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in contemporary literature.

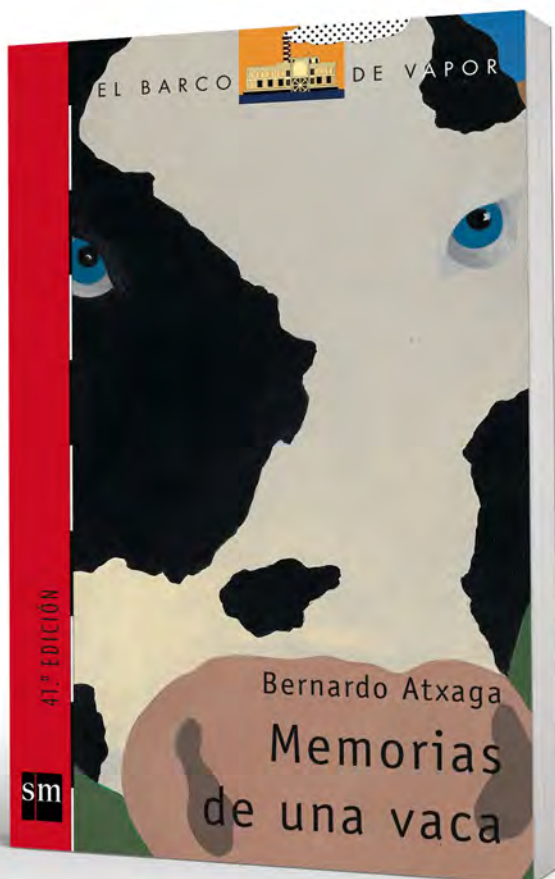
In the field of literature for children and young adults, notable among his works are *Memorias de una vaca* (novella included in 1001 Children's Books You Must Read Before You Grow Up published by Julia Eccleshare), and the series *Xola*, whose version in English was considered worthy of the *Marsh Prize* (The Best Book in Translation, 2014).

His work has been translated into 32 languages
and has been brought to the big screen.

In 2006 he was made a member of Euskaltzaindia,
the Royal Academy of the Basque Language.

Bernardo Atxaga

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SELECTION
1994



Mo, a cow disappointed by being a member of her species, recounts her life on a farm in the Basque Country during the Spanish Post Civil-War period. In contrast to most of her bovine companions, she is smart and curious and, together with her friend The laughing cow decide to investigate what lies behind the nocturnal visits by some men to the farm and the “banquetes” offered to them after separating the cows by colour. In the end they will discover that in fact, the Balanzategui farm is a cover for helping the maquis resistance movement hiding out in the nearby mountains.

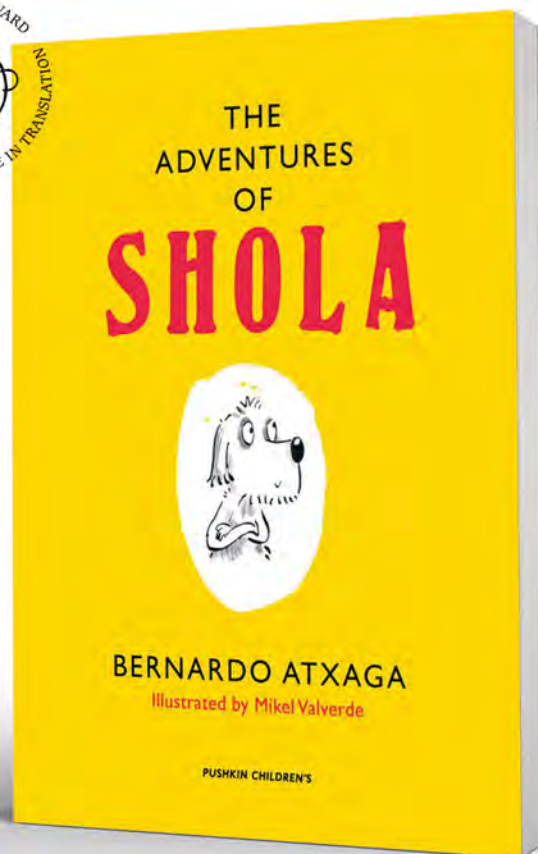
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Memories of a cow

132 pages - 1991

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The adventures of Shola

Illustrated by Mikel Valverde

132 pages - 1991

Shola is not an ordinary dog. She is the most clever and ridiculous dog you've ever heard of!

Shola thinks of the world as her playground and plays when she likes, walks when she likes and eats when she likes.

A beautiful story on the importance of getting to know the own limitations.

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Carles Sala i Vila

was born and lives in Girona.
He is one of the most popular,
beloved and prized Catalan
children book writers.
His work has been translated into
Portuguese, Turkish and Italian.



Em pica el nas de la veïna

Author: Carles Sala i Vila
Illustrator: Nerina Canzi



Takatuka, 2017 - 36 pages

A new family has arrived in
the neighborhood where Ernest lives.
They come in one day to present themselves
and Ernest discovers Rosó, a girl of his age
that immediately causes him an intense
and strange burning in his nose.
This is the story of a love at first sight.

**PRIZE JOSEP
M. FOLCH I TORRES
2009**

**SELECTED FOR
WHITE RAVEN 2012**



Arcàdia, 2016



La Galera, 2010

Allò de l'avi / *All about my grandfather*

L'últim violí / *The last violin*



Publisher: Cruïlla - 184 pages -2016

Salva Canoseda doesn't know who he is. He only knows that he's 16 and lives in Barcelona. His grandfather, head of an important Cultural Foundation has been accused of corruption and fraud, and has come to be considered Public Enemy number 1.

His grandson refuses to believe that he is guilty until he finds that he too is incriminated. Salva, then, has no option but to take sides. And despite counting on the support of his three best friends, the decision about what to do is something he has to take alone.

Rights sold to: SM (Spanish World)



Publisher: Arcàdia - 56 pages -2014

Octavi's father is a luthier; he makes violins, the best violins in the world and Octavi loves going to the workshop to watch his father work. But one day the luthier's hands begin to shake and he must make a decision.

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English translation available



COMING SOON:

I si fos un ocell? / And if you were a bird?

Publisher: Arcàdia - 65 pages -2017

Arnau discovers that his mother is afraid of heights and that because of this she can't drive. He wants to devise a plan to help her get over this problem which leads him to think up a really crazy idea. He needs the family's complicity to carry out his plan, but both his sister Carol and his father have their own problems to take care of.

Anna Manso

She was born in Barcelona and is a remarkable children book writer and script writer of tv series. She has also a weekly column at the newspaper ARA where she talks in a funny and clear way of the problems of being a mum/dad.

Anna Manso has won the prestigious Gran Angular Prize twice.

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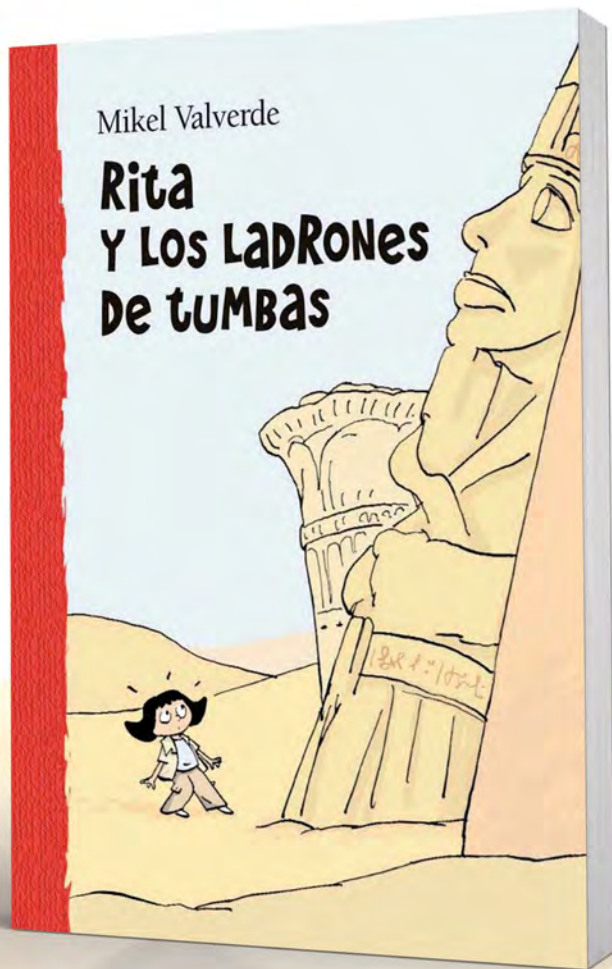
was born in Vitoria-Gasteiz and studied Fine Arts at the Universidad del País Vasco, specializing in Graphic Techniques.

He started working as an illustrator of children and juvenile literature creating the illustrations of *Shola and the Lions* by Bernardo Atxaga. Since then, he has never stopped working. He has published with many Spanish publishing houses and illustrated series written by remarkable authors.

In 2005 he received the International Illustration Award Fundación SM for his work *Paula in New York* being Mikel Valverde both writer and illustrator.



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Publisher: SM - 72 pages -2017

Rita y los ladrones de tumbas / *Rita and the thieves of tombs*

Rita travels to Egypt to meet her uncle Daniel, an archaeologist who works in an excavation. Due to a terrible confusion at the El Cairo Airport, Rita is picked up by mistake by a band of thieves who are in search of the same treasures as his uncle Daniel. A bunch of funny coincidences will push Rita to show herself as a young archeologist. Rita will discover great treasures also by chance but in the end, she will be able to escape. When she finds her uncle, they will unmask the evil plan of the thieves.

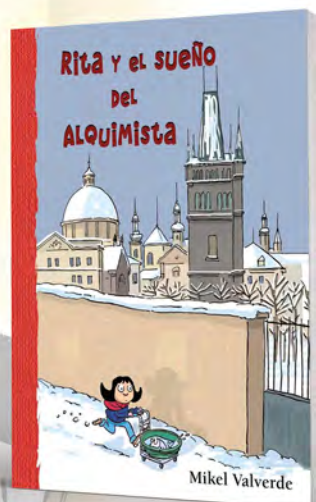
**Rita is a funny, brave, intelligent girl
that lead us to incredible adventures!**

A perfect middlegrade reading



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**Rita and the
alchemist dream**



Rita tennis player