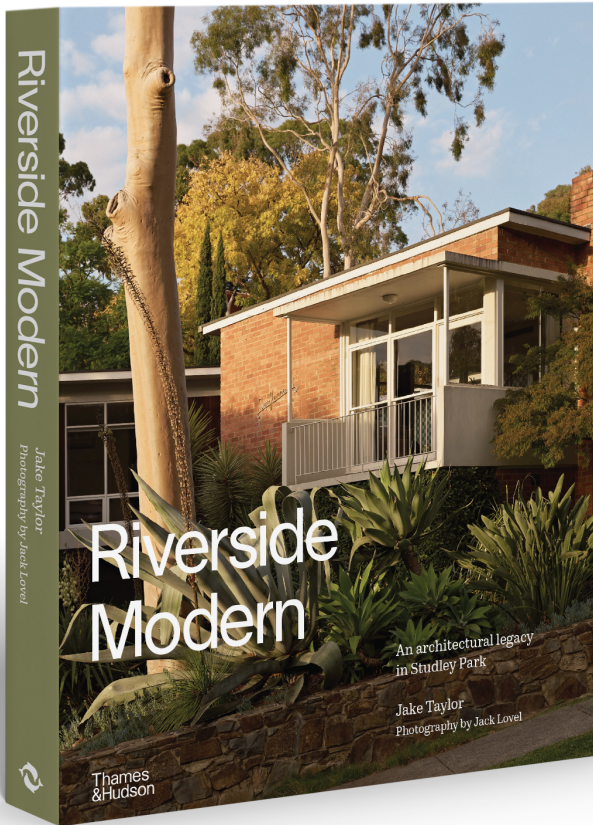




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## Riverside Modern

AN ARCHITECTURAL LEGACY IN  
STUDLEY PARK

**JAKE TAYLOR, PHOTOGRAPHS BY JACK LEVEL**

Framed on three sides by the winding Yarra River, the quiet streets of Studley Park in Kew contain Australia's finest concentration of modernist houses, a rare snapshot of mid-century Australian design.

Author Jake Taylor and photographer Jack Level explore key residential projects, revealing the creative energy behind this extraordinary pocket of design.

Showcases key works by leading figures who defined the direction of Australian architecture: Robin Boyd, Anatol Kagan, McGlashan Everist, and Peter and Dione McIntyre.

All images have been photographed especially for the book and previously unseen, captured by architectural photographer Jack Level in his signature clean, graphic style.

Features intimate texts from residents including Albert Mo, Rachel Hurst and John Wardle, offering a rare perspective on living in these iconic homes.

Includes archival photography in the introduction and a detailed map of the area.



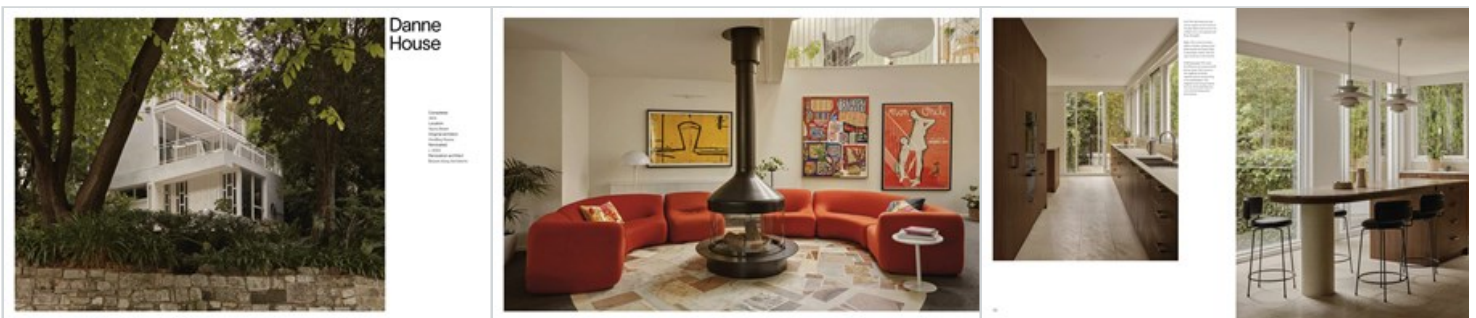
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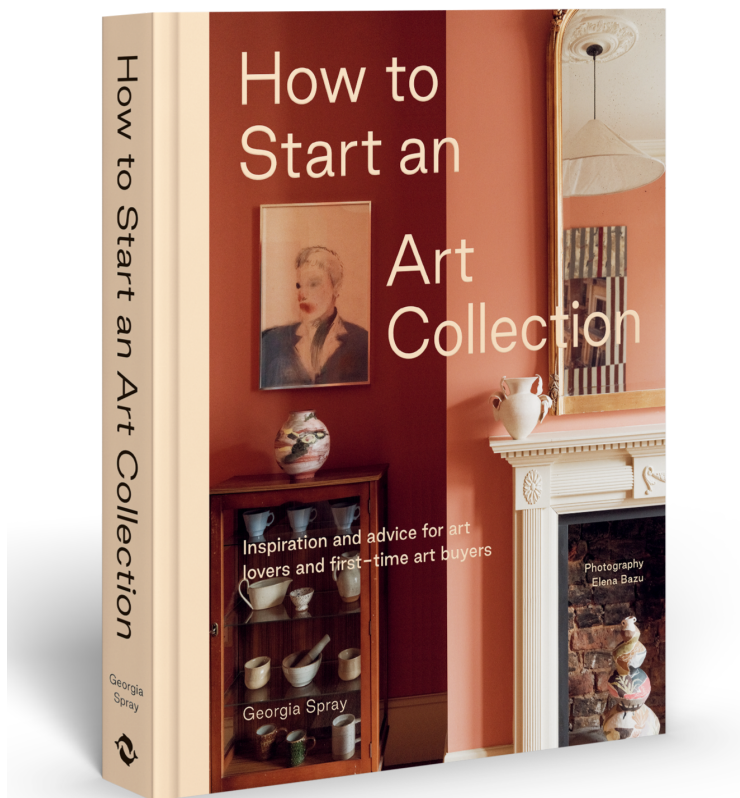
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**Mid-century magnetism in a unique pocket of Melbourne. *Riverside Modern* journeys into one of Melbourne's most remarkable architectural enclaves.**



**Jake Taylor** is a registered architect who practices across both Melbourne and San Francisco, with a keen focus on residential projects and a deep passion for mid-century architectural research. **Jack Level** is an architectural photographer based in Melbourne. Known for its clean graphic style and timeless quality his work sensitively captures the architect's intent, providing an honest and authentic representation of their vision.



# How to Start an Art Collection

INSPIRATION AND ADVICE FOR ART LOVERS AND FIRST-TIME ART BUYERS

**GEORGIA SPRAY,**  
PHOTOGRAPHS BY ELENA BAZU

Everyone can build an art collection - no matter the budget, space or starting point. This is a new kind of art book for a new generation of collectors.

From Partnership Editions founder Georgia Spray, this guide reframes art collecting as something open, personal and evolving. Answers the questions every new collector asks:

- How do I find my style?
- What should I spend?
- How do I know it's good value?
- How do I display it well?

Set against the backdrop of artists' studios and real homes, the book demystifies the art world and provides clear, practical guidance on discovering your taste, buying with confidence and living with art.

From navigating online platforms and galleries to framing, hanging and building a collection over time, this is a visual and accessible handbook for the contemporary collector.



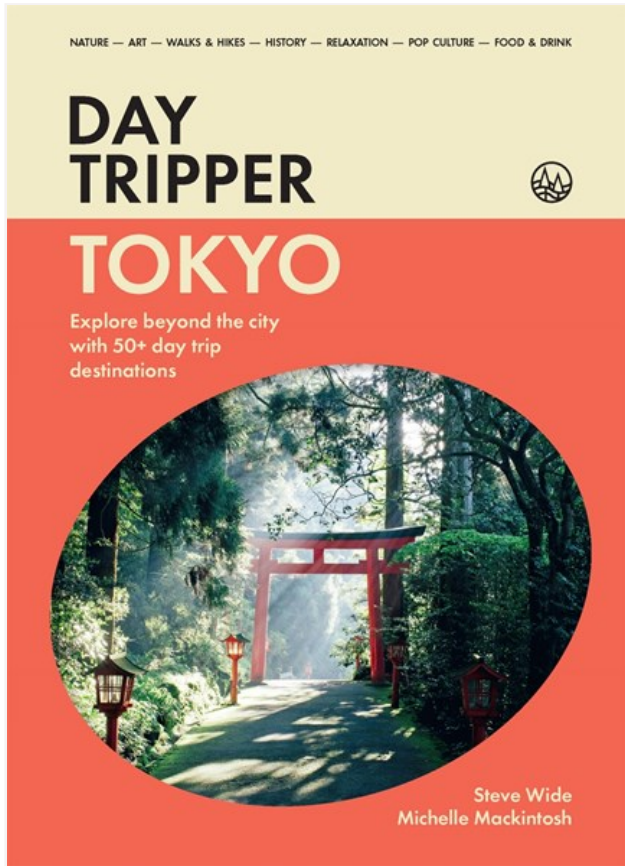
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**The ultimate beginner's guide to collecting art - where taste, not budget, is the starting point.**



**Georgia Spray** studied History of Art at Bristol University, going on to work at leading art institutions including White Cube Gallery, Christie's and the Auction Room, a digital auction house, and for the art dealer Ivor Braka. She founded **Partnership Editions** in 2017, a curated platform to connect would-be collectors with emerging artists. Georgia also works as a personal art advisor to some of the world-leading interior designers, helping them collect emerging art for their residential and commercial projects around the world.



# DayTripper: Toyko

EXPLORE BEYOND TOKYO WITH 50+ DAY TRIP DESTINATIONS

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Escape the city with more than 50 day trips from Tokyo, and discover Japan’s hidden treasures, including nature, history, food and drink, and more.

*DayTripper: Tokyo* is for anyone who wants to get off the beaten track and see more of what Japan has to offer. With over 50 day trips to explore, and a few overnight and weekend adventures thrown in, each trip is no more than a couple of hours from Tokyo by train. Explore hidden galleries and museums, visit shrines by bicycle or hike along some of the ancient trails that link these impressive monuments.

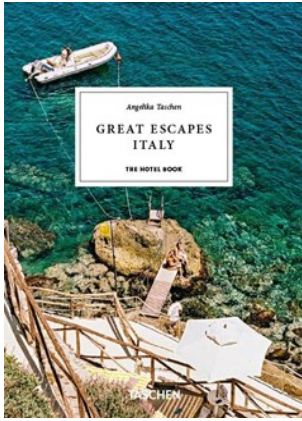
Slow down and experience an onsen surrounded by lush forests, or stop overnight at a local ryokan in a historic postal town. For food lovers, there are excursions to sample local delicacies only found in remote regions, and sake brewery tours that offer tastings of this unique beverage. If pop culture is more your thing, then take a trip to the Ghibli Museum, Moomin Valley Park, or Ome Retro 60’s Town. *DayTripper: Tokyo* will get you out of the city and experience the hidden gems that aren’t featured on the tourist brochures.



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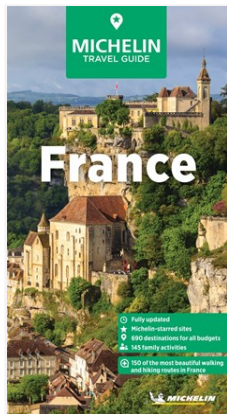
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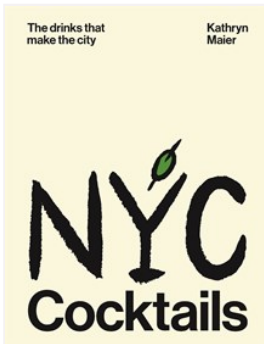


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### NYC Cocktails

THE DRINKS THAT MAKE NEW YORK CITY  
**KATHRYN MAIER, ILLUSTRATED BY SARAH CAMPBELL**

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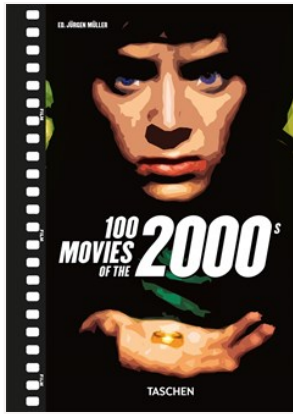
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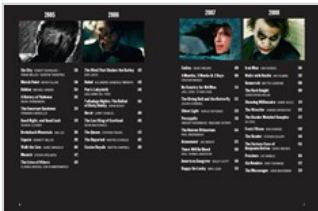
## 100 Movies of the 2000s

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Our Movies series enters the 21st century with this definitive lineup of the 100 most important films made during the 2000s, an age of evergreen franchises, historical epics, and comic-book superheroes, as well as fast-evolving CGI aesthetics, low-key global indies gaining unprecedented audiences, and hard-hitting documentaries (and mockumentaries) becoming mainstream feature hits.

Through the gripping stories, insightful dramas, and thrilling, mindless escapism 100 Movies of the 2000s gathers the best of the best around the globe, from the blockbuster Harry Potter and The Lord of the Rings installments to cult classics *Lost in Translation*, *Inglourious Basterds*, *No Country for Old Men*, *The Lives of Others*, and *And Your Mother Too*. Each movie masterpiece is profiled with stills and production photos, a synopsis, analysis, and movie-buff trivia, as well as cast, crew, and technical listings.

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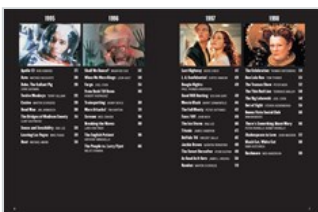
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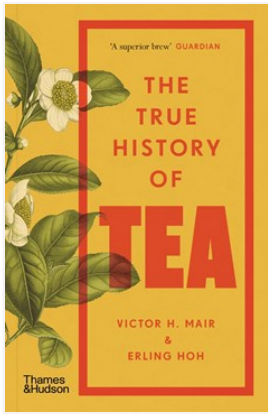
Mission accomplished: this collection presents the 100 most loved and successful films of the 1990s, complete with stills, synopses, analysis, and trivia. In the 90s, rising directors Steven Soderbergh and Quentin Tarantino introduced non-linear storytelling, CGI took shape, and James Cameron spent US\$ 200 million on a shipwreck.

The last decade of the 20th century consolidated once again the fascinating power of the silver screen, both by looking to the future and drawing on the past. It's no exaggeration to say that never before had there been a time when the cinema focused so ironically on its own vanity, and never had it been so intensely preoccupied with itself as a medium.

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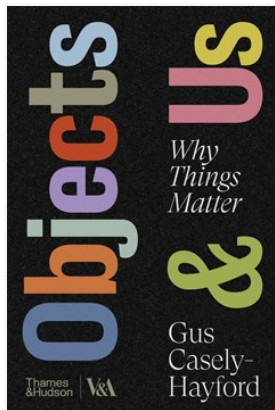
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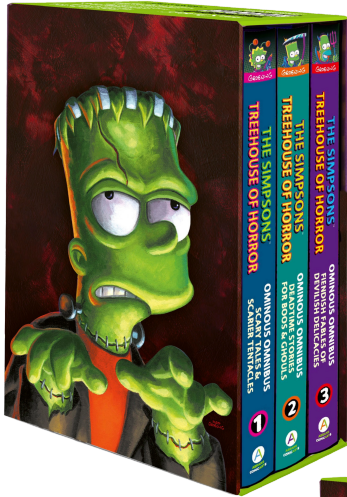
GUS CASELY-HAYFORD

A fresh, expansive, unflinching and informed exploration of objects and what they can tell us about human history.

Every culture in history has imbued certain objects with special value, constructing systems and narratives to support their appreciation. Even our pre-human ancestors left behind evidence of collecting. Objects, then, tell important stories - about humanity, creativity, what we need, and about who we really are or wish to be.

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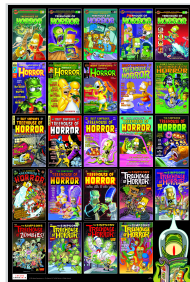
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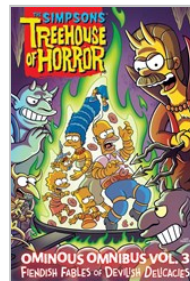
The *Treehouse of Horror* started as an annual Halloween tradition on *The Simpsons*, beginning during the second season in 1990. In 1995, the first of 23 comics were produced by Bongo, with all-new stories written and illustrated by some of the biggest names in comics. Now, collected for the first time in a deluxe hardcover slipcase with an all-new glow-in-the-dark cover, three prints, and a poster, these award-winning comics place the world's most beloved animated family in exciting horror, science-fiction, and supernatural settings, making this series the perfect gift for the Halloween season and *Simpsons* fans of all ages.



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**Matt Groening** is the creator and executive producer of the Emmy Award-winning series *The Simpsons*, as well as the creator of the animated television series *Futurama* and *Disenchantment*. In addition to supervising the ongoing production of these television series, Groening wrote and illustrated *Life in Hell*, a weekly syndicated comic strip from 1980 to 2012. He lives in Los Angeles.



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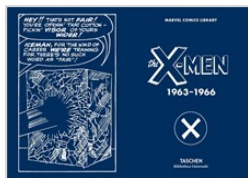
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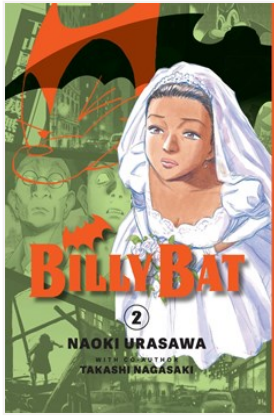
The latest book in the critically acclaimed, award-winning Marvel Arts line of stand-alone graphic novels curated by Alex Ross, featuring Doctor Strange in a psychedelic trip to the Nightmare Realm, brought to life by the creative team behind the national bestselling graphic novel adaptations of *Dune*.

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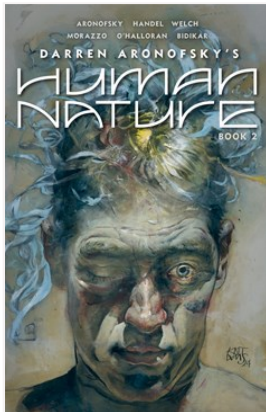
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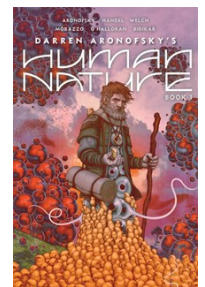
From the visionary minds behind *Black Swan* and *The Whale*, Darren Aronofsky and Ari Handel, along with writer Jeff Welch and acclaimed artist Martín Morazzo (*Superman: The Kryptonite Spectrum*) comes *Human Nature Book 2*, the penultimate chapter in this razor-sharp social satire about ambition, power, and humanity's desperate quest for immortality.

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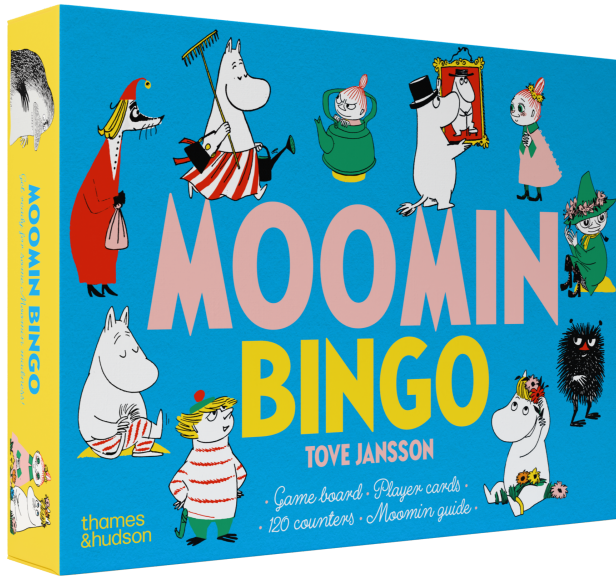
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Gather the Moomin lovers in your life together to play this classic game!

Escape to Moominvalley and race to be the first to spot the Moomins and their friends. Don't forget to shout 'Bingo!' Moomin Bingo features 48 of Tove Jansson's lovable and whimsical characters, their home and details from their adventures in the books. This bingo is a real treat for any Moomin fan, and as Moominmamma says, 'All nice things are good for you'.

Moomin Bingo provides fun for fans of all ages and from two to six people. It features Tove Jansson's best-loved characters, from the core Moomin family members to their friends, like Little My, Toffle, Stinky and the Hattifatteners. Open the booklet to read about each curious character.

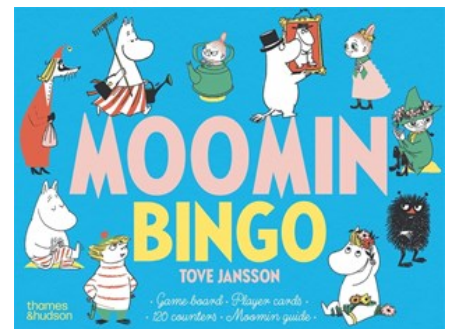
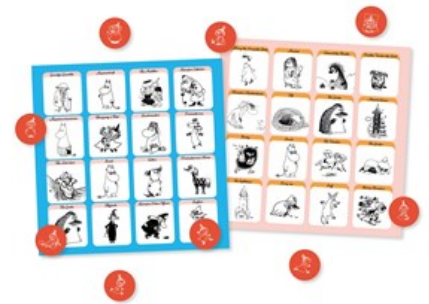
The first Moomin bingo on the market. The beautiful design, illustrations and high-quality production values makes this a gorgeous gift for any Moomin fan.



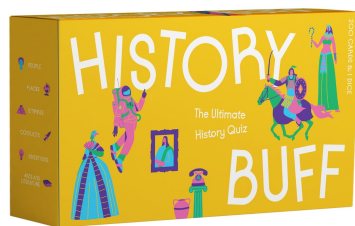
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The Moomins are the central characters in a series of books and comic strips by Swedish-speaking Finn Tove Jansson (1914-2001), a painter, illustrator and writer. After the first Moomin story published in 1945, Tove Jansson went on to write another eight chapter books, three picture books and many comic strip stories.



## History Buff

THE ULTIMATE HISTORY QUIZ

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You might know who painted the Mona Lisa, but do you know the name of the noblewoman it depicts? In what year did the Berlin Wall fall? What event shock the world on November 22, 1963? Which Roman general crossed the Rubicon River, sparking a civil war?

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A PUSH YOUR LUCK GAME

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An addictive and fun new game from the creator of *Contrarium*.

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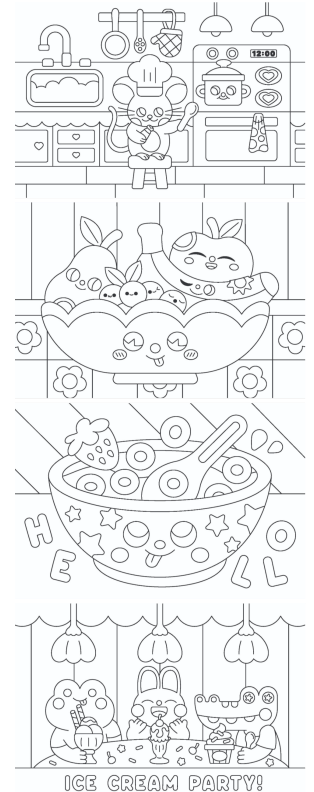
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From artist and designer kidnichols, *Kitchen Kawaii Colouring Postcard Book* features super cute kawaii postcards for you to colour in and send.

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Whether you're sending a note to a friend or working up a mini-masterpiece to stick to your wall, get ready to meet a host of super sweet characters that will bring joy and relaxation to your day.

Kidnichols, or Kelly Nichols, is a Senior Graphic Designer and Illustrator in Philadelphia who specializes in telling engaging stories through graphic design, illustration, ideation, brand development, & creative direction.



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Inside, you'll find more than 100 temporary tattoos that are as sweet as they are spooky – think bats, ghosts, vampires and pumpkins galore, all with a fun kawaii twist.

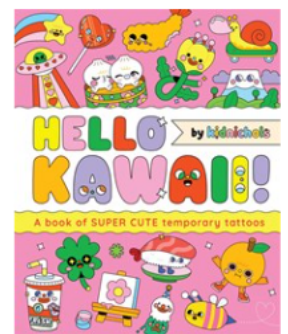
These tattoos are perfect for adding a touch of whimsy to your Halloween party, trick-or-treating costume or just to get you in the spirit for the season.

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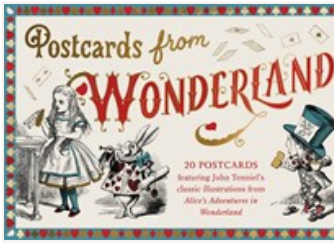


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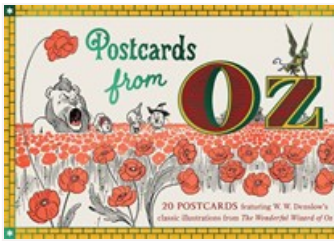
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Step into the whimsical world of *Alice's Adventures in Wonderland* through the eyes of Sir John Tenniel, the artist whose iconic illustrations have defined Lewis Carroll's timeless tale for generations.

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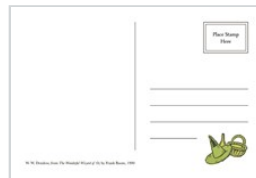
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Follow the yellow brick road into the magical world of *The Wonderful Wizard of Oz* through the vibrant imagination of W. W. Denslow, the artist whose bold illustrations helped define L. Frank Baum's beloved tale.

This collection of 20 postcards celebrates Denslow's enduring artistry, packaged together in an easy-to-pull out format, ready to be signed and sent.

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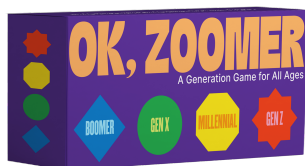
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Loud, colourful and creative - this book of funky hand lettering will transform your scrapbooks and journals. With peace, love and rainbows galore, the retro styles and vibes of the 1960s and 1970s so popular with Instagrammers and TikTokers are packed into this energetic book. Full of nostalgic examples and exercises, you can complete and practise them directly on the pages. Linda Scott demonstrates four basic lettering styles: block, 3D, bubble and freestyle, and then takes them to the next level. Exploring endless variations and ideas in her unique style, she creates slogans, posters, motifs for clothing and badges, and much more.

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*OK, ZOOMER* is a competitive card game that pits players from different generations against each other. Answer questions about your own generation to win a point, take a risk and venture outside your generation, or choose a Random card to leave it up to chance. With a mix of trivia, interactive challenges, and laughter, it's the perfect game for family gatherings, parties, or game nights! Great for families, with Boomer, Gen X, Millennial, and Gen Z specific questions and topics.

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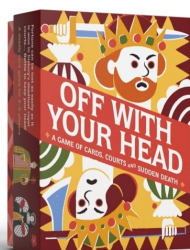


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A MEMORY GAME  
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Featuring 30 iconic objects and their groundbreaking designers across 60 beautifully illustrated cards, it's your job to match the object with its creator. With charming illustrations, and featuring mid-century modern design classics such as the Eames Chair, Isamu Noguchi's Akari 1A table lamp through to more modern icons such as the Planet Lava Lamp and the iPod, this deck makes for a great gift for any design enthusiast or anyone looking for a fun and engaging game to play with friends and family.

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### Off With Your Head!

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A card game that takes place within the tumultuous world of history's royal courts, where fortune can be lost as quickly as it is won. In this 2-5 player game, you are a powerful noble, defending your royals and trying to behead those of your opponents. Choose your royal family: the Tudors, Louis XVI and Marie Antoinette's, the Borgias, Ferdinand II of Aragon's, or the Habsburgs.

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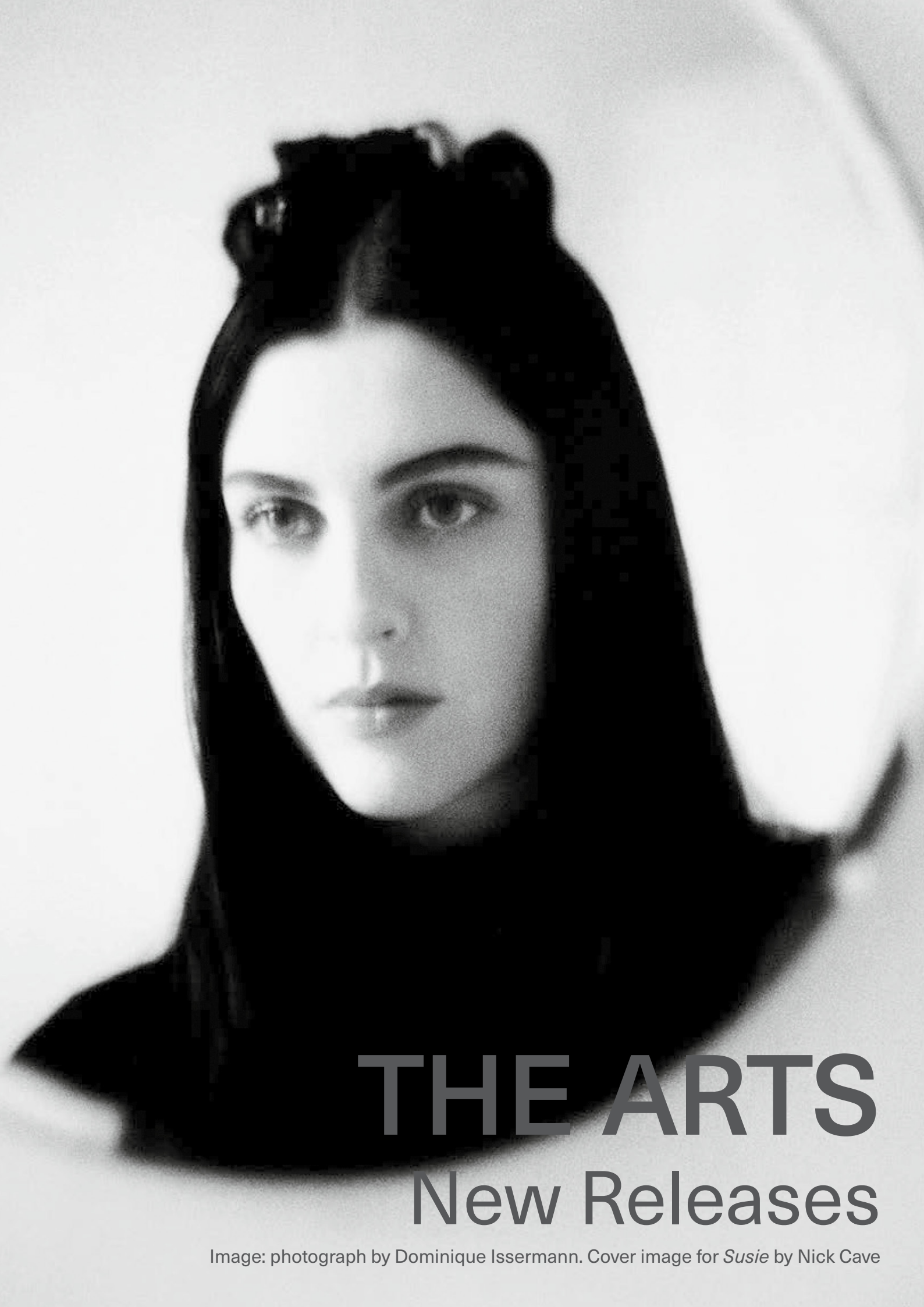
### Art Deco Playing Cards

EDITED BY SMITH STREET BOOKS  
 Step back in time to the Jazz Age and take a seat at Jay Gatsby's card table.

*Art Deco Playing Cards* celebrates the fashions and designs of this era, with two decks of 54 cards featuring beautiful fashion illustrations by George Barbier, one of the most lauded illustrators of the 20th century. Set in a gold-trimmed gift box with pull-out drawer and individual boxes for each set of cards, *Art Deco Playing Cards* will be your new go-to card decks for games nights and party nights.

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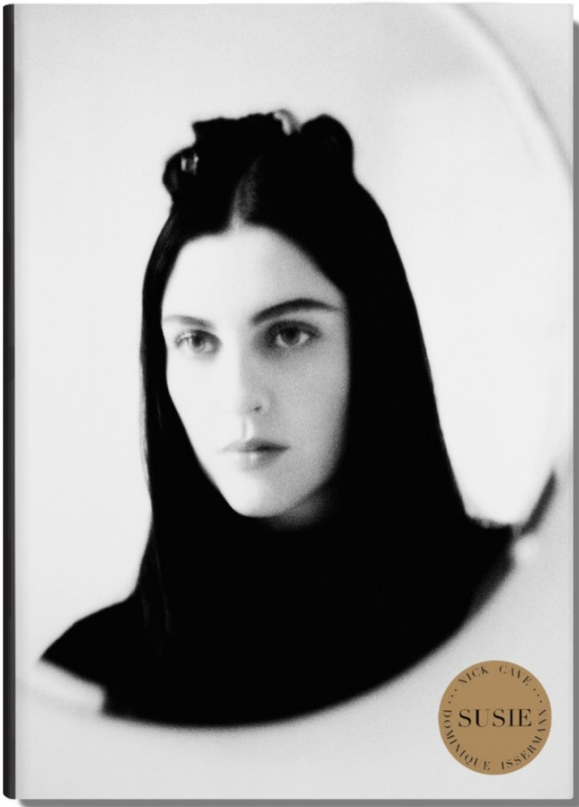
# THE ARTS

## New Releases

Image: photograph by Dominique Issermann. Cover image for *Susie* by Nick Cave

# Susie

**NICK CAVE, PHOTOGRAPHS BY DOMINIQUE ISSERMANN**



An exquisite visual and lyrical portrait of Susie Cave that unites the creative talents of four icons - celebrated writer and musician Nick Cave, renowned photographer Dominique Issermann, superstar designer Irma Boom and Susie Cave herself.

Nick Cave's profound devotion to his wife Susie is present in the images he has crafted through words and lyrics since they met in 1997. Their longstanding friend, photographer Dominique Issermann, has spent years with Susie attempting the same elusive task on camera. The result is a mirror held up to an ethereal presence, whose form beguiles and evades the lens: there are many characters within, many Susies to record, beginning in the early days of Nick and Susie falling in love.

- Susie Cave (b. 1966) is a British fashion designer, entrepreneur, and former model. She was a cofounder of The Vampire's Wife, the iconic fashion brand that closed in May 2024.

- Susie and Nick Cave are an iconic power couple in popular culture and music, well recognised and loved by fans all over the world. Susie has 200k followers on her Instagram, Nick has 818k followers on Instagram.

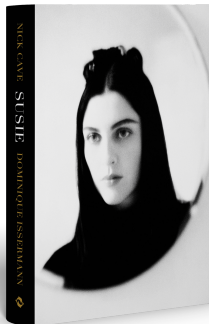


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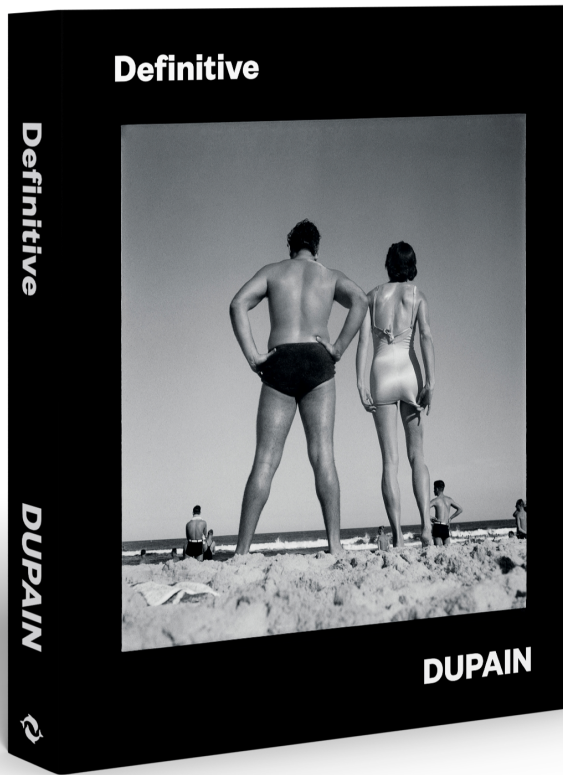
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66 illustrations

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**Nick Cave** is an award-winning Australian musician, writer and actor. **Dominique Issermann** is a celebrated French photographer who has shot campaigns for Christian Dior, La Perla, Tiffany, Chanel and many others.



# Definitive Dupain

AVRYL WHITNALL, LIBRARY COUNCIL OF NEW SOUTH WALES

A landmark monograph on one of Australia's most influential photographers, *Definitive Dupain* brings together iconic and previously unseen works from the extraordinary archive of Max Dupain.

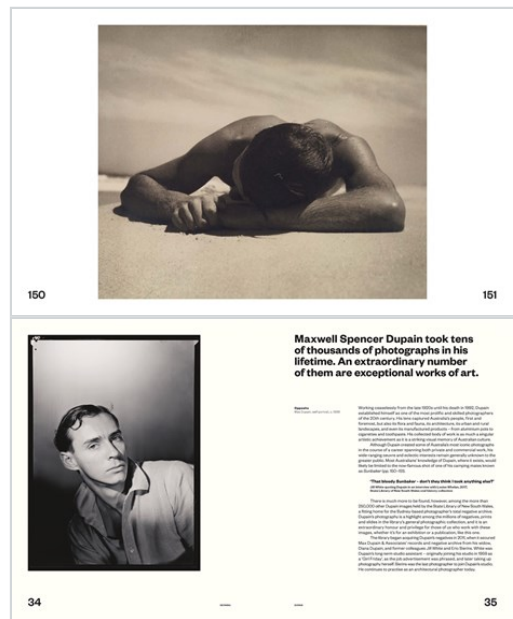
Drawing on more than 250,000 negatives held at the State Library of New South Wales, this book presents around 150 photographs spanning Dupain's career from the 1920s to the 1990s. It includes his most celebrated images such as *Sunbaker* (1937-38), a defining vision of Australian identity, alongside studio work, architectural studies, commercial commissions and intimate personal photographs.

Includes authoritative critical essays by Avryl Whitnall, Helen Ennis and Trent Parke. Published to align with a landmark *Definitive Dupain* exhibition at the State Library of New South Wales. Features *Sunbaker* - one of the most recognisable photographs in Australian history - alongside other seminal works that shaped the identity of the nation.



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**Avryl Whitnall** is Senior Creative Producer at the State Library of New South Wales and curator of the exhibition *Definitive Dupain*, working closely with Dupain's former colleagues, Eric Sierins, director of Max Dupain and Associates, and Jill White, custodian of the Max Dupain Exhibition Negative Archive.



# Margaret Preston

NATIONAL GALLERY OF VICTORIA, EDITED BY BECKETT ROZENTALS AND MICHAEL GENTLE

As one of the most influential Australian artists of the early twentieth century, Margaret Preston transformed the visual language of the nation through a practice that was both technically innovative and visually unforgettable.

Her still lifes, particularly her iconic depictions of Australian native flowers, are extraordinary for their bold compositions and sophisticated use of colour. Banksias, waratahs and gum blossoms become powerful design elements in her hands: rhythmic, graphic and unmistakably modern.

This landmark publication brings together key works and new scholarship in an in-depth survey of Preston's career. It sheds new light on her artistic networks, her complex relationship with First Nations visual culture, and her enduring influence on Australian art and design.

With contributions from leading writers and curators, including Jennifer Higgie, Geoffrey Batchen and Lisa Slade, this book reveals an artist of remarkable vision: one who reimagined the world around her through a distinctly Australian lens, and whose work continues to shape how we see beauty, colour and culture today.



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**A definitive new survey of Margaret Preston, celebrating her luminous, vivid still lifes, masterful use of colour and her enduring influence on Australian art and design.**



**Beckett Rozentals** is Senior Curator of Australian Art at the National Gallery of Victoria. Rozentals completed her Master of Art Curatorship at the University of Melbourne in 2009 and commenced working at the NGV the same year. **Michael Gentle** is a former Curator of First Nations and Australian Art at the National Gallery of Victoria. He is a Noongar man with Ancestral connections to Minang Country and English convicts.



## Full Spectrum

INTERIORS & PORTRAITS

DOUGLAS FRIEDMAN, FOREWORD BY MARTHA STEWART

A sumptuous and colorful photographic journey through the multihued imagination of Douglas Friedman, presenting a kaleidoscope of fashion, interiors, and celebrity portraits

As wide-ranging as Douglas Friedman's photographic subjects are-interiors, fashion, and portraits-what unites them is his infallible eye. His images are exquisitely composed, tactile, full of dynamism, beautifully lit, infused with humor, and drenched in color. To showcase all these qualities for maximum impact, *Full Spectrum* is organized prismatically, from chrome yellow to charcoal black. The effect is kaleidoscopic, verging on hallucinogenic, and represents the Full Spectrum of his inimitable work. Martha Stewart has contributed the foreword to this photographic tour de force.

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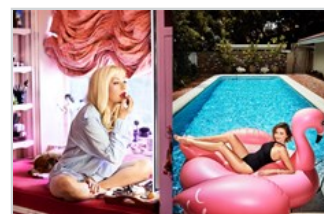
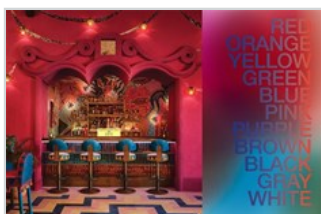
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Welcome to Rajasthan, India's colorful "Land of Kings," and explore why travelers and design lovers remain bewitched by its unique landscapes, princely palaces, and sublime decorative traditions. Photographer Guido Taroni captures the region's extraordinary range of visual wonders, from carved temples and lakeside palaces to desert forts and richly embroidered textiles, delicate stonework, and opulent, colorful décor, all enriched by layers of history, mysticism, and myth.

Discover the region's artisanship, which weaves the unique threads of striking beauty, deep spirituality, reverence for nature, and ancient wisdom into material objects, from palaces and jewels to textiles and tassels. Highlighting Rajasthan's most unforgettable architecture, interiors, textiles, and art while illuminating the rich history and artistic traditions of the region, *Rajasthan Style* opens the door to an enchanted realm of inspiration and wonder.

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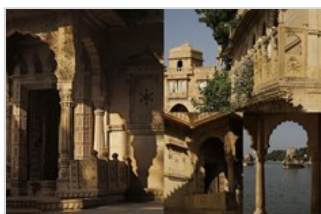
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## Soviet Scientific Institutes

ERIC LUSITO, EDITED BY DAMON MURRAY AND STEPHEN SORRELL

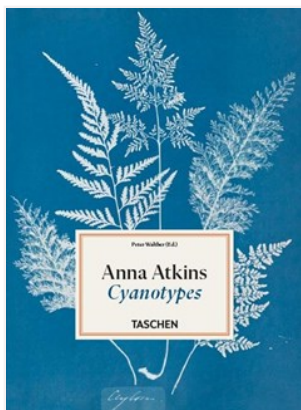
These photographs of once top-secret institutes reveal both fantastical and futuristic technology, alongside crumbling and decrepit facilities, forming a unique document of the condition and situation of scientific research in the post-Soviet landscape.

In *Soviet Scientific Institutes* photographer Eric Lusito takes us on a journey through time, space and science. Gigantic control panels, monumental telescopes, inexplicable machinery - the facilities he documents might be found in comic book and graphic novel fantasies or the science fiction of Jules Verne and H.G. Wells. But why were these institutes built and what purposes do they serve today?

Lusito gained unique access to sites across former republics and satellites of the USSR - from a cosmic ray research centre in the remote Armenian mountains, to one of the world's largest radars located in Ukraine, which locals believed to be a climate-altering weapon.

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## Anna Atkins

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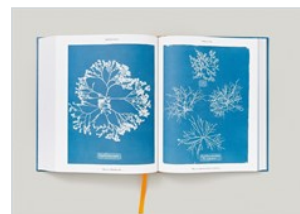
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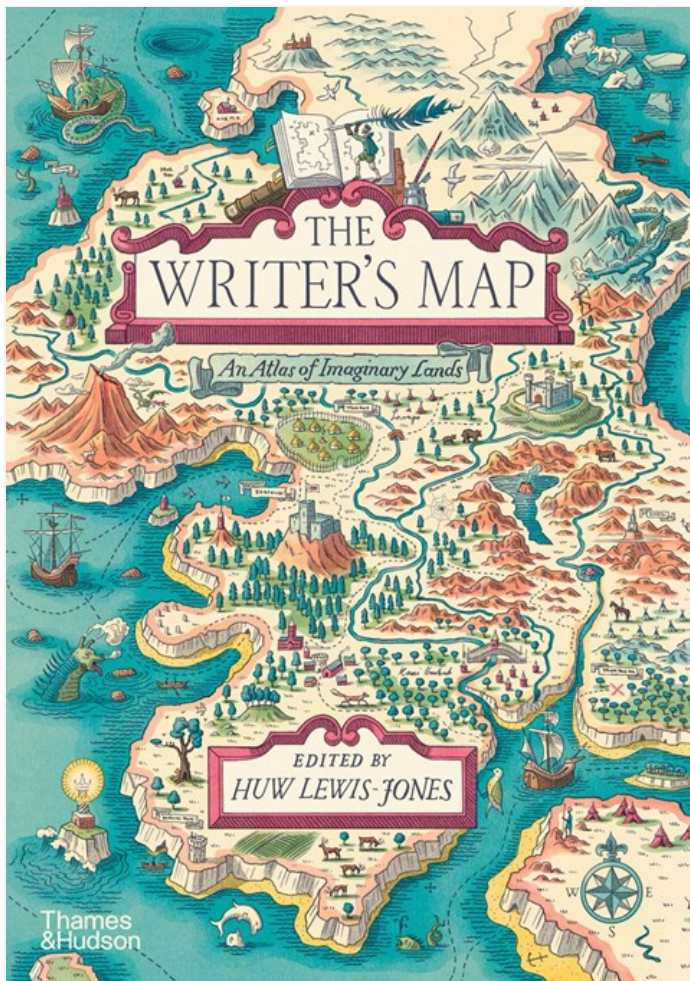
At the dawn of the Victorian era in her open-air laboratory in Halstead, Kent, Anna Atkins embarked on a radical experiment to document botanical species using a completely new artistic medium. The inimitable cyanotype photograms of algae and ferns she created were made into the first books to feature photographic images. Striking yet ethereal, these albums are a perfect synthesis of art and science.

Although the cyanotype technique was discovered by her friend John Herschel, Atkins was the first to realize both its practical purpose for her own interests in botany and taxonomy, and its intriguing artistic potential.

This edition, drawing extensively from the copies of the New York Public Library and J. Paul Getty Museum, has carefully compiled cyanotypes from several sources to reprint Atkins' seminal works. Almost 400 cyanotype impressions are accompanied by a series of introductory essays from Peter Walther, placing Atkins' work in its scientific and art-historical contexts and paying rightful tribute to the groundbreaking contributions of a female pioneer.

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 Art | Hardcover  
 217 x 156 | 512 Pages  
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# The Writer's Map

AN ATLAS OF IMAGINARY LANDS  
 HUW LEWIS-JONES

A spellbinding compendium of writers' thoughts on the wild landscapes of their imagination, now in paperback.

Here a team of internationally acclaimed writers and illustrators share their personal insights, encompassing not only the maps that appear in their books, but also the maps that have inspired them and the sketches they create in writing.

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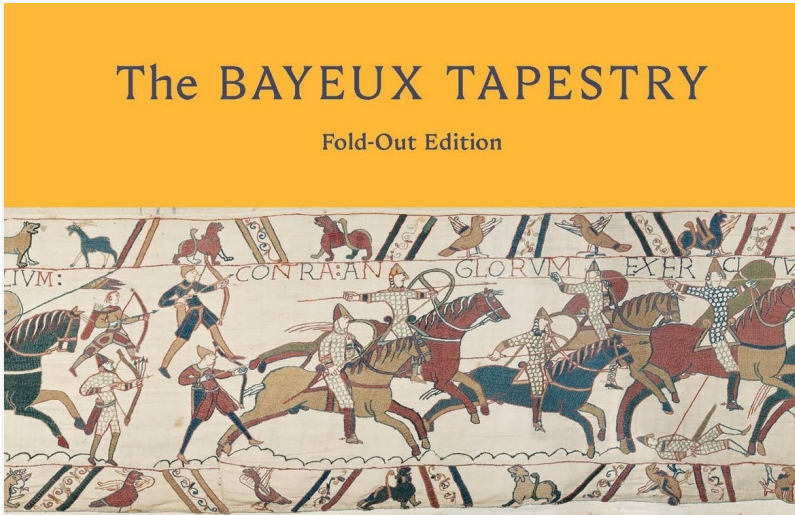
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**Dr Huw Lewis-Jones** is a historian of exploration with a PhD from the University of Cambridge. His books include *The Conquest of Everest* (winner of the History Award at the Banff Mountain Festival), *The Crossing of Antarctica* and *Across the Arctic Ocean*. He is the author, with Kari Herbert, of the bestseller *Explorers' Sketchbooks*.



# The Bayeux Tapestry

COLLECTOR'S EDITION

SUE BRUNNING, LLOYD DE BEER, MILLIE HORTON-INSCH, MICHAEL LEWIS AND NAOMI SPEAKMAN

An entertaining and accessible reproduction of the Bayeux Tapestry in its entirety - folding out to showcase the iconic medieval artwork from start to finish.

This beautiful new book, presented in a fun and engaging concertina format, features a full-colour fold-out reproduction of the Tapestry, showcasing the iconic medieval artwork from start to finish. Providing decades of fun and learning for all ages, this essential book includes all new, detailed photography of the Tapestry in a durable and contemporary package. Includes a transliteration and English translation of its Latin inscriptions.

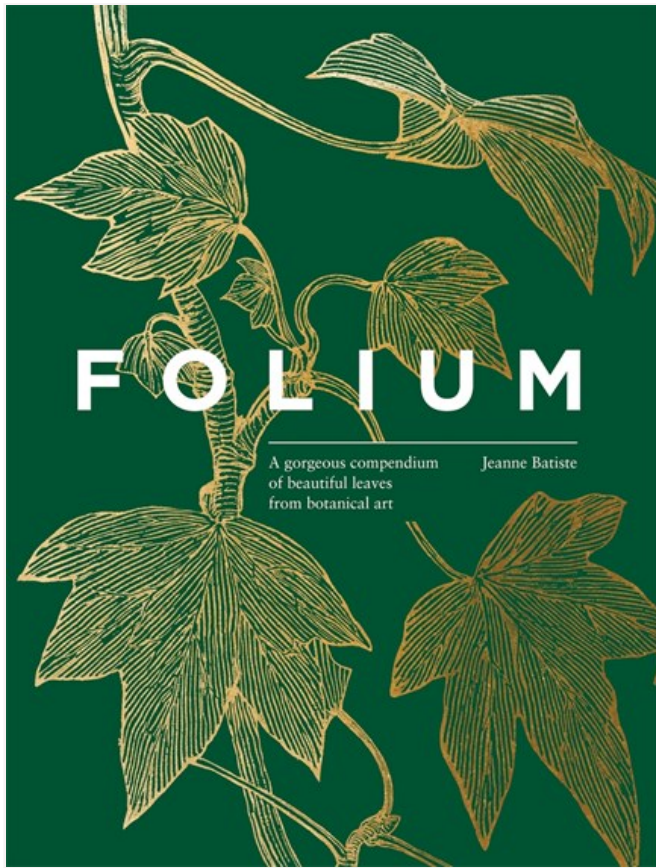
Accompanies the unprecedented exhibition at the British Museum in September 2026, the first time the Tapestry has been back to England in almost 1,000 years.



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**The Bayeux Tapestry** is a unique historical artwork almost 70 metres long, which tells the story of the events leading to the Norman Conquest of England in 1066 by William, Duke of Normandy. Its account of the eleventh century in England and France is like no other.



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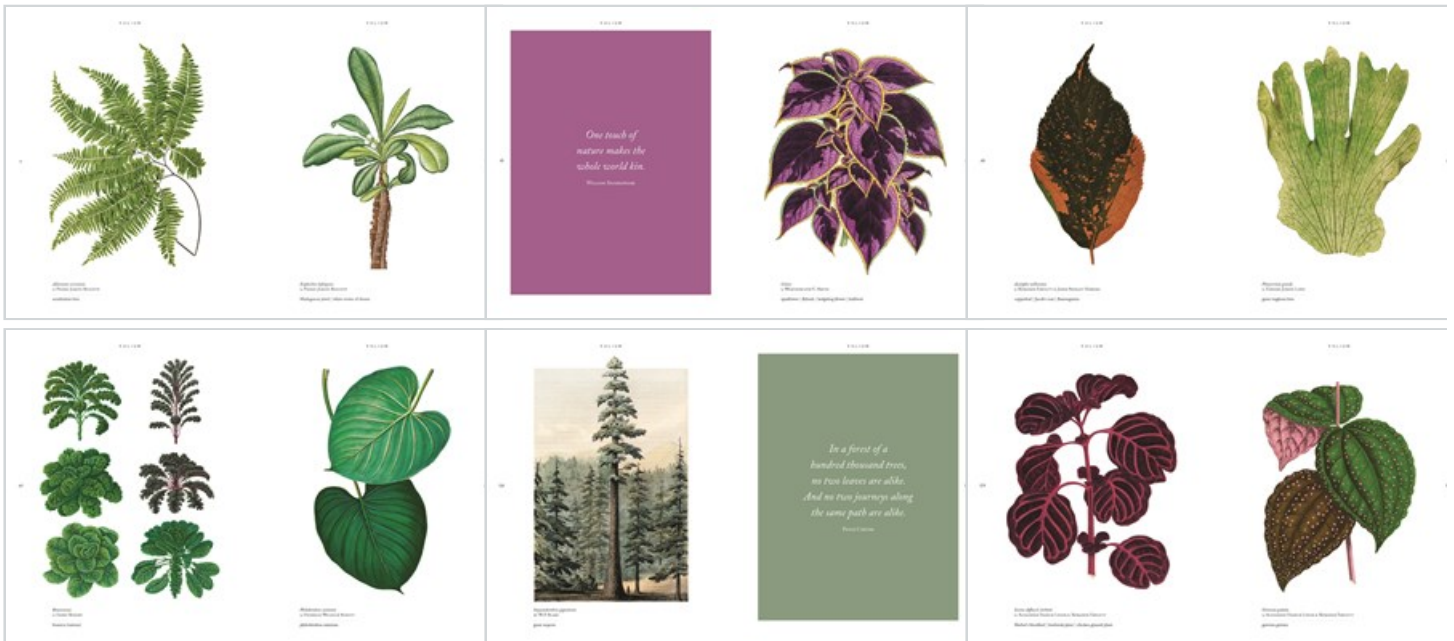
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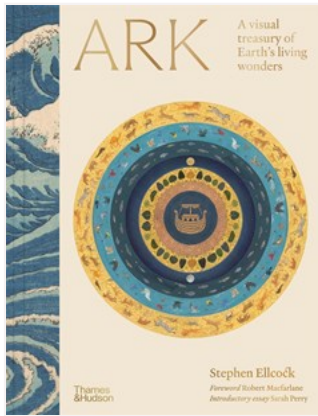
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**Jeanne Batiste** is a writer and plant obsessive who lives in London, near her favorite place in the entire world: Kew Gardens. She is the author of *Biblioflora* (9781923049543).



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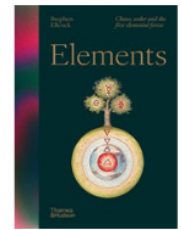
A VISUAL TREASURY OF EARTH'S LIVING WONDERS  
 STEPHEN ELLCOCK, ROBERT MACFARLANE, SARAH PERRY

Featuring more than 450 awe-inspiring images curated by Stephen Ellcock, *Ark* is a celebration of the living wonders of this planet.

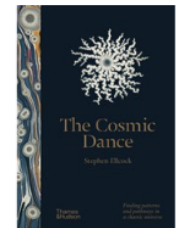
Stephen Ellcock presents his curation of amazing images, gathered from a broad range of cultures and eras, depicting living wonders from all five kingdoms of nature. This visual treasury also features essays exploring the intricate, life-sustaining relationships that populate nature's elemental realms of earth, water and air, and captions revealing the unique qualities of the creatures shown and highlighting those at risk of extinction. *Ark* is a celebration of the myriad lifeforms inhabiting our planet and a powerful environmental call to arms.

Includes foreword by Robert Macfarlane and introduction by Sarah Perry,

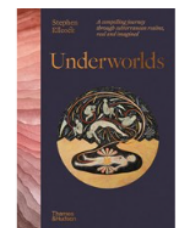
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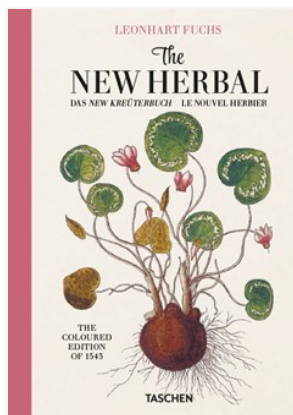
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## Leonhart Fuchs

THE NEW HERBAL  
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Leonhart Fuchs (1501-1566) was a founding father of modern botany, honored to this day in the vivid flower, and corresponding colour, Fuchsia. In 1543, Fuchs combined his masterful botanical knowledge with groundbreaking medical research in his *New Herbal*, a catalog of some 500 types of plants and their healing properties.

While a dependable scientific reference, *The New Herbal* won fame above all with the detail and quality of its illustrations. Alongside essays describing the plants' features, origins, and medicinal powers, Fuchs presented each plant with meticulous woodcut illustrations, refining the ability for swift species identification and setting new standards for accuracy and quality in botanical publications.

This edition is based on Fuchs's personal, hand-colored copy, which has miraculously survived four-and-a-half centuries in pristine condition. Fascinating for historians of medicine and art, gardeners, and anyone interested in herbal medicine, the volume features over 500 splendid illustrations, and an essay exploring the history of healing herbs.





## Home, Improved

TRANSFORM YOUR ROOMS WITH EASY DIY

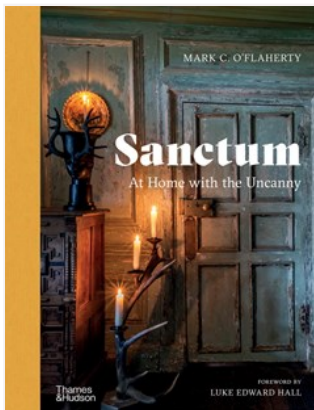
FARIHA NASIR

Fariha Nasir, designer and creator of the Instagram sensation @pennies\_for\_a\_fortune, helps you transform your everyday home into a cozy, beautifully decorated retreat with her easy renovation ideas and DIY room makeovers for every budget.

*Home, Improved* takes readers through the process of easy home improvement and teaches DIY novices how to choose materials and successfully create simple accessory, furnishing, and room makeovers. Her story is compelling: She arrived in the U.S. as a young immigrant with nothing more than a suitcase full of clothes and a handful of art supplies, but she was determined to add a decorative spark to the drab rental apartment she shared with her new husband.

Fast-forward six years, one home, two children, and one TV show later, and Nasir has become a design influencer bravely leading her fans through projects they never thought they could accomplish—to create the homes they had always dreamed of.

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## Sanctum

AT HOME WITH THE UNCANNY

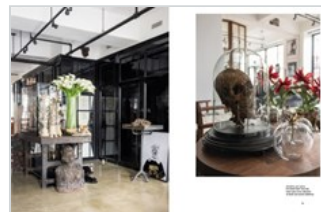
MARK C. O'FLAHERTY, FOREWORD BY LUKE EDWARD HALL

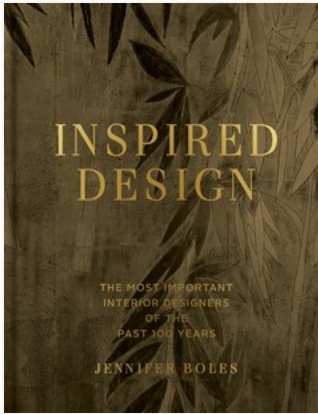
Interior design survey from fashion photographer, journalist and interiors enthusiast Mark C. O'Flaherty exploring atmospheric interiors with a sense of the gothic and uncanny.

*Sanctum* presents interiors that appear to predate their current inhabitant - and will live on after they are gone. It is a book about homes that contain intriguing textures and a past life, transformed and reinterpreted by the people who live with them now. A key literary reference for the project is *In Praise of Shadows*, the Junichiro Tanizaki book referenced repeatedly by designers and architects, which asserts that true beauty comes from flaws and ageing.

Featuring the homes of the likes of Agnès B, Simon Costin, Philip Lim and Pol Theis, these are spaces that tap into our fascination with the dilapidated grandeur of urban exploration, the bohemian sensibilities of eccentric collectors and our curiosity for all things gothic and esoteric.

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A comprehensive, revised survey of the past century's most influential interior designers, offering essential profiles, visual highlights, and design lessons drawn from the field's most notable practitioners.

"An exhaustive survey of every major decorator of the past century and an essential for every aficionado's library." — Veranda.

Unlike most decorating books that focus on one designer, one period, or one trend, this highly acclaimed volume, now expanded and updated, provides the big picture: ALL the names everybody must know from the entire 100-year history of interior design. Each designer is profiled and illustrated with three to four photographs of their best work.

Expanded content: adds ten leading designers, including David Netto, Roman & Williams, Martyn Lawrence Bullard, Isabel López-Quesada, Tino Zervudachi, and Vincent Van Duysen.

Previous 2018 edition: HB, 9780865653566



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## Tropical Living

DREAM HOUSES AT EXOTIC PLACES

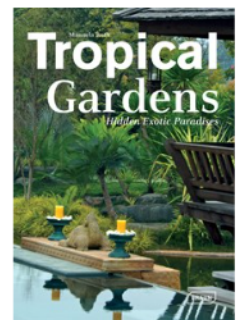
MANUELA ROTH

The best tropical design is inspired by its natural surroundings — the foliage, the flora, and the palette, ranging from the hottest hues to the palest pastels. On every page of this exuberant book, photographer Carmel Brantley showcases the ingenuity, whimsicality, and often sublimity that designers bring to entry spaces, public spaces, private spaces, and outdoor spaces in tropical climes.

With a foreword by Aerin Lauder and featuring rooms by notable designers such as Meg Braff, Alessandra Branca, Kemble Interiors, Amanda Lindroth, Miles Redd and David Kaihoi, and Mark D. Sikes, as well as gardens by landscape architects like Fernando Wong and Mario Nievera, the book celebrates the joy of giving your home a tropical vibe — wherever you live.

Homes and resorts pictured are in Palm Beach, Ponte Vedra, Miami, Winter Park, Boca Grande, Sea Island, and the Bahamas. Interior designers Meg Braff, Celerie Kemble, and Amanda Lindroth and landscape designer Fernando Wong contribute chapter introductions.

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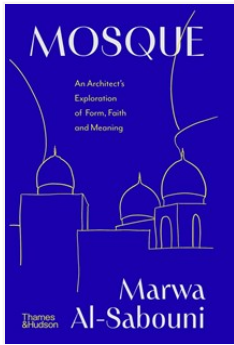
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## Mosque

AN ARCHITECT'S EXPLORATION OF FORM, FAITH AND MEANING

MARWA AL-SABOUNI

A journey through the mosque's history and representation around the world, its role in society and its forms - ancient to contemporary - through the eyes of a young female Syrian architect. In this book, Marwa Al-Sabouni - architect, Muslim, Syrian, woman - interweaves her personal experiences and reflections to bring the reader inside the mosque to understand its spiritual meaning, social significance and enduring cultural value. Though some 3.6 million mosques exist around the world, varying enormously in shape, size and design, we are reminded that thoughtfully designed mosques - like any communal space - can still feel intimate and personal.

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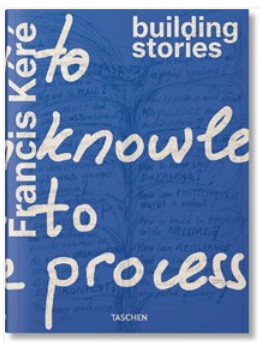
## Socialist Hotels

153 SOCIALIST-ERA HOTELS ACROSS 31 COUNTRIES

EDITED BY DAMON MURRAY AND STEPHEN SORRELL

From brutalism to modernism, via futurism - the Socialist Hotel is a unique architectural and cultural phenomenon that is collectively documented in these stunning photographs for the first time. This epic photographic project - spanning 153 hotels across 31 countries - chronicles the architecture of hospitality and leisure in Eastern Europe and the post-Soviet space. Collected here for the first time are an amazing range of examples, from the grand Socialist Realism and neoclassical details of the Stalinist era (such as the Interhotel, Georgia) and Soviet Modernism (Hotel Traian, Romania) to the futuristic and gravity defying (Sevan Writers' House, Armenia).

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## Francis Kéré

BUILDING STORIES

FRANCIS KÉRE

Francis Kéré's riveting first-person account reveals the ideas and values that drive him and his socially engaged architectural practice. The 2022 laureate of the Pritzker Architecture Prize covers 26 key projects, illustrated with many unseen sketches, photographs, and drawings in a volume beautifully crafted by the Amsterdam-based graphic design studio of Irma Boom. Featured works include his Serpentine Gallery Pavilion, the Gando school projects, national assembly designs for Burkina Faso and Benin, the Thomas Sankara Memorial, and the recently revealed Las Vegas Museum of Art.

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The life and cultural impact of musician and streetwear pioneer NIGO, founder of A Bathing Ape, as told through clothes and ephemera from his personal archive.

This is the first comprehensive book on the creative universe of NIGO (Tomoaki Nagao) - charting his journey from Tokyo in the 1980s to global tastemaker, via a career as influential fashion designer, DJ and record producer.

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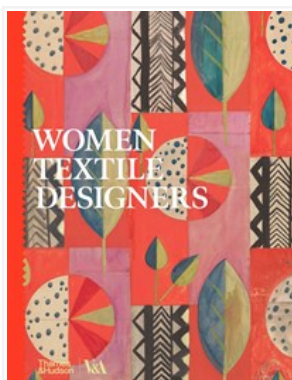
## Videogame Architecture

BUILDING VIRTUAL SPACES

LUKE CASPAR PEARSON AND SANDRA YOUKHANA, FOREWORD BY JOHN ROMERO

The long-awaited follow up to *Videogame Atlas* (2022, 9780500024232), this fascinating look at the art of virtual world-building delves into the evocative architectural spaces of some of the most iconic videogames of the last three decades. Titles such as *Disco Elysium*, *Elden Ring*, *Yakuza Kiwami*, *Grim Fandango* and *The Sims 4* are explored in exhaustive detail through comprehensive architectural plans and intricate illustrations.

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The first notable study of the major role women have played in the textile industry, illustrated with world-class 20th-century designs from the collections of the Victoria and Albert Museum, London, and beyond. Includes works by Arts and Crafts pioneer May Morris, Bauhaus designers Gunta Stölzl and Anni Albers, mid-century designers Lucienne Day and Althea McNish, contemporary pioneers such as Birgitta Hahn and Reiko Sudo, and many more.

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AROUND THE WORLD IN VINTAGE HOLIDAY BROCHURES

JONNY TRUNK, EDITED BY DAMON MURRAY AND STEPHEN SORRELL

*Holiday Exotica* is the first ever visual guide to how we once satisfied our wanderlust. This globetrotting tour of nostalgic travel brochures voyages alphabetically from Africa to Yugoslavia, reflecting our shifting attitudes to tourism. Exchanging everyday drizzle and drudgery for exotic cocktails and beach loungers, these rare, nostalgic brochures reflect our shifting attitudes to tourism in the pre-internet era, when travellers were lured by designs promising a jet-set paradise with perfect weather.

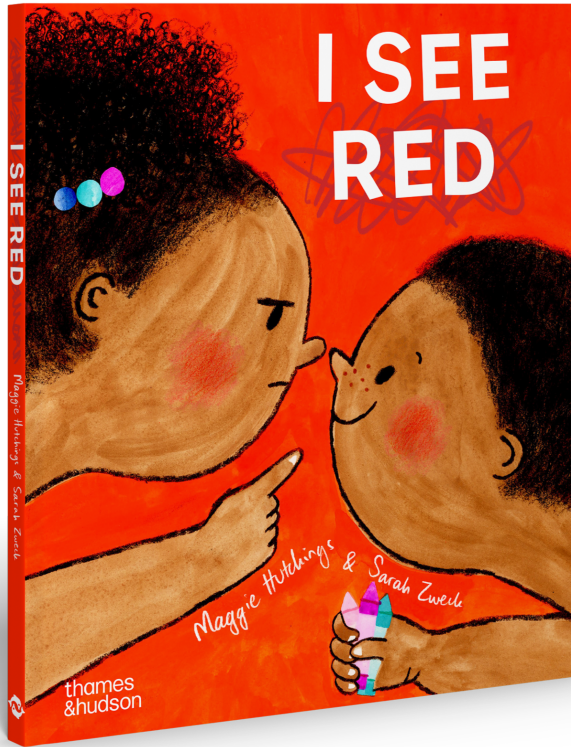
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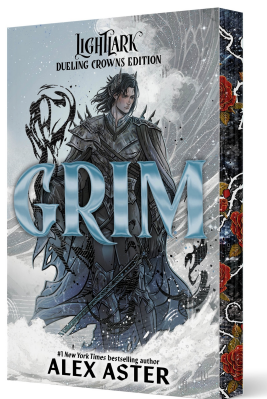
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**Maggie Hutchings** is a bestselling author of picture book stories with heart and humour. Her work has been published in several territories worldwide. **Sarah Zweck** is an award-winning Melbourne based illustrator who enjoys making a glorious mess in her studio using traditional media.



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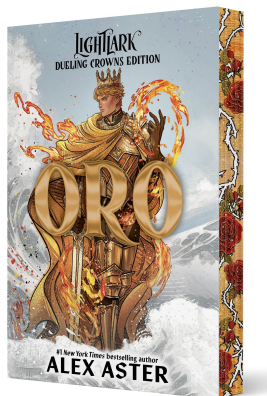
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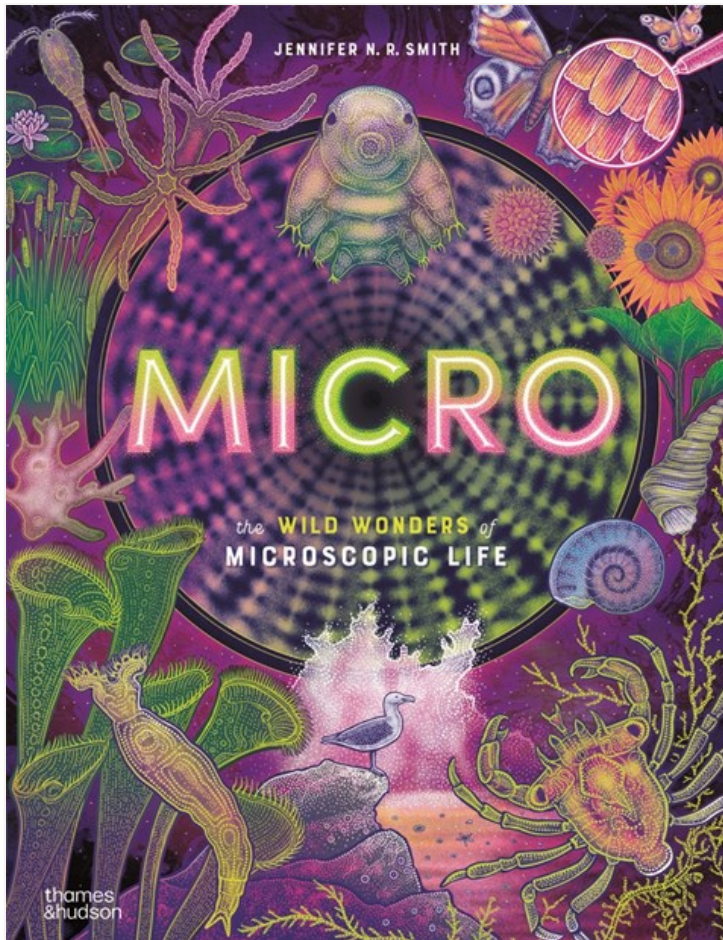
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# Micro

THE WILD WONDERS OF MICROSCOPIC LIFE

JENNIFER N R SMITH, EDITED BY GEORGE JANES

Using luminous HUV printing, this immersive, intricately illustrated book takes readers on a tour of remarkable microscopic worlds, unseen by the naked eye

Meet mind-boggling organisms, like adorable 'water bears' who can survive in almost any conditions, even outer space; jewel-like diatoms that live in our oceans and help fight climate change; and alien-looking bacteria that keep our guts healthy.

Highly-illustrated themed spreads focus on habitats and locations, including ponds, forests, deserts and even outer space, to reveal the microscopic creatures, plants and objects hidden within them.

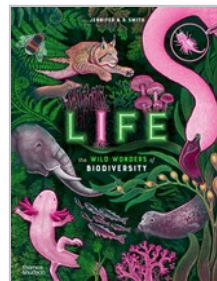
The book features an introduction to microscope technology, with information about their history, how they work, and what they allow us to see. It also includes a practical guide on how to use one, so that children can explore microscopic worlds for themselves, at home or in school.



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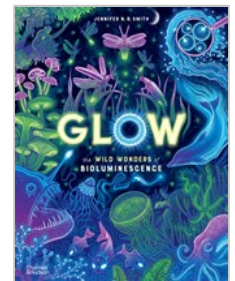
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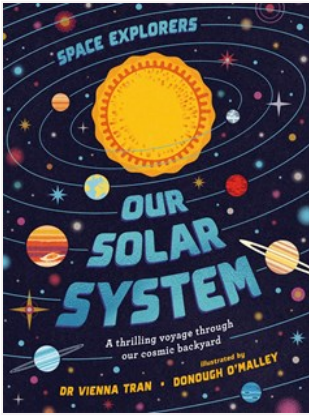


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**Jennifer N. R. Smith** is an award-winning author and illustrator based in Bristol. Her first book, *Glow*, received multiple accolades, including a nomination for the esteemed Yoto Carnegie Medal for Illustration 2024. **Dr George Janes** is a molecular biologist and postdoctoral researcher working at Nottingham University.



## Space Explorers: Our Solar System

A THRILLING VOYAGE THROUGH OUR COSMIC BACKYARD

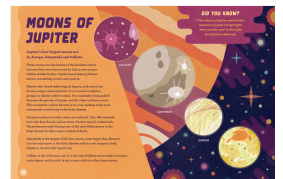
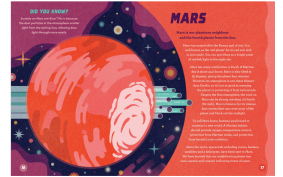
DR VIENNA TRAN

*Space Explorers: Our Solar System* takes young readers on an out-of-this-world adventure through the planets, moons, and mysteries of our cosmic neighbourhood.

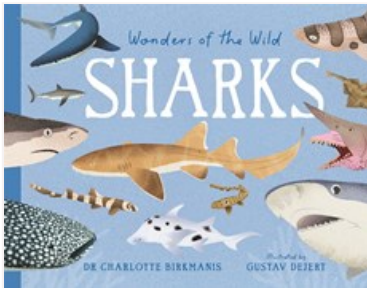
Written by doctor and space medicine researcher Dr. Vienna Tran, and with vibrant illustrations and fun facts, this book brings space to life – showing just how incredible our universe really is.

From the fiery surface of Mercury to the icy edges of Neptune, kids will discover what makes each planet unique, learn about comets, asteroids and dwarf planets, and imagine what it would be like to travel among the stars. Perfect for curious minds with big imaginations!

Dr. Vienna Tran MBBS (Hons.), DAME, is an Australian Medical Doctor and Space medicine researcher. Vienna now works as a medical doctor in Mount Gambier, South Australia with a dream to pursue a road less travelled: space medicine.



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## Wonders of the Wild: Sharks

CHARLOTTE BIRKMANIS, ILLUSTRATED BY GUSTAV DEJERT

Often looked upon with awe, sharks have been fascinating children and adults alike for decades. In *Wonders of the Wild: Sharks*, we get up close to 50 of the world's most fascinating sharks.

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Each shark is beautifully illustrated by Gustav Dejert, and marine biologist Dr Charlotte Birkmanis shares her expert knowledge on these remarkable creatures of the deep. You'll find information on their habitat, diet, conservation status and size, as well as a glossary and plenty of other fun facts along the way.

*Wonders of the Wild: Sharks* is the first in an exciting new series of books for children that showcase the wonders of the natural world.

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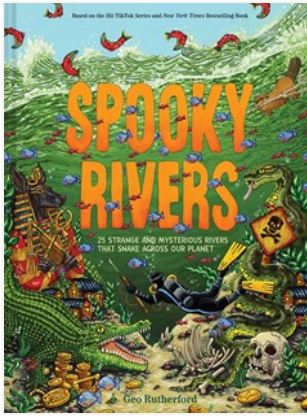
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## Spooky Rivers

25 STRANGE AND MYSTERIOUS RIVERS THAT SNAKE ACROSS OUR PLANET

GEO RUTHERFORD

A companion to *Spooky Lakes*, a New York Times and Indiebound bestseller.

Take the plunge into the strangest, spookiest, and most fascinating rivers around the world (if you dare) in this illustrated nonfiction book from *New York Times* bestselling author, TikTok star, and educator Geo Rutherford.

From Geo Rutherford — the creator of the hit series Spooky Lake Month (over 79 million likes!) — comes this thrilling nonfiction book that follows the winding histories of 25 mysterious rivers around the world. Readers will explore natural phenomena, scientific oddities, historical events, and environmental disasters, as well as the myths and legends tied to these waterways, which are increasingly threatened by climate change. Backed by extensive research and packed with all-new content — including eerie and eye-popping gouache illustrations in full colour — *Spooky Rivers* takes readers on an adventure through weird and wild waters. Includes river facts, author's note, glossary, bibliography, and index.

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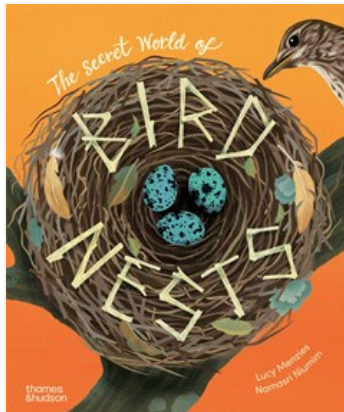
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LUCY MENZIES, ILLUSTRATED BY NAMASRI NIUMIM

A glorious insight into the remarkable building abilities of birds. It's easy to take birds for granted, but they play a crucial role in our ecosystem by controlling insect populations, pollinating plants and spreading seeds. They are also incredible engineers, with the ability to build complex - and beautiful - nests to provide shelter and protection for their eggs and chicks.

You're probably most familiar with cup-shaped bird nests made from twigs and grass, but this is just one of many designs that birds use to create a home where they can nurture and protect their young. Depending on their habitat and way of life, a bird's nest can float on water, teeter on the highest rocky outcrop or be burrowed inside the trunk of a tree.

In this beautifully illustrated book, young readers will discover the remarkable variety of nest-building techniques used by birds from around the world, and marvel at their ingenious use of materials - from soft feathers and cushioning moss, to spiders' silk and sticky spittle.

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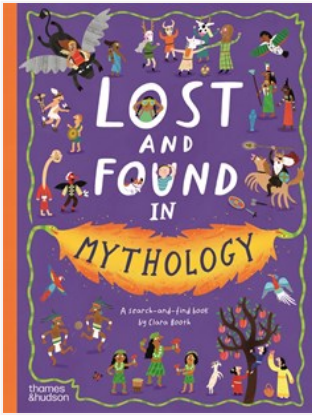


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## Lost and Found in Mythology

A SEARCH-AND-FIND BOOK

CLARA BOOTH

Young readers are invited to lose themselves on a journey through myths and legends from around the world.

Combining the seek-and-find fun of *Where's Wally?* with the irreverent hilarity of *Horrible Histories*, this seek-and-find book introduces young readers to the otherworldly characters of ancient myths.

Spanning nine different cultures from around the globe, *Lost and Found in Mythology* puts readers on the battlefield alongside Odin and Thor in The Battle of Ragnarok; above the clouds on Mount Olympus with Zeus and his family; on the forest floor laughing at the cheeky tricks played by kami spirits; and in the fiery presence of India's devis and devas.

Each mythology is introduced through its characters - gods, goddesses, monsters, weapons, spirits, ghosts and fairy folk among others - who appear in a busy seek-and-find scene. A second spread extrapolates on the mythology - be it a legend, saga or quest - and explains its significance.

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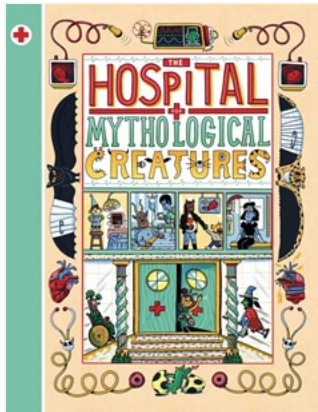
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### Lost and Found in History

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## The Hospital for Mythological Creatures

CATHY EVANS, ILLUSTRATED BY ED J BROWN

A spoonful of imagination helps the medicine go down!

One Wednesday morning, Dani at Emergency Services takes a call: there's been a car crash. Daisy's arm is broken, Lisa's got a head injury, and poor Mr. Von Thunderhoof has chest pains. They're rushed by ambulance to the Hospital for Mythological Creatures, where a team of nurses, doctors, radiographers, and even porters spring into action.

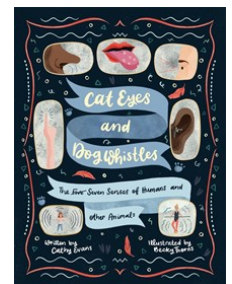
As the patients are cared for, children discover how a real hospital works, from radiology to pediatrics, neonatal to ICU, through a playful, imaginative lens.

Packed with warmth, humour and fantastical characters, this book is the spoonful of sugar that helps the medicine go down, conveying factual content with reassuring warmth and sparkle. Cathy Evans's clear, engaging storytelling combines with Ed J Brown's lively illustrations to bring medical adventures to life.

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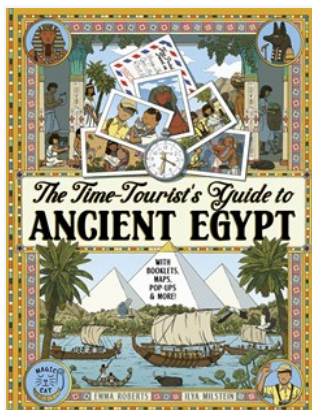
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## The Time-Tourist's Guide to Ancient Egypt

EMMA ROBERTS, ILLUSTRATED BY ILYA MILSTEIN

Meet Herbert, your time-tourist travel guide and spend a day in ancient Egypt as you discover the sights and sounds of one of the world's great ancient civilisations. Packed with curriculum-linked ephemera and stories about the past, this guide will see you:

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- Stop off at the pyramids
- Shop at an Ancient Egyptian market
- Meet gods and goddesses
- Take part in a mummification workshop
- Explore Tutankhamun's tomb
- Learn to read hieroglyphics

And more!

The first in a series of travel guides to unreachable places for the whole family to enjoy.

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### Letters from the Witch: Cackle Crackle

WITH FIVE SPELLS TO PULL OUT AND KEEP  
ANNIE ATKINS, ILLUSTRATED BY TARYN KNIGHT

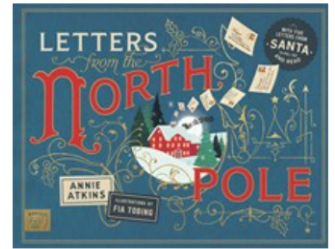
*Letters from the Witch* follows five witches from across the globe as they prepare for showtime at the annual Big Witch Convention. Their work is interrupted, however, by gaggles of local children looking for help. How will the witches share their secrets, and will the children know if they're being tricked?

Written in perky rhyming verse as a partner title to *Letters from the North Pole*, this delightfully spooky story includes ten pull-out paper props, featuring handwritten letters and spells straight from the witches' homes.

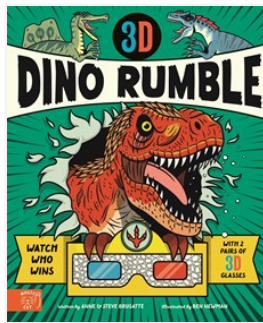
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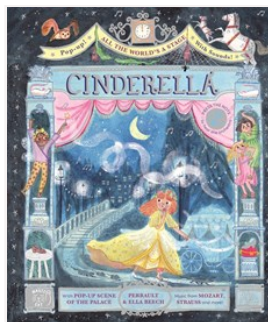
### 3D Dino Rumble

WATCH WHO WINS IN 3D WITH TWO PAIRS OF GLASSES  
ANNE BRUSATTE AND STEVE BRUSATTE, ILLUS BY BEN NEWMAN

10 dinosaurs. 9 epic battles. 1 ultimate winner. Welcome to the prehistoric battle royale. This book pits the toughest, fastest and most fearsome dinosaurs against one another - brought to life with jaw-dropping 3D action. Turn the page, put on your 3D glasses and watch the clash unfold in comic strip form. Then dive into in-depth fact files on every dinosaur. Round by round, contenders fight their way to the final - where the book answers: Who was the most fearsome dinosaur of all time?

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### All the World's a Stage: Cinderella

A POP-OUT SOUND ADVENTURE  
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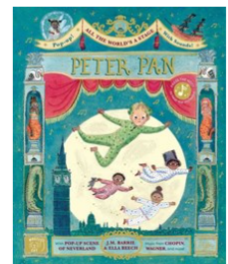
Discover the story of Cinderella in a way that you never have before with this pop-out sound book. In this fresh retelling, Cinderella has been taken in by an evil duchess and her two daughters, who are ugly on the inside. When the prince holds a ball to find his new dance partner, luckily Cinderella's fairy godmother is on hand to wave her magic wand and make her dream come true!

This charming novelty format for young readers ages 3+ features classical music on every page to accompany the story, and an impressive three tier pop-out stage at the end of the book.

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## It's Christmas Time

A COSY COUNTDOWN WITH STORIES TO SHARE

**BIRGITTA SIF**

A beautiful anthology of stories, recipes and craft activities that celebrates being together at Christmas.

Little Bear and Mum are getting ready for Christmas. When their tree is a little wobbly, Little Bear learns that their homemade ornaments will make it perfect. When Little Bear doesn't want to leave an afternoon of sledding, Mum reminds her that the memories will always stay in her heart. And when they bake Christmas gingerbread, Little Bear realises the most important ingredient of all: love.

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## The Little Book of Christmas Joy

80 WAYS TO CELEBRATE THE FESTIVE SEASON

**ILLUSTRATED BY ANNELIES DRAWS**

Brimming with festive cheer, this delightful little book, beautifully illustrated by Instagram star Annelies Draws, takes young readers and their grown-ups on a joyful journey through heart-warming Christmas traditions and meaningful customs from around the world.

From candlelit streets in Colombia to fairy-lit markets in Germany, travel far and wide to discover how people celebrate Christmas in wonderfully unique ways.

Closer to home, enjoy simple, joy-filled activities to share with little ones: bake cookies, craft a paper chain, make a mini wreath or sing your favourite Christmas carols together.

The perfect stocking filler to gift or keep, this book is a celebration of all the things that make the season sparkle - with wonder, warmth and a touch of magic!

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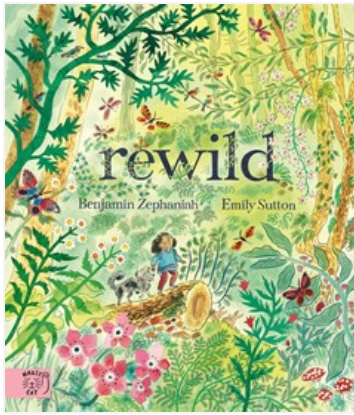
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## Rewild

**BENJAMIN ZEPHANIAH, ILLUSTRATED BY EMILY SUTTON**

From one of our most beloved poets, Benjamin Zephaniah, and bestselling illustrator Emily Sutton comes this powerful and uplifting book for children - an urgent, hopeful call to restore our relationship with Earth, and rewild our future.

In the beginning, the land was bare. Humanity rose, learned to speak, to farm, to build, to imagine. With language, art, science and community, we shaped the world - and ourselves. For a time, we lived in harmony with nature. A new generation of children see clearly what has been lost - and can also see what could still be saved. Children with wheelbarrows and seeds begin the work to rewild and repair.

Zephaniah's distinctive voice and Emily Sutton's richly imagined artwork invite young readers to understand the past, confront the present, and believe in their power to shape a better future. It celebrates nature not as something separate from us, but as something we belong to - and are responsible for.

9781917768634 | Ages 5 And Under  
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280 x 240 | 32 Pages  
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## The Secret Fairy Club

DISCOVER A HIDDEN BOOK WITHIN A BOOK!

**EMMA ROBERTS, ILLUSTRATED BY MIRA MIROSLAVOVA AND RAAHAT KADUJI**

Do you believe in fairies? Would you like to join a secret club of fairy experts, who search for and look after fairies and other magical creatures in the wild? Now is the time to earn your place in the Secret Fairy Club.

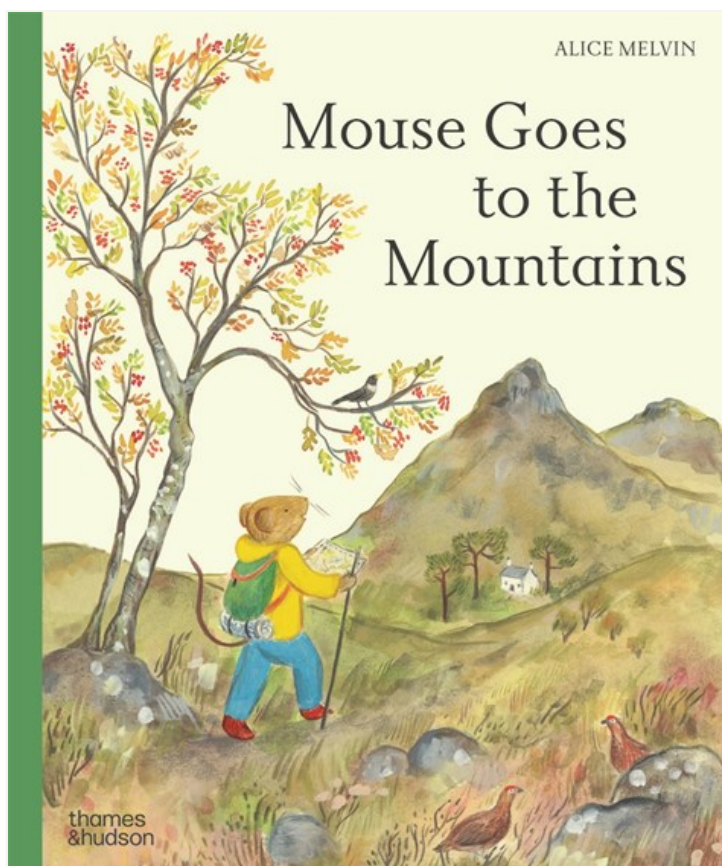
Earn ten badges on your journey towards becoming an official Secret Fairy Club member and learn all about:

- the perfect fairy wardrobe
- where fairies make their homes
- how fairies help the nature around them
- how fairies get ready for a Fairy Ball
- ...and so much more!

This novelty format contains a surprise, second book in the back. Artwork offers an inclusive, 21st-century take on an ever-popular topic. Intricate artwork and full cover decorative foiling make this the perfect gift. **Previous 2023 edition: HB, 9781915569059.**

9781911766469 | Ages 5 to 7  
Juvenile Fiction | Hardcover  
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# Mouse Goes to the Mountains

A HIKE THROUGH NATURE  
ALICE MELVIN

Alice Melvin's award-winning Mouse is back for another mindful adventure in nature.

Join Mouse on a new adventure as he leaves the urban bustle of a busy railway station and makes his way to a remote and majestic mountain peak. This journey has a distinctively autumnal feel to set it apart from Mouse's other adventures. The book also features a subtle message in the illustrations about biodiversity, showing the effects of over-grazing and even featuring mountain hares planting saplings to restore mountain forests.

Alice Melvin has spent a lot of time researching and drawing from nature to develop an authentic journey for Mouse, and her charming illustrations create an immersive world full of wildlife, friendly woodland creatures and stunning scenery.

Interactive flaps and gatefolds throughout draw the reader's attention to details hidden among the illustrations. The book also features a nature guide with fascinating facts about the different habitats and wildlife that Mouse finds on his trip up the mountain.

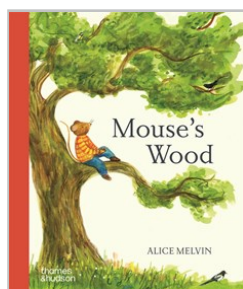


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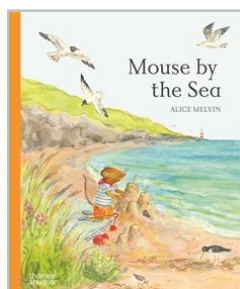
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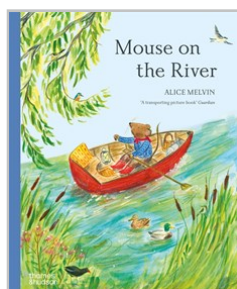
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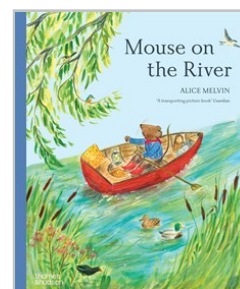
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GRACE EASTON

What makes a house a home? This sweet story, with jaw-dropping illustrations, is the perfect cosy tale for bedtime. Olivia lives in a house with a little red door. Mouse lives in an oak tree behind the house. When a storm blows the oak tree down, Olivia tries her best to find a new house for her neighbour, but are any of the houses the right home?

When Mouse loses his old oak tree home in a snowstorm, his neighbour Olivia offers many different options for a new house, but none are quite right. It is only when she offers a place in her own house with the little red door that it becomes a home for both of them.

Illustrator Grace Easton brings her expressive character illustration and beautiful hand-painted scenery to a story of two lonely neighbours finding friendship in the face of a disaster. 22 die-cut flaps reveal details around the cosy setting, bringing dimension to a story sure to bring warmth to a cold winter's bedtime.

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### The House with the Little Red Door

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## Mildred and the Copycat

JONO GANZ

The hotly anticipated next adventure for the beloved Mildred the Gallery Cat, whose secret career as an artist comes under threat by aloof street artist, Barksy...

Mildred may seem like any other ordinary cat napping the day away in the big city gallery, but little do the visitors know she is the one responsible for creating the fabulous works of art!

When a new artist takes credit for her latest and most ambitious work Mildred is determined to expose the imposter!

Jono Ganz is an author, illustrator and animator. He lives and works in London, in the home he shares with his wife, son, adopted cat, and a 19th century weaving loom. His debut book for children, *Mildred the Gallery Cat*, was published in 2022 by Tate Publishing. It was shortlisted for the 2023 Klaus Flugge Prize for illustration, and has been translated into multiple languages.

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### Mildred the Gallery Cat

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## I Want

ZIGGY HANAOR, ILLUSTRATED BY CHARLOTTE AGER

You can't always get what you want.... unless you have a magic wand!

"I WANT!" shouts Baby.  
 "Do you want this rice cake?" asks Witch.  
 "I WANT COOOOKIIIEEE!" Baby screams.  
 With a sigh, Witch waves her wand and conjures a cookie. But Baby's wants don't stop there. He demands a balloon, a ball... and then the wand itself.

Once armed with magic, Baby's demands spiral out of control: Witch ends up teetering on a tiger, a dinosaur, a pirate ship, a fire engine, an elephant and a castle. But still, Baby isn't satisfied. He wants the clouds. The moon. The stars. And unless Witch reclaims that wand, she may never get what she wants again.

*I Want* is a gloriously hilarious caper wrapped around a sharp truth: the endless appetites of toddlers and the impossible balance between giving in and holding firm. Written in punchy comic-book dialogue and brought to life with Charlotte Ager's warm, sketchy lines, this book will delight children and strike a knowing chord with every parent.

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## Indigo Irvine

RHIANNON ARCHARD

A beautifully illustrated, poignant story about the power of painting and the unbreakable bond between mother and child, proving that imagination, love and a little bit of colour can get us through the toughest of times.

Indigo Irvine loves her amazing, artistic mum. She fills their lives with joy and colour with her beautiful paintings and wonderful stories. Some days are harder than others, like when the heating runs out or when mum just can't seem to get out of bed. They get through them together with kitchen dance parties, slurpy noodles and a whole lot of painting. But when the going gets tough can Indi and her mum still find a way to celebrate the good times?

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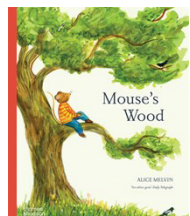




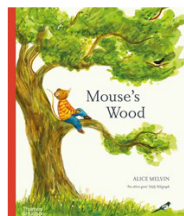
**Alice Melvin**

Hello, I'm an illustrator, designer and maker with a passion for drawing and nature. I've had a range of children's books published by Tate Publishing and Thames & Hudson.

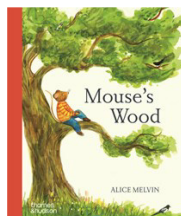
Over the years of working with him, Mouse has become my familiar companion. Through his quiet adventures I get to immerse myself in the landscapes and wildlife that mean so much to me.



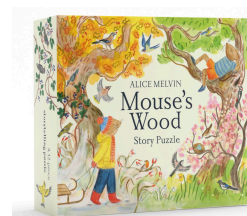
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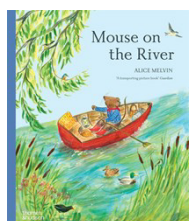
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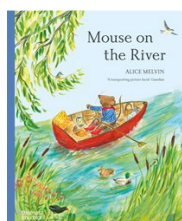
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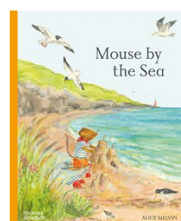
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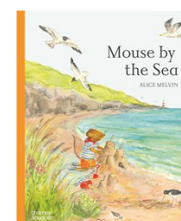
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