

A BACKLIST



CHILDREN &
YOUNG ADULT
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In this catalog you will find some of the best titles published in the past years. *

We chose them either because we love them, either because they had success among readers and foreign publishers

Discover. Enjoy!

*Please note that the booklets appear as they were first published and have not been updated.

ILLUSTRATED
MIDDLE GRADE
YOUNG ADULT

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Illustrated **Book**

The 7 Witches of Tleven and the Mysterious Egg They Found Lying There

Bel Olid & Pep Montserrat

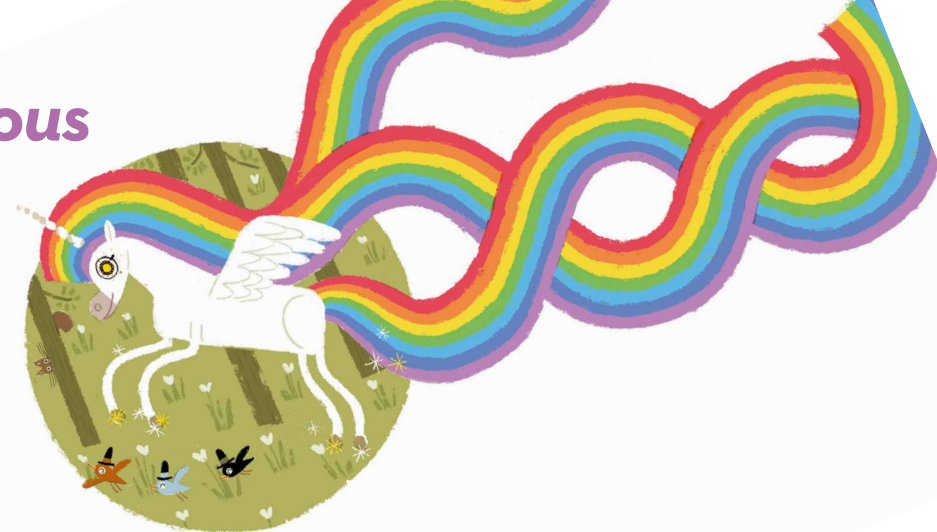
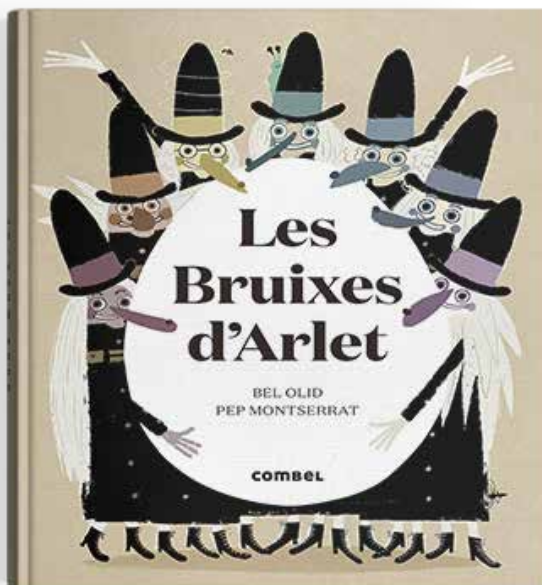
Rights sold:

- **Catalan** - Combel, 2020
- **Spanish** - Combel, 2020

32 p.

Age: 5+

#CrazyForest
#RainbowWitches
#SurpriseUnicorn



*Seven, they were
seven, the Witches of
Tleven...
Until they found a
mysterious egg.*

*What would they do?
A potion?
A fried egg?
Or boiled with slugs?*

*Ah, that mysterious
egg, how many possi-
bilities!*



Set dies, set, passaren les bruixes pujant i baixant,
menjant i cantant, dormint i bevent i jugant
a les cartes amb el seu petitó, Patrici Lluent,
amb totes les ganes de fer-lo un bruixot.

The
Duo

Bel Olid & Pep Montserrat | Bel is an excellent writer with tonnes of imagination and easiness to connect with the youngest ones. Pep is a brilliant illustrator with hundreds of illustrated books and magazines from all over the world. Put these two together and you will get extraordinary books like this one!

[More info on Pep](#) | [More info on Bel](#)

In the Wonderful Box. A Journey to the Interior of Life

Salvador Macip & Emilio Urberuaga

Rights Sold:

- **Catalan** - Flamboyant, 2018
- **Spanish** - Flamboyant, 2018
- **Korean** - Beautiful People Publ, 2020
- **Simplified Chinese** - Citic Press Co, 2020
- **Portuguese** - Telos, 2020

60 p. | Hardcover | 23 x 29 cm

Illustrated book

age 7+

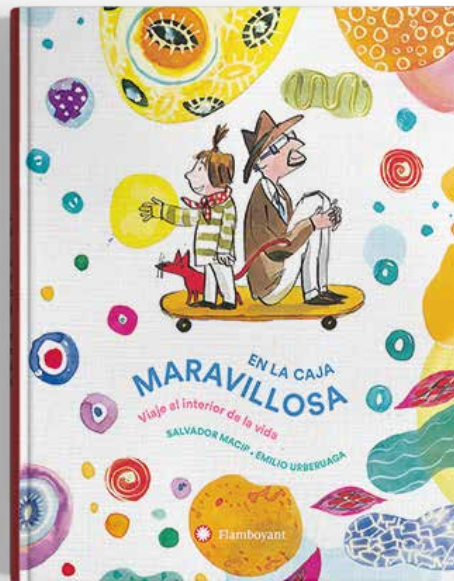
**SOLD TO 5
LANGUAGES!**

#DiscoveringHumanBody
#Father&Daughter
#ScientistCanHelp



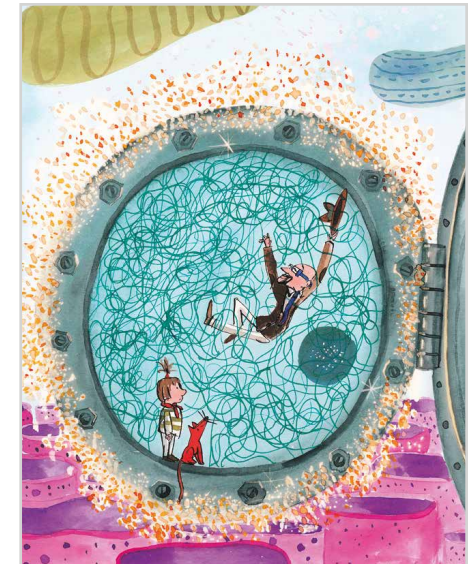
SOME STRONG POINTS:

- INCLUDES A GLOSSARY OF THE MAIN CONCEPTS
- IDEAL FOR YOUNG CURIOUS READERS WILLING TO KEEP LEARNING
- GRANT AVAILABLE



“ Discover how fascinating life is through science. ”

Alicia is a very curious girl. She likes to understand everything, for example: How do we know if a thing is alive or not? How does a cell work? What does it keep inside? Wouldn't you like to accompany Alicia and her father inside the human body? Let yourself be fascinated by the world of cells, DNA and mitochondria. Nothing seems complicated if you go hand in hand with a good guide.



Salvador Macip | (Blanes, Girona, 1970) has a doctorate in Medicine from the Universitat de Barcelona. He is a researcher and a writer. He moved to New York in 1998 to work as a researcher of molecular bases of cancer at the Mount Sinai Hospital. Since 2008, he continues his research at the University of Leicester (UK), where he directs the group of cell death mechanisms and is a professor of the Biochemistry Department. Salvador Macip has published several books, both for adult readers, children & YA.

The Great Villain Roar

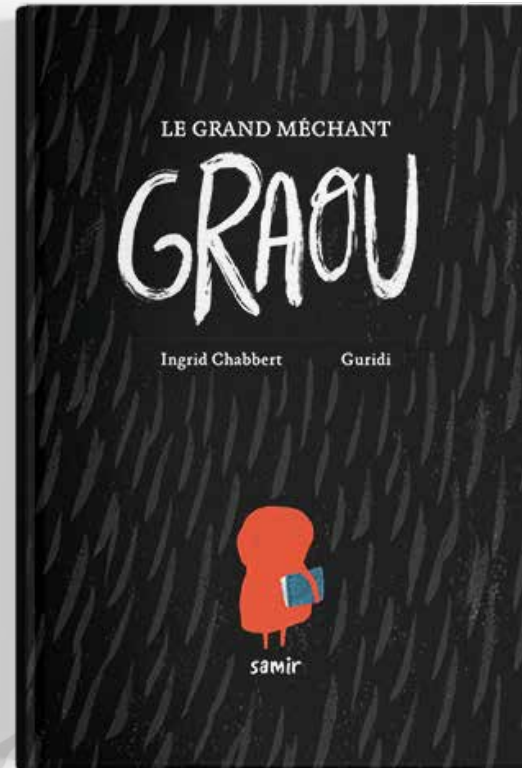
Ingrid Chabbert & Guridi

Ingrid Chabbert | Ingrid was born in 1978, in Aveyron, in the middle of fields, cows and streams. Short as a stick, she was already beginning to write little stories. Today, a bit taller than a stick, she writes even more and she likes it madly. Writing for children is all her life and it has become her job. She has published about fifty books. Everything is there: humor, poetry, subjects of real life.



#Friendship
#Companionship
#No_Prejudice

**SOLD TO 8
LANGUAGES!**



French - Samir Éditeur, 2015
Spanish - Bruño, 2016
Catalan - Brúixola, 2016
Arabic - Samir Éditeur, 2015
Portuguese - Alfarroba, 2019
Italian - Galluci, 2019
Simplified Chinese - King-In Culture, 2019
Complex Chinese - Children's Publications Co, 2019

The protagonist of this story likes to swim in the river, take a nap in the sun and, above all, run away from people, he always wants he to be alone! But one day he meets someone very special and his life begins to change...

THIS CHILDREN'S BOOK WITH LOVELY FLATCOLORED ILLUSTRATIONS SENDS A MESSAGE TO THE SMALLEST ONES THAT NO ONE SHOULD BE JUDGED BASED ON THEIR APPEARANCE.

THIS PICTURE BOOK WAS INCLUDED IN THE ANNUAL SELECTION OF LA REVUE DES LIVRES POUR ENFANTS 2015.

32 p.
Hardcover | 21 x28 cm
Illustrated book
age 3+





What Story Nestor!

Heyna Bé & Céline Chevrel

French - Samir Éditeur, 2017

Arabic - Samir Éditeur, 2017

Italian - Pane e Sale, 2021

32 p. | Hardcover | 21 x 28 cm

Illustrated book

age 3+



Working
English
Translation
Available

#Rabbit_Road_Movie

#Helping_Each_Other

#Community

Nestor is about to pay a visit to his cousin Eugene, when he realizes he has a bit of a problem. He doesn't have a suitcase in which he could pack his belongings. Who could help him to solve his problem? Gaspard? Marius? Madeleine? Or maybe Mystic Fox, who thinks he knows someone who knows someone...

"The text and the illustrations come together, enrich and complete each other to give us a mischievous picture book full of fun details and winks.

A great success!" Takam Tikou Magazine



RRRRR

#LearningToSpeak
#DifficultPhoneme
#SayRRRRR #FriedEgg
#Victory



Tina Vallès

& Jaume Marco | Tina is a powerful literary voice. She has received two very important awards that recognise her talent. She is mother of twins for whom she loves to write and she has already written half dozen books.



Catalan - Comanegra, 2018
Spanish - Comanegra, 2018

32 p. | 19,5 x 19,5 cm
Illustrated book +6
«I know a girl who once won a sound. And She got it all alone. A brave and stubborn girl. And that sound was twice a giant. Since childhood, the girl saw that the children around her had something that she was missing. She kept watching them as they pushed cars, ferried planes, sank ships. And she did not understand what was wrong.»



This story is the **conquest of an extraordinary success:** the climb of a mountain that seemed impossible to achieve: **Girl 1 - Giant 0**. But wait a moment: this story...What is missing? If you look inside, **you will definitely get it...** but who knows? Maybe you no longer need it.

Ramiro, the Boxer

Lirios Bou

Rights Sold:

- **Catalan** - Andana, 2018
- **Spanish** - Andana, 2018

40 p.

Hardcover | 24,5 x 25 cm

Illustrated book

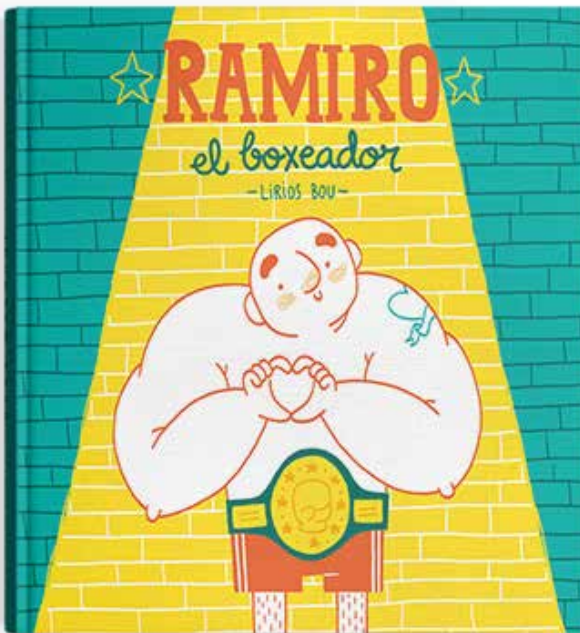
age 6+

#LoveNoFight

#ResolvingConflicts

#BeingDifferent

A fighter who does not like to hit anyone!

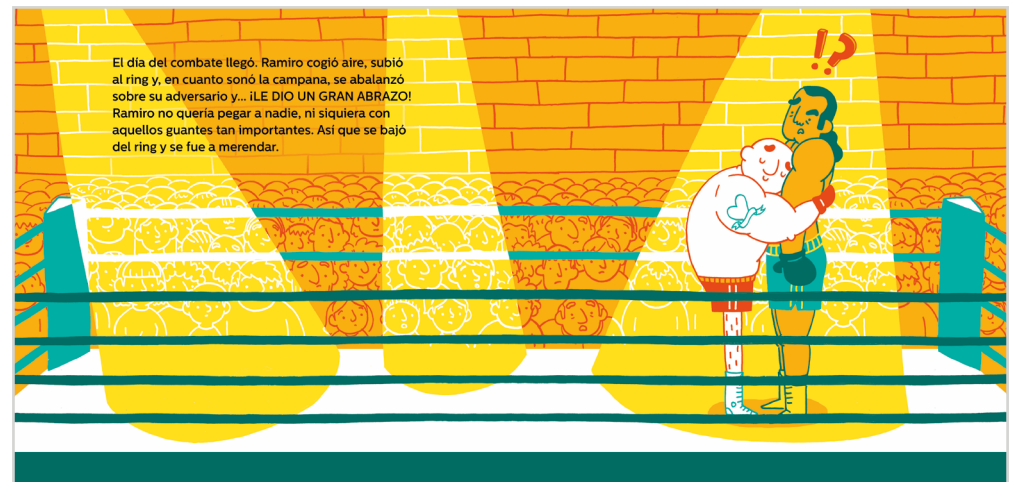


This is the story of Ramiro. Son of the Tiger of FlapingHood, grandson of Slim the Beater, great-grandson of Fast Fist and great-great-grandson of the best boxers and boxers of all time. He trains very hard to hang his portrait on the Wall of Champions and make his family proud of him. But there is a small problem: Ramiro does not want to hit anyone.

«A story that invites readers to discover new alternatives for resolving conflicts, leaving aside the use of force.

The protagonist is an example of ingenuity and constancy.»

Lirios Bou is a young illustrator with a solid career on her back. She studied in València (Spain), at the Estonian Academy of Arts in Tallinn and has a master degree in the Universitat de València (Spain). She works as illustrator and she offers children workshops on illustration. *Ramiro the boxer* is her first book.



Black Cat

M. Aurèlia Capmany & Natalia Zaratiegui

#Cats
#Children_&_Animals
#A_Classic

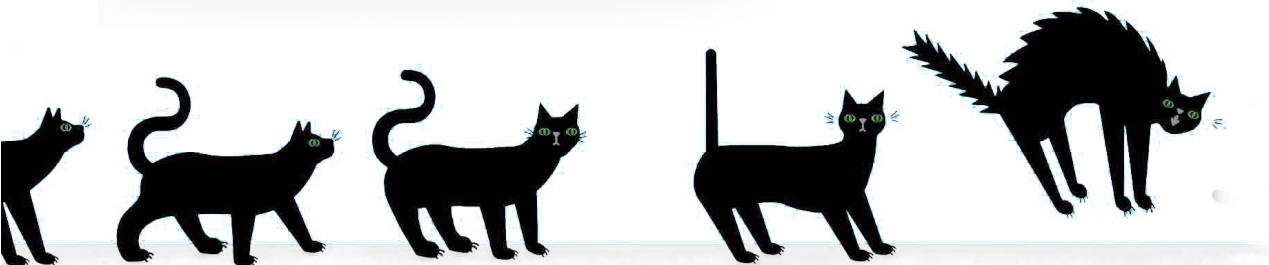


Catalan - Comanegra, 2018
Spanish - Comanegra, 2018
Hardcover | 24 x 29 cm
Illustrated book
48 p.
age 6+

Nica (the little girl) and Nano (the black cat), seem made for each other. Nobody understands as well as the girl the whims of this wild black cat. They are, in fact, two free and irreducible animals, which roll with a talent that human beings envy. But (there must always be one but), Nica is growing and Nano seems to get wilder and wilder.



M. Aurèlia Capmany is one of the classic women Catalan writers from the 70's. She as many of her time were significantly important for the Catalan feminism and female revolution. Now, Natalia Zaratiegui wants to pay tribute to this excellent woman with this extraordinary illustrated book.



The Book of Emotions for Girls and Boys

Gemma Lienas & Sigrid Martínez

Rights Sold:

- **Catalan** – Navona, 2017
- **Spanish** – Ediciones B, 2017

155 p. | Hardcover | 23 x 30,5 cm
age 4+

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- #EmotionalIntelligence
- #SelfKnowledge
- #EmotionalEducation

A collection of original stories featuring children between 3 and 7 years old. Each of them presents a situation of conflict that must be resolved. To help them, Fairy Menta appears with the mission of accompanying them to discover by themselves the answers to their questions and the solutions to their dilemmas: Noa lies, Will doesn't accept others critiques. Eric is always late, Mark loses his temper too often...



The perfect book for parents and educators who want to work better emotional reactions with their kids.



Gemma Lienas is a writer and Catalan activist. She has written more than ninety books of fiction and non fiction. Writing for children (*The Tribe of Camelot*), youth (*Carlota's Diary*) or adult (*Caught in the Mirror*). She has received several national awards (Ramon Llull Award) and the internationally known Honorable Mention IBBY recognition. Her works have been translated into nine languages.

Female Truckers

Bel Olid & Lyona

“Sometimes you are very clear about how you are... until you discover that you can be in other ways.”

#LGBTI+
#OnGender
#OnPrejudices



Catalan – Savanna Books, 2019

Spanish – Savanna Books, 2019

14 p. | Softcover

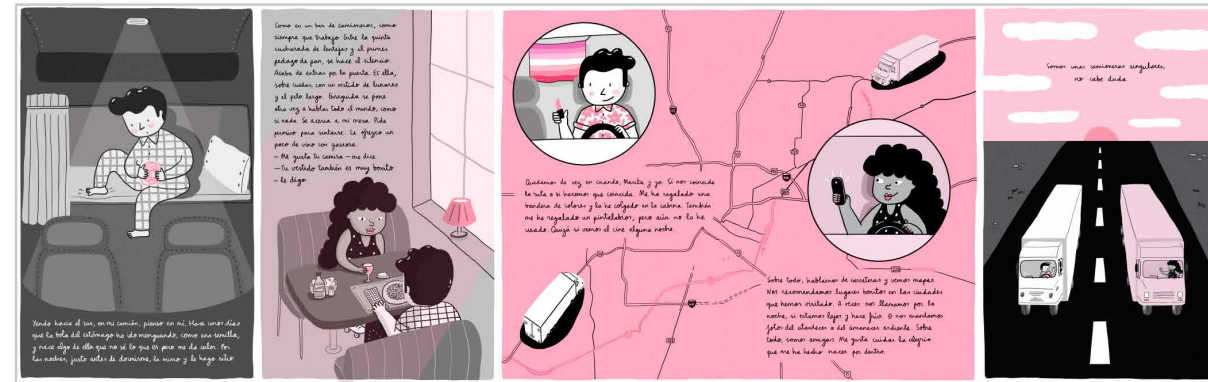
Leporello format:

22,5 x 100 cm length unfolded

22,5 x 14,4 cm folded

Illustrated book

all ages



Our protagonist is a female trucker. According to her, she lives, eats and dresses with the standards expected of a truck driver: short hair, plaid shirt and jeans. One day, in a roadside bar, she meets a girl with long hair, a spotted dress and skates on her feet. Surprisingly enough that girl on skates is also a trucker and she doesn't live, eats or dresses as the standards... how can that be?



Bel Olid is writer, translator, university professor and feminist to the bone. She presided the Conseil Européen des Associations de Traducteurs Littéraires (CEATL) and since March 2015 she is the president of the association of Catalan writers. She writes both for adult in fiction and non fiction, and for children.



Familial

Mar Cerdà

#Families
#Difference_&_Diversity
#My_Family_Is_Different

Catalan - Comanegra, 2017
Spanish - Comanegra, 2017
20 p.
Hardcover | 26 x 16,3 cm
Illustrated book
age 5+



*All the families of the world are
in this book!*

- ✓ 80.000 DIFFERENT COMBINATIONS OF A FAMILY.
- ✓ AN EASY WAY TO EXPLAIN HOW MANY DIFFERENT FAMILY GROUPS MAY EXIST.
- ✓ AN EMPTY SHEET TO DRAW YOUR OWN FAMILY.



Coedition is possible!

The traditional models of families have changed, and with *Familial* any kid can build his own. 15 sheets cut in 4 that offer the possibility to combine up to 80,000 different families or familial structures: two mothers, brothers of other countries, relatives living far, grandparents living at home, twin brothers, single-parent families.

Mar Cerdà | (Barcelona, 1984) is an illustrator born and established in Barcelona. She combines illustration with her work in the audiovisual field in advertising, television and video clips.

Where is Home

Naida Mazzenga

Catalan - Comanegra, 2019

48 p | Softcover | 17 x 24 cm

Illustrated book

age 12+

#AdaptingInNewSituations

#Growing

#FreedomToRunAway



Naida Mazzenga

Is an Italian illustrator who, after graduating from the ISIA of Urbino and having done Erasmus at the Massana School, has settled in Barcelona, where she lives and works as an illustrator.



Marilú lived in a marvellous house but, suddenly, one day, it started to feel unbearably small, so tight that she felt trapped. So, she needs to set off and travel the world with one goal: to find a new house, a new home. On her journey, she will need to ask herself what makes a home.



Middle Grade

The Memory's Suitcase

Salvador Macip & Àngels Bassas

Illustrations by Lluís Farré

Catalan – Cruïlla, 2019

Book with illustrations

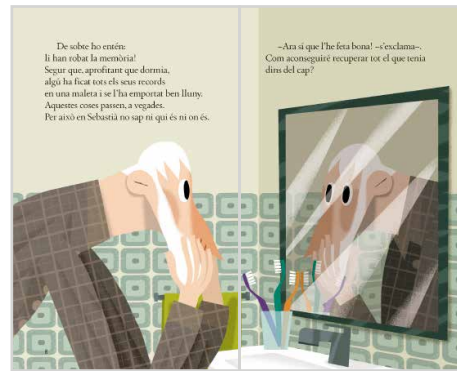
56 p | 12 x 16 cm

age 7+

#Alzheimer

#ScientificLiterature

#Grandparents



Sebastian has lost his memories because he believes someone has stolen them although he cannot recall how it happened. Who could help him to find them? Jonas, his grandson, together with the eccentric Doctor Caroline Coriolana, will set out on a journey into Sebastian's brain to try to get them back...

An excellent book that explains casually but scientifically what Alzheimer's is and what happens to our brain when it comes. Not in vain one of the authors is a well-known doctor and scientist.



The Duo

Bassas & Macip wrote a magnificent story with a perfect balance between science and literature. And they promise to write more!

Me, Watson and Jacqueline's Closet

Gemma Lienas & Marisa Morea

- **Catalan** – Cruïlla, 2018
- **Spanish** – SM, 2019
- **Slovenian** – Zaloba Zala, 2020

Book with illustrations
age 9+ | 120 p.

VAIXELL DE VAPOR AWARD

- #Against_Evicting
- #Neighbours_Solidarity
- #Thriller



Isolde, Iso for her friends, likes to read a lot and wants to study aeronautics although there's still a long way before she gets into the university. She and her family have recently moved from the Eixample neighborhood to Barceloneta and the first friend she has made is Santi, the bookseller whom she visits every friday after school. The other friend will be Watson, a boy also a bit peculiar. Together they will try to return some old photographs that Isolde found in an old book of Santi's in an envelope where someone had written: "To Carmeta". The research for this Carmeta will take Iso and Watson to discover some secrets of the neighborhood, enter to occupied houses and discover what's in the Jacqueline's closet!



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The Story of Igor McRoach

David Nel-lo & Beatriz Castro

Rights sold:

- **Catalan** - Edebé
- **Spanish** - Edebé
- **Galician** - Edebé

Book with illustrations

9+ | 150 p

Full English version available

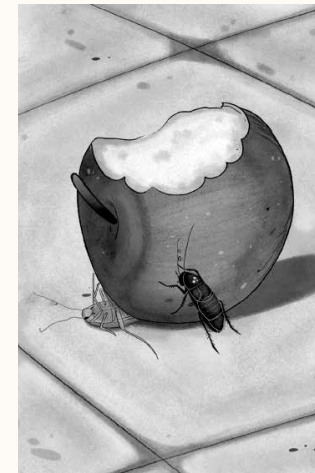


David Nel-lo

Is a writer, translator and flute player. Recently awarded with the highest prize in the Catalan literature for adults, he loves to write for young readers also. Among his many books, special mention can be made to *L'Albert i els menjabrossa*, Vaixell de Vapor Award; *Ludwig i Frank*, Josep M. Folch i Torres Award; *Guguengol*, Ramon Muntaner Award or *Missió futur*. *La tribu dels Zippoli* his most translated book. *The Story of Igor McRoach* that has received Edebé prize, is his last published book.



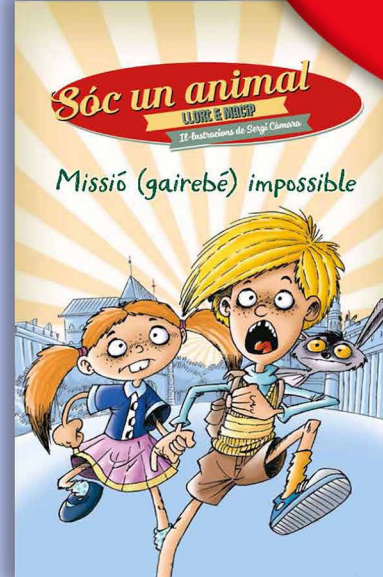
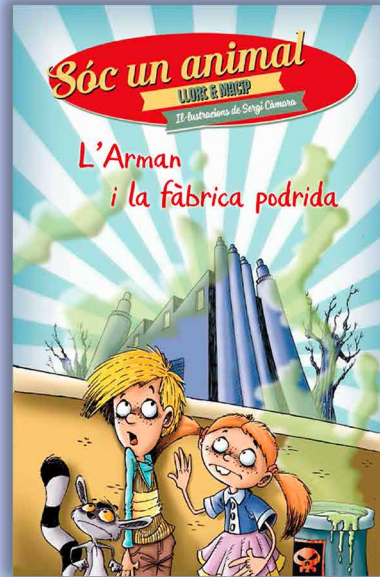
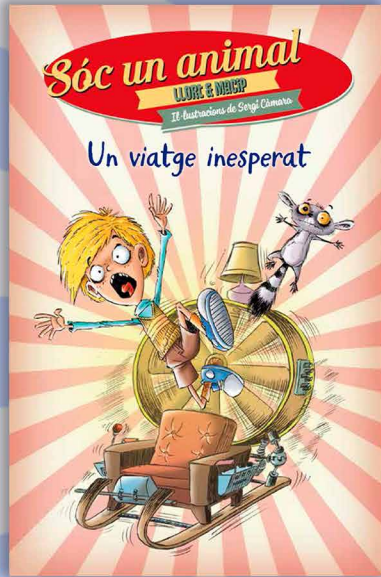
Igor McKroach and his family are cockroaches and live happily in the house of the old Mrs. Atril. But one day she dies and everything changes. The McKroach will have to flee before the new owner fumigates the house and everyone dies. Through the city's sewers, the McKroach escapes and arrive at the Apollo hotel, where they want to live. There they find a type of cockroaches that say that the hotel is their home and that they are the ones who set the conditions and decide who can be there. Igor discovers then the difficulties of moving freely around the world and the sense of equality.



I'm an Animal

A Series #Adventurous #Friendship #Science

by Llorç & Macip
Illustrated by Sergi Càmaro



The books of Arman and his pet lemur Tim are a unique mix of adventure, humour and imagination. Where else are you going to find a boy that can transform into all sorts of animals to help his friends, solve mysteries and even do his homework? If only he could control his powers...

Catalan - Barcanova, 2015, 2016
Spanish - Anaya, 2015, 2016, 2017
Galician - Xerais, 2015, 2017
+8 | 190 p



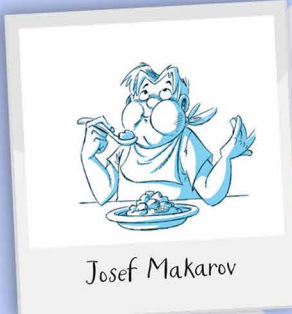
Fourth title coming soon!



Lijulina Zhirkova



Astrud Laszlo



Josef Makarev



Vasili Weisz

Spring 2018

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The Zippoli's Tribe

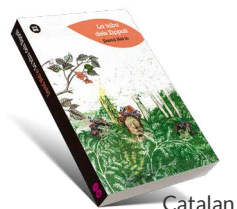
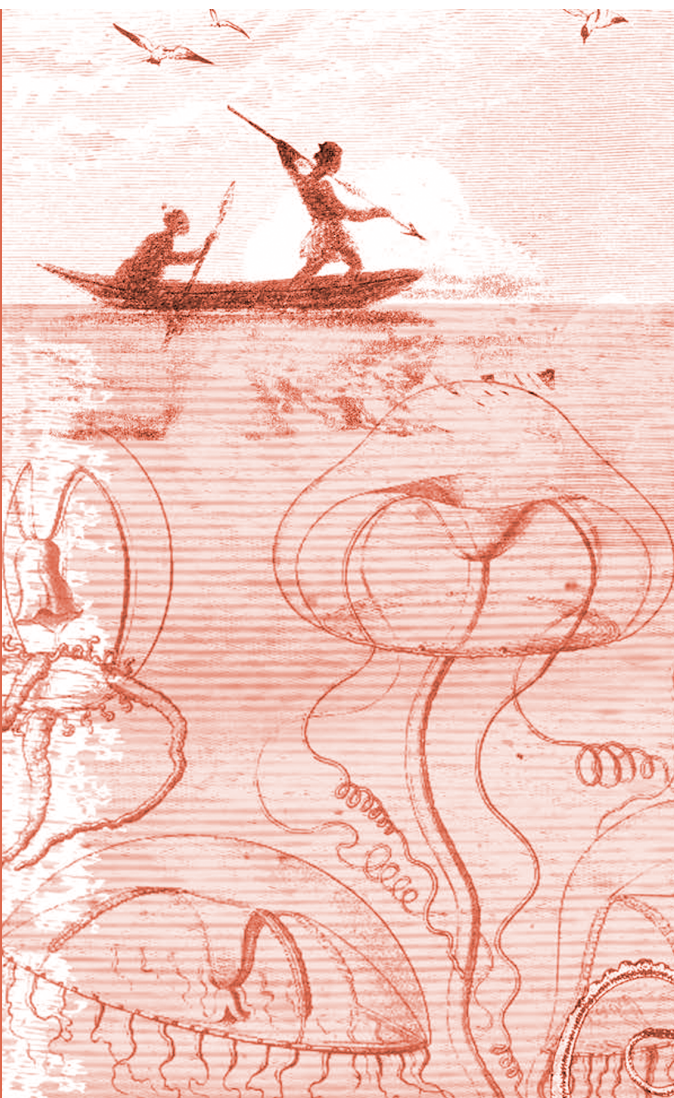
David Nel·lo & Pere Guinard

Rights sold:

- Catalan** - Bambú, 2017
- Spanish** - Bambú, 2017
- French** - Actes Sud, 2018
- Russian** - Mann, Ivanov and Ferber, 2019
- Filipino** - Adarna House, 2019
- Danish** - Jensen & Dalgaard, 2020
- Serbian** - Odiseja, 2020
- Italian** - Pulce, 2020

44p. | age +9

SOLD TO 8 LANGUAGES!



Catalan



Spanish



French

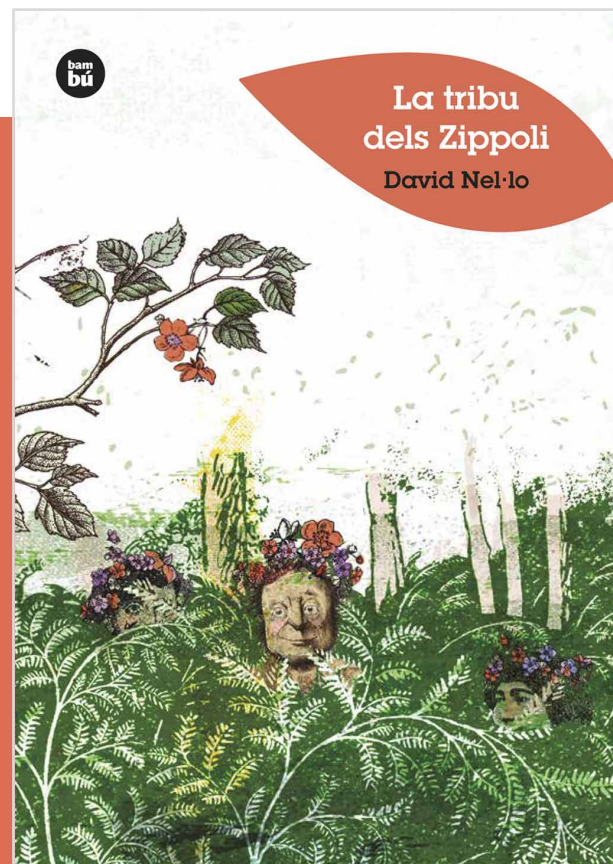


Russian



#Reading
#Selfconfidence
#ItaloCalvino

Guillem does not like to read, how dull! So boring! And his silly big brother is always reading! Nerd! And his parents also read a lot. But what if he does not like reading, huh? He hates the “Library Time” at school, but one day Guillem picks a very thin book called *The Zippoli's Tribe* and it seems to be the faster book he will ever read. But when he starts reading it he gets one of the biggest shocks of his life. The book addresses directly to him. How is that possible?



Carlota's Diaries

The Most Successful Female Series In The Last Ten Years

More Than 150.000 Copies Sold!
Published in 5 languages

Catalan, Spanish, Portuguese, Italian, Galician, Euskera

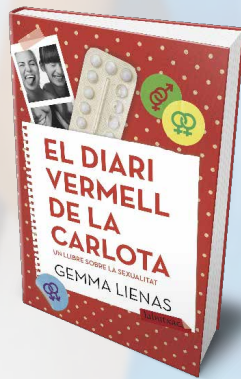
Carlota is a teenager eager to learn & survive in this world. There is not a single social, ethical or moral problem she has not faced. So far, she has written 5 diaries.

Carlota has also a movie !!



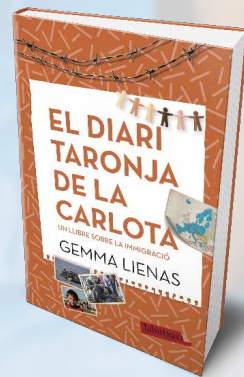
The Red Diary

#Sexuality #Adolescence



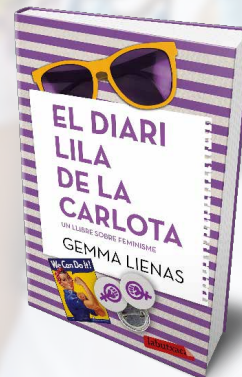
The Orange Diary

#Immigration



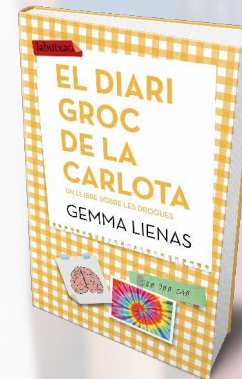
The Purple Diary

#Women #Discrimination



The Yellow Diary

#Drugs_Effects #Teenagers



The Blue Diary

#Gender_Violence



Gemma Lienas | Gemma is a very well known writer, an activist and a person seriously involved with social, ethic, moral and political issues. Her books normally talk about the wicker or the social injustices. She **is devotedly admired by her readers.**

YA *Books*

Sons of the Seventh Wave

A Series

Salvador Macip

Catalan - Fanbooks, 2018, 2019

288 p. & 336 p. | age 14+



Salvador Macip

(Blanes, Girona, 1970) has a doctorate in Medicine from the Universitat de Barcelona. He is a researcher and a writer. He moved to New York in 1998 to work as a researcher of molecular bases of cancer at the Mount Sinai Hospital. Since 2008, he continues his research at the University of Leicester (UK), where he directs the group of cell death mechanisms and is a professor of the Biochemistry Department. Salvador Macip has published several books, both for adult readers and children.

“ *This is not a science fiction series but a plot with **real scientific advances in biomedicine** that will be implemented in the next decades.* ”



#Black_Mirror #Could_Be_Real
#Genetics #Posthumans
#Synthetic_Biology

WHICH ETHICAL AND MORAL DILEMMAS WILL FACE IN THE IMMEDIATE FUTURE?

HOW SCIENCE WILL IMPROVE OUR LIVES AND WHETHER SOCIETY IS READY TO PAY THE PRICE THAT MAY COME WITH IT, THE GREAT BENEFITS OF SCIENCE AND THE DANGERS ATTACHED WHEN THE PROPER CONTROLS ARE NOT IN PLACE?

CLONING, GENETIC MANIPULATION, HUMAN ENHANCEMENT, POSTHUMANS, SYNTHETIC BIOLOGY ARE SOME OF THE ISSUES THAT MAIN CHARACTERS WILL HAVE TO DEAL WITH IN **THIS PAGETURNER BOOK!**

ALL THESE SUBJECTS IN A FICTION STORY INCREDIBLY WELL WRITTEN BY ONE OF THE MOST WELL-KNOWN CATALAN SCIENTIST AND INVESTIGATOR, SALVADOR MACIP.

Abigail and Wilbur, sixteen, are two teenagers living in Browntown (Winconsin), in the second half of the 21st century. Their lives change suddenly when mysterious characters appear in the village, the self-called Guardians, who claim that Wilbur is a special being, a kid of the Second Wave, genetically modified by a secret organization called the Corporation.

Mark Second Life

David Nel·lo

Catalan – Cruilla (SM), 2018

140 p.

age 14+

Gran Angular Award, 2018

#SCFI

#SecondLife

#ModernSociety



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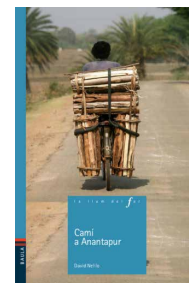


“The author also criticizes the selfishness in today's society: we do not listen to other people's dramas because we are lazy.

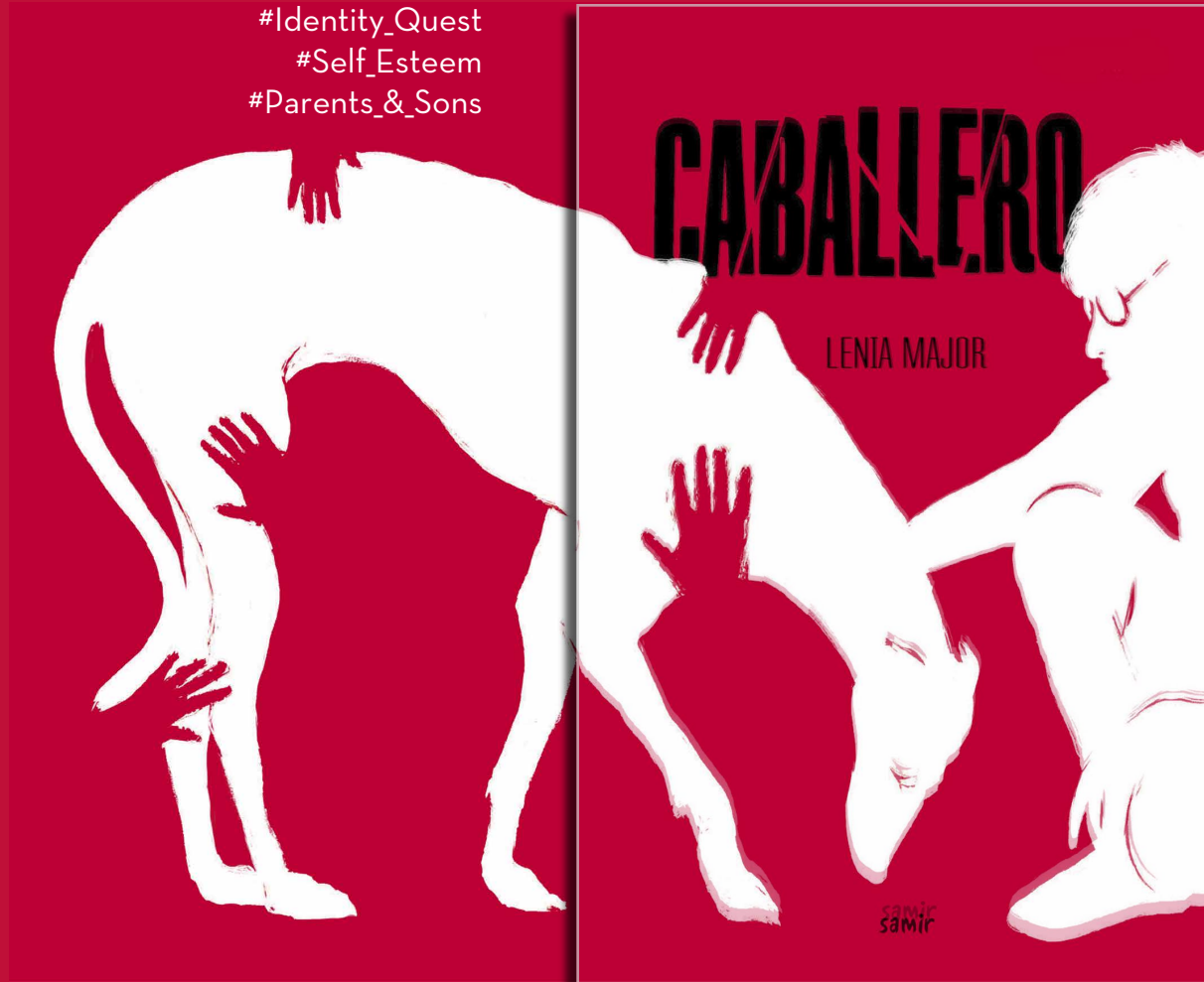
Humanity has frozen as much as the reader's blood when it reaches the unexpected end of this magnificent book.” (ANNA CARRERAS, NÚVOL)

Abel needs some time to think. He can not continue his studies after “what happened” and he does not know what exactly he should do. Journalism studies? Continue with the theater and the cinema? Since he is broke, he accpets to babysit Mark, the son of Aurora Recasens. Aurora warns Marc that her son is special, different from other children: hypersensitive and reflective for his age. Abel immediately connects with Marco, but when the kid begins to tell memories of living scenes that it is impossible for him to have lived, he begins to feel uneasy. Who is Mark, really?

Other books of the author



#Identity_Quest
#Self_Esteem
#Parents_&_Sons



Caballero

French – Samir Éditeur, 2016

464 p. | 13+

2018 – Sélection **Prix** Littéraire Paul Langevin.

2017 – Lauréat du **Prix** de la ville de Cherbourg - Octeville .

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2016 – Sélection annuelle de La Revue des livres pour enfants Coup de cœur.

Genaro, a 13-year-old boy who used to be a brilliant student, has decided to stop studying because of his fear of being rejected by his classmates. He is now part of a group of teenagers who push him to binge drinking until he falls into an alcoholic coma. Shocked, his parents decide to send him to Spain to a cousin who holds a refuge for the abused and abandoned dogs, galgos and greyhounds. This «punishment» will completely transform him. Genaro discovers an unknown world, the world of cruelty and dog abuse. During the time spent in Spain, he also discovers the true meaning of friendship and the importance of solidarity and fighting for a good cause. He will fall in love for the first time with Lucy, young and compassionate volunteer.

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: ABOUT ALL THEIR PROBLEMS LIKE **IDENTITY QUEST,** :
: **SELF-ESTEEM, FEAR OF THE GAZE OF OTHERS, TENSE** :
: **RELATIONSHIPS WITH PARENTS.** :
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Tina Frankens

Bel Olid & Montse Rubio

Fanbooks, 2018

168 p.

Age 14+

#Crossover

#Frankenstein_Myth

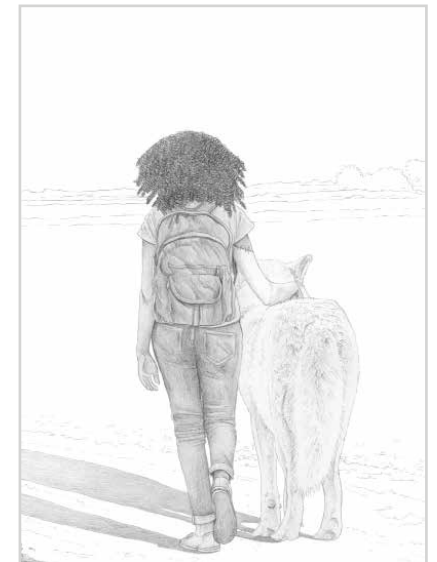
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“ A recreation of the Frankenstein myth from a **contemporary** and **feminine** perspective. ”



Tina wakes up one day confused, with her aching body full of scars. She does not remember anything of her past and where or why is she in that house with that woman who keeps repeting is her aunt and that she was in a coma due to a severe accident.

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