

# PASTEL DE LUNA

## 2025 FOREIGN RIGHTS



# PICTURE BOOKS



New title • Spring 2025

## LITTLE HORSE

Luciana Feito

Hardcover / 40 pp / 20 x 23 cm  
3 years and older  
Rights available for all languages

In the city, everything is noise and smoke. That's why, on weekends, a girl finds happiness in the countryside. While her mom takes a nap, she eagerly awaits the call of her loyal friend, *Little Horse*. Together, they go to secret places, where everything is adventure. They explore nature, invent songs, and play, with the joy of losing track of time.

A story that celebrates the power of imagination. *Little Horse* is an ode to childhood, to that unique ability to turn the ordinary into adventure, to imagine extraordinary worlds, safe from screens.

Luciana Feito  
Nominated  
CuatroGatos 2025





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### ODD COUPLES

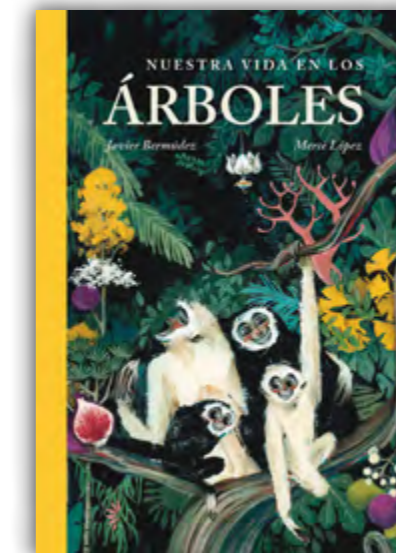
Pablo Albo  
Francisco Costa

Hardcover / 40 pp / 21 x 29 cm  
5 years and older  
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Finalist  
Best Children Book 2024  
by Librarians in Spain

A fascinating and funny illustrated book that explores the symbiotic relationships between twelve pairs of animals from a very peculiar perspective, halfway between humorous fiction and the reality expressed in nature. The originality of this book lies in portraying each animal couple through realistic illustrations, with each couple living in a specific family environment.

Francisco Costa  
Extraordinary award for  
artistic education 2024



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### OUR LIFE IN THE TREES

Javier Bermúdez  
Mercè López

Hardcover / 52 pp / 21 x 29 cm  
5 years and older  
Rights available for all languages

The narrative unfolds the life journey of a gibbon family, guiding readers through encounters with the world's most significant trees. This book delves into the realm of renowned trees, each celebrated for distinct reasons: longevity, entwined mythology, majestic appearances, connections to pivotal historical events, sheer enormity or enduring lifespan, and recognition as protagonists in literature or film. These trees possess a captivating charisma, showcasing their unique allure and significance.

Javier & Mercè  
Winners Lazarillo Award  
2023



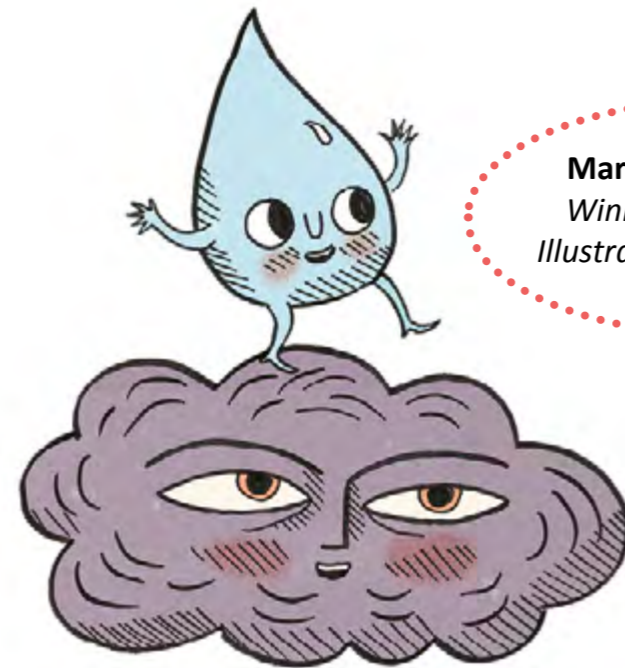


### SPRING, WHERE ARE YOU?

Eva Manzano  
Mariana Ruiz Johnson

Hardcover / 36 pp / 22 x 26 cm  
3 years and older  
Rights for all languages available

A charming story about the collective quest undertaken by the forest residents to find spring, which seems to have forgotten to show up on time.



**Mariana Ruiz Johnson**  
Winner at the Bologna  
Illustrators Exhibition 2025

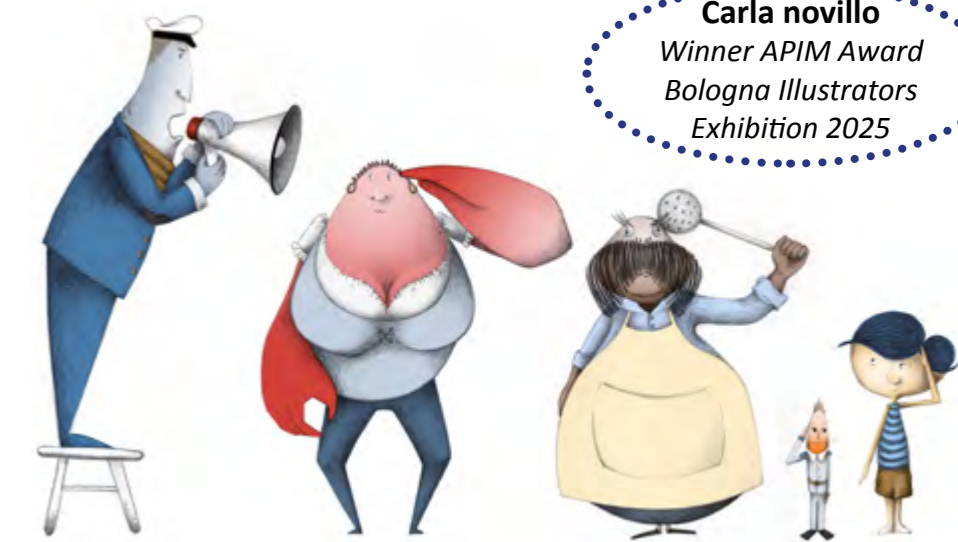


### THE FLYING HERRING

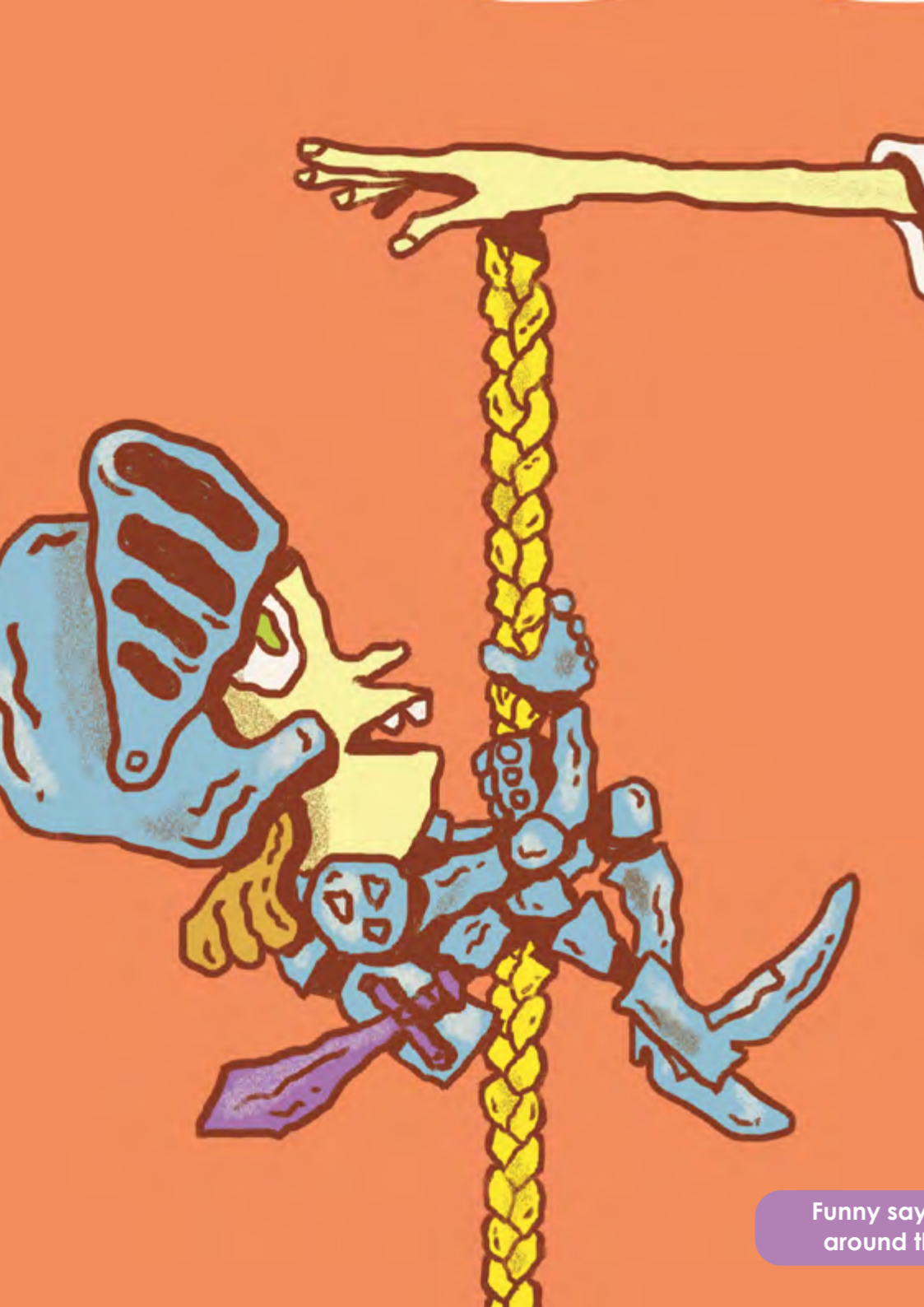
Carla Novillo  
Germán S. Miller

Hardcover / 52 pp / 21 x 29 cm  
3 years and older  
Rights sold: China

The Flying Herring, the huge merchant ship of the Captain Fish, has made a navigation error and has appeared in the living room of a house. In this house lives a kid and his grandmother. But she is preparing dinner at the kitchen and hasn't notice about it. The kid must come up with a plan to bring the ship to a safe harbor before his grandmother realizes that there is a crew in her living room. Will they succeed?



**Carla novillo**  
Winner APIM Award  
Bologna Illustrators  
Exhibition 2025



Funny sayings from around the world



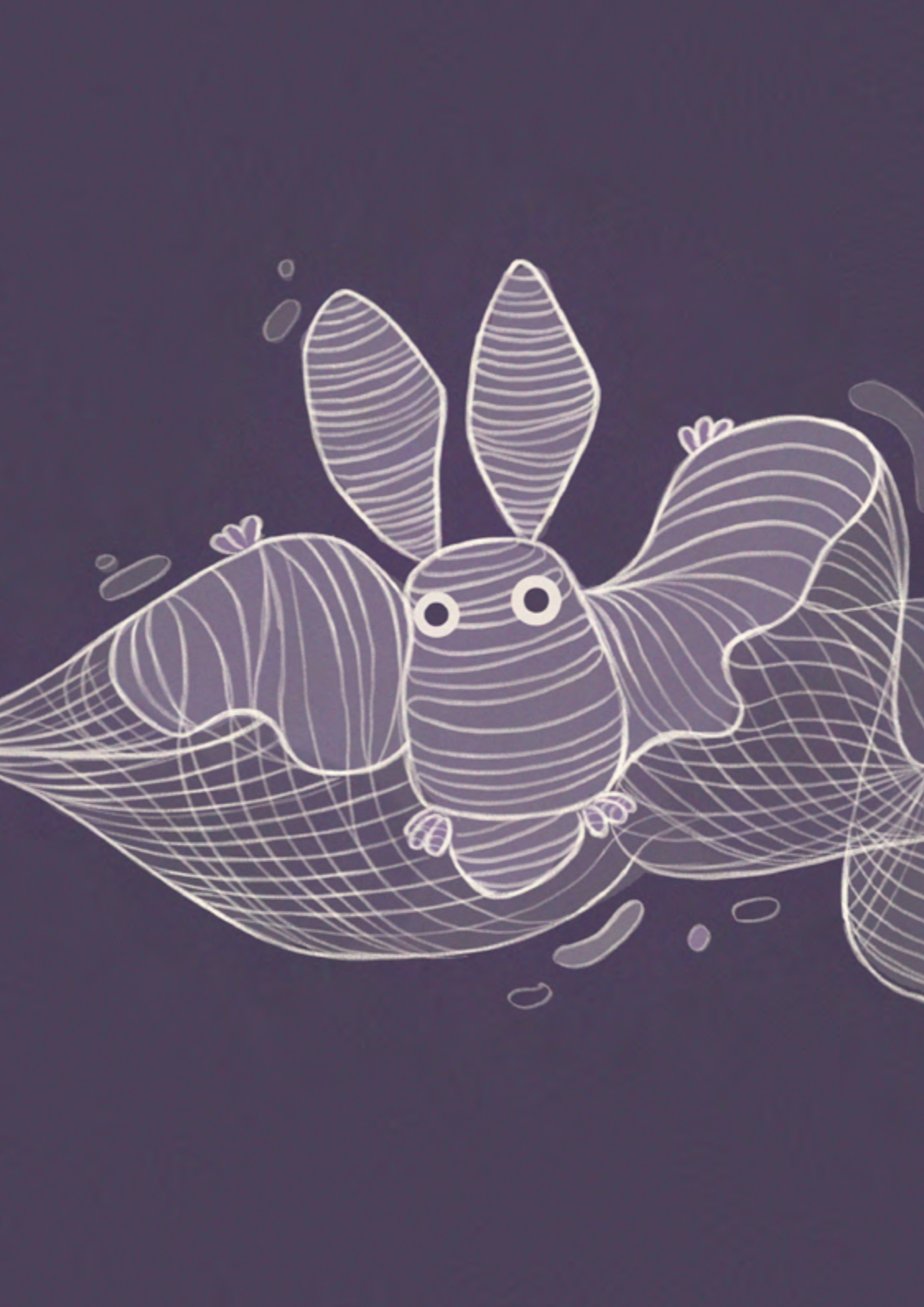
### WHEN FROGS GROW HAIR

Pato Mena

Hardcover / 48 pp / 20 x 20 cm  
3 years and older  
Rights for all languages available

When frogs grow hair, when pigs fly, when chickens have teeth... Languages are funny and playful. Proof of this is the variety of phrases that each country or culture has invented to say that something will never happen. Children of the world listen to them a lot through their parents lips. This book is a journey through some of these real expressions, the most curious, with a little touch of humor.

**Pato Mena**  
2020 Marta Brunet National Prize  
Children's Literature in Chile



### WHAT MY EYES SEE

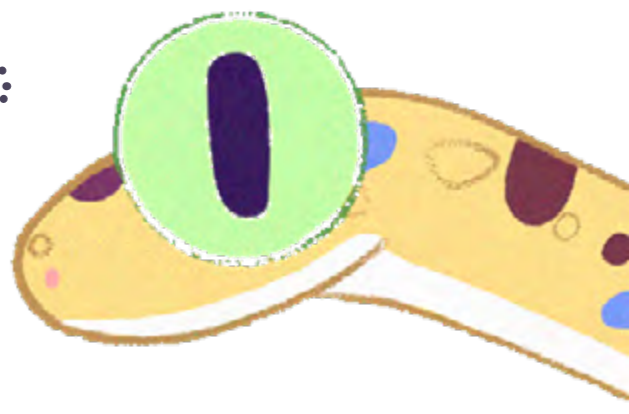
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Isabel G. Azcárate

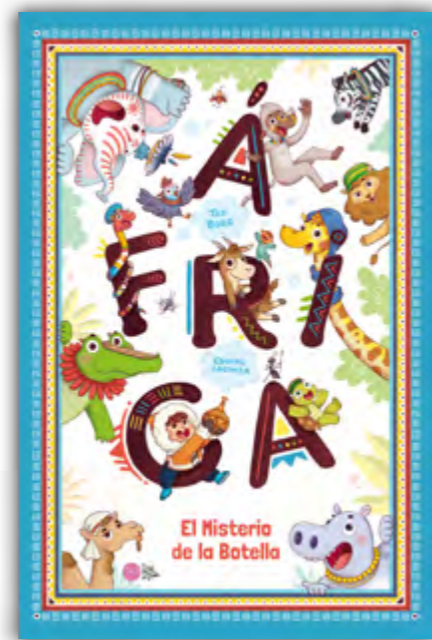
Hardcover / 48 pp / 20 x 20 cm  
3 years and older  
Rights sold: English (China)

Today, grandfather bat is going to pick up his granddaughter from school but, with his poor eyesight, it will be very difficult for him to find her. Will he succeed? How distracted is grandfather bat! Thanks to the funny mistakes he makes, we are going to discover that animals see very different than us. Some see better at night than during the day, others see colors that even we cannot see, and some thers are as blind as a bat.

Based on scientific research, its foldout pages show us how is the vision of different animals: the chameleon, the snake, the eagle, the cat, the cow, the mole...

With  
Foldout pages





Discover real  
African proverbs

## AFRICA. THE MYSTERY OF THE BOTTLE

Ted Borg  
Edurne Lacunza

Hardcover / 48 pp / 22 x 30 cm  
4 years and older  
Rights for all languages available

The Inuit woke up from her nap. Something strange was floating next to her kayak. It was a bottle with a carved name: Africa. As soon as she opened it, mysterious sounds came out from his interior like spirits fleeing to heaven. What mystery will this magic hide?

To unravel the mystery, the Inuit embarks on a profound journey across Mother Earth. Accompany her on this captivating adventure, and you'll discover the most amusing sayings and genuine proverbs from African tribes. Join in the exploration, and let the magic of discovery unfold!



The game is very simple: the ball goes and the dogs run to get it back as fast as they can. The city fades, time pauses, and both dogs and owners relish the moment. In this daily routine, occurring at the same time and place, there's a perpetual uniqueness and surprise.

A delicious and funny picture book by acclaimed author Pato Mena that will make the little ones laugh out loud.



## THE BALL

Pato Mena

Hardcover / 72 pp / 22 x 22 cm  
2 years and older  
Rights for all languages available



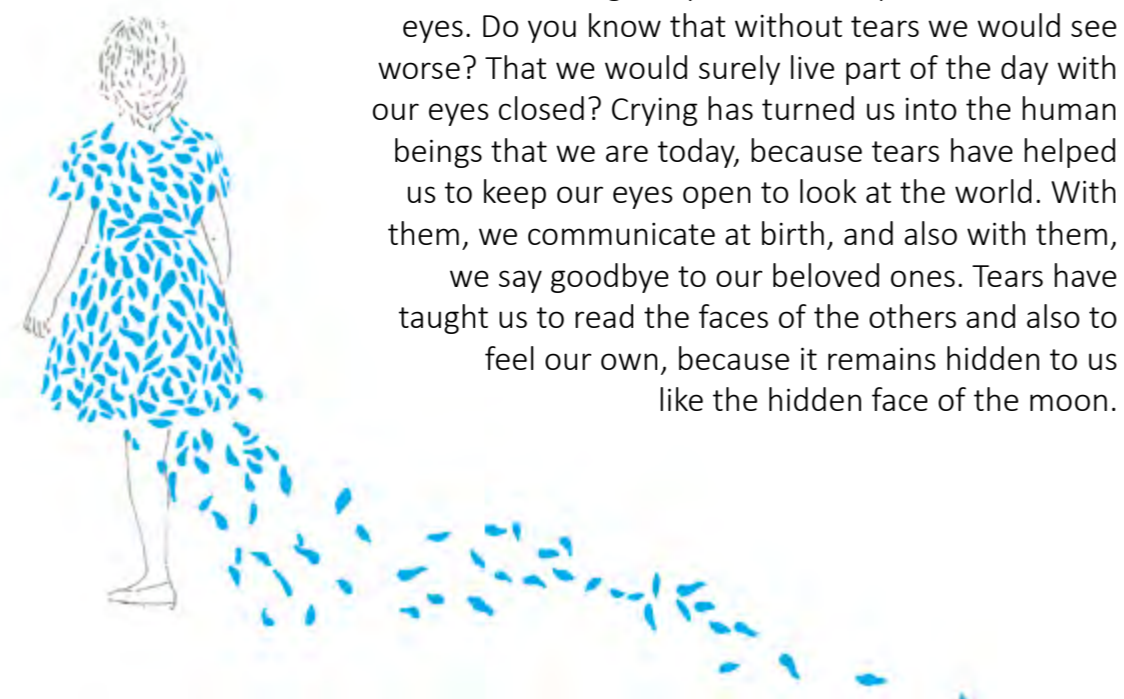
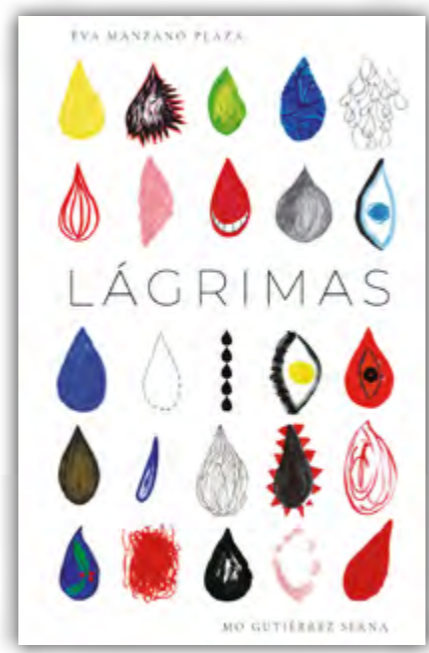


*Mystical, scientific,  
jolly, poetic...*

### THE LIFE OF TEARS

Eva Manzano  
Mo Gutiérrez Serna

Hardcover / 68 pp / 20 x 30 cm  
7 years and older  
Rights for all languages available



The fascinating story of those drops that live in our eyes. Do you know that without tears we would see worse? That we would surely live part of the day with our eyes closed? Crying has turned us into the human beings that we are today, because tears have helped us to keep our eyes open to look at the world. With them, we communicate at birth, and also with them, we say goodbye to our beloved ones. Tears have taught us to read the faces of the others and also to feel our own, because it remains hidden to us like the hidden face of the moon.



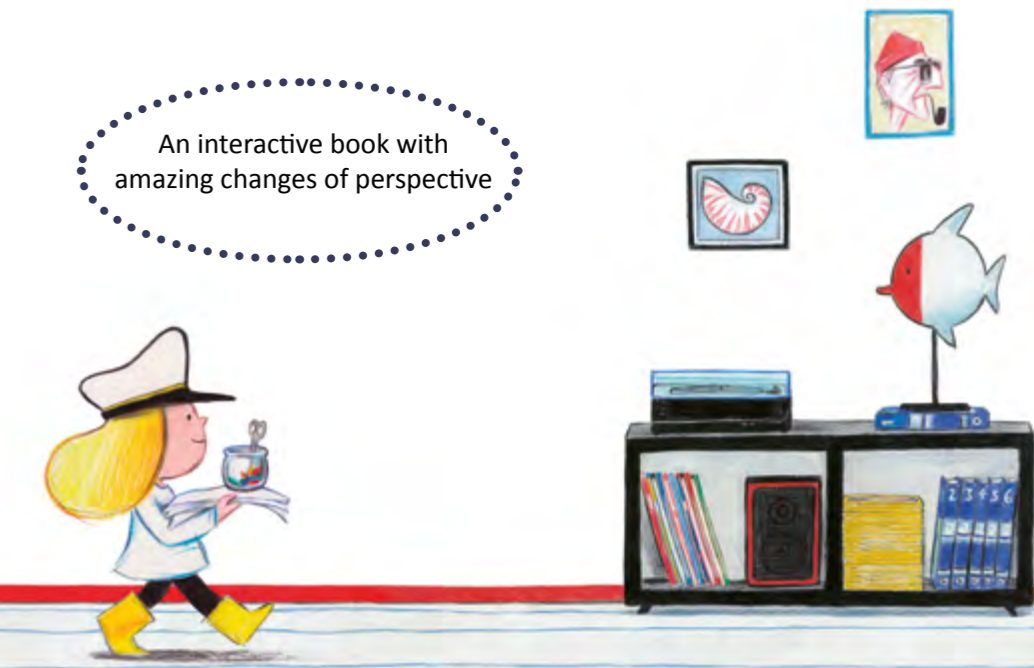
### AQUARIUM

Michel Camilo

Hardcover / 52 pp / 21 x 29 cm  
3 years and older  
Rights for all languages available

An interactive book for playful exploration. Join two brothers as they embark on their first attempt at creating an aquarium, only to realize they've placed the fish before the water! Your assistance is crucial to ensure everything goes smoothly. Engage with vibrant little fishes: feed them, observe them, and play with them. Brace yourself for an exciting final surprise!

An interactive book with  
amazing changes of perspective





More than 10.000 copies sold!

**FEARLESS:  
THE EXCEPTIONAL JOURNEYS  
OF 25 FEMALE EXPLORERS**

Cristina Pujol  
Rena Ortega

Hardcover / 60 pp / 22 x 30 cm  
6 years and older  
Rights sold: Italian, Japanese

When someone met Junko Tabei, always looked at her with perplexity. Her size was really small. How could she be the first woman to reach the summit of Mount Everest? She laughed about that confusion. Junko explained that her size or her climbing technique were not the things that took her to the summit, but her determination, and that rises from the heart.

Rediscover the incredible travels of 25 female explorers, some of them forgotten. Following her steps, we can learn how they overcame their fears to climb the highest mountains, to swing the world by feet or by bike, to travel through space, to fly between continents, to cross deserts, or to dive into the greater depths of the sea... All of them discovered an important lesson: that the journey is the destination.



Sold in 8 territories!

Finalist in Cuatrogatos Award



**THE AFTERLIFE**

Silvia y David Fernández  
Mercè López

Hardcover / 48 pp / 21 x 26 cm  
5 years and older  
Rights sold: English (USA), Spanish (USA), Danish, Dutch, German, Italian, Taiwan, Portugal

The performers of Galaxy Circus courageously put their lives on the line daily, engaging in perilous acts such as flying through the air on the trapeze without a safety net, swallowing swords and fire, and being shot from cannons. Perhaps it is this constant proximity to danger that leads them to ponder the concept of death extensively. Questions about the existence of an afterlife linger in their conversations. At Galaxy Circus, there are different points of view.



### THE PATH

Beatriz Carilla  
Flor Kaneshiro

Hardcover / 60 pp / 15 x 24 cm  
3 years and older

Rights for all languages available

The Mau family are going hiking. Learn about the adventures of this adorable cat family through beautiful haikus, short poems of Japanese origin, which will help us feel a precise moment of their journey.

Cuatrogatos  
Award



### MY COLLECTION OF FACES

Antonio Ladrillo

Boardbook / 24 pp / 20 cm

1 year and older

Rights for all languages available

In this amusing tale, the lead character explores a range of facial expressions during a typical school day, effectively conveying numerous emotions. Can you mimic every expression? If not, the attempt is bound to induce laughter, and there's also the option of crafting your own entertaining "bookface."



### MALINA COLD FEET

David Fernández  
Alicia Borges

Hardcover / 36 pp / 24 x 24 cm  
3 years and older

Rights for all languages available

While fishing one day, Malina discovers something that sparks a desire to seek warmth elsewhere. However, before she can depart, she must prove her maturity by passing the Test of the Igloo: constructing one independently. Will she succeed?

Longseller  
in Spain



### EXIT. A BOOK OF LABYRINTHS

Multiple Illustrators

Hardcover / 44 pp / 21 x 29 cm

3 years and older

Rights sold: Chinese

Choose your character: open the book from one side and you'll be ELA, the blue hair girl. Open the book from the other side and you'll be FOG, the dog with scarf. They are long time lost and need your help desperately to come together. Find the way to the Exit of 16 amazing labyrinths to unite them.



### STRANGER THAN FICTION

Hittouch

Paperback / 92 pp / 24 x 24 cm  
5 years and older

Rights for all languages available

As you explore this unique book, you'll encounter Earth's most peculiar creatures. But it has a game: within each animal category, a fictional creature is nestled among the real ones. Can you discover the impostor?



### KAMI AND THE NINE TAILS

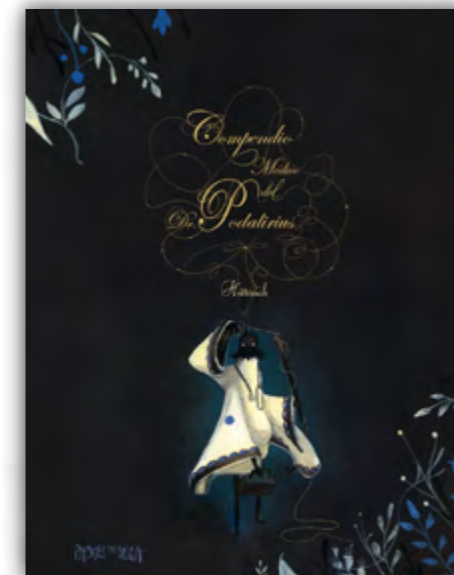
M. C. Arellano  
Zuzanna Celej

Hardcover / 68 pp / 19 x 24 cm

5 years and older

Rights for all languages available

As Ezo the squirrel learns to fly, he encounters a captivating creature: Kami, a nine-tailed squirrel. Kami shares with Ezo the nine tales that unveil the origins of each tail, leading them on a poetic voyage through the myths and legends of Japan.



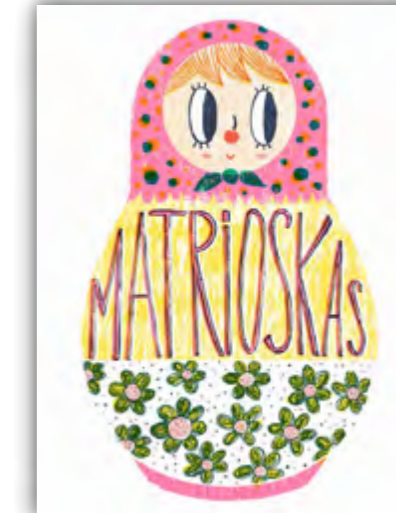
### DR. PODALIRIUS MEDICAL COMPENDIUM

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Hardcover / 48 pp / 21 x 26 cm  
3 years and older

Rights sold: Chinese

Podalirius, a tiny physician, operates his medical practice atop a blackthorn tree, attending to patients ranging from ants to butterflies. Despite his dedication, he grows weary and yearns to retire from medicine following an extraordinary event.



### MATRYOSHKAS

Laura Miyashiro

Hardcover / 44 pp / 15 x 21 cm

3 years and older

Rights for all languages available

An amusing flip-book for designing and coloring! Divided into 3 sections, it allows you to create infinite variations of Matryoshkas representing diverse urban tribes and cultures. Blend the attire of a Flamenco Matryoshka with that of an Indian one. Ever wondered about mixing a Heavy with an Inuit?