2010.

AZULEJOS
Uma História aos
Quadradinhos



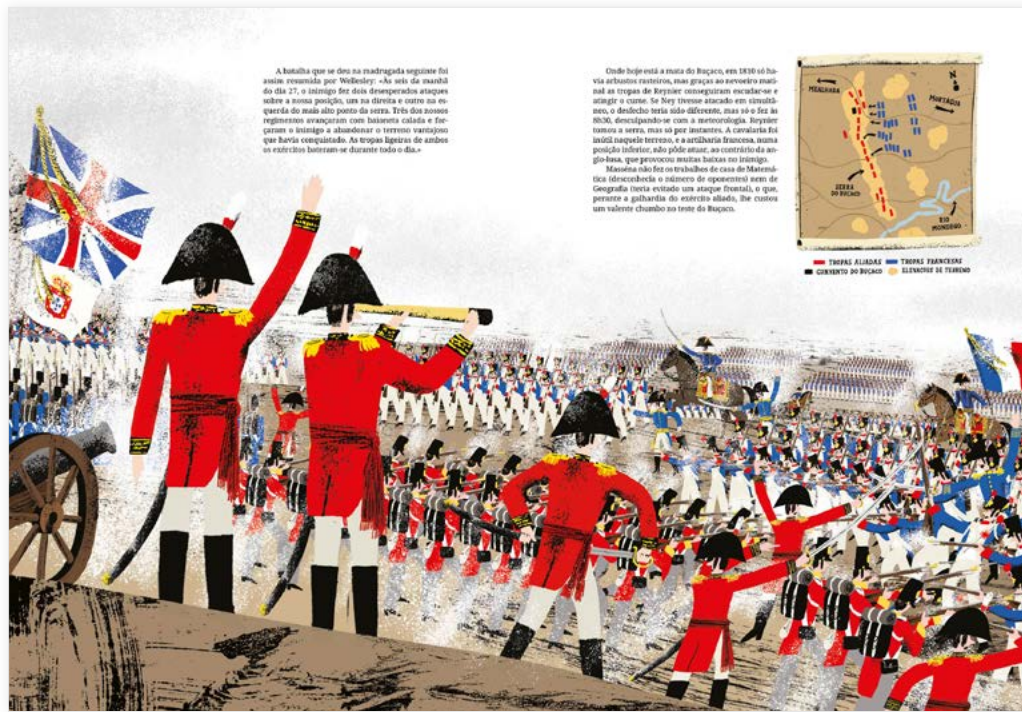
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ANTÓNIO ARAÚJO & FILIPE ABRANCHES

A fascinating route through Art and History!

FILIFE ABRANCHES (Portugal) is a comics author, animation director and a professor. He initiated his activity in comics in the early 90s and was the coordinator of the first Masters in Illustration in Portugal. Filipe is also the founder of Umbra, an independent Portuguese comic publisher.



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JEAN, JOHN AND JOÃO

RICARDO HENRIQUES & ANDRÉ LETRIA

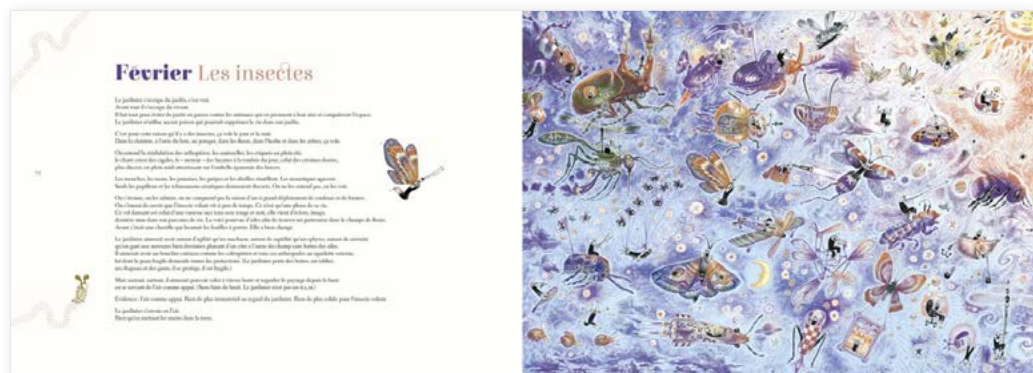
PATO LÓGICO / PORTUGUESE (ORIGINAL LANGUAGE)

64 PAGES / 24,5 × 34 CM / HARDCOVER / DECEMBER 2023

A book about the beginning of the end of the Napoleonic Wars.

A Frenchman, an Englishman, and a Portuguese find themselves in a story that tells all about the Third French Invasion of Portugal and the Lines of Torres, the largest and most effective defensive system in Europe and one of its most fascinating and significant heritage legacies.

The three main characters of this story — Jean, a French aide-de-camp under the command of Marshal Masséna; John, a British sailor under the command of General Wellesley; João, a Portuguese hunter soldier — are caught in a whirlwind of events generated by Napoleon's conquering drive, intending to dominate Europe by force. With different stories and backgrounds, the three fighters find themselves in a country devastated by a war that will leave deep marks on its society. A period that shaped the destiny not only of Portugal but also of the whole of Europe and Brazil.



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**BOLOGNA RAGAZZI
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JUNIORS 2016**
**PRIX CHAPITRE NATURE
JEUNESSE 2016**

A BIG GARDEN GILLES CLÉMENT & VINCENT GRAVÉ

CAMBOURAKIS / FRENCH (ORIGINAL LANGUAGE)
32 PAGES / 29,7 × 21 CM / HARDCOVER / MARCH 2024

Now in a brand-new edition, smaller, perfect for every bookcase!

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Landscape artist Gilles Clément joins forces with illustrator Vincent Gravé to create a monthly journal for gardeners everywhere. The lush and colourful drawings contain thousands of tiny details, while poetic texts provide information on a wide range of subjects, including insects, winter, vegetable gardens and fruit. The tiny figure of the Gardener guides readers through this spectacular large format book, with which these talented artists show their love for nature.

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GILLES CLÉMENT (France) is an internationally renowned gardener and landscape artist. Professor emeritus at the Ecole Nationale Supérieure du Paysage in Versailles, he designed several public gardens such as the Parc André Citroën and the Jardin du Quai Branly in Paris, and the Parc Henri Matisse in Lille.



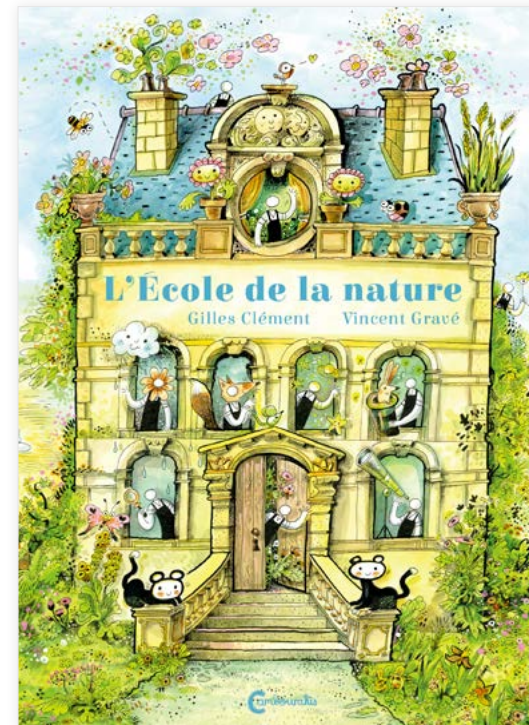
Si on regarde de plus près, on peut remarquer que beaucoup d'animaux utilisent l'air pour se déplacer. Ils s'appuient dessus : ils nagent, ils volent. Parmi eux se trouvent beaucoup d'insectes : des papillons, des sauterelles, des hametons, des coccinelles... Les insectes ne sont pas toujours en train de voler.

Avant de se transformer en avion, ils vivent à l'état de larve, en toute discrétion. La chenille est la larve du papillon. En la regardant se nourrir du feuillage d'une plante, il est difficile de deviner quelle deviendra une fantastique œuvre d'art aérienne.



On peut sortir de la mer, mais jamais de l'eau. L'eau est partout dans l'air, elle fait de la brume, du brouillard, des nuages et de la pluie. Et même de la neige !

Tout le monde en profite au jardin : les plantes, les animaux, y compris ceux qui sont microscopiques. Et, bien sûr, les jardiniers. Ce sont peut-être les représentants du monde animal les plus attentifs à la gestion de l'eau.



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THE SCHOOL OF NATURE

GILLES CLÉMENT & VINCENT GRAVÉ

CAMBOURAKIS / FRENCH (ORIGINAL LANGUAGE)
32 PAGES / 24 × 33 CM / HARDCOVER / MARCH 2024

An engaging and educational adventure that reveals the astonishing diversity and beauty of nature!

Welcome to the School of Nature! To learn more about the life cycle of animals, insects and plants, all you have to do is follow Moustache and his ten little gardeners. Together, you'll discover the seabed, but also observe the Earth from space. From the infinitely small to the infinitely large, nature has many surprises to offer...

VINCENT GRAVÉ (France) has been drawing his whole life. Alongside his job as a teacher and illustrator, he displays his creative world in his various publications.



LAND OF TOMORROW THE BIG BOOK OF CONSTRUCTIVISM

TANYA SAFONOVA

A+A / RUSSIAN (ORIGINAL LANGUAGE)

97 PAGES / 21,5 × 28 CM / HARDCOVER / MARCH 2024

A playful introduction to the avant-garde and constructivist era,
with highly detailed, wimmelbook-style illustration!

A hundred years ago, people around the world dreamed about a land of social justice and rational art. This book is an introduction to how, in the 1920s and 1930s, artists, thinkers, poets, scientists, workers, peasants and their children tried to build this land and create a new art, a new way of life and a new man. They endeavoured to transform the real world into a new construction never-seen-before, as stated by Alexander Rodchenko, one that would work for the benefit of mankind.

TANYA SAFONOVA (Russia) is an illustrator and architect. Her art has been featured in numerous group and solo exhibitions around the globe.

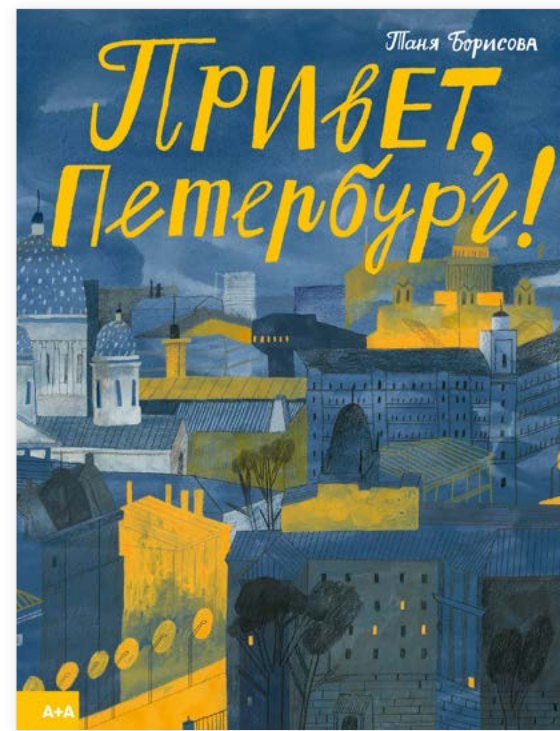


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48 PAGES / 21,5 × 28 CM / HARDCOVER / MAY 2024

Every summer, Natasha and her Dad go to the lake and spend the best days of the year in a cabin they built on a raft. She wonders if we could live like that all the time — and that’s how one of the longest conversations with her father takes her all around the world to see how people in big cities and wildest places live on the water. She meets people who live in floating villages and student campuses, who spend their lives on narrowboats and DIY houseboats. She sees water police and floating farms, beautiful palaces, and modest slums on the water. What she discovers is that rivers, canals, lakes and seas not only protect, nourish, and comfort us, but living close to their surface gives us a sense of responsibility for our planet’s resources.

NATALIA DEMIANENKO (Russia) is a film artist and illustrator. Her work was selected twice for the Illustrator's Exhibition at the Bologna Book Fair and received the Image of the Book Award.



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HELLO, SAINT-PETERSBURG!

TANYA BORISOVA

A+A / RUSSIAN (ORIGINAL LANGUAGE)

40 PAGES / 24 × 31 CM / HARDCOVER / JULY 2023

Following **HELLO, MOSCOW**, another great title for us to learn more about the history and modern life of Saint Petersburg, a city that has always fascinated our imagination!

Saint-Petersburg through the eyes of a lover and observant tourist and artist. Famous residents will tell you about the city and its secrets, so you will have a chance to know more about its history in all its tiny details hidden in doorways and second-hand bookshops. The perfect companion to explore the city: playful illustrations and engaging texts offer a fresh new look at Saint-Petersburg!

TANYA BORISOVA (Russia) is an illustrator, graphic designer and educator living in Moscow. She teaches Illustration at Moscow Stroganov Art Academy. Her work was selected for the Bologna Children's Book Fair Illustrators Exhibition in 2021. Tanya is also the author and illustrator of *Hello, Moscow* (A+A, 2021).



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GHOSTS, BANANAS AND OSTRICHES

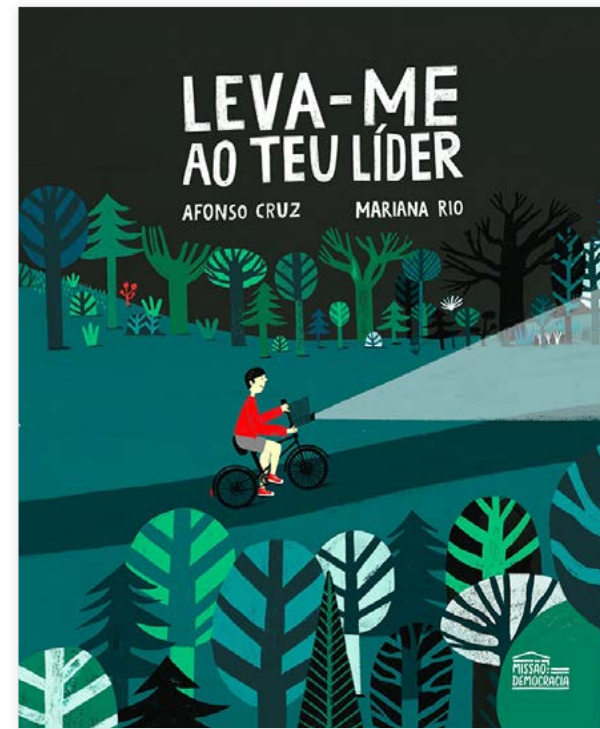
CATARINA SOBRAL

ASSEMBLEIA DA REPÚBLICA / PORTUGUESE (ORIGINAL LANGUAGE)
44 PAGES / 20,5 × 24,5 CM / HARDCOVER / DECEMBER 2023

A series of books conceived to celebrate democracy, freedom and teach our children the values of citizenship! This volume is about Law.

What are ghosts, bananas, and ostriches doing in the same story? Especially in one about laws? From the time we are children, we get used to following rules. We share a big house and we have to do our bit. But how well do we know the rules of the game? What role do laws play in our lives? Between the ghosts scattered across the pages, the banana trails and the ostriches rushing about, there is a common thread. Although invisible, laws exist.

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TAKE ME TO YOUR LEADER

AFONSO CRUZ & MARIANA RIO

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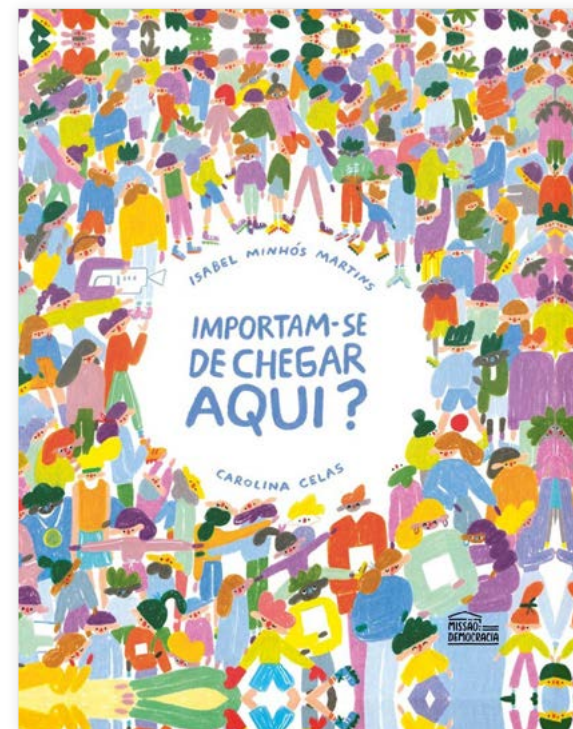
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An encounter between a boy and an alien leads to an extraordinary dialogue. The alien wants to talk to the boy's leader, but he doesn't understand what it means to live in a society where decisions aren't made by a single person. It then becomes necessary to show him the various elements that make up a working democracy: voters on Election Day, a crowd of demonstrators, a conversation between political representatives and the people they represent.

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WOULD YOU MIND COMING ALONG HERE?

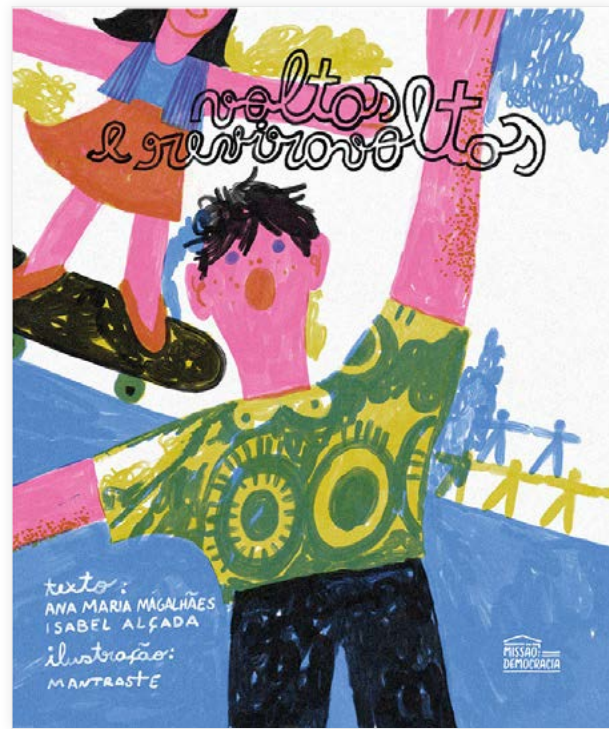
ISABEL MINHÓS MARTINS & CAROLINA CELAS

ASSEMBLEIA DA REPÚBLICA / PORTUGUESE (ORIGINAL LANGUAGE)
48 PAGES / 20,5 × 24,5 CM / HARDCOVER / MARCH 2024

A series of books conceived to celebrate democracy, freedom and teach our children the values of citizenship! This volume is about Deputies.

All the deputies we see in Parliament today have once played in a school playground. What would they be like? Playful? Serious? Dreamers? What if we think that, today, in our school playgrounds, those who will one day become our representatives are playing there right now? This book talks about some important things that all future MPs should know. What would we like to remind them? What would we like them to learn? Who has good ideas?

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TWISTS AND TURNS

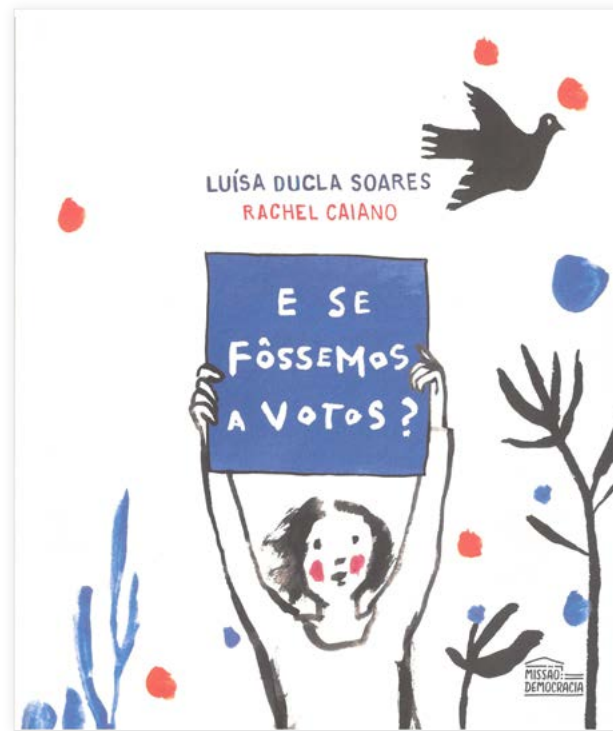
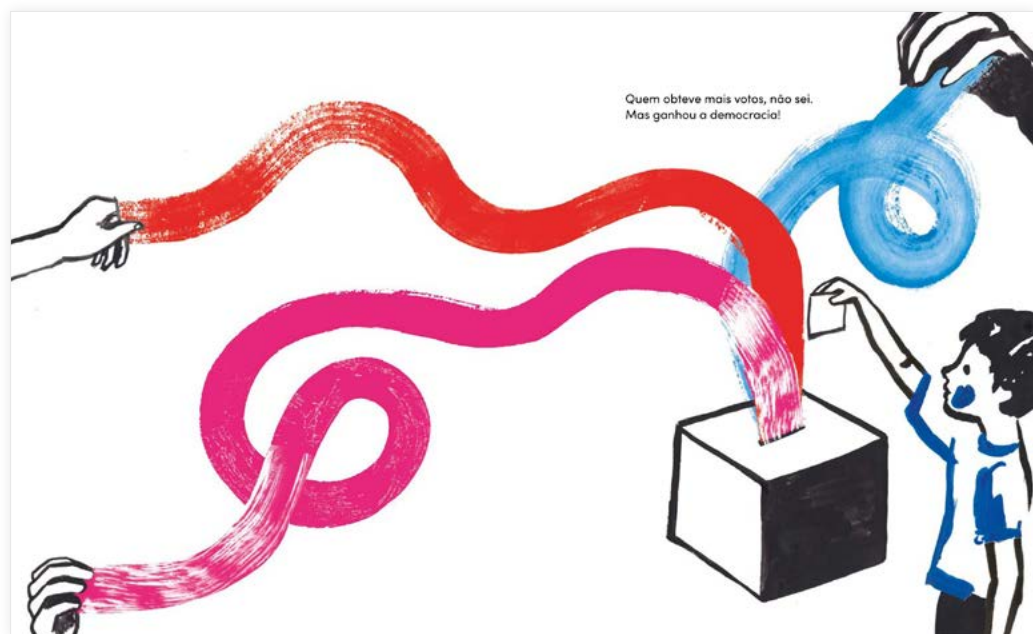
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48 PAGES / 20,5 × 24,5 CM / HARDCOVER / OCTOBER 2023

A series of books conceived to celebrate democracy, freedom and teach our children the values of citizenship! This volume is about Citizenship.

The public squares in the neighbourhoods where we grew up are special places where anything can happen. In the square where the friends in this story go after school to practice their acrobatic skateboard moves, a park bench becomes the center of a heated dispute. The intervention of the parish council president has an unexpected outcome, which helps them understand what it means to live in a community and participate in the common good.

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LET'S VOTE!

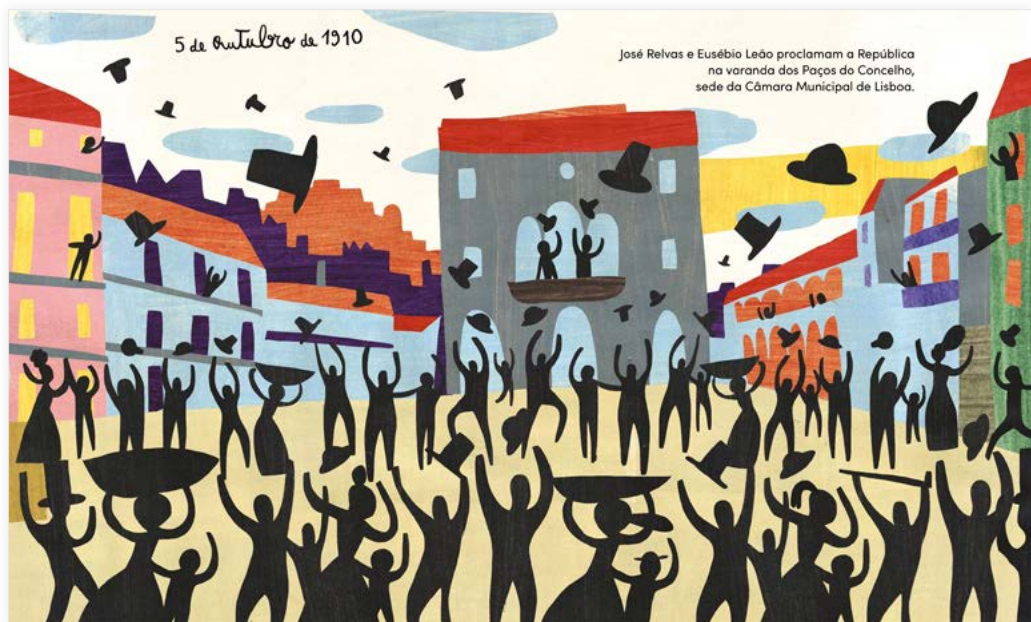
LUÍSA DUCLA SOARES & RACHEL CAIANO

ASSEMBLEIA DA REPÚBLICA / PORTUGUESE (ORIGINAL LANGUAGE)
48 PAGES / 20,5 × 24,5 CM / HARDCOVER / DECEMBER 2023

A series of books conceived to celebrate democracy, freedom and teach our children the values of citizenship! This volume is about Elections.

Throughout the pages of this book, we follow a school class that seeks to know more about what an election is and what it means. From presidential to local elections, including legislative and European elections, a grandfather explains who is elected, where and what for, remembering the value of a free and democratic electoral act. After learning the importance of this democratic instrument and how fundamental it is for the good functioning of a society, they then replicate everything they have learned together at their own school.

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LITTLE MISS REPUBLIC'S BEST FRIEND

ISABEL ZAMBUJAL & BERNARDO CARVALHO

ASSEMBLEIA DA REPÚBLICA / PORTUGUESE (ORIGINAL LANGUAGE)
48 PAGES / 20,5 × 24,5 CM / HARDCOVER / OCTOBER 2023

A series of books conceived to celebrate democracy, freedom and teach our children the values of citizenship! This volume is about Republic.

The 5th of October 1910 put an end to the monarchy in Portugal. Throughout the pages of this book, Miss República, accompanied by Democracy, her new best friend, shares the experiences and feelings she went through during those times of change. She describes hats being flung in the air, schools opening, laws coming into being and the emergence of new symbols for her country. We also have the chance to see a very special photo album.

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1984

GEORGE ORWELL & ANDRÉ CARRILHO

BERTRAND EDITORA / ENGLISH (ORIGINAL LANGUAGE)
368 PAGES / 14,9 × 23,6 CM / PAPERBACK / NOVEMBER 2022

A new edition of 1984, by George Orwell, illustrated by the renowned André Carrilho, with 43 illustrations that accompany the original text, visually underlining key scenes.

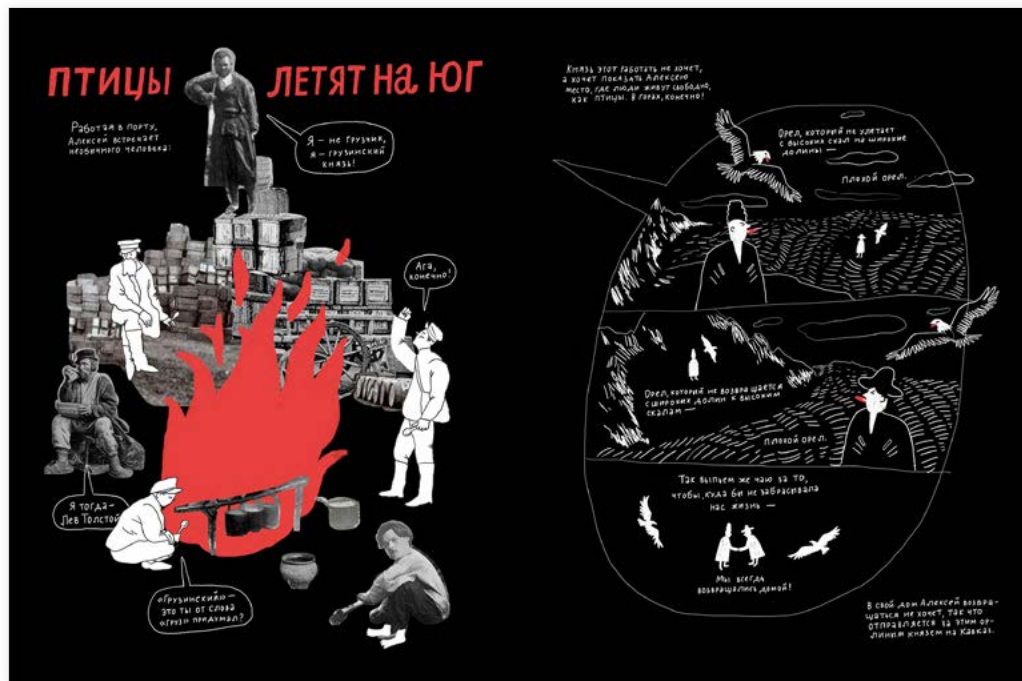
The images are meant to protect the reader's subjective connection with the text (leaving us to imagine Winston's and Julia's faces for example) and often use a conceptual approach instead of a literal one, like a parallel graphic commentary. Instead of exposing what the text describes, the illustrations focus on what the text means and its underlying themes.

Printed in two spot colors (black and orange) the world of 1984 can be seen in a new yet faithful way, alongside the timeless words of George Orwell.

In a career spanning 25 years, **ANDRÉ CARRILHO** (Portugal) has won over 30 national and international prizes in illustration, editorial cartoon, animation and caricature. In 2002 he was awarded the Gold Award for Illustrator's Portfolio by the Society for News Design (USA), one of the most prestigious illustration awards in the world.



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GORKY WHO DREAMED TO FLY

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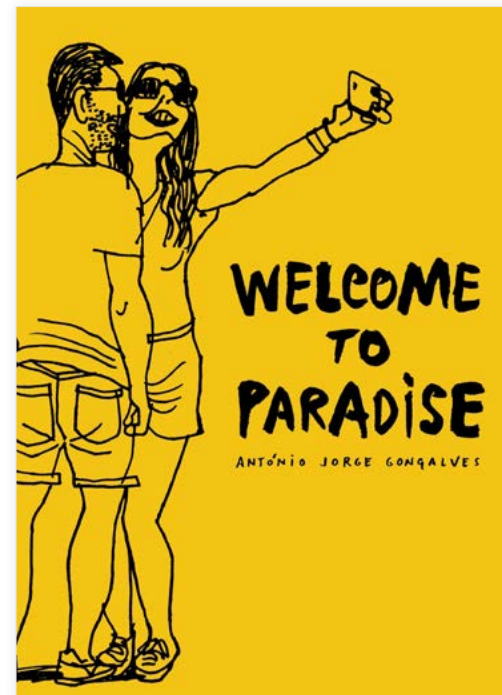
A+A / RUSSIAN (ORIGINAL LANGUAGE)

108 PAGES / 17 × 24 CM / HARDCOVER / JANUARY 2024

A graphic novel about Maxim Gorky, beautifully designed and illustrated!

Katya Gushchina's first title in a series of biographical comics about Russian writers was dedicated to Leo Tolstoy's tears. The second is about a more complex character — Maxim Gorky and the decades around the October Revolution. Gushchina uses dreams of flying and autobiographical Gorky's stories as a metaphor to explore the life of such a renowned Russian writer and socialist political thinker from a different angle.

KATYA GUSHCHINA (Russia) is an artist and cartographer living in Moscow. She works on travel books, comics, graphic novels and she illustrates expedition details.



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WELCOME TO PARADISE

ANTÓNIO JORGE GONÇALVES

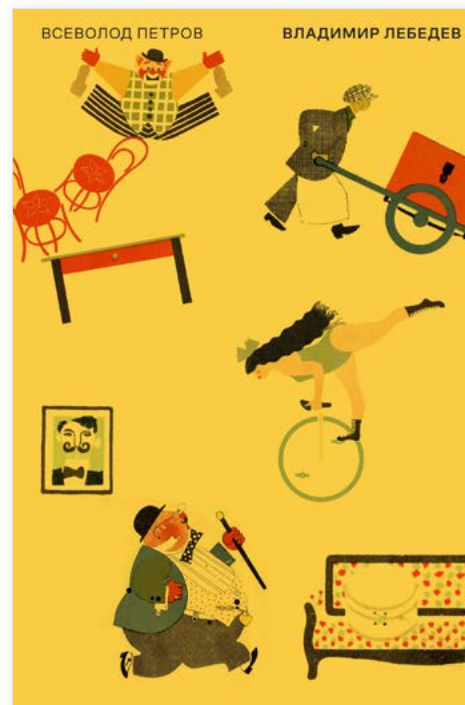
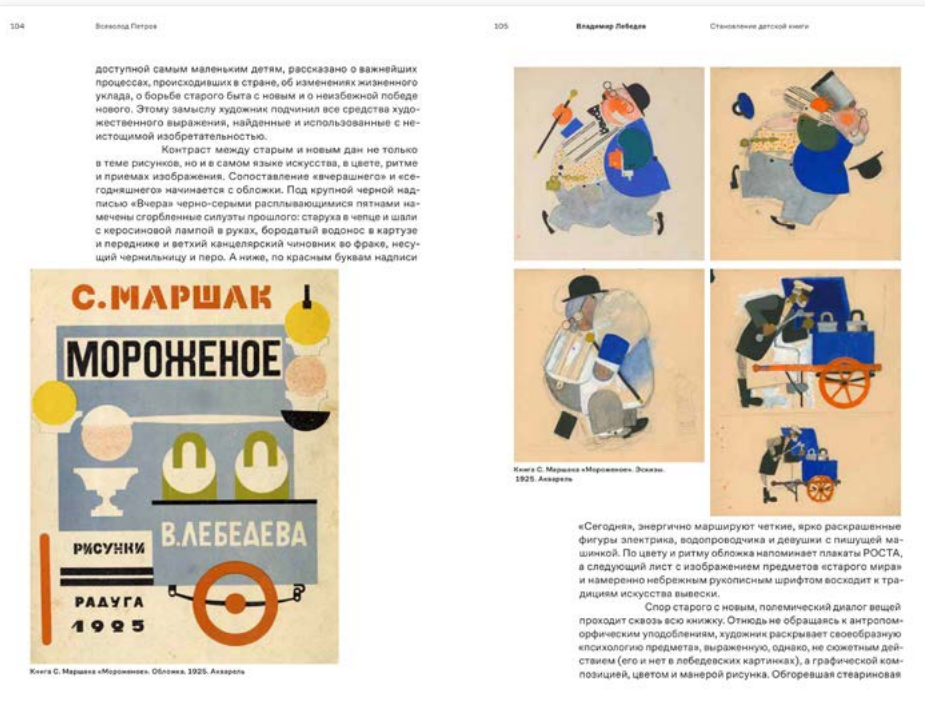
ORFEU NEGRO / PORTUGUESE (ORIGINAL LANGUAGE)

144 PAGES / 15,3 × 21,6 CM / PAPERBACK / APRIL 2023

A graphic diary bursting with humour, custard tarts, scooters and tourists!

It could be any other capital city, but it's Lisbon. In the last few years, what was once the peaceful white city is barely recognizable beneath such an abundance of visitors: from the mile-long lines for Tram 28 to gatherings by the Tejo, from the packed Santa Justa Lift to the viewpoints filled to the brim with tuk-tuks, there goes kooky Lisbon, selfie arm at the ready, sporting a smirk. With irony and an anthropological edge, visual performer and cartoonist António Jorge Gonçalves observes expressions and pathways and surprises us with this new layout of an iconic city.

ANTÓNIO JORGE GONÇALVES (Portugal) is an author of graphic novels and picture books published and exhibited worldwide. Storytelling through images is his passion: from books to theatre art direction and digital light drawing. He is the author of *Subway Life*, a project that consisted in drawing people sitting in subway carriages in 10 cities across the five continents.



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VSEVOLOD PETROV

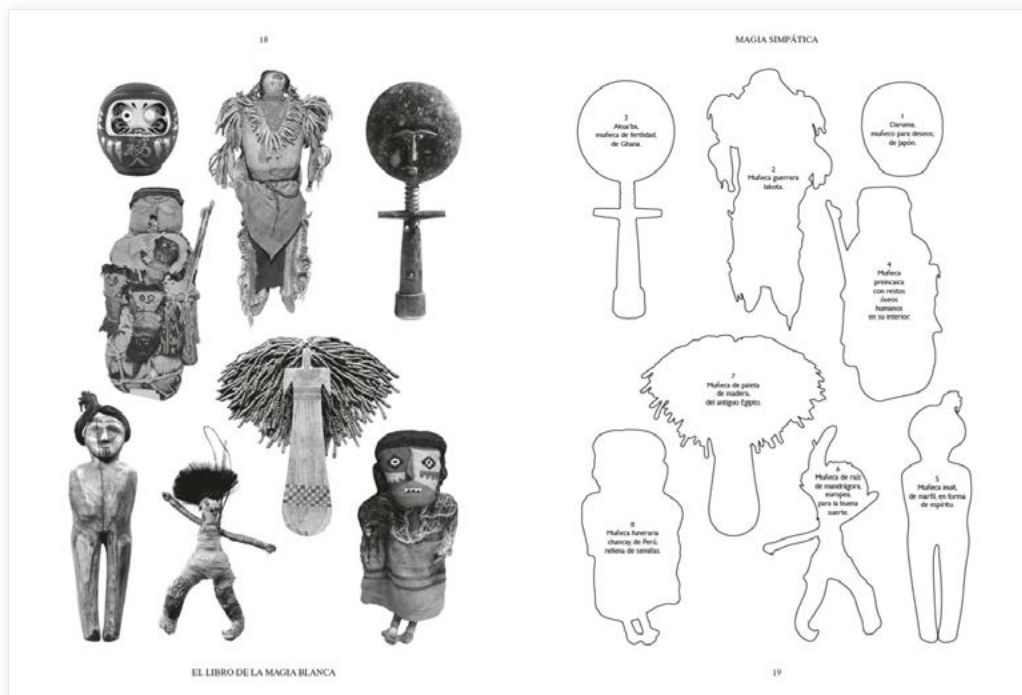
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258 PAGES / 16 × 24 CM / PAPERBACK / OCTOBER 2023

The book by Vsevolod Petrov is an overview of Lebedev's way through the intense Revolutionary years, 1930s persecution of left artists, war and post-war return to classicism. It is the only complete study of his life and work.

Vladimir Lebedev's heritage as a pioneer of Soviet avant-garde books is known and appreciated worldwide. His books *Ice cream*, *Circus*, *Yesterday* and *Today* (texts by Samuil Marshak) are the unsurpassed masterpieces, and there were dozens more. Another facet of this talent is his activity as the art director at DetGiz publishing house, where he practically created the Leningrad school of children's books illustration. He formulated and practised his theory of a picture book as an inseparable unity of all elements, a building that gets constructed by the authors of text and image.

VSEVOLOD PETROV was an art historian, writer and museum activist. Contemporary and friend of Russian avant-garde artists, he studied, portrayed and promoted their work. One of his central interests was book illustration. The book contains works and photographs from private collections that have never been published before.



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THE WHITE MAGIC BOOK

TANIA BERTA JUDITH

FULGENCIO PIMENTEL / SPANISH (ORIGINAL LANGUAGE)
224 PAGES / 17 × 23 CM / HARDCOVER / SEPTEMBER 2019

Discover the origins and secrets of white magic!

Spells and enchantments! Amulets, elixirs and potions!
Get to know the friendly magic! Read the future!

Throughout thousands of years, all cultures have practiced magic without exception. In this modern and original grimoire, **TANIA BERTA JUDITH** invites you to experiment by offering her original creations (dolls against worries, perfume for confidence, drawing to ward off fear, or talisman against nightmares). You will find all the keys to develop your own magical practice and create your spell book.



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