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WELCOME TO OUR YOUNG ADULTS CATALOGUE!

We are excited to present volume 2 of the EVOLUTION TRILOGY written by Thomas Thiemeyer! 35,000 readers have been captivated so far by this nature vs. mankind future fiction.

Rainer Wekwerth is our awarded YA entertainment specialist. With CAMP 21, he offers a fast-paced thriller on educational teenage boot camps connected to military behavioral experiments.

Beatrix Gurian is undoubtedly one of our finest thriller authors: SPARKLING SUMMER NIGHTS is again a perfect blend of mystery, magic and romance!

NEONAZI is a very important title for us and we are deeply honored that it has been chosen for the NEW BOOKS IN GERMAN spring 2017 review! This autobiographical novel is being told by a neo-Nazi drop-out who recounts the lures and dangers of the scene and how he managed to get away from it all.

It has been a while since we read something new from Christoph Marzi. ABRAHAM TENENBAUM'S LAST FILM forces granddaughter Zoe to hunt down family secrets against a nostalgic backdrop of Brooklyn.

Please enjoy browsing the next pages! We look forward to hearing from you at any time.

With all best wishes,

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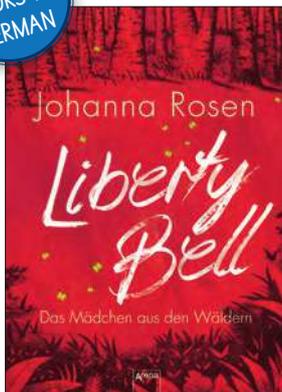
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**NEW
BOOKS IN
GERMAN**



Jana Frey as Johanna Rosen

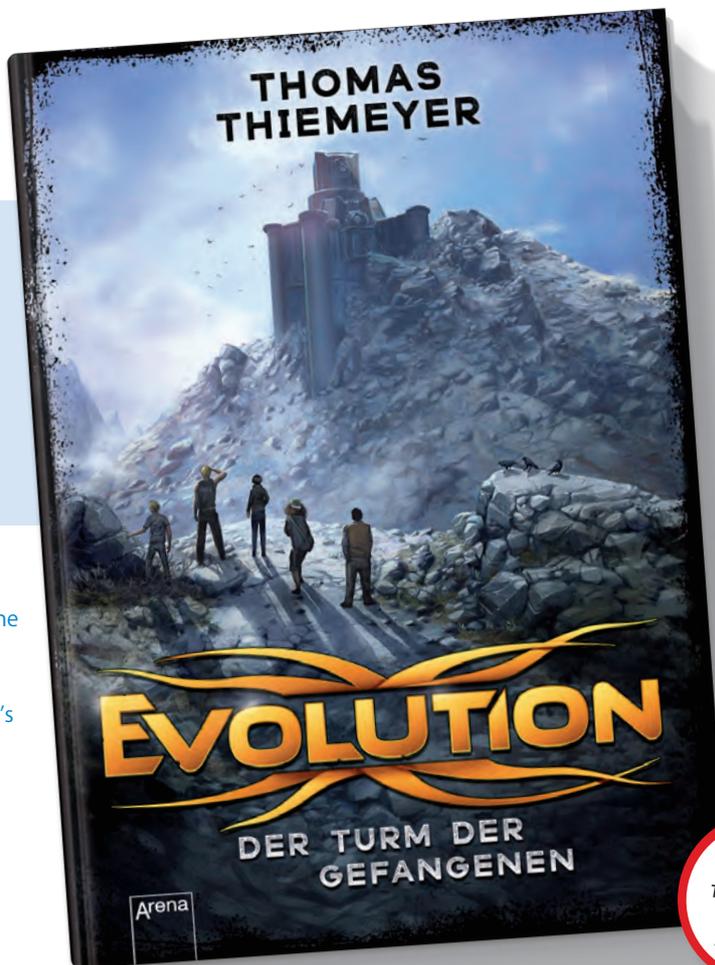
All age • 375 pages • Hardcover • 14.8 x 21 cm • € 15.99
June 2013 • 978-3-401-06804-6 • Rights: available worldwide

LIBERTY BELL. THE GIRL FROM THE WOODS

An old cabin in the heart of the woods – this is where Ernesto and his friends find the girl. Alone, confused and beautiful. Yet when Ernesto finally manages to gain her trust, they are betrayed by someone. The mystery where Liberty Bell came from soon claims the lives of two people, and for Ernesto and Liberty Bell it is not only their love that is at stake.

EVOLUTION TRILOGY

In prehistorical times a comet brought life to planet earth; now a second comet will end human history. In the best tradition of classic scientific novels, Thomas Thiemeyer invites his readers to make a mental experiment: What if mankind was no longer the master of our Earth? What if nature and animals had taken control of our planet once again? And what if we had to live in this world?



Thomas Thiemeyer

Age 12+
 368 pages
 14.8 x 21 cm
 Hardcover
 UV finish on cover
€ 16.99
 978-3-401-60168-7
 January 2017
 Rights: German audio book rights sold

- Thomas Thiemeyer knows what he is writing about: the subject matter, the target group and the genre. Not only because of the author's scientific background, the topical developments are not just invented but possible future changes
- He is a renowned author of German entertainment literature.
- The second volume of Thomas Thiemeyer's thrilling trilogy for both boys and girls.

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 (VOL. 1 & 2)
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THE TOWER OF PRISONERS. THE SECOND BOOK OF EVOLUTION (VOL. 2)

At last, Jem, Lucie and their friends have reached the City of Survivors. But instead of the expected like-minded people, they are confronted with strangers full of hatred. Between the towers, the Middle Ages seem to have been revived: technology is considered black magic, there is a war against animals and asking questions is forbidden. The full anger of the lords is released when the youngsters read in some old books about other time-jumpers. There is only one place that they can flee to for hope: the oasis of the time-jumpers. But the path there leads through marshes right into the land of the Squids.

BACKLIST SAMPLES (AUTHOR)



EVOLUTION. THE CITY OF SURVIVORS (VOL.1)
 Age 12+
 Young Adults/Future Fiction/
 Dystopia
 978-3-401-60167-0
 Rights: German audio book rights sold

RAINER WEKWERTH



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 a daughter. The author lives near Stuttgart. Rainer Wekwerth's LABYRINTH TRILOGY has been a success right from the start: bestseller, readers' awards, movie rights sold!

Rainer Wekwerth

Age 12+
352 pages
14.8 x 21.0 cm
Hardcover
UV finish on cover
€ 16.99
978-3-401-60177-9
January 2017
Rights: German audio book rights sold

- An extraordinary thought experiment: what if you were bound to someone by a bracelet.
- A new novel by Rainer Wekwerth, who deeply fascinates readers with his LABYRINTH TRILOGY.

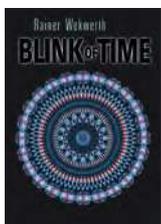


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CAMP 21. INFINITELY CAPTURED

Mike and Kayla have arrived in Camp 21. They hardly know each other and like each other even less. Tied together with electronic bracelets, it is impossible for them to avoid each other. Whenever they separate too far, they receive impulses, causing them agonizing pain. While Kayla tries to cope with the situation, Mike suspects something is wrong in the camp. After a fatal incident, the two manage to flee. But this is only the beginning of a breath-taking hunt, because the chains, the secret experiments and the growing love for each other form a dangerous net for Mike and Kayla, from which there seems to be no escaping.

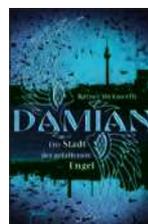
BACKLIST SAMPLES (AUTHOR)



BLINK OF TIME. HUNT DOWN SARAH LAYKEN!
All age
360 pages
Mystery thriller
978-3-401-60094-9
Rights: available worldwide



THE LABYRINTH TRILOGY
All age
Mystery Thriller
978-3-401-06788-9/
978-3-401-06789-6/
978-3-401-06790-2
Rights: series sold to PL, TR



DAMIAN. CITY OF FALLEN ANGELS (VOL. 1)
All age
Urban Fantasy
978-3-401-06513-7
Rights: available worldwide

BEATRIX GURIAN



After studying theatre science 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. She frequently writes for our Arena Thriller Collection. Her books have been translated into Polish and Russian. After the success of SHIMMERING NIGHTS, Beatrix Gurian once again makes the girls' hearts beat faster with her current title SPARKLING SUMMER NIGHTS.

Beatrix Gurian

All age
352 pages
13.5 x 20.5 cm
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April 2017
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AUTHOR

- As the winner of the 2015 DeLia Award, Beatrix Gurian knows how to write to make female readers' hearts beat faster.
- Beatrix Gurian has become a fixture on our YA list and is a bestseller hallmark.
- Beatrix Gurian's YA titles are published exclusively by Arena.

SPARKLING SUMMER NIGHTS

Luke has long been Kati's best friend. After a party she wants to finally tell him that she feels more for him. But then a tragic accident happens which leaves Kati with heavy scars. Disheartened, she travels as an au pair to L.A., where her life takes a magical upswing. In a bar called "LIVED" Kati finds new friends in the attractive siblings Jeff and Lucy. All her dreams suddenly seem to come true, her scars vanish mysteriously. But the glamour world conceals something – and only with Luke's help does Kati realize that she has long since been caught in a nightmare.

BACKLIST SAMPLES (AUTHOR)



GLIMMERING NIGHTS

All age
Romance/Mystery, Love and Glamour with a sinister touch
978-3-401-60216-5
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All age
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THE MERMAID'S REVENGE

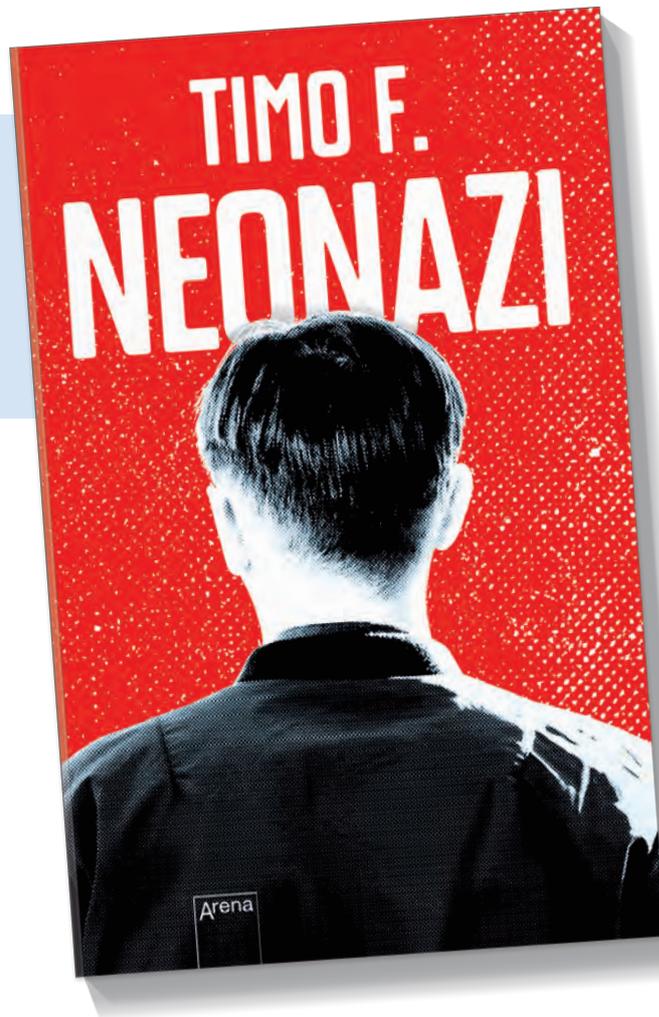
All age
Arena Thrillers (Vol. 40)
978-3-401-06865-7
Rights: available worldwide

NEONAZI

Timo F.*, born in 1994, belonged to the neo-Nazi scene in a West German state between the ages of 14 to 17. He entered through right-wing music and demonstrations and mediated between the various political subgroups of the scene. Until he finally questioned the ideology and his "friendships". With the help of an exit organization he started a normal life in 2011.
(* Name changed)

Timo F.
Age 13+
232 pages
13.5 x 21.5 cm
Hardcover
UV finish on cover
€ 9.99
978-3-401-60294-3
January 2017
Rights: available worldwide

- The first book of an ex Neonazi for teenagers.
- Scarcely known and startling facts: Beyond all stereotypes this book gives us a unique insight into the scene.



NEONAZI

Timo was neo-Nazi. Although he was never one for ideology, he landed as a fourteen-year-old in the right-wing scene: he listens to neo-Nazi music and goes to demonstrations. He loves the public rebellion and the recognition he receives among the like-minded. Soon he wins over comrades for military camps, rises to the top of a right-wing village group and enthusiastically encourages his peers to join them. But when State Protection starts to focus on him, Timo begins to have doubts: Is this really the path in life that he wants to take?

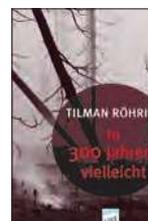
BACKLIST SAMPLES (TOPIC)



Anja Tuckermann
WE WILL NOT BE SILENCED. THE WAY OF THE WHITE ROSE AND THE SCHOLL SIBLINGS TO RESISTANCE
Age 12+
Non-Fiction, History
978-3-401-06854-1
Rights: available worldwide



Gerd Schneider
THE MANY FATHERS OF HATE. IF YOU WANT PEACE, YOU MUST UNDERSTAND WHAT STARTS WARS
Age 11+/ All age
Non-Fiction, War
978-3-401-06144-3
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Tilman Röhrig
IN 300 JAHREN VIELLEICHT
Age 14+
Historic Novel
978-3-401-02775-3
Rights: available worldwide



CHRISTOPH MARZI



Christoph Marzi grew up in the Eifel Region. He started to write at the age of fifteen. After he had completed several short stories, his first novel *Lycidas* was published in 2004. In 2005, Marzi was awarded the Deutsche Phantastik-Award. His *MALFURIA TRILOGY* for younger readers was a bestseller overnight. Christoph Marzi works as a teacher and lives in Saarbrücken with his wife and his three daughters. His books have been translated into CZ, ES, GB, NL, NO, PL, PT, RO, TR.

Christoph Marzi
 Age 12+
 288 pages
 13.5 x 20.5 cm
 Hardcover
 € 14.99
 March 2017
 978-3-401-60291-2
 Rights: available worldwide

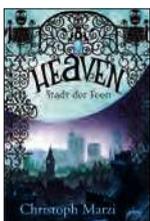


- 200,000 copies of Christoph Marzi's books have already been sold in total.
- He also writes children's books.

ABRAHAM TENENBAUM'S LAST FILM

Tom has never seen the girl before that is suddenly jumping behind him on his scooter at a crossroads in the middle of Brooklyn, asking him to follow a stranger: Zoe Tenenbaum has been threatened by an unknown man for several days. He demands a film reel from the estate of her deceased grandfather, who had owned a small programme theater. What kind of pictures does this film contain that makes it this valuable to the stranger?

BACKLIST SAMPLES (AUTHOR)



HEAVEN
 Age 12+
 Urban Fantasy
 978-3-401-06382-0
 Rights: sold to ES, GB, NO, TR,
 German audio book rights



MEMORY
 Age 12+
 Urban Fantasy
 978-3-401-06622-6
 Rights: sold to GB, NO



5 DAYS IN APRIL
 Age 12+
 Romance
 978-3-401-06855-8
 Rights: available worldwide

ISABEL ABEDI



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 and 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 of which some received awards and were translated in foreign languages.



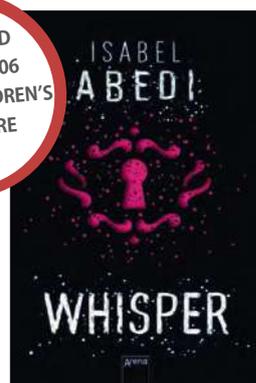
The Longest Night
 Age 14+
 408 pages
 14.8 x 21 cm
 Hardcover with die-cut jacket
 Love / Mystery
€ 19.99
 March 2016
 978-3-401-06189-4
 Rights: available worldwide,
 German audio book rights sold

It's only a few sentences in a yet unpublished manuscript Vita finds in her father's study – but there is something about them that mesmerizes and disturbs the seventeen-year-old girl. Soon after that she and her friends start on a trip across Europe. When they arrive in Italy, they accidentally find themselves in the very spot mentioned in her father's manuscript: Viagello, a small and picturesque village. Vita is strangely attracted to the village, even more so when the tightrope artist Luca literally lands in front of her. At first glance Vita thinks Luca is special yet there is something about him and his family she cannot grasp. Little does she know that he will guide her on a journey deep down into her memories that will end with something that happened in Viagello – in that longest night of all...



Lucian
 Age 12+
 480 pages
 14.8 x 21 cm • Hardcover
 Love / Angels
€ 18.95
 September 2009, relaunch 2014
 978-3-401-06203-7
 978-3-401-06700-1
 Rights sold to: FI, FR, ID, IT, LT,
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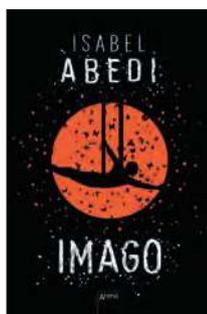
What if we were not alone? What if each of us was born with an angel by our side, an angel who would accompany us from birth to death? What if that angel loved us? The great new novel by the bestselling author Isabel Abedi in the same tradition as Himmel über Berlin (Wings of Desire). Simply magic. It feels like a tear, a tiny tear deep inside Rebecca as if someone had pulled out a hair with tweezers. 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.



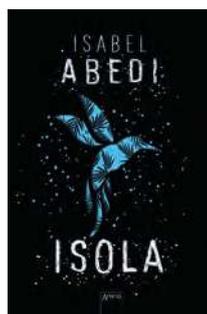
Whisper
 Age 12+
 280 pages
 13.5 x 20.5 cm • Paperback
 Soft cover with flaps and die-cut
 Mystery Thriller
€ 9.99
 June 2005, relaunch 2011
 978-3-401-50891-7
 Rights sold to: BG,CZ, ES, HR, IR,
 JP, LV, SI, TH,TR, German audio
 book rights sold

Whisper – that's what Noa decides to call the 500-year old dusty house on the countryside where she is to spend her summer vacation. Over the old building lies an eerie, oppressive silence that is strangely full of anticipation, yet no one except Noa seems to feel that. And there's David, the green-eyed boy from the village, who makes Noa's heart beat wildly. Then, there's the game – the game that changes everything. Inspired by their surroundings, David and Noa decide to hold séance. Just for fun, with a few glasses moving around. But a spirit speaks to them, It's the ghost of a deceased girl, who claims to have been murdered exactly 30 years ago in the house's attic.

FURTHER TITLES BY THE AUTHOR AVAILABLE



Imago. The Secret Journey
 Age 12+
 408 pages
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 Love / Mystery
€ 12.99
 June 2004, relaunch June 2016
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 978-3-401-50890-0
 Rights sold to: BG, TR, German
 audio book rights



Isola
 Age 12+
 328 pages
 13.5 x 20.5 cm • Paperback
 Soft cover with flaps and die-cut
 Thriller
€ 9.99
 May 2007, relaunch July 2016
 978-3-401-06048-4
 978-3-401-50892-4
 Rights sold to: BG, CZ, SI, TH, TR

ANTJE BABENDERERDE

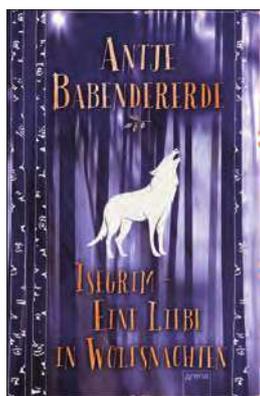


Antje Babendererde, born in 1963, grew up in Thuringia and was employed by a special medical facility for psychiatrics and neurology as a therapist working with children. Since 1996, she has been a freelancing author with a special interest in the culture, history and contemporary situation of Native Americans. Her sensitive coming-of-age novels for adults and juveniles on this topic are not only based on her intense research, and trips to the U.S., but are also highly praised by reviewers. ISEGRIM is the first YA thriller of Antje Babendererde. The author writes exclusively for Arena.



Kissed by a Raven
 All age
 432 pages
 14.5 x 21 cm • Hardcover
 Thriller
€ 17.99
 February 2016
 978-3-401-60009-3
 Rights: available worldwide

Never look into the eyes of a raven or it will steal your soul and carry it away...
 Mila loves Tristan. Her life could finally take a turn to the good with him far away in Moorstein where no one knows her. But then the Black Vermin returns – the ravens Mila has feared since she was a small girl. And the mysterious Lucas is also back ... A gripping drama and a thrilling story about a love triangle penned by the exceptional author Antje Babendererde.



Isegrim
 All age
 416 pages
 13.5 x 20.5 cm
 Soft cover with flaps
 Thriller
€ 12.99
 August 2016
 978-3-401-50699-9
 Rights: available worldwide

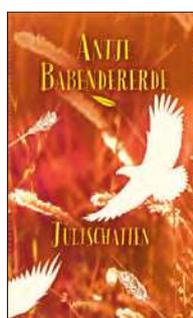
The woods are Jola's sanctuary. Here she can retreat from the world – far away from her possessive boyfriend and her overprotective mother. Yet lately she hasn't even felt safe in the woods any more. Something or someone is lurking here, watching her, following her. When Jola meets a boy who attracts 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.

ANTJE BABENDERERDE'S NATIVE AMERICAN LOVE STORIES/ROMANCES

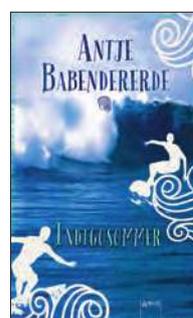
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Dragonfly Summer
 All age
 272 pages
 13.5 x 20.5 cm
 Soft cover with flaps
 Romance
€ 9.99
 978-3-401-50910-5
 June 2006
 Rights: German audio book rights sold, option on movie rights



July Shadow
 All age
 480 pages
 13.5 x 20.5 cm
 Soft cover with flaps
 Romance
€ 12.99
 January 2016
 978-3-401-50907-5
 Rights: German audio book rights sold



Indigo Summer
 All age
 360 pages
 13.5 x 20.5 cm
 Soft cover with flaps
 Romance
€ 9.99
 978-3-401-50908-2
 Rights: German audio book rights sold

Wild, romantic, authentic and new: Antje Babendererde knows how to enchant her readers with her stories . Touching, moving, gripping – for female teens and adult readers.

FEDERICA DE CESCO



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.



Shana The Wolf Girl Series

Age 12+
232 / 320 pages
13.5 x 20.5 cm
Teen book
€ 6.99 / 14.99
June / August 2016
978-3-401-50873-3/
978-3-401-50850-4
Rights: available worldwide,
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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 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 The Wolf Girl series tells the touching story of a young Indian girl and her extraordinary friendship with a female wolf. Shana is the authentic, moving story of a courageous girl finding her way in life.



Ann Morrison Trilogy (Vol. 1-3)

All age
208 - 265 pages
12.5 x 20 cm
Adventure
€ 9.95
1958-1986, relaunch 2006-2012
978-3-401-50467-4/
978-3-401-50468-1/
978-3-401-50469
Rights: available worldwide

Young Ann Morrison feels like a bird in a cage at her Aunt Adele's house. Then, during a train ride through Arizona an unexpected opportunity for her to break out of that cage arises: When a stranger leaves her silk scarf behind while leaving the cabin Ann spontaneously decides to follow her – and the train goes on without her! Anne dives into a fully new, exciting world. Due to some adventurous complications she soon meets Chee who is half Native American. The successful Ann Morrison Trilogy describes Ann's adventures together with the Native Americans and especially her best friend Chee. Exciting and dangerous adventures await the two friends who will soon find themselves in the middle of conflicts with enemy tribes and Whites.



The Moon Horse

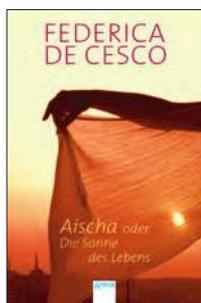
Age 10+
144 pages
12.1 x 18.8 cm
€ 4.99
June 2012
978-3-401-01988-8
Rights: available worldwide

By risking her life, Anga saves Khan, a badly injured grey horse. Anga would love to keep the elegant animal yet Bantje, the son of the powerful Mogul prince, recognizes that Khan is his own horse. The two of them decide to fight for the grey horse but before the competition is over, they find themselves in a deadly earthquake ...

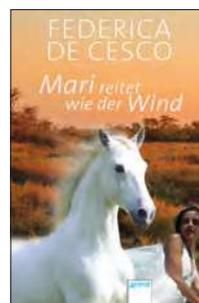
FURTHER TITLES BY THE AUTHOR AVAILABLE



White Crane over Tibet
Age 13+
276 pages
12 x 19.5 cm
Adventure
€ 6.99
1999; relaunch May 2011
978-3-401-50297-7
Rights: available worldwide



Aischa or the Sun of Life
Age 12+
320 pages
12.5 x 20 cm
Love Story
€ 9.00
1985, relaunch 2008
978-3-401-05329-5
Rights: available worldwide

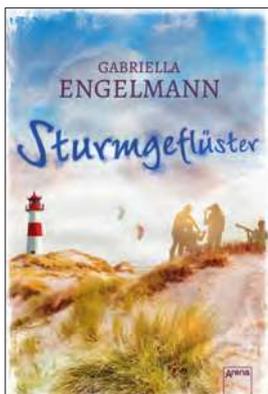


Mari Rides Like The Wind
Age 10+
120 pages
13.5 x 20.5 cm
Horse novel
€ 5.00
1997, relaunch 2017
978-3-401-50949-5
Rights: available worldwide

GABRIELLA ENGELMANN

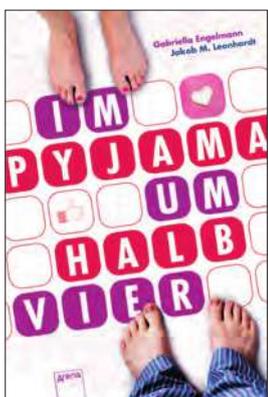


The author, who was born in Munich, discovered her joy of writing in Hamburg. After her career as a book dealer, editor and publisher she now enjoys the freedom of being a writer of novels, children's and teen books. *GOLDEN GIRL ON CLOUD NUMBER 9* is her fifth book for young adults published by Arena.



Storm Whisper
 Age 12+
 208 pages
 13.5 x 20.5 cm • Paperback
 Summer romance with thrilling suspense
€ 9.99
 June 2015
 978-3-401-60111-3
 Rights: German audio book rights sold

It was supposed to become Tinka's most awesome summer. But if your best friend lets you down, summer holidays on Sylt are nothing but a boring affair. Until Tinka meets kite surfer Sven who introduces her to his friends, and his penetrating eyes immediately rock her heart. Yet Tinka finds out soon that he and his friends are keeping something from her. By the time Tinka realises that she herself has brought about the sinister past, it is almost too late.



With Jakob M. Leonhardt
3:30 a.m. In My Pyjamas
 Age 12+
 224 pages
 13.5 x 20.5 cm • Hardcover
 Entertaining novel
€ 12.99
 January 2013
 978-3-401-06793-3
 Rights: available worldwide

In Facebook Lulu searches for this guy named Ben whom she has just met at a party. She finds ... another guy with whom she starts to chat every day. They tell each other things they usually would not reveal to anyone. Things that usually remain untold. And all of a sudden they start to have feelings for this stranger whom they actually do not know at all.



Kiss the Wolf. Little Red Riding Hood's Tender Love Story
 Age 12+
 256 pages
 13.5 x 20.5 cm
 Fairy Tale Romance
€ 9.99
 978-3-401-06725-4
 February 2012
 Rights: German audio book rights sold



Golden Girl on Cloud Number 9. A Love Story Made in Heaven
 Age 12+
 256 pages
 13.5 x 20.5 cm
 Fairy Tale Romance
€ 9.99
 August 2012
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 Rights: available worldwide

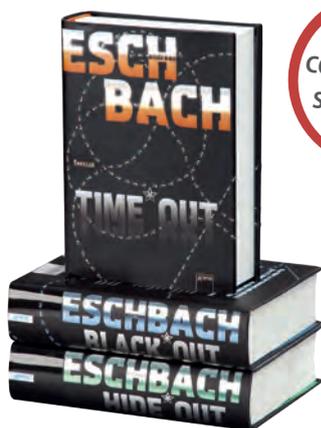


White as Snow. Red as Blood. Green with Envy. Snow White's True Story
 Age 12+
 264 pages
 13.5 x 20.5 cm
 Fairy Tale Romance
€ 13.95
 June 2010
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ANDREAS ESCHBACH



Andreas Eschbach, born in Ulm, studied aeronautics and space technology at the Stuttgart University and became a bestselling German thriller author with the thriller *DAS JESUS-VIDEO* (1998) which was also turned into a movie. His 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.

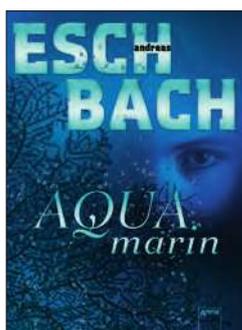


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Black*Out Trilogy

All age • 352 - 528 pages
14.8 x 21 cm • Hardcover
Technical Thriller
€ 16.99
978-3-401-06062-0
978-3-401-06587-8
978-3-401-06630-1
Rights of the series
sold to: F, PL, TR

A world where no one is alone any more. A seventeen-year-old with extraordinary abilities. And a chase the world has ever seen before. What if the knowledge and thoughts of one individual was available to a whole group? At any time? Wouldn't that mean peace and harmony on Planet Earth? Wouldn't it mean that an individual was no longer so awfully lonely? Or could it create a power that would turn into the greatest danger to the whole world? A first-class thriller by the bestselling author Andreas Eschbach who spins a baffling tale around the issues of internet linking and globalization and contemplates the question what identity and individuality mean to mankind.



Aquamarine

All age • 408 pages
14.8 x 21 cm • Hardcover
Spot finish and
embossing on cover
Future fiction
€ 17.99
May 2015
978-3-401-60022-2
Rights: sold to F, RS

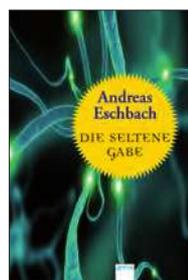
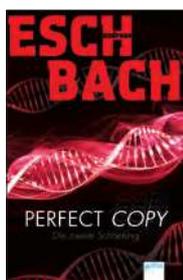
In the Year 2151 man has put the ocean under his complete control. The seven seas have been researched and tamed; they supply the planet Earth with energy and natural resources. Yet there are secrets in the deep sea that must never rise to the surface. The girl Saha finds out what that means when she discovers that she has a unique talent ... An extraordinary heroine in a deep blue and shockingly realistic vision of our future.



The Mars Project (5 Volumes)

Age 12+ • 304-364 pages
13.5 x 20.5 cm • Hardcover
Space Saga
€ 14.95
March 2005
978-3-401-05749-1
978-3-401-05770-5
978-3-401-05867-2
978-3-401-06060-6
978-3-401-06061-3
Rights: sold to F

It is the year 2086. There is a small human settlement on the planet Mars. Four children live there who have been born there and who see Mars as their home. When the government on Earth decides at some point to dissolve the colony, the children start fighting for their home. In doing so, they discover something that changes everything. The future, the present, even the past. Nothing remains the same.



Perfect Copy / The Rare Gift

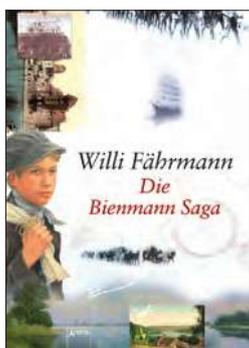
Age 12+ • 248/320 pages
13.5 x 20.5 cm • Hardcover
YA Thriller
€ 6,99 / € 9,99
978-3-401-50316-5
978-3-401-50353-0
Rights: sold to F, RU (and
JP, CZ for Perfect Copy)

"The Rare Gift" and "Perfect Copy" each explore the life of two outsiders with very special qualities. "Perfect Copy" deals with the controversial topic of cloning. The scientific thriller explains the theory in a way everyone understands and develops an exciting plot with an unpredictable ending. "The Rare Gift" is told by a first-person narrator who is kidnapped by a boy with telekinetic skills. The reader feels strongly aligned to that boy who is always on the run and has no place to turn to – until he falls in love with the narrator.

WILLI FÄHRMANN

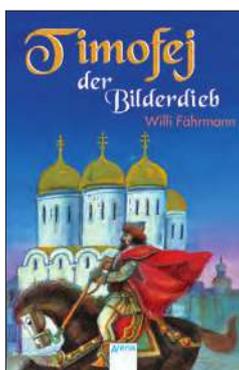


Willi Fährmann, born in Duisburg in 1929, is one of the most sophisticated German writers of books for children and teens. The awards he received for his overall work include the Grand Award of the German Academy of Novels for Children and Young Adults as well as the German Award of Youth Literature.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



The Bienmann Saga
 Age 12+
 1,200 pages
 14.8 x 21 cm • Hardcover
 Historic novel
€ 28.00
 September 2009
 978-3-401-06520-5
 Rights: sold to DK, GB, HR, KR, NL, SE, TR, USA

The story of the Bienmann Family: Four dynasties – four sections of German history. In his four-part saga, the renowned and often awarded writer Willi Fährmann illustrates the 20th Century from a very special perspective. Whether the wave of emigrations to America, the era after the First and during the Second World War or the wave of refugees from East Prussia – Willi Fährmann paints the picture of a family's destiny that is exemplary for so many others.



Timofej, the Painting Thief
 Age 12+
 256 pages
 12 x 19 cm • Paperback
 Historic novel
€ 7.90
 1995
 978-3-401-02129-4
 Rights: sold to CL, DK, ES, FI, FR, KR, LU, NL, SE, UK, USA

Russia at the end of the 18th century: young, adventurous Timofej Tutalev 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...



The Finks
 Age 14+
 310 - 448 pages
 12 x 19 cm • Paperback
 16 x 21 cm • Hardcover
 Historic novel
€ 7.90 - € 15.90
 1989 - 2004
 978-3-401-02580-3/
 978-3-401-02710-4/
 978-3-401-02711-1/
 978-3-401-05720-0
 Rights: Individual books sold to AU, DK, EE, ES, FR, GR, IT, JP, KR, NL, SE, TR, UK, USA

The story of the Fink Family: In this saga of four volumes, Willi Fährmann illustrates life in Germany before, during and after Second World War. Willi Fährmann, who is himself a contemporary witness of the Nazi regime, describes the destiny of working class people and the impact the prosecution and harassment by Nazis had on these peoples' lives.



As Far As Clouds Will Travel
 Age 12+
 496 pages
 14.8 x 21 cm
 Historic novel about the Third Reich
€ 8.99
 978-3-401-50911-2
 September 2008
 Rights: available worldwide



It Happened in the House Next Door
 Age 14+
 176 pages
 12 x 19 cm
 Paperback
 Historic novel
€ 5.95
 1968
 978-3-401-02500-1
 Rights: sold to KR, JP

JANA FREY

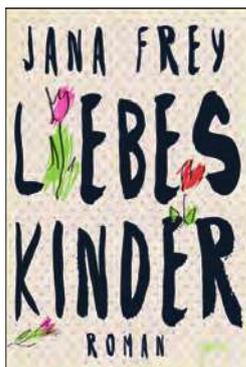


Jana Frey was born in Düsseldorf in 1969. After finishing school in Wiesbaden, she studied literature, arts and history in Frankfurt, San Francisco and Auckland/New Zealand. In the meantime she has written numerous books for children and young adults that have been highly praised by the media. Her novel Höhenflug abwärts (Flying High to Hit the Bottom) was nominated for the Award of Juvenile Literature. The author lives in seclusion near Frankfurt am Main with her family.



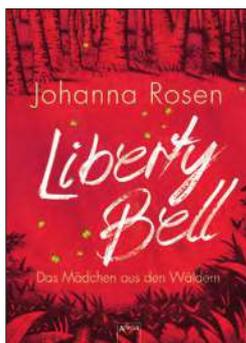
Rain Drop Bliss
All age
352 pages
13.5 x 20.5 cm • Hardcover
Love / Destiny
€ 15.99
July 2016
978-3-401-60004-5
Rights: available worldwide

A special kind of love story. The shy boy Ben and the sensitive girl Nisha seem to be made for each other. Yet Ben has no idea that Nisha has a secret. Troubled by an experience in her past, she lives in a world that doesn't exist for other people. A novel that does not reveal the whole truth until the end and takes its readers on a gripping emotional journey that won't let go of them.



Love Children
Age 14+
384 pages
13.5 x 20.5 cm • Hardcover
With protective cover
Romance
€ 16.99
January 2015
978-3-401-06787-2
Rights: available worldwide

Zadoc loves everything about Ivory. Her hair, which reflects all the shades of autumn. The constantly changing expression of her winter sky blue eyes. And more than anything else her smell, which is the scent of the wind and resistance. Kenzie loves everything about Amos. His light green eyes, his laughter and his smile, his music, the way he moves, the way he walks. And she loves the fact that he belongs to her. Only her. Two lovers. Two fates. And a story that intertwines anything and everything.



Liberty Bell. The Girl from the Woods
All age
375 pages
14.8 x 21 cm • Hardcover
Romance / Mystery
€ 15.99
June 2013
978-3-401-06804-6
Rights: available worldwide

An old cabin in the heart of the woods – this is where Ernesto and his friends find the girl. Alone, confused and beautiful. Yet when Ernesto finally manages to gain her trust, they are betrayed by someone. The mystery where Liberty Bell came from soon claims the lives of two people, and for Ernesto and Liberty Bell it is not only their love that is at stake.

FURTHER TITLES BY THE AUTHOR AVAILABLE



Whenever You Need Me
All age
368 pages
13.5 x 20.5 cm • Hardcover
Romance
€ 15.99
978-3-401-06277-8
Rights: available worldwide



Don't Breathe A Word To Anyone
Age 14+
208 pages
12.1 x 18.8 cm • Paperback
Violence at school
€ 4.95
January 2009
978-3-401-50094-2
Rights: available worldwide

KIRA GEMBRI



Kira Gembri was born in Vienna in 1990; she was the second of five children. Even after having obtained her master's degree in comparable 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.



The Two of Us in Black and White

Age 14+
328 pages
13.5 x 20.5 cm • Hardcover
Humorous love story
and sick-lit
€ 14.99
September 2016
978-3-401-60219-6
Rights: German audio book
rights sold

When Alex meets the exuberant art student Kris, he thinks he has found his soulmate. Kris also loves challenges and kicks and is particularly taken by performance art. Though Alex is not into art at all, he would risk just about anything for Kris. Together they go through a rollercoaster of feelings that pushes them to the limit – and puts Alex in great danger.



A Part of Us

Age 14+
328 pages
13.5 x 20.5 cm • Hardcover
Humorous love story
and sick-lit
€ 14.99
March 2016
978-3-401-60228-8
Rights: German audio book
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Nia saves Aaron's life by donating an organ to him. So will Aaron now be indebted to her for life? The cynical young man doesn't like that idea at all. When Nia inherits a cottage in the Outback of Australia and doesn't dare to travel there, Aaron seizes his chance: He will pay Nia back for saving his life so he can find closure. And to do so, he'll take Nia to the end of the world if that's what it takes ...



Jump If You Dare

Age 14+
336 pages
13.5 x 20.5 cm • Hardcover
Humorous love story
and sick-lit
€ 14.99
May 2015
978-3-401-60149-6
Rights: German audio book
rights sold

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.

KERSTIN GIER



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 Award winner lives near Bergisch Gladbach with her family.



Timeless Love Trilogy

Age 12+ • 352 - 496 pages

14.8 x 21 cm • Hardcover

Love / Comedy

€ 14.95 - 19.95

2009/2010

978-3-401-06334-8/978-3-401-06347-8/

978-3-401-06348-5

Rights of the series: sold to AL, BG, CZ, DK, EE, ES (Cast + Cat), FI, FR, GE, GR, HU, ID, IL, IT, JP, KOR, LT, NL, NO, PL, PRC, PT, RO, ROC, RS, RU, SE, TH, TR, UA, UK, USA, VN and German audio book rights

Kerstin Gier's Timeless Love Trilogy has become a true phenomenon. She 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.

The time travel trilogy has turned into an international smash success! And the fans can hardly be stopped. There is incredible fan potential on the internet: heated discussions about the books and great anticipation in numerous blogs, in the Arena forums as well as in all other book forums! Volume 3, Emerald Green has been published in November 2010.

FURTHER TITLES BY THE AUTHOR AVAILABLE



Ruby Red. Timeless Love Trilogy

Film edition with photos

368 pages

13.5 x 20.5 cm

Hardcover

€ 17.99

December 2012

978-3-401-06871-8

Rights of the series: see above



Sapphire Blue. Timeless Love Trilogy

Film edition with photos

400 pages

13.5 x 20.5 cm

Hardcover

€ 18.99

July 2014

978-3-401-06764-3

Rights of the series: see above



Emerald Green. Timeless Love Trilogy

Film edition with photos

496 pages

13.5 x 20.5 cm

Hardcover

€ 19.99

June 2016

978-3-401-60225-7

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Timeless Love Trilogy

Special gift box edition • 1248 pages

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€ 39.99 • July 2012 • 978-3-401-06763-6

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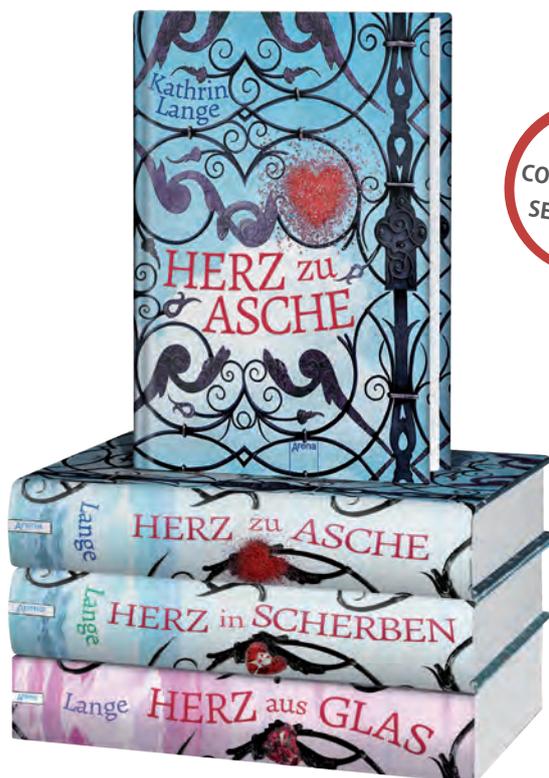
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KATHRIN LANGE



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 books sold a total of 90,000 copies so far.

"Lots of surprising turns make for an unpredictable plot and a gripping adventure in a unique setting."
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 SERIES SOLD

Heart of Glass Trilogy

All age
 416 pages each
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 Love Thriller
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 January 2014
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 978-3-401-60033-8
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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.

KATRIN LANGE FOR THE ARENA THRILLER COLLECTION



Shadow Wings
 Age 12+
 264 pages
 13.5 x 20.5 cm
 Arena Thrillers (Vol. 23)
€ 9.99
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 Rights sold to: CZ



September Girls
 Age 12+
 264 pages
 13.5 x 20.5 cm
 Arena Thrillers (Vol. 31)
€ 9.99
 978-3-401-06843-5
 Rights: available worldwide



You Shall See Me in the Shadows
 Age 12+
 96 pages
 10.2 x 15 cm
 Mini Thriller
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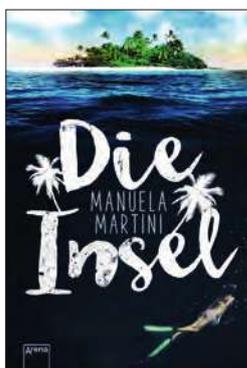
Nothing is what it seems to be! Kathrin Lange writes suspenseful, unnerving and fascinating thrillers for young adult exclusively for Arena's series "Arena Thriller Collection". Psychological depth, a sophisticated plot and surprising twists and turns make these thrillers a must-have!

MANUELA MARTINI



Manuela Martini, born 1963 in Mainz, studied history and literary science in Mainz and Munich. She subsequently worked in the field of advertising and documentary films. After having lived in Australia for several years she now makes her home in Spain.

Her books sold a total of 200,000 copies so far. Arena published the thrillers *SUMMER FROST*, *A MIDSUMMER NIGHT'S SCREAM*, *THE DOLL'S REVENGE* and *WHEN DUSK SETS IN*.



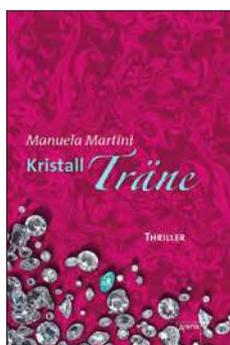
The Island (Vol. 1)
 All age
 400 pages
 13.5 x 20.5 cm
 Softcover with flaps
 Thriller with Mystery elements
€ 9.99
 February 2014, relaunch
 June 2016
 978-3-401-50864-1
 Rights: available worldwide

A paradisiacal island that holds a disturbing secret, a gripping yet confusing game that centers around an unsuspecting young woman and an unscrupulous cult leader who turns out to be a master of manipulation. Manuela Martini knows better than any other writer how to combine exotic settings with gripping thriller plots. A breathtaking read that doesn't lose its suspense even for a second, surprising its readers with a touch of eerie mystery. Welcome to *The Island!*



The Revenge of the Island (Vol. 2)
 All age
 368 pages
 13.5 x 20.5 cm
 Softcover with flaps
 Thriller with Mystery elements
€ 9.99
 August 2014, relaunch
 January 2017
 978-3-401-50959-4
 Rights: available worldwide

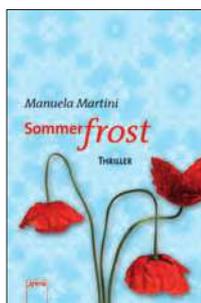
How much Hannah and Kanoa would love to dive right in: into their love, into pulsating New York City, into happiness. Both wish they would never have to waste another thought on the island. Yet the shadows of the past keep pursuing Hannah and Kanoa every step they take. The island is as alive as never before. And it demands its tribute. In the end they are not only forced to fight for their love but also for their lives. *Metete bab ou alatrán – Prepare for what's coming.*



Crystal Tear
 Age 12+
 264 pages
 13.5 x 20.5 cm
 Softcover with flaps
 Thriller
€ 9.99
 Autumn 2016
 978-3-401-06873-2
 Rights: available worldwide

After Laurie's little brother mysteriously disappeared during a camping trip, her mother was put behind bars. Now Laurie has to be on her guard every minute of the day: Because of the reporters who keep stalking her, good-looking Félix, who shows an interest in her, her father, who is a mere shadow of his former self. Laurie intends to prove that her mother is innocent. To do so, she must find the true perpetrator and retrieve her memories of last summer. So Laurie returns to the wilderness – and gets closer to the kidnapper than is good for her.

FURTHER TITLES BY THE AUTHOR AVAILABLE



Summer Frost
 Age 12+
 208 pages
 13.5 x 20.5 cm
 Softcover with flaps
 Thriller
€ 8.95
 January 2009
 978-3-401-06305-8
 Rights: available worldwide



A Midsummer Night's Scream
 Age 12+
 264 pages
 13.5 x 20.5 cm
 Softcover with flaps
 Thriller
€ 9.95
 January 2010
 978-3-401-06418-5
 Rights: available worldwide



The Doll's Revenge
 Age 14+
 264 pages
 13.5 x 20.5 cm
 Softcover with flaps
 Thriller
€ 9.95
 January 2011
 978-3-401-06551-9
 Rights: available worldwide

ALANA FALK



Alana Falk was born in 1980 and grew up in Southern Germany. After studying veterinary medicine, she translated romantic novels for some time before devoting herself entirely to writing. In 2014, the first volume of their successful fantasy series SOUL MAGIC was released which became an e-book bestseller within days and which was nominated for the Lovelybooks prize. Alana Falk lives with her husband in Munich.

Alana Falk

Age 14+
384 pages
14.8 x 21.0 cm
Hardcover
UV finish on cover
€ 16.99
January 2017
978-3-401-60290-5
Rights: available worldwide

- New author in print: Alana Falk brings a huge fan base from the e-pub segment and maintains very good blogger contacts.
- Two volumes: completed first volume, which creates a desire for more. To be continued in spring 2018.



STARY STORM. SOURCE OF HEARTS

How long has Liliana waited for this moment? But when she is finally appointed magician, it is Chris of all people who is set aside as her source of energy. She has to connect with him in order to unleash her power. But in Chris' eyes the hatred for all magicians rages and he resists his destiny. Liliana must win his trust as soon as possible because deep down in New Zealand a terrible catastrophe is looming and only Liliana can stop it.

STEFAN GEMMEL & UWE ZISSENER



Stefan Gemmel, born in 1970, is one of the most successful children’s and young adult book authors in the German-speaking world. The holder of the 2012 and 2015 world reading record was honoured for his outstanding readings and his commitment to the promotion of reading as a reading artist by the German book trade association Börsenverein. He was also given the Federal Service Cross (Bundesverdienstkreuz). He lives with his family in Lehmen at the Moselle.

Uwe Zissener, born in 1966, is a graduate of social work (FH), an experience teacher, mediator, AGT-trainer / CT, who works since 1995 in violence prevention and since 2003 as an anti-violence coach. Since 2005 he also works as a freelance lecturer and trainer for social skills training, violence prevention (AGT), conflict and communication management. He lives with his family in Vallendar near Koblenz.

**Stefan Gemmel/
Uwe Zissener**
Age 12+
240 pages
13.5 x 20.5 cm
Paperback
UV finish on cover
€ 9.99
January 2017
978-3-401-50952-5
Rights: available worldwide

- The lessons were compiled together with co-author Uwe Zissener, who has been running anti-violence training for teenagers for decades.



LIBERATION FIGHT

Maik did not expect that. He had often been involved in fights, always without any consequences but now he is sentenced to a youth penalty on parole. He is given the choice between jail or an anti-violence training. Naturally Maik considers such a training to be completely superfluous, he doesn't need all this psychoanalysis palaver. But because the training is better than prison, he agrees to the sessions and the experience is amazing. His environment and, above all, his girlfriend Julia are just beginning to look at him with different eyes when the rush of a game console threatens to get him off his course ...

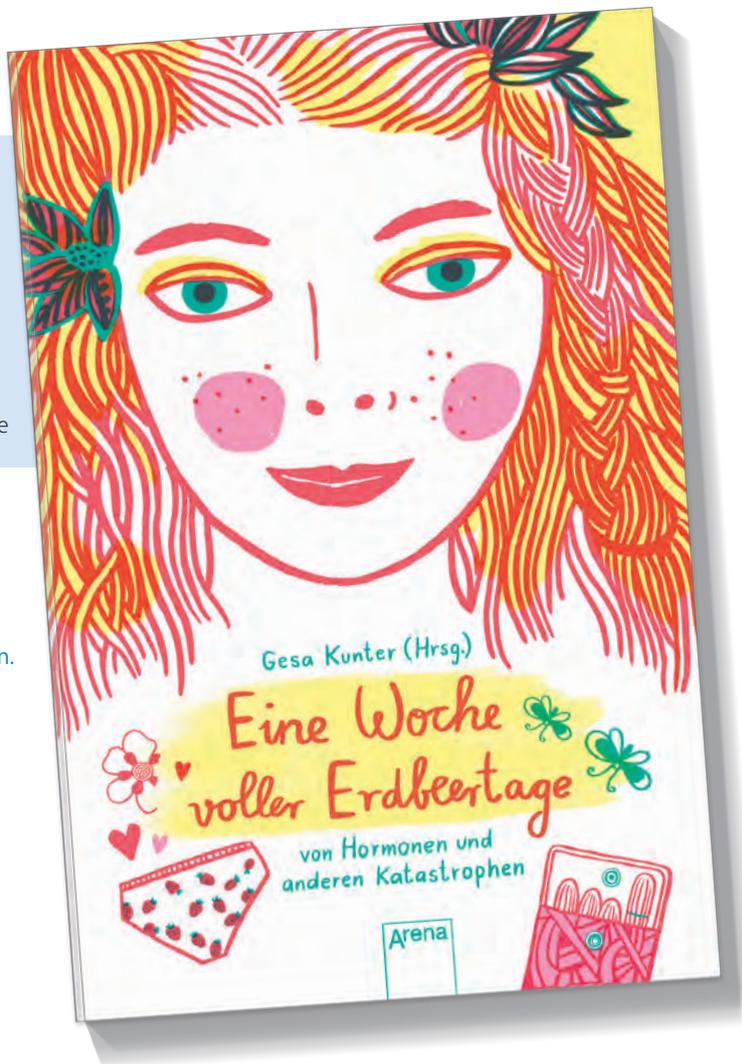
A WEEK FULL OF STRAWBERRY DAYS

Editor Gesa Kunter, born in 1980, studied Scandinavian and English studies in Frankfurt, Freiburg and Göteborg, before working as an editor in various children's and youth book publishers and as a literature broker.

A FULL WEEK OF STRAWBERRY DAYS includes 12 stories on the topic of menses, each written by a different author: Tamara Bach, Sarah Bosetti, Katharina Bendixen, Aygen Sibel Çelik, Kirsten Fuchs, Stefanie Gerstenberger, Lena Hach, Stefanie Höfler, Nora Miedler, Kathrin Schrocke, Martina Wilder and Julia Wolf.

Gesa Kunter (Editor)
Katja Spitzer
 Age 12+
 192 pages
 13,5 x 20,5 cm
 Hardcover
 UV finish on cover
€ 12.99
 January 2017
 978-3-401-60271-3
 Rights: available worldwide

- 12 stories without any embarrassment.
- A taboo with a potential.
- Finally a book on menses for young women.



A FULL WEEK OF STRAWBERRY DAYS. ABOUT HORMONES AND OTHER CATASTROPHES

A week full of strawberries, surfing the crimson wave, riding the cotton pony - this is an event that every woman knows. A week of menses is a week full of misunderstandings and red eyes, full of laughter and tears, proofs of friendship, intimate conversations and conspiracies. A week in which not everything is always running according to plan but anything is possible. Only one thing is certain during the strawberry week: there is never a reason to blush and turn red. Hardly anybody talks about it in the open – it is about time!

BETTINA BRÖMME



Bettina Brömme, born in 1965, lives with her family in Munich. She studied German language, journalism, and art history. She has worked in film production, television, and today is mainly a writer and freelance writer for TV, radio and print. For us at Arena, Bettina writes mainly thrillers for our ARENA THRILLER COLLECTION. This is her first romantic novel for us.

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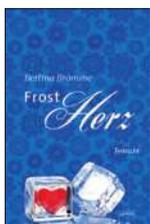
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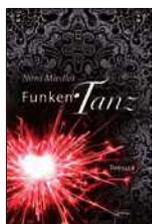
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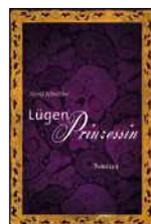
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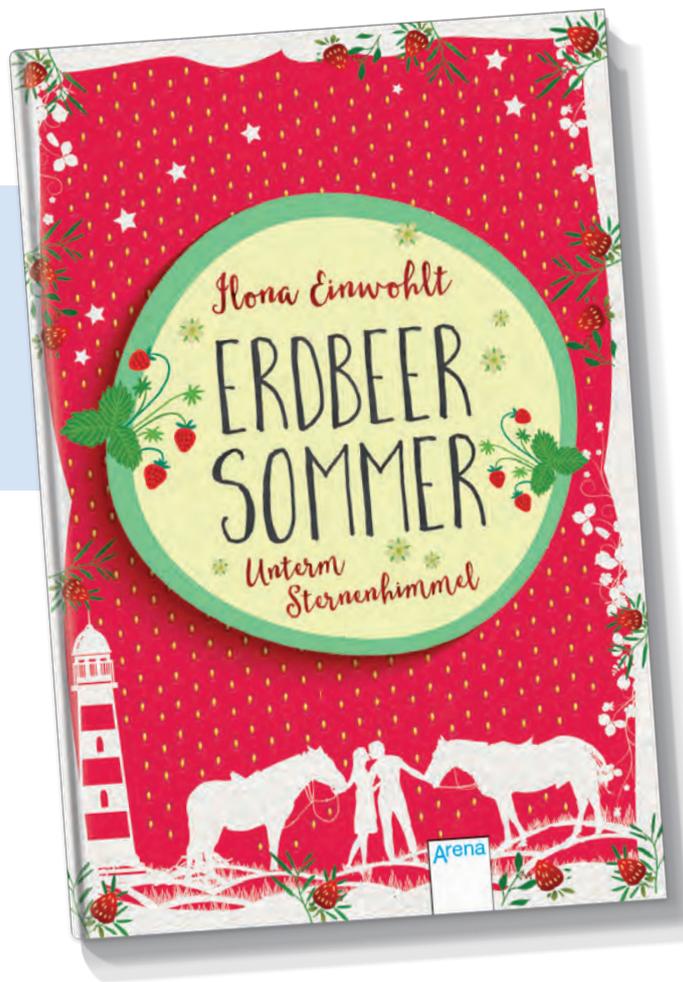
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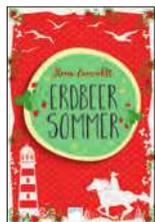
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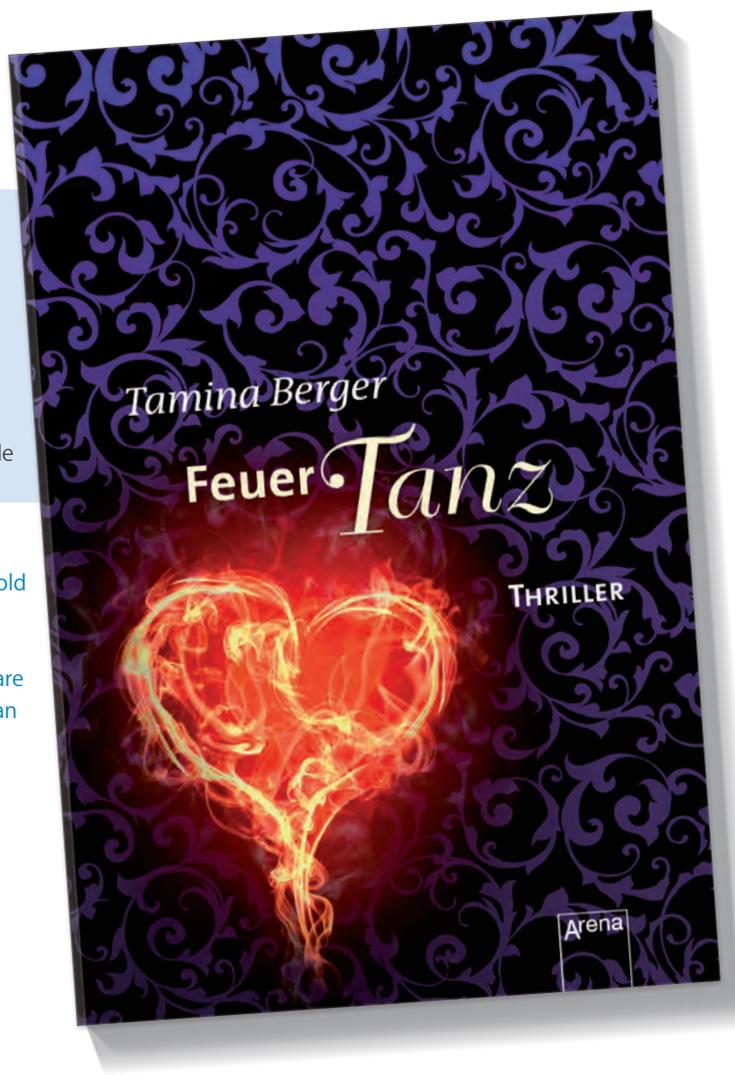
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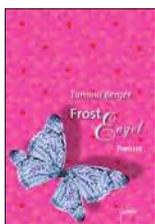


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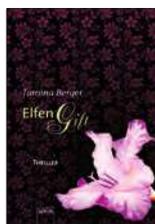
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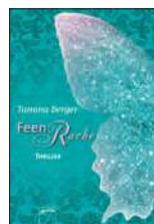
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