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#### WELCOME TO OUR YOUNG ADULTS CATALOGUE!



Please enjoy browsing the next pages! We look forward to sending you further information on anything that piques your interest. Unfortunately, we won't be in Bologna this year. Instead, we hope to video-meet you again. Please do not hesitate to get in touch with us to organize a call.

We look forward to hearing from you!

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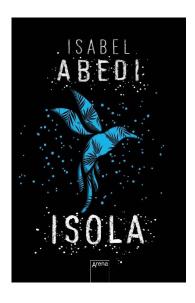
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#### **YA Highlights 2022**





#### **HEART OF MIST** by Kathrin Lange

- New: Translation rights sold to UA.
- Stand-alone all-age Romantasy.
- Rights of her books sold to: CZ, ID, PL, UA and German audio book rights.
- Kathrin Lange's books sold 120,000 copies.
- Rights of HEART OF MIST sold to UA, German audio book rights sold.

A girl torn between two brothers. Regardless of which one she falls in love with it will be disastrous for the other. Christopher and Adrian have sworn that no girl will ever come between them again, because there is a sleeping monster inside Adrian, just waiting to hurt his brother. But then Jessa comes to High Moor Grange...

Dark, irresistible and deeply romantic – a modern Beauty and the Beast story by the queen of emotions!

#### ISOLA by Isabel Abedi

- New: Translation rights sold to PRC.
- Stand-alone all-age story.
- Rights: Sold to BG, CZ, PRC, SI, TH, TR.
- Isabel Abedi's books sold more than one million copies.
- •Her books have been translated into 21 languages and German audio book rights have been sold.
- Awarded with the reader awards "Die goldene Leslie" and "Buxtehuder Bulle.".

There are twelve of them and they have won the first prize: Three weeks alone on a lonely island just beyond Rio de Janeiro – as actors for a film for which they alone determine the plot – for which they alone know what is the truth and what is a lie ... Three items they can take along. And countless cameras that monitor them ...



#### **Katja Brandis**

#### **The Jaguar Goddess**

Title German Die Jaguargöttin
Genre Fantasy/Shapeshifter

Age 12+ Pages 480

Format 14.8 x 21.0 cm Edition Hardcover

**Design** Blue Angel certification for

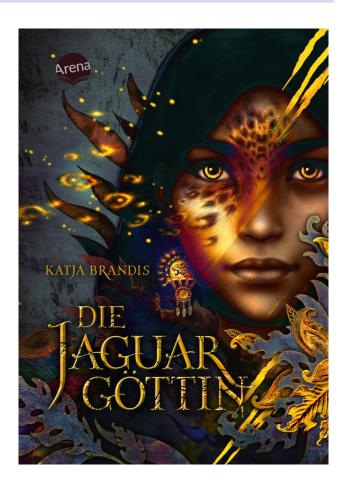
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Sales price € 18.00

Pub. Date February 2022 ISBN 978-3-401-60585-2

Rights Sold to RU, German audio book

rights sold



## Katja Brandis' world of shapeshifters in young adult fiction: epic, gripping, highly emotional. Bestseller material by the champion of the fantasy world

In the jungle kingdom of Elámon, shapeshifters are worshipped like deities. One of them is the young jaguar shapeshifter Kitana, who lives a carefree life with her family in the temple. Until the day when the high priest hatches a plot that destroys Kitana's idyllic world and forces her to seek help from the darkest depths of the jungle. Driven further and further into a corner, Kitana asks for help from a pack of panther shapeshifters who live in a remote area of the jungle and are very suspicious of jaguars as well as humans. When she meets the wild and unpredictable panther boy Ecco, everything changes for Kitana.

- A must for adolescent walker fans.
- Powerful themes, great love story, breathtaking settings.
- Shapeshifting fantasy in the breathtaking setting of the rainforest.
- Katja Brandis's books sold a total of 2.1 million copies.

#### **BACKLIST SAMPLES (KHYONA SERIES)**



The Silver Falcon's Spell (1) Katja Brandis Rights of the series: Sold to ID, PL and RU



The Power of the Ice Dragons (2) Katja Brandis Rights of the series: Sold to ID, PL and RU



#### **Thomas Thiemeyer**

#### Countdown

#### The Last Resistance

Title German Countdown

Subtitle German Der letzte Widerstand

Genre Adventure

Age 12+ Pages 440

Format 14.8 x 21.0 cm Edition Hardcover

Design With foil embossing and blind

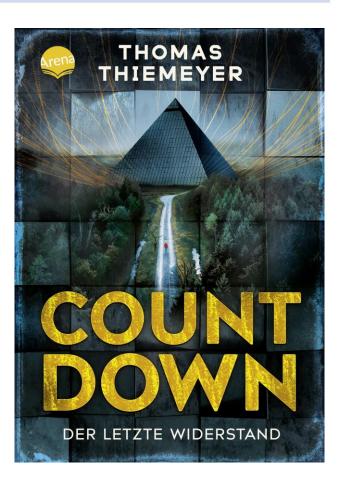
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Sales price € 18.00 Pub. Date May 2022

ISBN 978-3-401-60446-6

Rights Available worldwide, German

audio book rights sold



#### The days of humans are numbered. But they don't realize it

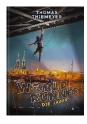
A power cut throws the whole world into chaos. Two years later, the consequences are still massive. The inescapable conditions caused by inadequate resources and overcrowded towns force Lena and her family to seek refuge in a settlement for dropouts. Here she meets her old classmate Ben. When the two of them find out that the power cut was only the start of a much bigger plan, they have to make a decision: should they stay in the safety of the settlement, or embark on the difficult and dangerous task of saving humankind from a power whose existence is not even suspected by anyone else?

- A riveting, action-packed story of survival.
- Humankind is on the verge of destruction: finite resources, a broken-down infrastructure, and a devious government.
- The new book by adventurer and best-selling author Thomas Thiemeyer relentless, gripping and action-packed.
- Thomas Thiemeyer's books sold a total of 135,000 copies so far.

#### **BACKLIST SAMPLES (AUTHOR)**



Evolution (1).The City of Survivors Thomas Thiemeyer Rights of the series: Sold to CZ, German audio book



World Runner (1). The Hunters Thomas Thiemeyer Jann Kerntke Rights of the series: Sold to CZ, German audio book rights



#### **Antje Herden**

#### **Sydney Love**

#### The World Between Me and Yesterday

Title German Sydney Love

Subtitle German Zwischen Gestern und mir die Welt

Genre Romance
Age 14+
Pages 320

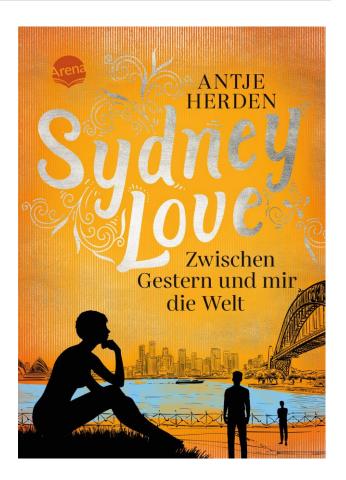
Format 15.5 x 21.5 cm Edition Hardcover

Design With gold foil emboosing on the

cover

Sales price € 15.00 Pub. Date March 2022

ISBN 978-3-401-60571-5 Rights Available worldwide



#### Charly's trip to Australia in search of her own identity as she travels towards her true self

Charly only wants to get away from the gilded cage of life with her parents. And so she buys a ticket to Australia and gets herself a job – but no sooner has she arrived than a skater steals all her savings. All the same, she is absolutely determined to be happy, even without money: in the park with the guitarist, or on trips with Atlas, the boy with special needs that she looks after. Even with the charming Will, who epitomizes the old world she hates so much, she feels at ease. However, when she falls in love with the park busker Josh, while at the same time Will promises her a glittering future, she realizes that happiness has many different facets.

- The moving encounter with a special boy.
- When the choice between two boys is not a matter of love but a question of one's own inner freedom.
- Charly's trip to Australia in search of her own identity as she travels towards her true self.

#### **BACKLIST SAMPLES (GENRE)**



**Keep Calm and Travel**Bettina Brömme
Rights: Available worldwide



**Lighthouse Hearts**Tanja Janz
Rights: Available worldwide



#### **Katja Brandis**

#### **Dolphin Team (1)**

#### **Diving to Adventure**

Title German DelfinTeam (1)

Subtitle German Abtauchen ins Abenteuer

Genre Adventure

Age 12+ Pages 264

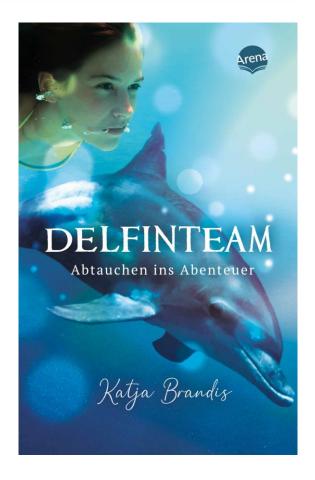
Format 12.1 x 18.8 cm Edition Softcover

**Design** Blue Angel certification for

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Sales price € 10.00 Pub. Date March 2022

ISBN 978-3-401-51242-6 Rights of the series Available worldwide



#### Together with a dolphin you will save the world

Sandra can think of nothing more boring than training to work in a bank. And so she immediately seizes the opportunity when offered a job as a diver in a Florida dolphin team. Far away from Germany, Sandra – together with her dolphin partner Caruso – gets to know the new environment, learns the common language, and prepares to carry out her work in the sea. But on her very first mission with Caruso, she finds herself in danger: the salvage ship Antares is searching for the silver cargo of a sunken Spanish galleon, but a much bigger problem than the search is the strange behaviour of the people on board the ship. By the time she finds out the cause, it's almost too late.

- By best-selling author and dolphin whisperer Katja Brandis.
- The perfect book for people who like to travel, keen divers, and genuine animal lovers.
- With Katja Brandis you get realistic characters, animal welfare and top-class, exciting adventures.

#### **BACKLIST SAMPLES (AUTHOR)**



Cheetah Summer Katja Brandis

Rights: Available worldwide



**Koala Dreams** Katja Brandis Rights: Sold to DK



#### **Marion Meister**

#### Fighting with Destiny

#### Circles of Fate (3)

Title German Schicksalskampf
Series German Circles of Fate (3)
Genre Urban Fantasy

Age 14+ Pages 248

Format 14.8 x 21.0 cm
Edition Softcover with flaps

Design With embossing and UV finish on

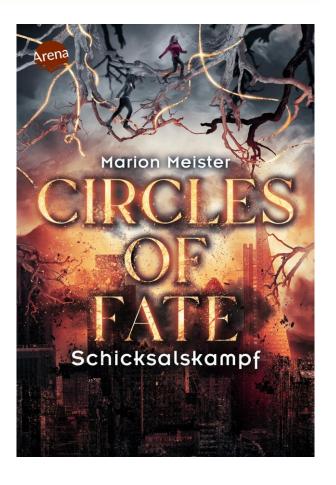
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 Sales price
 € 12.00

 Pub. Date
 January 2022

 ISBN
 978-3-401-60593-7

Rights of the series Available worldwide



#### Magical, gripping, and tragically romantic – simply perfect for fantasy fans!

Lita has made one line of the prophecy come true: She has brought death to the living and thus set in motion the end of the world. More and more people disappear. The thread of their respective fates has been cut and only their shadows remain in the streets of London.

Lita knows that she must stop at nothing if she is to bring these people back. She is given support by Rukar, in whom she places more and more trust. But is it possible that as someone of mixed race and son of an immortal, he too is involved in the plot to end the world? Only the immortal Jin wants the world to end in flames. He is prepared to do anything in order to finally escape from his own endless existence.

- A brilliant urban fantasy set in modern London.
- The magical fight against fate continues relentlessly.
- Marion Meister's books sold a total of 25,000 copies so far.

#### **BACKLIST SAMPLES (SERIES)**



Curse of Fate (1)
Marion Meister
Rights: Available worldwide



Storm of Fate (2) Marion Meister Rights: Available worlwide



#### **Marion Meister**

#### **Awakening from Destiny**

#### Circles of Fate (4)

Title German Schicksalserwachen
Series German Circles of Fate (4)
Genre Urban Fantasy

Age 14+ Pages 256

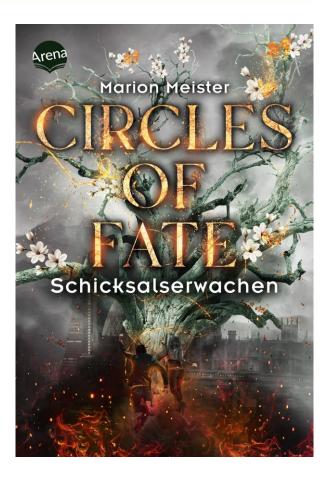
Format 14.8 x 21.0 cm
Edition Softcover with flaps

Design With embossing and UV finish on

the cover

Sales price € 12.00 Pub. Date March 2022

ISBN 978-3-401-60594-4 Rights of the series Available worldwide



#### The continuation of the brilliant urban fantasy series set in modern London

The threads of fate are falling apart, and the Tree of Fate has been poisoned. With its death, humans also die, and a rebirth is needed – as quickly as possible! Very few are able to divert the end: Lita travels with Zara, Rukar and Tegan into the world of beyond. They must break the curse which has affected the threads of fate, and plant a new Tree of Fate. However, this exposes Zara to deadly danger, and Tegan is not showing all her hand, because for her the end of the threads of fate is too attractive a prospect. Lita is prepared to give everything for a new beginning. And by the time Rukar realizes the sacrifice she will make, it is already too late...

- Strange but at the same time familiar = a world which is so closely interwoven with our own that it is to determine the fate
  of humanity.
- The nerve-jangling finale to our fantasy mini-series.

#### **BACKLIST SAMPLES (JUNE PERRY)**



White Maze
June Perry
Rights: Available
worldwide; German audio
book rights sold



LifeHack June Perry Rights: Sold to ID, German audio book rights sold



#### Antje Babendererde

#### **Isegrim**

#### Love among the wolves

Title German Isegrim

Subtitle German Eine Liebe in Wolfsnächten

Genre Thriller
Age 12+
Pages 416

Format 12.1 x 18.8 cm Edition Softcover

**Design** Blue Angel certification for

sustainable production

Sales price € 12.00 Pub. Date March 2022

ISBN 978-3-401-51236-5

Rights German audio book rights sold



### A thriller that makes you hold your breath: Isegrim by Antje Babendererde, the writer of bestsellers

The woods are Jola's sanctuary. Here she can retreat from the world – far away from her possessive boyfriend and her overprotective mother. Yet lately she hasn't even felt save in the woods any more. Something or someone is lurking here, watching her, following her. When Jola meets a boy who attracts her in a strange way, the mystery seems to be solved. She has no idea what other sinister secret the forest is keeping. And all the threads run together in a horrible crime Jola has been trying to forget for the past five years.

- Now with a new cover design and Blue Angel label.
- Hot topic: human conflict with nature.
- Antje Babendererde: critically acclaimed winner of numerous awards.
- Her books have sold a total of 520,000 copies.



Summer of the Blue Desires Antje Babendererde Rights: Available worldwide, German audio book rights sold



Snow Dancer
Antje Babendererde
Rights: Sold to FR, ID, IT
and LT, German audio book
rights sold



#### Isabel Abedi



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#### Mystery thrillers

**Isabel Abedi**, born in 1967, worked as a texter in advertising for 13 years. In the evenings she wrote children's and picture book stories und dreamt of making a living out of it one day. This dream came true long ago: In the meantime, Isabel Abedi has published very successful children's and young adult's books which received awards and were translated in many foreign languages.

- Isabel Abedi's books sold more than one million copies.
- Her books have been translated into 21 languages and German audio book rights have been sold.
- Awarded with the reader awards "Die goldene Leslie" and "Buxtehuder Bulle."
- Latest project: The children's book A TRULY TREMENDOUS, MARVELLOUSLY MIRACULOUS CHRISTMAS was published in Autumn 2021.

#### The Longest Night

Coming-of-Age, Mystery
Age 14+
408 pages
14.8 x 21 cm
Hardcover with die-cut jacket
€ 19.99
March 2016
978-3-401-51193-1
Rights: Sold to LT, UA, German
audio book rights sold

Lucian

Mystery, Angels
Age 12+
560 pages
13.5 x 20.5 cm
Softcover with flaps, die-cut
€ 13.99
September 2009
978-3-401-50655-5
Rights: Sold to FI, FR, ID, IT, LT, ES, TR, UA, German audio book rights sold

Isola

Mystery/Thriller
Age 12+
328 pages
13.6 x 20.5 cm
Softcover with flaps, die-cut
€ 9.99
May 2007
978-3-401-50892-4
Rights: Sold to BG, CZ, PRC, SI, TH, TR

It's only a few sentences in a manuscript – but there is something about them that disturbs 17-year-old Vita. Soon after that she starts on a trip across Europe. When she and her friends arrive in Italy, they accidentally find themselves in Viagello, a picturesque village mentioned in this manuscript.

Vita is strangely attracted to the village and the tightrope artist Luca, whom she meets there. He will guide her on a journey into her memories about something that happened in Viagello – in that longest night of all...

What if we were not alone? What if each of us was born with an angel by our side, an angel who would accompany us from birth to death? What if that angel loved us? It feels like a tear, a tiny tear deep inside Rebecca. What remains is a strange sensation of emptiness and fear. But then Lucian appears out of nowhere. A boy without a past, someone who cannot remember who he is or where he came from. Yet Lucian gives Rebecca the feeling of not being lonely any more.

There are twelve of them and they have won the first prize: Three weeks alone on a lonely island just beyond Rio de Janeiro — as actors for a film for which they alone determine the plot — for which they alone know what is the truth and what is a lie ...

Three items they can take along. And countless cameras that monitor them ...



#### Ella Blix



© Astrid Poppenhusen

#### Mystery-Thriller

Ella Blix Ella Blix is the pen name of author duo Antje Wagner and Tania Witte.

Antje Wagner (left) makes her home in Hildesheim and in Potsdam. She has already made a name for herself with her teen novels and stands for extraordinary mysteries.

Tania Witte (right) is a media teacher and adult education teacher; she lives in Berlin and The Hague. She writes preferably novels and short stories.

- Ella Blix's books sold 15,000 copies.
- Rights for their books are available worldwide.
- 2019 literary awards: the Mannheim Feuergriffel (Fire Pen) for Tania Witte and the town of Wetzlar's Fantasy Prize for Anja Wagner's novel "Hyde".
- Tania Witte's new novel will be published in Autumn 2022.



#### Wild

Mystery-Thriller Age 12+ 376 pages 14.8 x 21.0 cm Hardcover € 18.00 March 2020 978-3-401-60510-4 Rights: Available worldwide

The Time Vessel

Mystery Age 12+ 472 pages 14.8 x 21.0 cm Hardcover € 18.00 January 2018 978-3-401-60413-8

Rights: Available worldwide

They hear you thinking. But you can't understand them. Not yet! After a terrifying experience on a school trip to the forest, Noomi isn't the same anymore. Fragments of memories that are as thrilling as they are disturbing continually lead her back to this same day in the forest. Something has happened to her since then and she has to find out what went on there. Why can't she remember? Why does she now feel so close to animals?

Alina is the new kid at the Hoge Zand Boarding School on the small island Griffiun in the Baltic Sea. One night, Alina is in one of the tower rooms and notices a dark ship on the horizon; the vessel directs strange flashes at the adjacent nature resort. While looking for an explanation, she meets Tinka in the sand dunes and immediately feels an eerie connection to her. The girl with the odd equipment knows a lot more than she is supposed to and keeps disappearing without a trace.





#### Federica de Cesco



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#### **Adventures**

Federica de Cesco was born 1938 in Italy. She has traveled to many countries and spent several months living in other cultures. Today, she lives in Switzerland with her Japanese husband. Her books have been translated into numerous foreign languages. She received several awards for her written work. She is one of the most successful German young adult novelists.

- Federica de Cesco's books sold more than 1.3 million copies.
- Rights for her books sold to: BE/NL, EG (Arabic), ES, FR and IT.



#### **Shana The Wolf Girl Series**

Adventure
Age 12+
232 & 320 pages
13.5 x 20.5 cm
Softcover
€ 6.99 & € 14.99
June 2016 & August 2016
978-3-401-50873-3/
978-3-401-50850-4
Rights: Movie Rights sold,
available worldwide



#### Ann Morrison Trilogy (Vol.1-3)

Adventure
All age
208 - 265 pages
Softcover
12.5 x 20 cm
€ 9.95
1958-1986, Relaunch 2006-2012

Vol. 1: The Red Silk Scarf (50467) Vol. 2: The Turquoise Bird (50468) Vol. 3: The Sunray (50469)

Rights: available worldwide



#### White Crane over Tibet

Adventure
Age 13+
276 pages
19.5 x 12 cm
€ 13.90
Paperback Relaunch
€ 6.99
May 2011
978-3-401-50297-7
Rights: available
Worldwide

After her mother's death, the Indian girl Shana completely escapes into the retreat of her music. All by herself she plays her beloved violin in the woods and meets a strangely tame female wolf. When her alcohol addicted dad sells her precious instrument, Shana steals it back and flees with her violin into the wilderness. While the wolf is staying by her side, she struggles to find herself a different kind of life. One of Federica de Cesco's best novels, SHANA tells the touching story of a young Indian girl and her extraordinary friendship with a female wolf.

Young Ann Morrison feels like a bird in a cage at her Aunt Adele's house. Then, during a train ride through Arizona an opportunity for her to break out of that cage arises: When a stranger leaves a silk scarf behind. Ann spontaneously decides to follow her — and she leaves the train!

Due to some adventurous complications she soon meets Chee who is half Native American. This Trilogy describes Ann's adventures together with her best friend Chee. Soon they find themselves in the middle of conflicts with enemy tribes and whites.

Sonam and Osher must flee from Tibet across the snow-covered Himalayan passes to Nepal where they will be safe. Their luggage contains highly controversial film material they intend to hand over to the Western public in Kathmandu ...

The dramatic backdrop of this adventurous love story is the resistance of Tibetans against the Chinese government.



#### Franca Düwel



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#### Diary

**Franca Düwel**, born 1967, studied Literary Studies and Pedagogy. After various jobs in the film industry, she became a highly successful script writer. She developed the Children's TV Series Die Pfefferkörner (The Peppercorns). Aside from numerous scripts (Berlin, Berlin, Vier gegen Z), she also wrote the book series Julie and took her readers by storm. Franca Düwel lives near Hamburg with her husband, her daughters, her parents, cats, lizards and turtles. Survival for Beginners is her sixth novel.

Franca Düwel's books sold more than 250,000 copies.



#### **Survival for Beginners**

Crime Story
All age 14+
440 pages
Hardcover
€ 16.00
February 2021
Rights: Available worldwide

Mia is quite sure that her father works for the Secret Service. What's more, for weeks she's been followed by a dark Volvo. But nobody believes her! Can life possibly get any worse? Oh yes, it can! Her parents send her off to some silly camp in the wilderness. Mia is in despair! In this adventure camp out in the wild, her fears become increasingly acute, and her pursuers become even more real than anyone could have imagined. Suddenly, nothing is safe anymore – regardless of whether we trust Mia's story or not.



#### Julie's Diary

**Humorous Novels** 

Age 11+
272 - 320 pages
Hardcover
€ 12.99 - 13.99
Vol.1: Julie and Snow White (06407)
Vol. 2: Julie and the Black Sheep
(06449)

Vol. 3: Julie and the Love Chaos (06581)

Vol. 4: Julie and the Question What Boys Want (06746)

Vol. 5: Julie on Cloud Number Ten (60001)

Rights of the series: Sold to LT Sold via author's agent: DK, PL

Julie's life consists of ups. And downs. More downs, to be honest. These consist of an ancient pony nightgown (worn at the worst time possible), a cute boy (who dislikes being locked into the basement) and a person who urgently needs help but refuses to be helped! The only available adviser is Sharon from the sex hotline advertised on TV late at night. And Julie's diary. Any questions? Then read Julie!

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#### **Ilona Einwohlt**



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#### **Empowering literature for girls**

**Ilona Einwohlt**, born in 1968, has made herself a name with her guides for girls – one of the reasons is that she uses her relaxed but compassionate voice to write about issues that really interest girls. The author and her family live near Darmstadt.

- Ilona Einwohlt's books sold more than 550,000 copies.
- Rights of her books sold to: BG, CZ, FR, IT and PL.
- Her new novel will be published in Autumn 2022.



Uncovered.

A Very Revealing Selfie

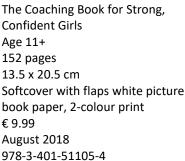
Real Life/School
Age 12+
232 pages
12.3 x 18.9 cm
Softcover
€ 8.00
2021
978-3-401-60549-4

Strawberry Summer Trilogy

Rights: Available worldwide

Romance
Age 11+
232 pages
13.5 x 20.5 cm
Hardcover
Cover with UV finish
€ 12.99
Autumn 2016
978-3-401-60256-1
Rights: Available worldwide

**Butterfly Wings for You.** 

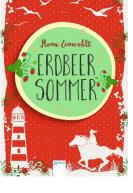


Rights: Available worldwide

Boys and girls in Milan's and Ella's class play exchanging revealing selfies — anonymously, with no face. Class crush Milan gets all the pictures — Ella is the only one to show no interest in him.

Trying to entice her out of her shell, Milan begins flirting with Ella, which quickly develops into an intense relationship. Finally, Ella does it: she sends Milan a sexy photo of herself. But suddenly the picture turns up on all her classmates' phones — and it's showing far more than Ella intended.

Volume 1 of a trilogy: Emotions like ebb and flow! Romantically and with great sensitivity, Ilona Einwohlt has written a story about the bliss of a summer with horses by the North Sea, about first true love and the question: When can you really trust somebody? Romantic trips to the beach and misty secrets are linked together to form a superb summer novel which unites topics that reflect young girls' wishes and desires.





Who am I? Where do I want to go? It's not always easy to maintain perspective during the rollercoaster of puberty. Ilona Einwohlt and Christina Arras understand how to stay cool when discussing serious subjects. 'Inspirational' questions, tests and checklists help girls to develop their own strong personalities. The guidebook for more Girl Power!



#### **Andreas Eschbach**

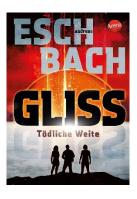


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#### **Future fiction & science fiction**

Andreas Eschbach, born in Ulm, studied aeronautics and space technology at Stuttgart University and became a well-known author particularly by his thriller DAS JESUS-VIDEO (JESUS VIDEO, 1998) which was also turned into a movie. His adult novels are successful in 13 countries and ONE TRILLION DOLLARS, THE CARPETMAKERS and LORD OF ALL THINGS were translated into English as well. Meanwhile, Eschbach has become a permanent member of the league of German top thriller authors. His novels for young readers are all published by Arena Publishing House. Andreas Eschbach is a freelance writer who lives in Brittany with his family.

- Andreas Eschbach's books sold more than 460,000 copies.
- His books have been translated into 7 languages and German audio book rights are sold.



#### **GLISS. Deadly Distance**

Future Fiction All age 456 pages Hardcover € 22.00 October 2021

Rights: Available worldwide, German audio book rights sold

Ajit knows he will never leave the town of Hope. Because it is surrounded by the GLISS — a region where nothing ever stays still, and so nothing can ever be built there. Beyond the GLISS there is not a single town or a single human being. Or at least that is what Ajit believes. But one day the body of a man is carried across the GLISS, and then the 17-year-old Ajit realizes that the history of his world is a lie.



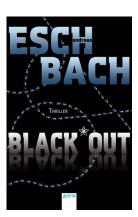
#### The Aquamarine Trilogy

Future Fiction All age 408 pages Hardcover € 17.99 May 2015

Vol. 1: Aquamarine (60022) Vol. 2: Submarine (60023) Vol. 3: Ultramarine (60389)

Rights of the series: Sold to FR, RS, RU

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#### Willi Fährmann



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#### **Historic novels**

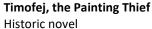
Willi Fährmann, born in Duisburg in 1929, is one of the most sophisticated German writers of books for children and teens. The awards he received for his overall work include the Grand Award of the German Academy of Novels for Children and Young Adults as well as the German Children's Literature Award. In 2011 Willi Fährmann also was awarded the Order of Merit of the State of North Rhine-Westphalia where he was born. His books published by Arena have sold way over eight million copies. He died on 25th May, 2017.

- Willi Fährmann's books sold more than 8 million copies.
- His books have been translated into 14 languages.



#### The Bienmann Saga

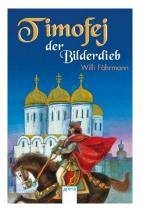
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Russia at the end of the 18th century: young, adventurous Timofej Tutalew travels from Omsk to distant Nischnij-Nowgorod in order to purchase a precious Nikolaus icon for a wealthy businessman. Arriving finally at his destination after a long trip full of adventures and dangers, Timofej isn't about to give away the money that was entrusted to him. He steals the magic painting, keeping the money for himself. The icon, however, possesses a strange power from which Timofej cannot escape - and the painting thief begins to change...





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#### Kira Gembri



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#### Realistic drama/ Sick-lit

**Kira Gembri** was born in Vienna in 1990; she was the second of five children. Even after having obtained her master's degree in comparative literature she remained loyal to this beautiful city. When she isn't riding a tandem bike, playing cello, chasing her cat — whose personality bears great resemblance to Simon's Cat — or reading one of the books that are stacked up in her apartment, she lives her passion: writing humorous and romantic stories. WHAT YOU DREAM OF was awarded with the DELIA Literature Award in 2018.

- Kira Gembri's books sold 90,000 copies.
- Rights of her books sold to: CZ, ID, RU and German audio book rights sold.
- The first volume of Kira Gembri's new children's book series THE SCHOOL OF MAGICAL THINGS was published Autumn 2021.

#### What You Dream Of

Humorous love story/ sick-lit
Age 14+
328 pages
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#### Jump If You Dare

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Humorous love story/ sick-lit
Age 14+
336 pages
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May 2015
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Emilia has a list of special dreams: she wants to learn to play the piano, go to a concert, or simply know how the rain sounds. Behind each of these points, however, is a big challenge, because Emilia is almost deaf. That coincidence makes her encounter Nick, seems like a bad joke to her, because the boy with the crooked grin shows much more interest in parties than in music. But while Emilia pursues her dreams, the two meet again and again - and it seems that both Nick's loud and Emilia's silent world are not so far apart

Lea's life consists of numbers, rituals and strict rules. Jay's life consists of girls and partying. As soon as Lea moves into the apartment Jay shares with two other boys, she starts to arrange everything she can lay her hands on in a tidy manner — so that her three co-residents find their possessions in 23 neatly labelled cartons. Jay's mates agree that the girl with the big eyes and those strange counting rituals has to leave. But how to tell her that she has to move out? And does Jay really want that, too ...?

Jump If You Dare is on the 2015 List of Recommended Books issued by the German Academy of Children's and Teen Literature.



# Stefanie Gerstenberger and Marta Martin



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#### Comedy

Stefanie Gerstenberger and Marta Martin are mother and daughter who both live in Cologne. They presented their first joint novel with TWO LIKE SUGAR AND SPICE.

Stefanie Gerstenberger was born in Osnabrueck in 1965 and studied German and physical education. After working in the hotel industry and for film and television studios, she started to write her own stories. Marta Martin, born in Cologne in 1999, is a young actress who became well-known by playing a major part in the movie series Die Vampirschwestern (The Vampire Sisters).

The author duo's books sold over 65,000 copies.



#### Blind Date in Paris. What Does Love Look Like?

Young Adults
Age 12+
352 pages
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Hardcover
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August 2019
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Rights: Available worldwide

Two Like Sugar and Spice. Back to the Sweet Future



978-3-401-60129-8

Rights: Available worldwide

Wanda and Ken don't have time for love - but in Paris everything turns out completely different. Wanda flees from her life full of duties. When she meets Ken she is confused: It is scary how well Ken understands her. But he is blind! Why can he look so deeply into Wanda? But Ken seems to have a plan in which great love is not foreseen. They have to ask themselves the most important questions: What are they running away from and will Ken fall in love with Wanda without ever seeing her before?

Charlotte, called Charles, is outraged! How can anyone be as pliable as Marion, her mother? And then it happens: One morning after an argument Charles suddenly wakes up in Marion's teen room. Charles jumped back to the past and finds herself in the presence of her fifteen-year-old mother! Marion wears ugly dungarees, swims naked and goes with the flow in the wild Eighties. At first Charles is bewildered – then fascinated. Will she ever make it back to the future? And does she really want to?



# Muffins and Marzipan. About Bliss at Second Glance Young Adults



Young Adults
Age 12+
376 pages
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Autumn 2016
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Ella wants true happiness. One day, she is casted for a main part in a film. And she gets unexpected support from Ewan, the family dog, who suddenly starts talking to her. His sober comments help Ella through her days on the filmset and avoid embarrassing scenarios with her new crush Jeremy. But she has a longer way to happiness because since her father passed away, Ella's greatest wish is for her and her mother to be a family again. For that she has to solve the mystery around her father's death and get her mother to stop overlooking her so that Ella will finally be able to play the main part in her own life.

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#### **Kerstin Gier**

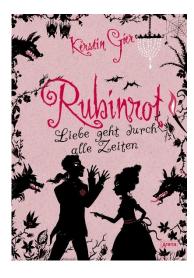


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#### Romantic comedy

**Kerstin Gier**, born in 1966, has worked as a freelance writer since 1995 and already celebrated huge successes with her first books. By now she has written numerous novels for adults and teens that have made it on the bestseller lists on a regular basis. Her gem trilogy RUBY RED – SAPPHIRE BLUE – EMERALD GREEN has become a global bestseller and was made into movies featuring renowned actors. The DELIA Literature Award winner lives near Bergisch Gladbach with her family.

- Kerstin Gier's books sold more than 2.5 million copies worldwide.
- Her books have been translated into 34 languages and German audio book rights have been sold.

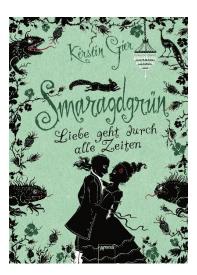


**Timeless Love Trilogy** 

Age 12+ 352 - 496 pages 14.8 x 21 cm, Hardcover Fantastic Love/Comedy € 14.95 – 19.95 2009/2010

Vol. 1: Ruby Red (06334)
Vol. 2: Sapphire Blue (06347)
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and German audio book rights





Kerstin Gier's Timeless Love Trilogy has become a true phenomenon. The author managed to write herself into the hearts of her female readers, young and old alike, in no time. Hundreds of thousands of fans followed Gideon and Gwendolyn's outrageous adventures throughout the centuries. Week after week Smaragdgrün (Emerald Green) as well as Rubinrot (Ruby Red) and Saphirblau (Sapphire Blue) sell in numbers that usually make up the whole published lot. All three were on SPIEGEL Bestseller List for months. Our competitors are emerald green with envy!

The Timeless Love Trilogy is thrilling, funny and sooo romantic at the same time. One day, fifteen-year-old Gwen finds out that she has a time travel gene and jumps back unexpectedly in time. And she finds out that she isn't the only time traveller; there is actually a whole secret society in London. And then she finds out that one of the time travellers is very attractive and cute: Gideon. But falling in love isn't that easy when you jump back and forth in time and have to fulfil a dangerous mission in the 18th century.



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Boys Are Like Chewing Gum. Sweet and Easy to Wrap Around Your Little Finger 200 pages 15.5 x 21.5 cm Chick-Lit € 6.99 June 2014 978-3-401-50651-7 Rights: Sold to CZ, ES, DK, GR, IT, LT, NO and HU

Sissi is thirteen, rather impudent, mercilessly bad in math - and hopelessly in love! But unfortunately, Constantin, her dream prince, only has eyes for older girls with "experience". Really too bad, 'cause when it comes to kissing Sissi simply can't keep up yet. So she moves heaven and earth and her sandbox friend Jacob to get herself some ultra-sensitive information on the topic, like pronto ...



#### **Beatrix Gurian**



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Mystery thriller

After studying theatre studies and literature Beatrix Gurian worked as an editor for television. Today she is a free-lance author who writes novels for teens and adults. She also shares her experience as a writer with all age groups in writers' workshops.

Please visit www.beatrix-mannel.de for more information.

- Beatrix Gurian's books sold 250,000 copies.
- Rights for her books sold to: CZ, ID, PL and RU.



#### Alabaster Ball. The Curse of the **Last Kisses**

**Romantic Thriller** Age 12+/ All age 392 pages 14.8 x 21.0 cm Hardcover € 18.00 September 2019 978-3-401-60388-9 Rights: Sold to ID, German audio book rights sold



#### **Shimmering Nights**

Romance/ Mystery Age 12 +/ All age 384 pages 13.5 x 20.5 cm Hardcover € 16.99 July 2016 978-3-401-60216-5 Rights: Sold to PL

When Amy holds the invitation to the legendary Alabaster Ball in her hands, she believes that she is a step closer to her goal. She will finally be able to find out what happened to her sister who went to the ball a year ago - and never came back. There are countless legends associated with the night of the alabaster moon. It seems like a dream to Amy that she is actually going to be part of it all. With every dance Amy uncovers a new secret. A secret that relates not only to her sister's fate, but also to her feelings for Matt, who makes her heart melt ...

A brilliant romance set in a glamorous castle on the coast of Denmark, a novel brimming with mysteries and shady characters – and a chilling shadow that keeps appearing where you would least expect it.

After her mother married Frederik, Earl von Raben, Pippa moves into a beautiful castle in Denmark. Yet the earl's family has a dark secret. Strange things happen, and soon she no longer knows what is real and what is not. By the time Pippa finally realises what is going on in the dark Castle of Ravensholm, it may be too late ...



#### Stigmata - You Can't Hide Forever

Illustrator: Erol Gurian Psychological thriller All age 384 pages 13.5 x 20.5 cm Hardcover with photos € 16.99 June 2014 978-3-401-06999-9 Rights: Sold to PL, RU

Shortly after her mother's death Emma receives an old black-and-white photo of a toddler from an anonymous sender. Included with the picture is the mysterious request to look for her mother's murderers. Emma is supposed to find them in a youth camp that takes place in an old castle tucked away in the mountains. There she keeps discovering eerie castle photographs of days gone by. Something mysterious is going on.



#### Jana Hoch



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#### **Romance & Horses**

Jana Hoch was born in 1992 in Hannover and still lives near the city. She has enjoyed inventing her own worlds and characters and capturing them on paper since her earliest childhood. The horse trainer uses very free minute to write – her perfect day begins at sunrise with her laptop on her knee and a cup of hot chocolate and ends on the back of her horse, Jamie.

For more information see Instagram: janahoch.autorin.

- Jana Hoch's books sold 65,000 copies.
- The first volume of her children's books series PONY JAMIE was published in Autumn 2021.
- Rights of her books sold to:: Sold to BG, BE/NL, CZ, German audio book rights sold.



#### **Dancing with Raven**

Romance/Horses
Age 12+
360 pages
14.8 x 21.0 cm
Hardcover
With gold foil embossing and UV
finish on the cover
€ 16.00
October 2021
Rights: Available worldwide,
German audio book rights sold

At her new boarding school, Katrina must do two things: find some friends, and go riding. But both are out of the question. She has sworn never to sit in the saddle again, and she is simply not ready to make new friends. Not after everything that has happened. Even when she meets Raven, the untamed palomino who refuses to obey any command, Katrina abides by her decision. All the same, she wants to be with him, because Raven gives her back something she thought she had lost forever: the feeling of freedom and of being truly alive. But Raven is not the only influence that gradually brings Katrina out of her melancholy. There is also Henry. This boy presents more of a challenge to her than anyone else, and he won't give up trying to find her secret.



#### Royal Horses Trilogy

Romance/Horses All age 360-376 pages 14.0 x 21 cm Hardcover € 15.00

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His world is that of the Royals – full of scandals and secrets. Falling in love with him was never part of her plan. Their paths cross at the royal stud farm...

Greta just wants to get away: away from her school and away from the friends who have so endlessly disappointed her. The holiday job at the royal stud farm comes at just the right time for her. She might not have any interest in horses — and even less in princes and princesses — but the royal family's palace still makes her heart beat faster. But on the very first day she quarrels with Edward, the horse trainer. He guesses that she is hiding a secret and wants to do whatever it takes to bring it out in the open. When, shortly afterwards, Prince Tristan appears at the stud farm, Greta's life is completely turned upside down.



#### **Kathrin Lange**



© Susanne Kraus



# Kathrin Lange DIE FABELMACHTCHRONIKEN FLAMMENDE ZEIGHEN FOR



#### Mystery & romance

**Kathrin Lange**, born in 1969, first worked as a book dealer and media designer before turning to writing in 2005. Since then she has been renowned for her historical novels and thrillers for teens. Her latest Romantasy series THE FABULATOR CHRONICLES takes place in Paris, where the talent of fabulation can change the course of reality.

- Kathrin Lange's books sold 120,000 copies.
- Rights of her books sold to: CZ, ID, PL, UA and German audio book rights.

#### **Hearts of Mist**

Romantasy
14+
432 Pages
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Hardcover
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€ 18.00
October 2020
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#### The Fabulator Chronicles Dilogy

Romantasy
Age 12+
416 pages
14.8 x 21.0 cm
Hardcover
Dust jacket with silver foil,
UV finish and multistage
blind embossing
€ 18.00, June 2017
Vol. 1:Blazing Signs (60339)
Vol. 2: Burning Words (60368)
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#### **Heart of Glass Trilogy**

Romantasy Thriller All age 416 pages 14.8 x 21 cm Hardcover € 16.99 January 2014

Vol. 1: Heart of Glass (06978) Vol. 2: Heart in Pieces (60005) Vol. 3: Heart of Dust (60033) Rights of the series: sold to PL A girl torn between two brothers. Regardless of which one she falls in love with it will be disastrous for the other. Christopher and Adrian have sworn that no girl will ever come between them again, because there is a sleeping monster inside Adrian, just waiting to hurt his brother. But then Jessa comes to High Moor Grange...

Dark, irresistible and deeply romantic – a modern Beauty and the Beast story by the queen of emotions!

Does Mila believe in love at first sight? On the train to Paris she meets an old man who asks her this question. Mila does not yet know what he already knows: Paris will awaken in her an ancient ability. A gift with which she can change reality through the stories she writes in her notebook. This ability is called fabulation. And indeed, when she meets the mysterious Nicholas at the train station, he seems to have sprung directly from one of these stories. But Nicholas, too, masters the gift of fabulation - and he has also written about Mila. A battle of fabulated stories flares up around the only true love. And Mila and Nicholas are in the middle of it.

A mansion on the East Coast of the United States. A curse that for many years has pushed young girls into jumping off a cliff. A love hampered by a sinister secret. In this trilogy our successful author tells a great love story filled with mysticism, romance and drama.

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#### Claudia Pietschmann



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#### **Future fiction**

Claudia Pietschmann, born in Mark Brandenburg in 1969, spent her childhood and youth surrounded by countless books. She studied business administration in Berlin and subsequently worked as a marketing consultant and as a texter in advertising. The author has studied dreaming for quite a while. After extensive practicing she even managed to direct her own dreams — just like the characters in her debut novel.

- Claudia Pietschmann's books sold 16,000 copies.
- Rights of her books sold to: PL and UA (RU, UA).



Life In Reverse
Future fiction
Age 12+
344 pages
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Hardcover
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€ 15.00
September 2018
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Age 12+

368 pages

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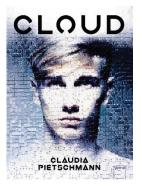
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January 2018
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Nina wakes up from a coma. She had an accident, as she distinctly remembers – but her parents and friends tell her it never happened. They say that nothing she tells them is true. Yet Nina has images in her head, the images of a mountain, a house and a boy she is in love with. And then all of a sudden that very boy stands in front of her: Arthur, but he doesn't remember Nina. Nina is unable to withstand the perilous attraction of Arthur and her mental pictures ... and she must stop the accident that already happened in her memory from happening.

Emma is in love: Paul understands her like no other since her little brother died. The two have never met, but online they share everything. Emma is willing to share her whole life with Paul. Again and again, he comes up with surprises, which he sends her over the Internet. But these little favours soon get a bitter taste. For Paul, Emma seems to be the only window to the world. He evades her desire to meet up. What's wrong with Paul - and does he even exist?

I dream, you dream. We used to dream at night. Everyone used to dream on their own. Then this new era began, and humans started to experience impossible things while sleeping: they became heroes, conquered the sky and the depths of the ocean. They could save the world and let it perish in the next moment. They dreamed about everything they had lost.

The disaster began when they started to dream together.



#### **Charlotte Richter**



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#### Romantasy/ Dystopia

Charlotte Richter began to write when she was still a student and published her first text for radio. Since then she has published several novels for young people and adults. She has received various literary awards including the City of Hamburg Award for Literature. She has been a member of the Hamburg Writers' Room for many years, a work and office collective for writers, even though she no longer lives in Hamburg. She now lives and writes in Kattendorf in Schleswig-Holstein.

- Charlotte Richter's books sold 15,000 copies.
- German audio book rights.
- Charlotte Richter will publish a new stand-alone title entitled "Hidden Lies" in Autumn 2022.

The Shell Collector
Romantasy/ Dystopia
Age 12+
432 pages
14.8 x 21.0 cm
Hardcover, Dust jacket
with sparkling finish
€ 18.00
February 2019
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German audio book rights sold

Mariel had always expected to be happy on the island of Amlon. Surrounded by pearl-white beaches and the turquoise sea, what else could she possibly need? But deep-down Mariel feels that she does not belong. While her friends enjoy life in paradise, she feels drawn to anything that is less than perfect. Like her beloved shells with their cracks, and Sander, the boy who gives her the first kiss. But she can never be together with him, because one of the rules in Amlon is that you can only find happiness with your ideal partner, and whoever rebels against this rule will be banned forever



Gemma. Be Happy or Die
Romantasy/ Dystopia
Age 12+
424 pages
15.5 x 21 .5cm
Hardcover, with hologram foil
€ 18.00
April 2021
978-3-401-60543-2
Rights: Available worldwide,
German audio book rights sold

In the near future, your life depends on your happiness. Anyone who is happy is fine. Anyone who is not faces the threat of death. In just 72 hours. All her life, 16-year-old Gemma has been happy - unlike her father, whose level is sinking lower and lower. For his sake, Gemma must study at the Academy at all costs, the place where you can learn to produce happiness artificially. Among all the laugh-yourself-silly people she meets there, she is particularly attracted to Keno. He is regarded as a border-crosser who wants to get away from compulsory happiness. By his side, Gemma learns what true feelings are and what people have to sacrifice if they regard happiness as the be-all and end-all of life.



#### Rainer Wekwerth

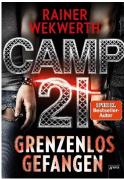


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#### Mystery thriller

Rainer Wekwerth, born in Esslingen / Neckar in 1959, is a passionate writer. He has written successful books, some of which he published under pen names and for which he has received awards. He is married and has one daughter. The author lives near Stuttgart. Rainer's most successful project at Arena is the LABYRINTH series for which he received several readers' awards.

- Rainer Wekwerth's books sold 150,000 copies.
- Rights sold to PL and German audio book rights.



#### Camp 21. Infinitely Captured

Mystery Age 12+ 352 pages 14.8 x 21 cm Hardcover, UV finish on the cover € 12.99 January 2017 978-3-401-60177-9 Rights: Available worldwide, German audio book rights sold

Rainer Wekwerth is entertaining us with this new, fast-paced tour de force thriller, in which he not only engages his heroes but also the readers. Highly full of surprising twists and with a lot of feeling, the award-winning youth book author dares a monstrous thought experiment. What would happen if the maximum performance of a human being could be controlled? And who pays the price for this manipulation?



#### Blink of Time. **Hunt Down Sarah Layken!**

Mystery thriller All age 320 pages 13.5 x 20 .5cm **Paperback** € 12.99 June 2017 978-3-401-51009-5 Rights: Available worldwide In order to find her right life, to meet her true love again, to save her brother from having an accident, Sarah Layken must relive the same situation over and over again. She can choose a new life every time but she never knows the price she will have to pay for it in advance.



#### The Labyrinth Tetralogy

Mystery thriller All Age 400 pages 14.8 x 21 cm **Paperback** € 10.00 2021 Vol. 1: The Labyrinth Awakens

(51220)

Vol. 2: The Labyrinth Will Hunt You Down (51221)

Vol. 3: The Labyrinth Knows No Mercy (51222)

Vol. 4: The Labyrinth Never Forgets (51223)

Rights of the series: Sold to PL

You have never read Rainer Wekwerth like this! The author of successful fantasy novels has written an extra classy mystery thriller: multi-dimensional characters, unique locations and а deep emotional entanglement in the plot are guaranteed. No one has ever studied and mixed the trendy topics and genres, such as dystopia, romantasy and mystery, as well and intelligently as Rainer Wekwerth does in this novel.



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