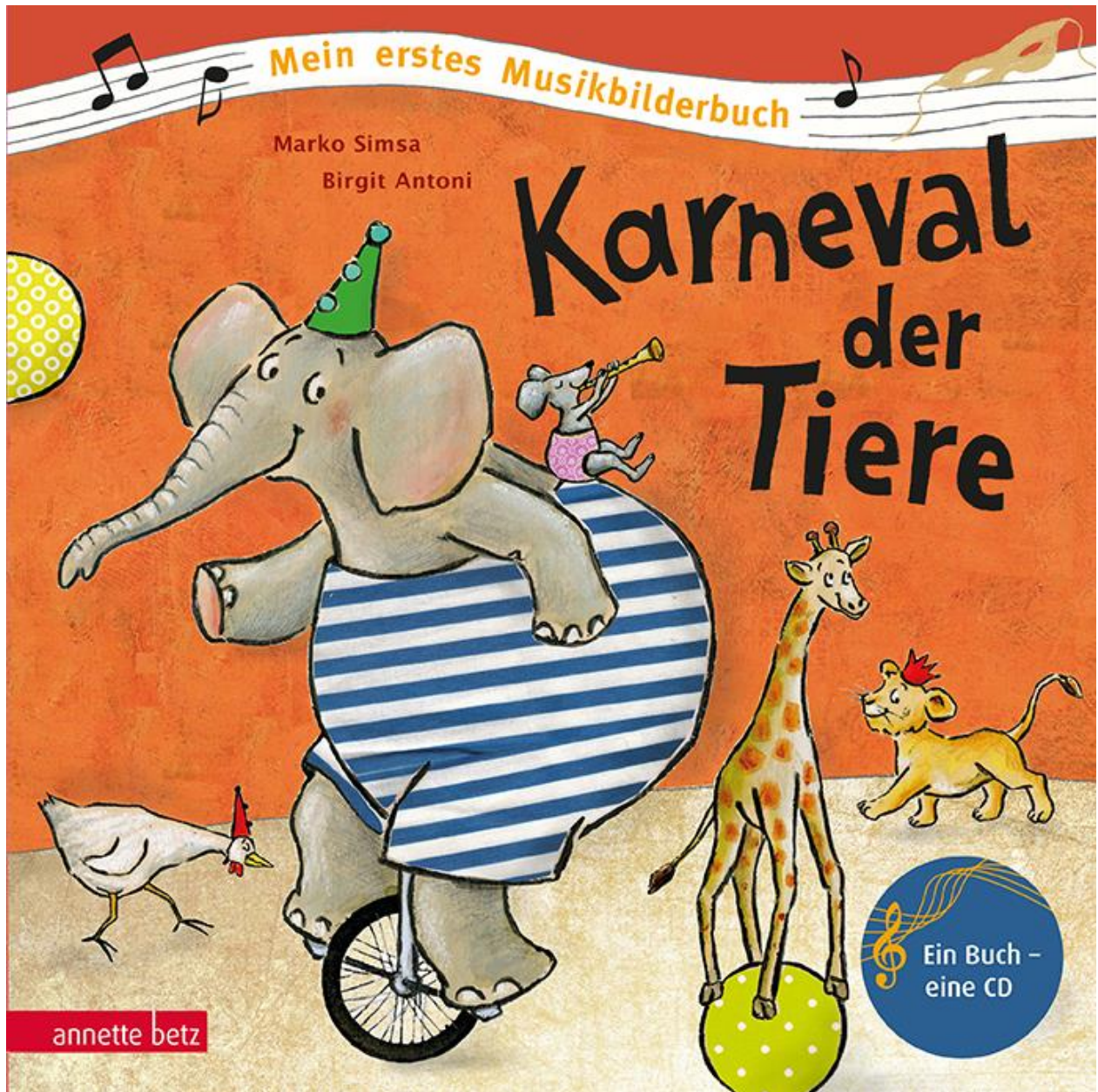


## Foreign Rights Catalogue Spring 2016



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**Heinz Janisch/Birgit Antoni:  
Peter and the Wolf**



3 years and up  
24 full colour pages  
With Audio CD  
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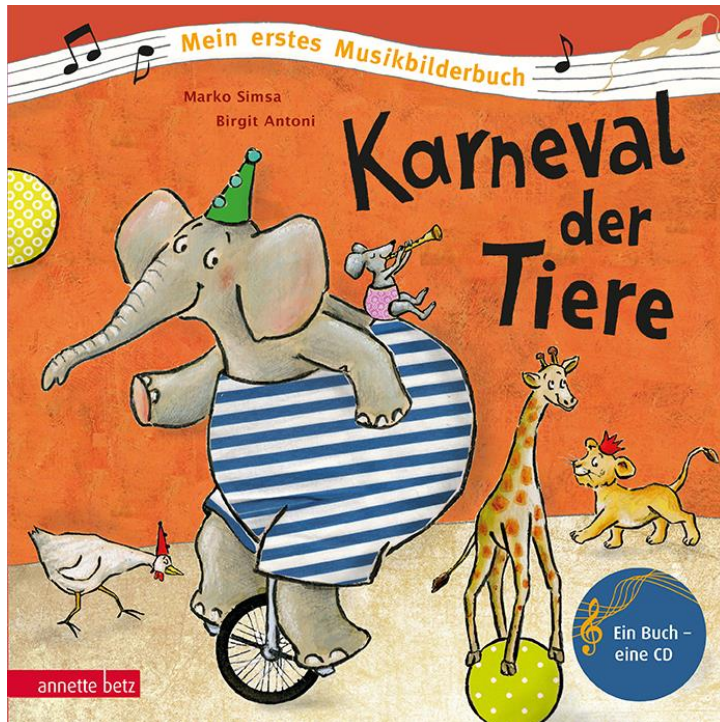
**Heinz Janisch** writes books for children and adults. He has earned many literary honors for his work.

**Birgit Antoni** illustrates board books, picture books and early readers for a variety of publishers. Her extraordinary books are frequently translated and highly reviewed.

Early one morning Peter opens the garden gate and goes into the wide meadow. His grandfather scolds him, because he leaves the gate open. „It is dangerous. What if the Wolf comes out of the woods?“ But Peter isn't afraid. Together with his friends, the little birds, the cat, and the duck, the boy befriends the Wolf, for once and for all! In this famous musical tale from Sergei Prokofiev, the instruments of the orchestra are wonderfully presented for the youngest listeners.

- Musical picture book for the youngest audience from age 3 up.
- Narrated by bestselling author Heinz Janisch, evocatively illustrated by Birgit Antoni.

**Marko Simsa/Birgit Antoni:  
Carnival Of The Animals**



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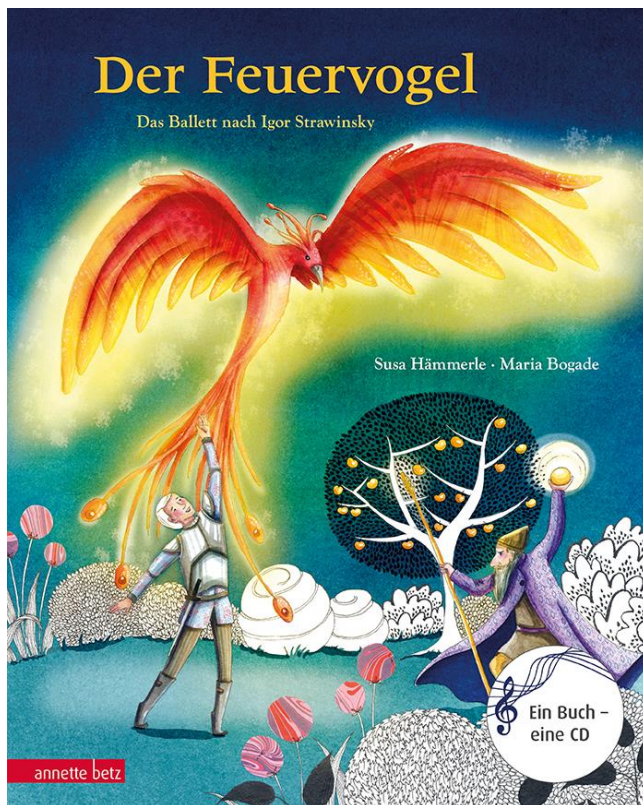
**Marko Simsa** has brought concerts and plays for kids to the stage for 25 years. His venues include the Vienna Concerthall, the Salzburg Music Festival, and the Wiesbaden Theater. His award-winning books have been translated into 12 languages.

[www.markosimsa.at](http://www.markosimsa.at)

Lions, Elephants, Chickens, and Donkeys—all are here to celebrate the Carnival of the Animals as it leads off with dancing, singing, music, and even playful tricks. Would you also like to join in, roaring like a Lion through the arena or trying to stomp like the Elephants? If only! Young audiences will experience the music of Camille Saint-Saens through a colorful story by bestselling author, Mark Simsa, with wonderful illustrations by Birgit Antoni.

- Musical picture book for the youngest audience from age 3 up.
- Narrated by bestselling author Marko Simsa, evocatively illustrated by Birgit Antoni.

**Susa Hämmerle/Maria Bogade:  
The Firebird - A Ballet by Igor Stravinsky**



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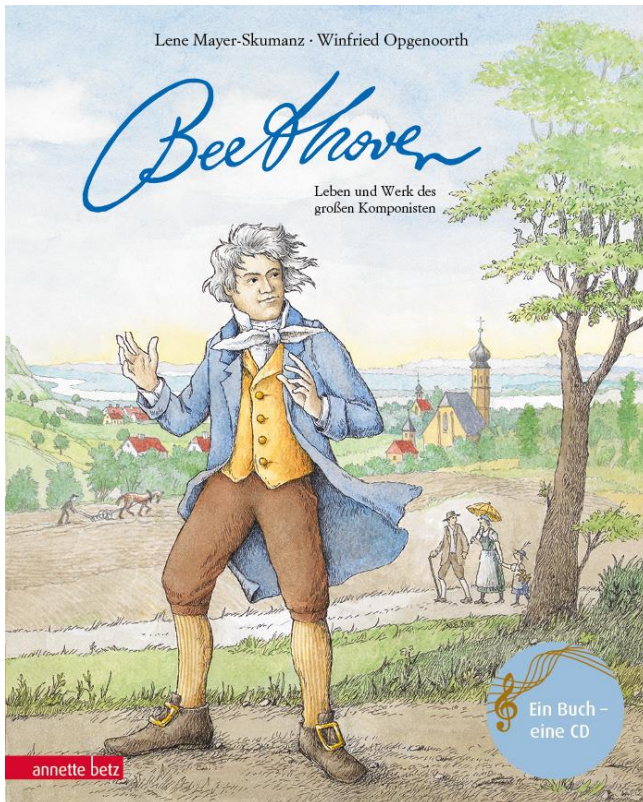
**Susa Hämmerle** has been a freelance author since 1990. She offers literary and influential adult and children's books and is frequently recognized. Her work is already translated into 13 languages.

**Maria Bogade** is a freelance illustrator and has created for clients the world over since 2011.

Prinz Iwan catches the extraordinary Firebird and wants to keep it forever. Still he can't bear to see this proud creature in a cage. So he frees the Bird but saves one feather, to ward off any danger. Then in a park on the edge of the kingdom, Iwan discovers thirteen young maidens who are held captive by an evil sorcerer. Immediately he falls in love with the most beautiful maiden. The sorcerer soon wakes and discovers Iwan and takes him prisoner too. Will the Firebird really come to help Iwan?

- Colorful, splendid music and a magical tale introduce young audiences to this important, classic work.

**Lene Mayer-Skumanz/Winfried Opgenoorth:  
Beethoven**



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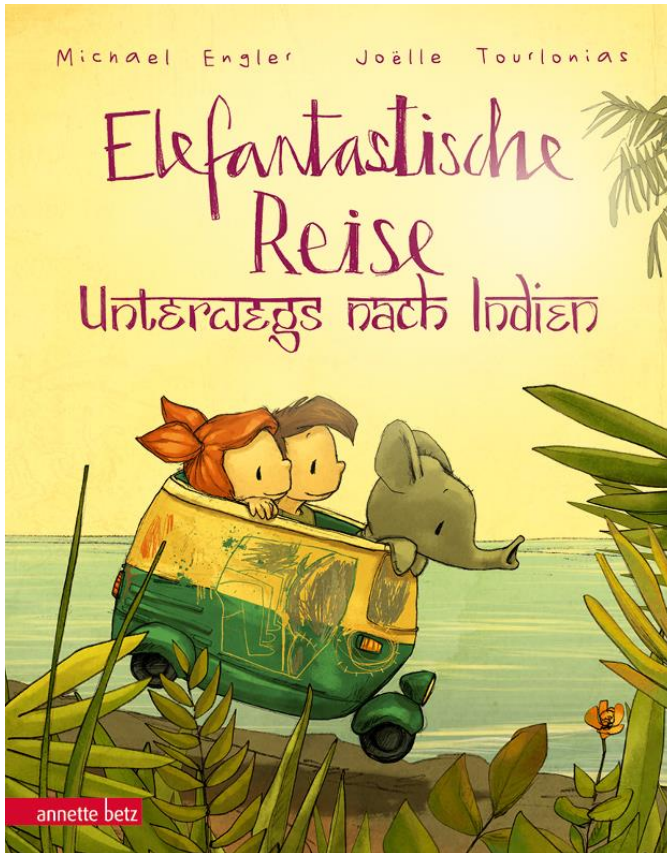
**Lene Mayer-Skumanz** studied Germanic and ancient linguistics. She has received numerous awards for her books.

**Winfried Opgenoorth** works as a freelance artist and graphic designer in Vienna. In the past 20 years, he has illustrated numerous award-winning picture books, including the Austrian Children’s Book Illustration Honor.

This picture book for all ages reveals the most important events and experiences in the life of the famous composer, Ludwig van Beethoven. His immortal piano works include „Für Elise“, „Moonlight Sonata“, „Sonata Pathétique“, the opera „Fidelio“, and his nine symphonies which include „the Eroica“, and Symphony No. 5. This compassionate narrative by Lene Mayer-Skumanz, combined with selective musical examples on the accompanying CD, give readers a rich appreciation of Beethoven’s life and work.

- Includes CD with multiple selections and samplings of Beethoven’s music

**Michael Engler/Joëlle Turlonias:  
Elephantastic Journey  
Onward To India**



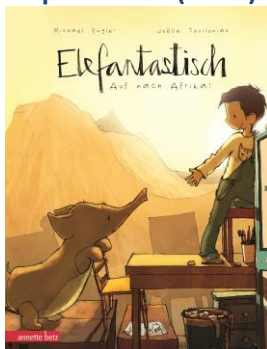
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**Michael Engler** is a book author, also a playwright for theater and radio. His children's books have been translated into 5 languages, popular around the world.

**Joëlle Turlonias** has been a freelance artist since 2009 and has published a variety of children's books.  
[www.joelleturlonias.blogspot.de](http://www.joelleturlonias.blogspot.de)

Timbo is sad. It's his cousin's birthday, but Timbo can't be there because India is too far away! But no problem...his friends, Anton and Louise strike out on their own in their special traveling vehicle. The big Splash-Birthday-Party awaits their arrival in India, and indeed, they have a lot of fun splashing together in the Indian Ocean. Not so Anton's Mom, who discovers the wet bathroom where the trio has made their imagined journey to India!

**Previous books of the series:  
Elephantastic (Vol.1)**



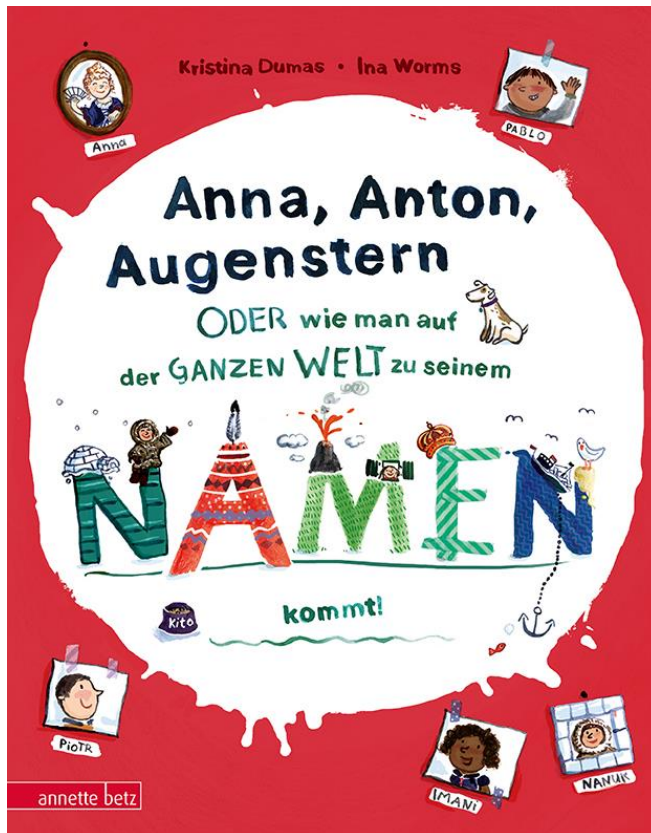
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**Elephantastic Adventures (Vol.2)**



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Kristina Dumas/Ina Worms  
 Anna, Anton, Sweetie  
 Or How Everyone Gets A Name



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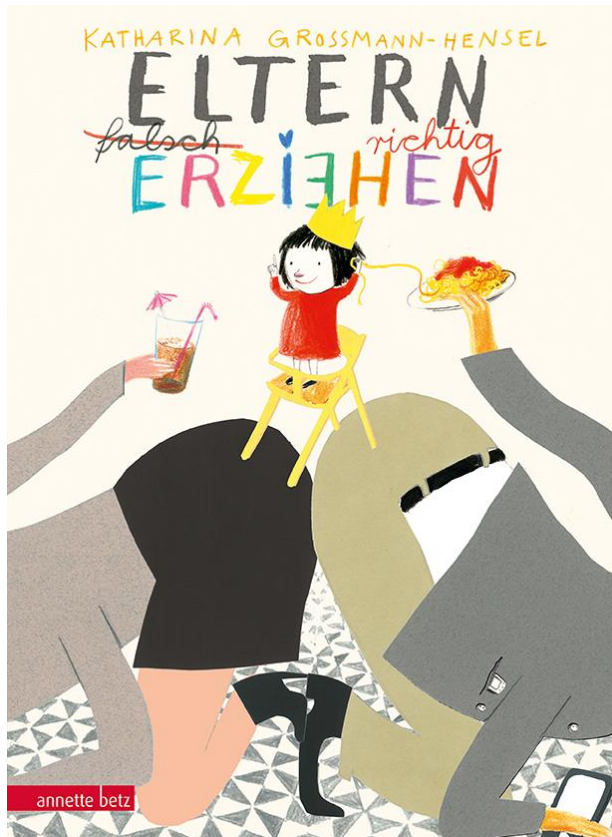
Our name is very special. We hear it every day, we shorten it, we trade it, or we dream about one we might like better. Where does a name come from? The author presents fascinating facts for young and old about names and traditions from different cultures. Inuits often take the name of a best friend and thereby become a relative. Indians receive a new name as teenagers. Our parents name us after heroes, relatives, famous stars, athletes...or even study lists of names to get inspired and to find the perfect one.

- The first „Name Book“ for children
- Map with names from the entire world

**Kristina Dumas** is an author and journalist. She has written numerous stories and articles for children. She is widely recognized for her Musical Picturebook Series previously published by and available from Annette Betz.

**Ina Worms** is a professional freelance artist for various agencies and publishers.

**Katharina Grossmann-Hensel:  
Raising Parents Right  
The First Funny Parent-Raising Manual for Kids**



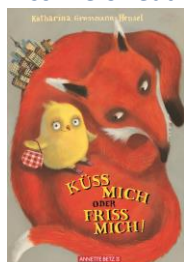
4 years and up  
32 full colour pages  
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**Katharina Grossmann-Hensel** studied illustration in Hamburg. Currently she lives in Berlin and works as a freelance author and illustrator for several publishers.

Everyone knows that parents aren't perfect! So when a child first learns to talk, it's time to pass on some kid rules. Whether it's choosing what to wear or controlling phone etiquette, it is always important to keep parents in tow. The feisty little heroine in Katharina Grossmann-Hensel's humorous and witty new picture book shares all of the steps required for effective Parent-Raising. In the end, she decides not be *too* demanding, even to give her parents a hug and kiss. And when a tiny sibling is born, the fun will begin all over again! Zany episodes from „normal“ family life enhanced by wacky illustrations. The perfect gift for stressed-out parents, too!

Previous books by the same author:

Kiss me or eat me



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How Mummy met Daddy



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Susa Hämmerle/Silvio Neuendorf:  
**Animal Stories about Fighting and Forgiving**



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**Silvio Neuendorf** has been a children's book illustrator 1995, especially for adventure and fantasy stories.

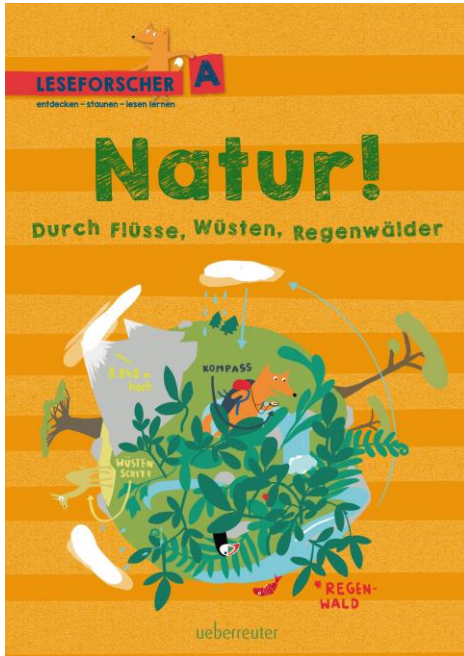
Even animals fight amongst themselves! The two squirrels, Max and Igor, scuffle over a nut; the three penguin youngsters fight over who their parents love the most; and the chameleon changes his color because he doesn't like himself!  
 What do you suppose is the problem with the pair of parrots?

Twelve original animals stories for which each ending is the same: No fighting is always nicer!

- Funny stories about fighting and forgiving again
- Perfect read-aloud
- Awesome foundation for discussions at home and at school, kindergarten and up!

Reading Discovery Series  
Kathrin Köller

**Nature!**  
Through Rivers, Deserts, Rainforests



6 years and up  
48 full colour pages  
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**What is a Stalagmite?**

Follow Discovery leader Filu Fox around the world: into the ocean, through deserts, summits, and into the rainforest.

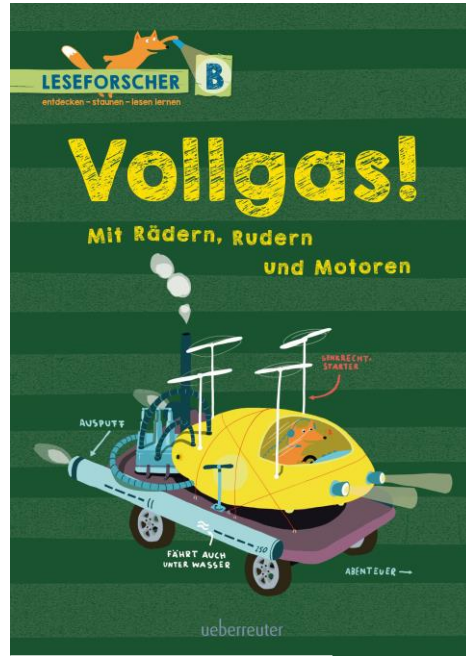
What makes the tides? Where is the highest mountain? Awesome pictures and brief paragraphs about spectacular nature themes and interesting weather facts combine learning with fun.

Previous books of the series:



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**Full Throttle!**  
With Wheels, Oars and Motors



7 years and up  
56 full colour pages  
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**What travels fastest?**

What hasn't mankind already discovered in order to travel faster and farther? This book explores everything from dugout canoes to cargo ships, from landing wheels to roller blades; and all crazy types of cars, trains and motors! Engaging, brief text and impressive pictures provide unique reading and learning enjoyment.

**Thomas Jeier/ Julia Dürr:**  
**Series: Bogey Secret Agent Pooch**  
**Arrest of the Wild Tiger (Vol. 3)**



Thomas Jeier lives near Munich and "on the road" in the USA. He has won several awards for his books and documentary films.

- Tiger on the loose! A new case for Bogey , the dog detective
- Funny characters and a tricky adventure
- With lots of clever illustrations by Julia Dürr

8 years and up  
 128 pages  
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**A Detective on Four Paws!**

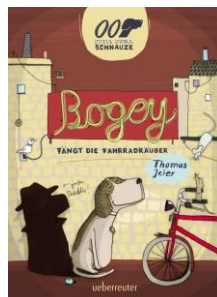
Bogey, the successful dog detective, visits the circus with his owners. He finds great excitement there! A camel, an elephant, a poodle and a wild tiger have escaped during the night! The remaining animals are very worried and turn to the Master Detective for help. Can Bogey track down the fugitives before something happens to them? Bogey takes on the challenge. It will be his trickiest case yet!

**Previous books of the series:**  
**Bogey Hunts the Cake Thief**



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**Bogey Hunts the Bicycle Thief**



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**Thomas Brezina:**  
**All My Monster Series Vol 5:**  
 Scaring The Big Sister



Thomas C. Brezina lives in Vienna and London. With more than 550 books so far he fascinates children around the globe. His motto is "Reading should be an adventure". In China he's called "master of adventures."

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- Newest monster fun from Thomas Brezina
- Bestselling author with over 65 million copies sold worldwide

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**Monstrous Revenge**

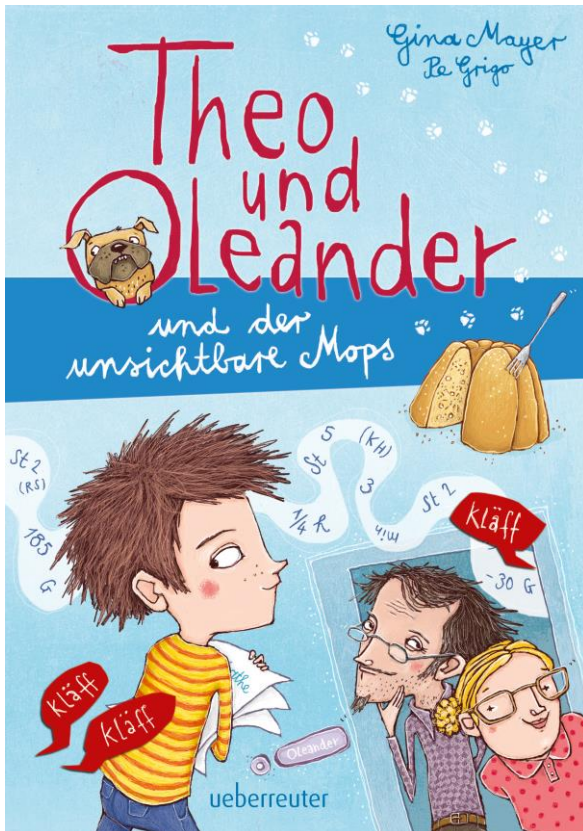
Max, who runs The Rent-A-Monster Agency, gets an awesome assignment. The richest kid in the world wants to scare his big sister and needs a monster to do it. So Max, especially annoyed by his own sister, Dodo, gets an idea which has terrifying results...

**Previous Books of the series (Vol. 1-4):**



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Gina Mayer/Pe Grigo  
 Theo und Oleander and the Invisible Pug



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**Gina Mayer** studied graphic design, worked as a copy editor and has published numerous historical novels for adults as well as children.

As usual, Theo struggles in Math. The 8-year-old gets extra help from Oleander, a retired Math teacher who settles the figures while Theo spends the time with Oleander's crazy sister, the young renter and their pug. After a while the sister turns out to be an ingenious inventor. But her secret recipe for an invisible paste creates a problem...one day she disappears without trace! Has she been kidnapped? Theo proves himself as detective, discovers the recipe for the invisible paste, becomes invisible together with the pug and convicts the Kidnapper.

Even with bad Math grades, Theo can be a hero!

**Judith Allert:**  
**Welcome to Wish Mountain**

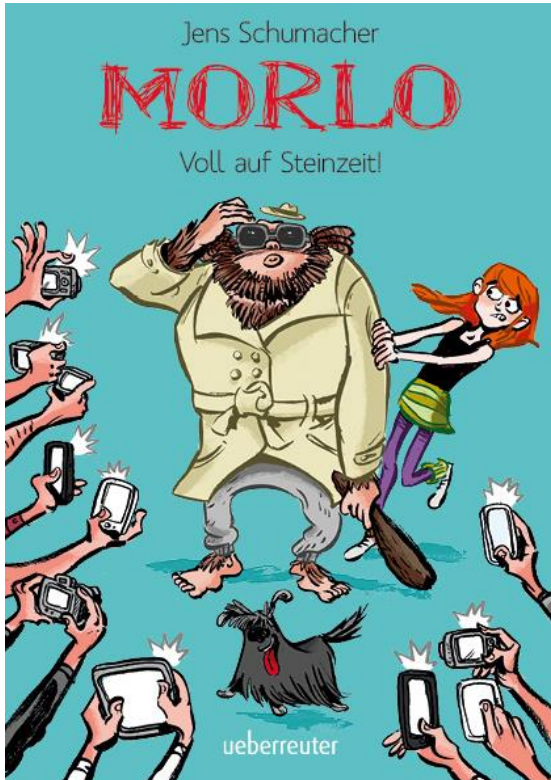


10 years and up  
 192 pages  
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**Judith Allert** has published numerous children's books with several publishers.

As their travels begin, Emma is just looking for a peaceful place to read. Mo is content as long as he has cell phone reception. Julie prefers a restless, vagabond life. None of this trio expects to find friends on Wish Mountain, but events turn out quite differently. The place has something magical about it. Festive shops, colorful caravans, and sweetness abound. Miss Erna awakens forgotten dreams in her "Circus of Wishes". The magician, Gustav, transforms stones into flying birds. But the grownups are also hiding something. Is it about the Fair or something more important about Julie's parents death? Can wishes truly become real here?

**Jens Schumacher:**  
**Morlo**  
**Hip, Hipper, Neanderstyle!**



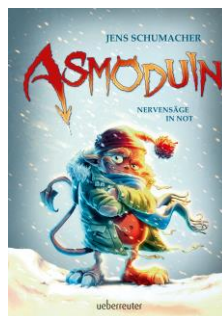
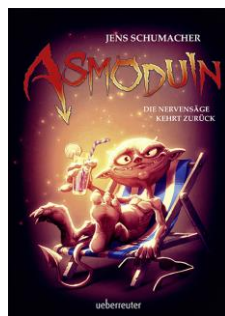
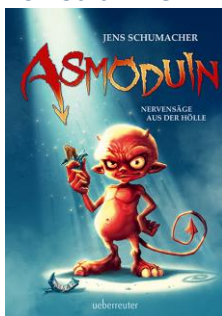
Jens Schumacher has created over 60 books in different genres including fantasy novels, crime novels, interactive play/fact books as well as youth series. His work is translated into more than 60 languages  
[www.jensschumacher.eu](http://www.jensschumacher.eu)

10 years and up  
 160 pages  
 Publication date: March 2016  
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Professor Tuffaeuser has the Discovery Bug! Jenny seizes the opportunity to visit her crazy, euphoric Uncle in his laboratory, where by accident she sets a Time Machine into action. First a dazzling light show appears...then a figure with a club wrapped in an animal skin .  
 A Neanderthal Man, called Morlo!  
 Jenny and Morlo flee to the Inner City together. Jenny finds him a trenchcoat, hat, and Paris-Hilton sunglasses to wear as a disguise. An exciting, chaotic tour of the city begins, almost ending in disaster. Shortly Morlo must return to his own time period, but still dressed in his new digs!

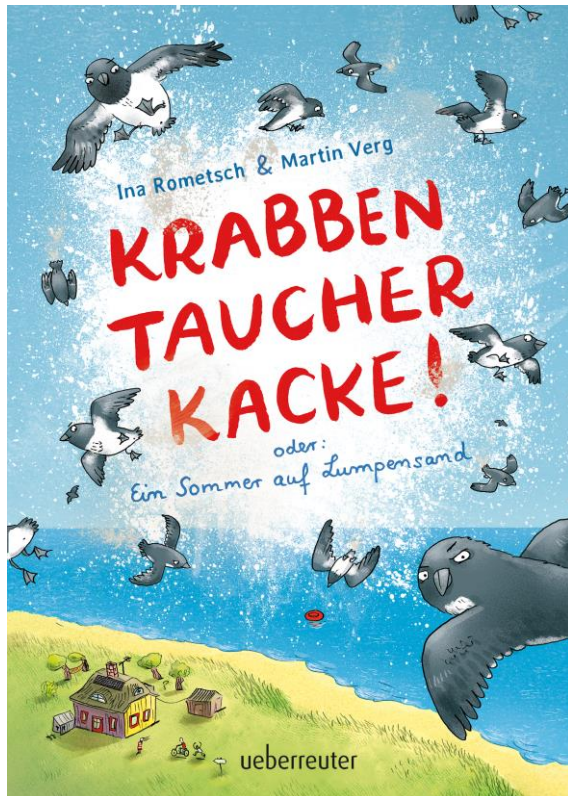
Only to appear on a new UTube video as....NEANDERSTYLE!

Previous Ueberreuter-books by Jens Schumacher:  
**Asmoduin 1-3**



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Ina Rometsch/Martin Verg:  
Summer on Lumpensand Island



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224 pages  
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Martin Verg, born in Hamburg, is Editor-in-Chief of GEOlino (a children's magazine), author, musician and the father of two daughters.

Ina Rometsch, a native of southern Germany, is a book author and copywriter for comics.

Together this author team has already created the criminal novel for kids, „Secret Labskaus“ published by Nilpferd in 2013.

On the North Sea Island of Lumpensand, there are no cars, too many tourists, and an extraordinary mysterious attraction: Poop Storms. For some unexplainable reason, a flock of seagulls tumbles down at regular intervals over the crowds who gather to watch the spectacle. Anyone who doesn't seek cover in time gets showered with seagull poop! Dark Dönnerschlach, the head of the Bird Sanctuary and his intern, Max, try to understand this phenomenon. Do the gulls know something they don't? Are they trying to get attention?

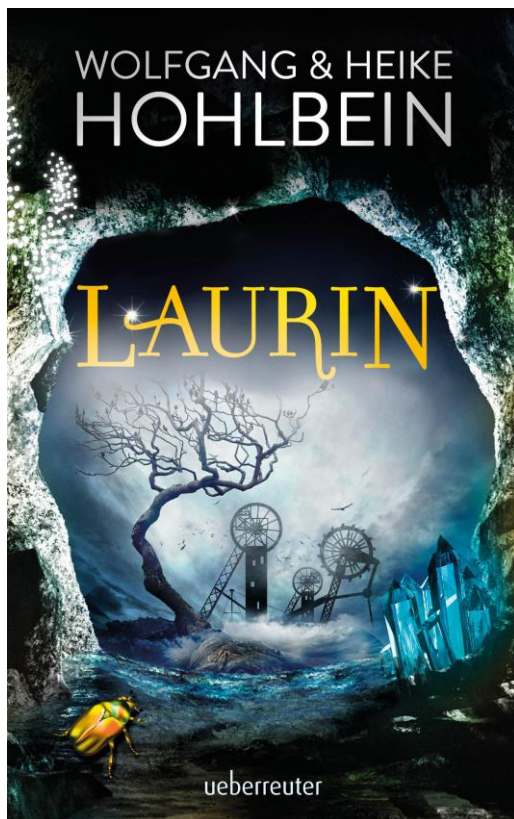
Dark and Max butt heads with a stranger who has arrived on the island with the sole purpose of thwarting their efforts to protect the birds.

Together with his best friend, Cola, and Dark's niece, Valentine, Max tries to figure out why anyone might try to jeopardize the fate of the Station and these strange gulls. Max suspects that outside investors might want to build a giant waterslide attraction in the Sanctuary's place, and destroy the gulls. They discover that the former Sanctuary owner left a will upon his death. Can he and Cola and Valentine find the will in time to save the Sanctuary? Tense, turbulent, engaging vacation tale

- Also unconventional, funny, lovable characters
- Loaded with witty word play and jokes
- Picturesque North Sea setting



**Heike & Wolfgang Hohlbein:**  
**Laurin**



12 years and up  
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During a strong earthquake in an old mine, Laurin and Dietrich are separated from the rest of their excursion group and trapped in a corridor. Rocks and debris make their return impossible. Searching for an exit leads them even deeper into the mountains. Miraculously they discover a luminous shining rock, an iridescent lake, and venturing even further, a city of Dwarves kept as slaves.

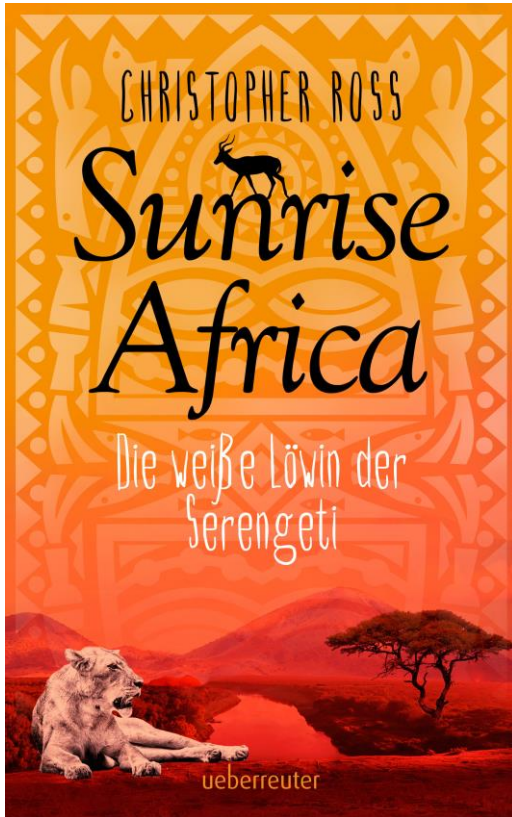
Their rescue is not in sight. But after having touched the shining rock, Laurin discovers new energy and resolve, awakening petrified plants with new color and life. An adventuresome journey through a magical and dangerous world revealing mysteries of their own origins.

The Master of Fantasy leads us into the World of Dwarves

Wolfgang Hohlbein coauthored the 1982 fantasy novel, »Märchenmond« with his wife, Heike. Initially this book sold over 4.5 copies worldwide and launched his career as the most successful German-speaking fantasy writer.

Currently, with over 44 million books sold worldwide, the Hohlbein`s books have been translated into 48 languages

**Christopher Ross:  
Sunrise Africa –  
The White Lion of Serengeti**



12 years and up  
224 pages  
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For 19-year-old Melissa, the adventure of her life begins with her practice at a lodge in Africa. The tame, young elephant in the nearby animal station and the beauty of the Serengeti both are spellbinding. Then she meets her contemporary, the young Massai Sonyanga, and her heart will never be the same. But disaster lurks. During a drive through the plain, they observe a white lion— for Massai that means an ambassador of evil!

And, in fact, everything begins to go wrong. On a three-day safari, their group is sabotaged, their SUV vehicle disabled by an unknown party, and they are stranded in the wilderness. Will it be possible to get help in time?

**Previous Books by Christopher Ross:  
Alaska-Wilderness-Series:**



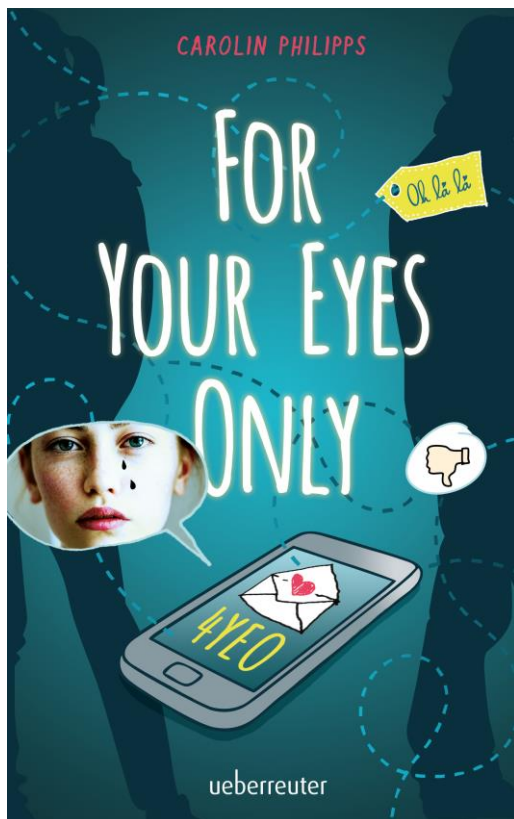
Christopher Ross (Pseudonym) writes romantic adventure with tension and emotion.

With bestsellers such as the „Alaska Wilderness“ series, he has become a well-known writer. He spent many weeks in Africa conducting research for his newest novel.

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- Adventure and romance under the African sun
- Powerful African mystique: a fascinating, vast and enigmatic animal kingdom
- From bestselling author, Christopher Ross

**Carolin Philipps:  
For Your Eyes Only**



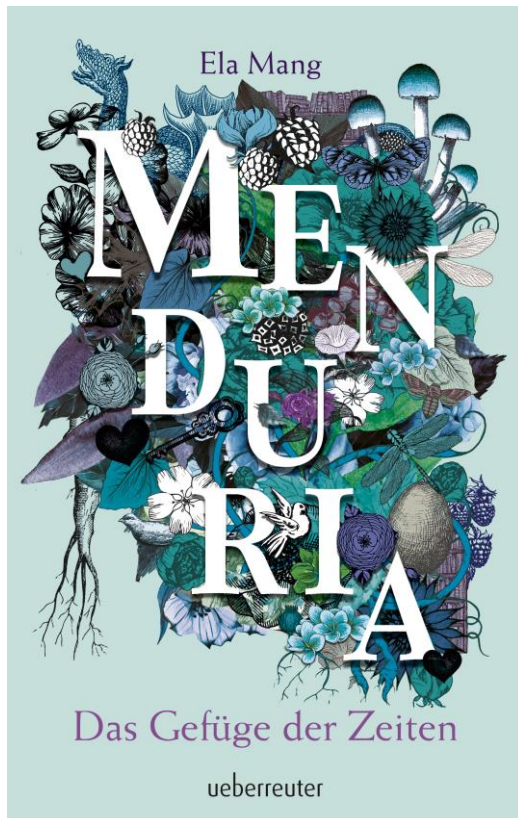
14 years and up  
144 pages  
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Carolin Philipps writes about important political themes and figures who vary distinctly from most. For her novel »Milchkaffee und Streuselkuchen« she was awarded the Honorable Mention UNESCO-Prize for Tolerance.

Lilly can't believe it. Finally she is together with Jannis. But soon she worries when Jannis leaves with his graduating class for Majorca. Along is Jannis's ex-friend, Jennifer, who is clear that she wants Jannis back at any price. So Lilly decides to send Jannis some sexy photos while he is on the trip. At first her plans seems to work, as Jannis sends her a longing message. The next day the same photos appear on Facebook with disastrous impact...Lilly is ridiculed by her entire school for posting the photos.

SEXTING and its impact on current social media.  
Encourages an awareness for sharing private data on Whats-App, Facebook, etc.

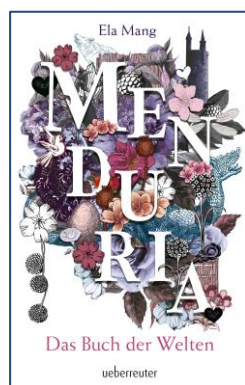
**Ela Mang:**  
**Menduria – Connecting Time (Vol. 2)**



14 years and up  
 448 pages  
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For almost two years, Lina has tried to find a way back to Menduria. Lina and her twin brother, Benjamin, are almost 18-years-old now and both have graduated from high school. When Benjamin goes to England for his internship and Lina's parents leave for a vacation, something happens that Lina would not have expected. A door to Menduria opens. The Andavyan Dragon comes to fetch her. But he takes Lina into the past... going back, Lina does not know Darian yet and must fight again for his love. Will she manage to win him again?

**First Volume:**



14 years and up  
 448 pages  
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Ela Mang was born in Vienna in 1971. During her childhood she was magically drawn to stories of adventure and fantasy. She began to write for her three children, and for more than ten years, she has been a successful author of children's and young adult books.

- The story of Lina and Darian and their fascinating love continues!
- Innovative blending of popular fantasy themes.

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