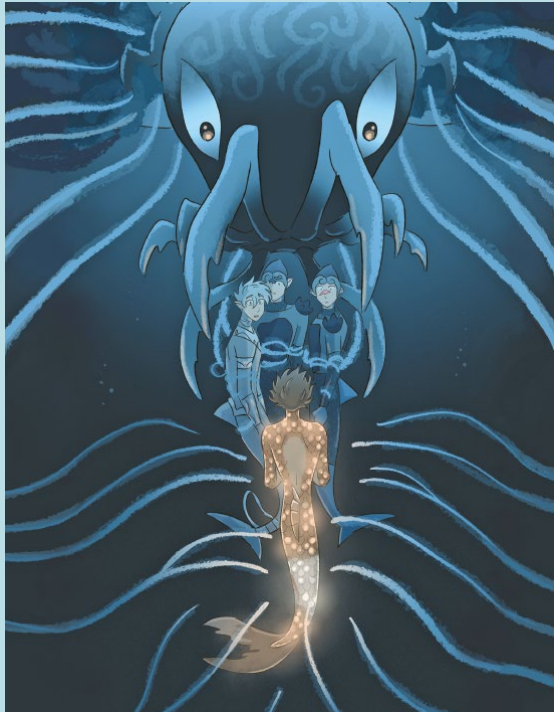




Crown Publishing Group | London Book Fair 2024
TEN SPEED CHILDREN'S & GRAPHIC



Images from *Castle Swimmer Volume 2*, *Animals of the National Parks*, and *The Comic Book History of the Cocktail*

Foreign Rights Contacts

Rachel Berkowitz

Vice President, Director, Subsidiary Rights

Tel: 212-782-9771

E-mail: rberkowitz@penguinrandomhouse.com

Kellyann Cronin

Manager, Foreign Rights

Tel: 212-572-2064

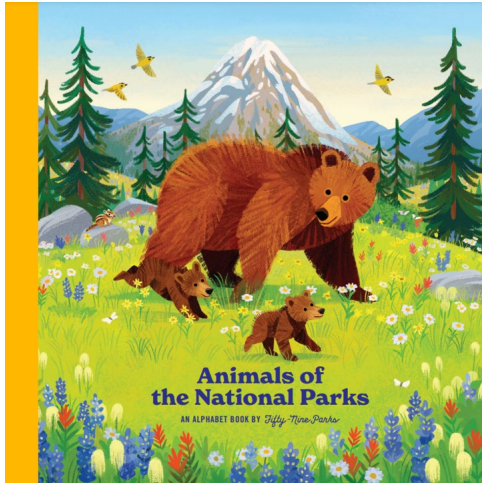
E-mail: kcronin@penguinrandomhouse.com

Alison Lee

Associate, Foreign Rights

Tel: 212-782-9683

E-mail: allee@penguinrandomhouse.com



ANIMALS OF THE NATIONAL PARKS
An Alphabet Book
by Fifty-Nine Parks
A Ten Speed Press Hardcover
On sale May 6th, 2025
Juvenile Nonfiction – Concepts – Alphabet

Editor: Ginee Seo
Rights: World
Status: Materials available

Title Specs:

Trim: 229 x 229 mm (9 x 9 in)

Pages: 64

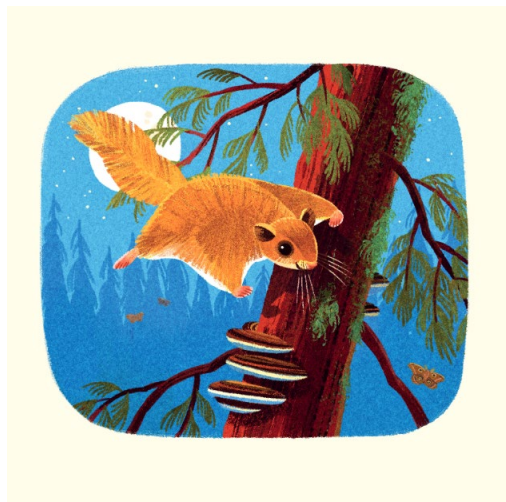
Illustrations: approx. 30 illustrations

Price: \$18.99

America's national parks are some of the most magical places in the world, and home to a diverse array of creatures, both well known and more unusual. From **American Bison** (which are also the largest mammals in the parks) to **flying squirrels** (which can glide the length of a football field) to **Xeme** (which take two full years to grow their adult feathers), this picture book takes children on an enchanting alphabetical adventure through the natural world.

The book features fascinating facts about each animal, including information on where they can be found. A passport page to record visits and an illustrated map of all the national parks will encourage children and their families to make the most of every trip. With beautifully evocative art that's nostalgic yet contemporary, this is a special gift for outdoor and national park lovers of all ages.

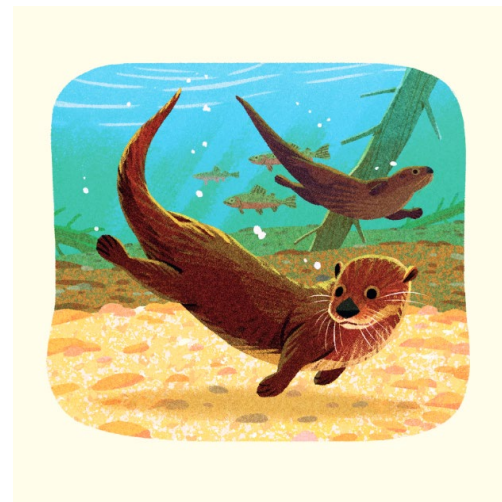
Fifty-Nine Parks is a beloved and renowned art collective that believes public lands and the art of printmaking are worth preserving. They are known for their original poster art, which celebrates America's national parks and features the work of prominent artists from all around the world. Fifty-Nine Parks donates proceeds of its poster sales to the National Park Service and the series is archived by the Library of Congress. This book was created in collaboration with Fifty-Nine Parks and *New York Times* bestselling illustrator Kim Smith.



Ff

Flying squirrels gracefully glide from tree to tree. They can glide the length of a football field!

Flying squirrels are found in Olympic and Mount Rainier National Parks.



Nn

Northern river otters swim gracefully underwater. They can hold their breath for eight minutes!

Northern river otters are found in Great Smoky Mountains and Isle Royale National Parks.



I AM NOT BORING

by Lena Podesta

A Ten Speed Press Hardcover

On sale May 26th, 2026

Juvenile Nonfiction – Science & Nature

Trees & Forests

Editor: Kayla Barrales-Saylor

Rights: World

Status: Materials July 2025

What's so special about a log? It just sits there and does nothing. How boring! However, you may be surprised to learn that nurse logs are anything but boring—they are an essential part of life in the forest. Logs provide shelter, become food, and even turn into a safe place for a new tree to grow.

Told with humor and heart, *I Am Not Boring* shows how an old log is not, in fact, boring at all. This endearing, goofball nonfiction picture book by author-illustrator Lena Podesta is subversive humor at its best. While readers are giggling along, they are not only learning about the importance of ecosystems but also believing in yourself.

Lena Podesta has been working as an artist in the animation industry and as an illustrator on numerous projects. During this time, her work has included picture book illustration, editorial illustration, character development, design for animation, directing, story boarding, and character animation. She has published one picture book she wrote and illustrated in 2021.

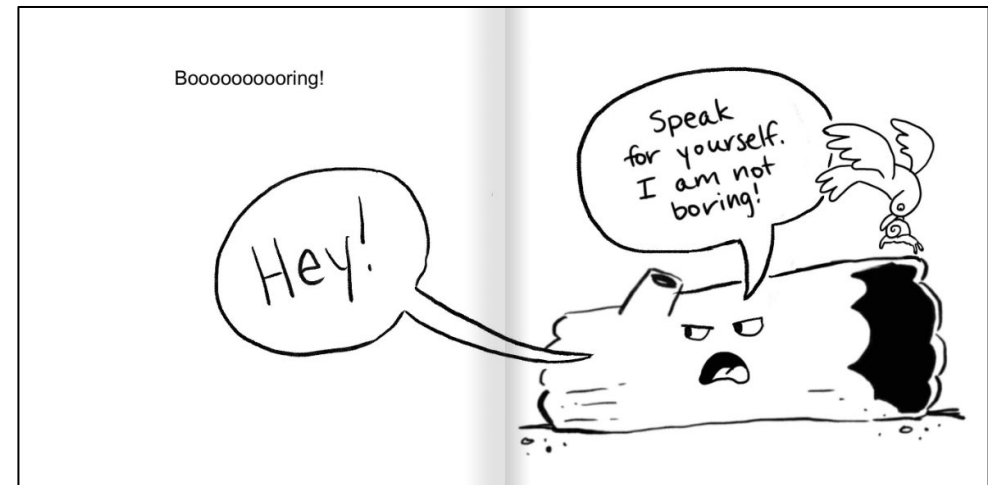
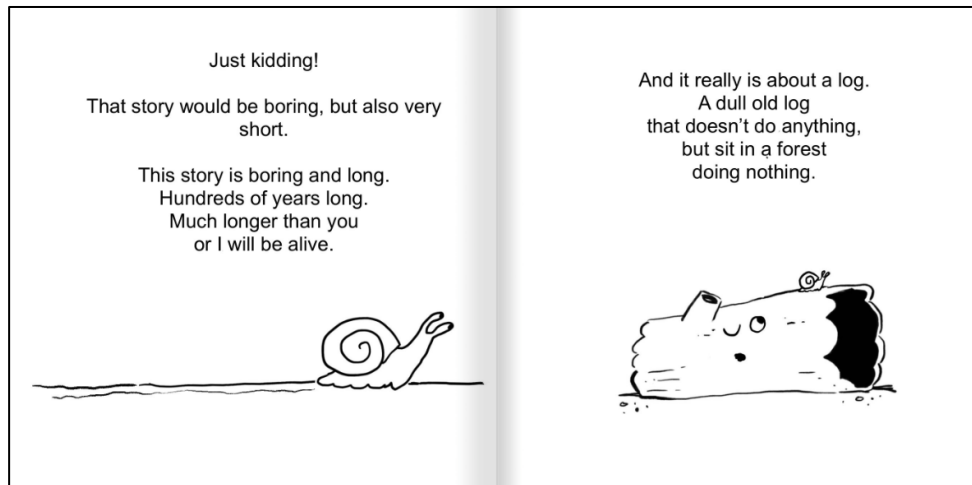
Title Specs:

Trim: 229 x 229 mm (9 x 9 in)

Pages: 40

Illustrations: Illustrated picture book

Price: \$16.99



Early art – final art will be in color



CHESSE BABY BOOK

by Levy Rozman

A Ten Speed Press Hardcover

On sale February 3rd, 2026

Juvenile Nonfiction – Board Games

Editor: Ginee Seo

Rights: World

Status: Materials July 2025

You're never too young to learn chess! This simple introduction teaches little ones the basics of the game: the names of the pieces, how they move, and how to win the game. With graphic black and white art that's perfect for baby's growing visual awareness and cognitive development, this book is a must for chess-loving families.

Levy Rozman, more popularly known as GothamChess, is an online chess streamer who earned the International Master title in 2018. A former scholastic chess coach, he is passionate about chess accessibility, and has donated \$100,000 in scholarship funds for chess programs in education. He currently boasts the biggest chess channel on YouTube, where he focuses on creating fun and educational content.

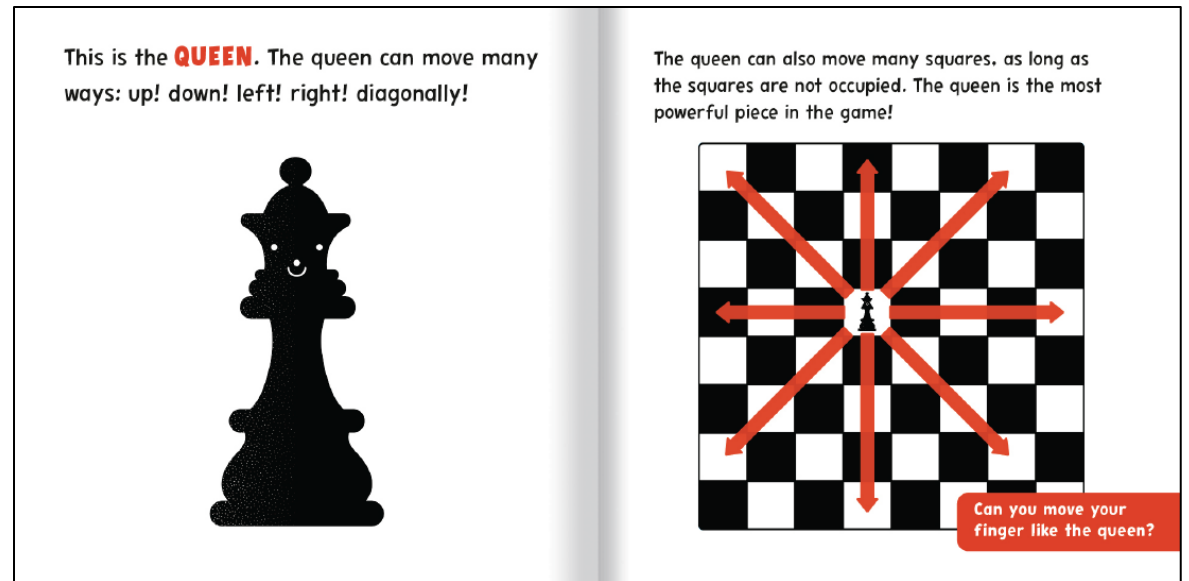
Title Specs:

Trim: 165 x 165 mm (6 ½ x 6 ½ in)

Pages: 20

Illustrations: Fully illustrated

Price: \$8.99



directional imagery



OTHERS

by Kobi Yamada; illustrated by Charles Santoso

A Ten Speed Press Hardcover

On sale April 7th, 2026

Juvenile Nonfiction – Social Themes – Emotions & Feelings

Editor: Ginee Seo

Rights: World

Status: Materials July 2025

*You have to wonder what they're thinking. The other people.
They're not from here. They're over there.
They're different.*

Standing by the hedge that divides them, two children wonder what the people on the opposite side are like. They're not like us, one child insists. The other child wonders. How are they different? Can they fly? Do they have tentacles? Are they machines? Or are they human? And if they are, do they think and feel? Maybe, just maybe, the people here and the people there are not so different after all.

Written with gentle humor and a light touch, and illustrated with spare, emotionally powerful pictures, *Others* is a thoughtful exploration of how our assumptions can prevent us from connection, and a beautiful reminder that we are all human beings living together on this earth.

Kobi Yamada is a NYT bestselling author, creator of many inspiring products, and the president of Compendium. He lives with his family in the Pacific Northwest.

Charles Santoso is the creator of *Happy Hippo* and has illustrated many books, including *Finding Muchness* by Kobi Yamada and the New York Times bestseller *Odder*. He moves around between different countries to live and work.

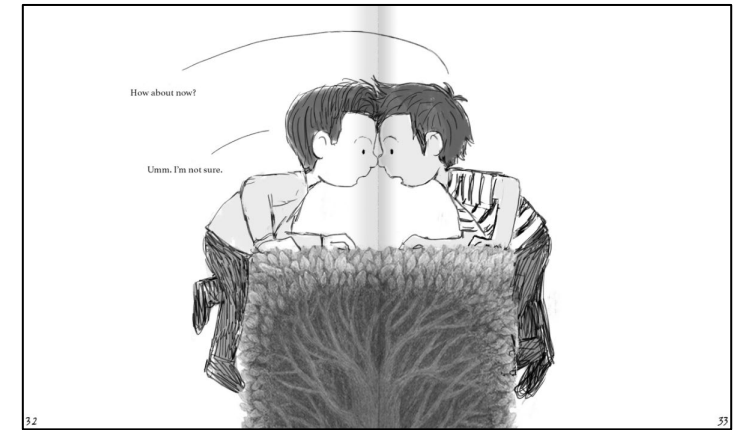
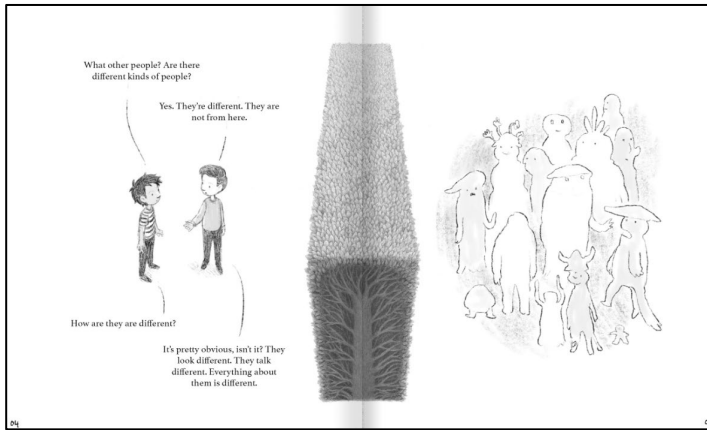
Title Specs:

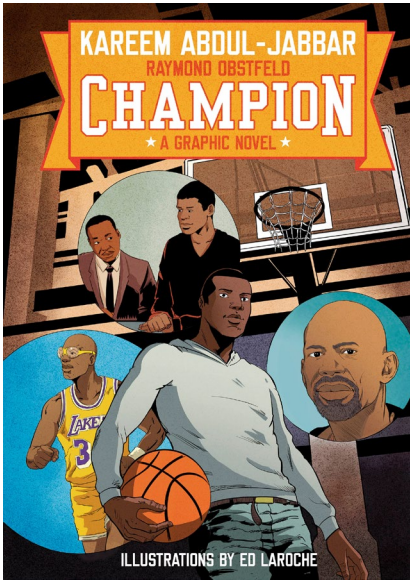
Trim: 229 x 254 mm (9 x 10 in)

Pages: 48

Illustrations: 20-30 illustrations

Price: \$18.99





CHAMPION
A Graphic Novel

by Kareem Abdul-Jabbar
 A Ten Speed Graphic HC/TR
 On sale September 2nd, 2025
 Young Adult Fiction – Social Themes –
 Activism & Social Justice

Editor: Kaitlin Ketchum
Rights: World
Status: Materials available

Title Specs:
 Trim: 178 x 254 mm (7 x 10 in)
 Pages: 128
 Illustrations: Fully illustrated
 Price: \$26.99 (HC) / \$19.99 (TR)

Monk Travers is the star basketball player on his high school team. Confident about his future as an NBA player, he doesn't see the point in caring much about school, let alone his community. But his world is about to change—big time! After getting caught graffitiing his team's rival school, Monk comes to the awful realization that his actions have put his place on the team—and his future—in jeopardy. Fearing the worst, he's taken by surprise when his coach offers him an unorthodox way to atone: by completing a report on the life of Kareem Abdul-Jabbar.

Kareem Abdul-Jabbar is one of the greatest basketball players of all time, as well as a committed social justice activist and award-winning writer. He is the *New York Times* best-selling author of 17 books, an award-winning documentary producer, and a twice Emmy-nominated narrator.

Raymond Obstfeld is an American novelist, screenwriter and non-fiction writer. He teaches creative writing at Orange Coast College.





LET'S MAKE COCKTAILS!

by Sarah Becan

A Ten Speed Graphic Trade Paperback

On sale March 17th, 2026

Comics & Graphic Novels – Food

Editor: Kimmy Tejasindhu

Rights: World

Status: Materials June 2025

Title Specs:

Trim: 178 x 254 mm (7 x 10 in)

Pages: 176

Illustrations: Fully illustrated

Price: \$22.00

Co-author and illustrator of *Let's Make Ramen!* and *Let's Make Dumplings!* Sarah Becan invites readers to wet their whistles in ***Let's Make Cocktails!*** With her colorful, approachable illustrations that have become a series favorite, the book opens with insight on the proper tools, gorgeous glassware, and staple ingredients such as secondary spirits, syrups, and garnishes to always have in stock. The comic cookbook format is perfect for visual depictions of important techniques such as shaking, stirring, muddling, and more.

With all recipes organized by spirit for easy access, readers will delight in the panelized step-by-step comic instructions for making favorites such as a Bourbon-based Paper Plane, a refreshing gin Bee's Knees, a proper Vodka or Dry Martini (and how to order one correctly), the much-needed morning Bloody Mary, and more. Delicious spirit-free options such as the perfect Arnold Palmer or Lemon Lime & Bitters are also available for those who are not imbibing but still appreciate a special concoction!

With 60 recipes for cornerstone cocktails, ***Let's Make Cocktails!*** is the perfect addition to any beginner's bar cart.

Sarah Becan is a comics artist, author, illustrator, and designer based in Chicago, as well as the creator of *I Think You're Sauceome*, a food-centric autobiographical webcomic. She illustrated the cookbook *The Adventures of Fat Rice* and is the coauthor and illustrator of *Let's Make Ramen* and *Let's Make Dumplings!* Her work has appeared in various publications, including *Saveur*, *Eater*, *Organic Life*, *StarChefs*, and *Tasting Table*.



BRANDY CRUSTA





NOTHING SPECIAL, VOLUME THREE
Pride and Pompousness (A Graphic Novel)

by Katie Cook

A Ten Speed Graphic HC/TR

On sale June 24th, 2025

Comics & Graphic Novels – Fantasy

Editor: Vedika Khanna

Rights: World English

Translation: The Gernert Company / Seth Fishman

Status: Materials available

Title Specs:

Trim: 178 x 229 mm (7 x 9 in)

Pages: 384

Illustrations: Fully illustrated

Price: \$29.99 (HC) / \$22.99 (TR)



Laurel Poppyfield, matriarch of the fairy Poppyfield family, is dying. She holds the majority of the Poppyfields' magic, and has no heir to give it to. Or so she thought until Callie, Declan, Lasser, and Radish walked into the family estate trying to find someone to heal Declan's wing. It turns out Declan is Laurel's grandson and practically fairy royalty, and the timing of his arrival could not be more perfect.

Not everyone is happy about Declan's sudden appearance, though. Leir, one of Lasser's older brothers, has worked for years to become a trusted presence in the Poppyfield home. He was Laurel's top choice to inherit the family's magic before Declan showed up, and he's not about to let his plans get ruined. It's up to Callie, Declan, Lasser, and Radish to thwart his nefarious schemes before Laurel dies and the Poppyfield magic falls into the wrong hands. The third installment of Katie Cook's *Nothing Special* collects the final 25 chapters of Season 2 of the webcomic.

Katie Cook is the creator of the *Nothing Special* webcomic on Webtoon and the oldie-but-goodie webcomic *Grunk: A Monster's Story* (which was one of the first webcomics archived by the library of congress!). She has also written and drawn comics for Marvel, Disney Publishing and many other publishers.

Praise for *Nothing Special*, Volume One

"Inventive, funny, adventurous, action-packed, and romantic? It's not fair that *Nothing Special* somehow does it all. Katie Cook is making the rest of us look bad." —**Ryan North**, *New York Times* bestselling author of *Danger and Other Unknown Risks*

"A delightful tale of self-discovery, magic, and the complexities of young hearts, making it a must-read for adventure-seeking readers!" —**Kelly Sue DeConnick**, Eisner Award-winning author



WAKE NOW IN THE FIRE

by Jarrett Dapier; illustrated by AJ Dungo

A Ten Speed Graphic HC/TR

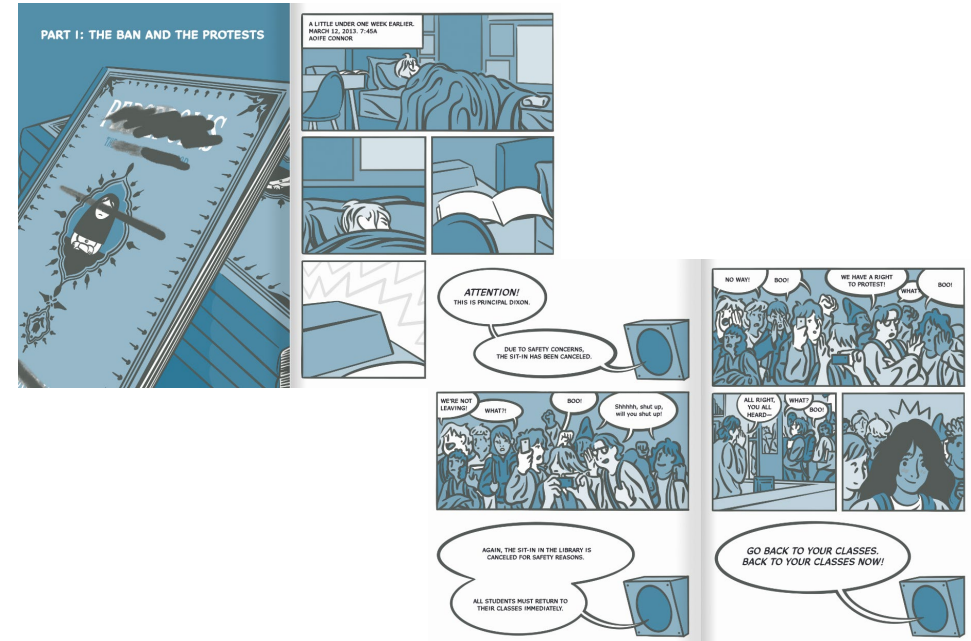
On sale February 3rd, 2026

YA Fiction - Comics & Graphic Novels – Diversity & Multicultural

Editor: Ginee Seo

Rights: World

Status: Materials July 2025



Title Specs:

Trim: 152 x 229 mm (6 x 9 in)

Pages: 208

Illustrations: Fully illustrated

Price: \$24.99

It starts as a seemingly innocuous update at a Chicago high school: copies of a certain book are no longer allowed in the classroom. But it's not just one high school—it's *all* public Chicago high schools. The order is shrouded in unknowns—not even the high school principals know exactly why this is happening. All that's clear is this: The book, which tells a story of oppression, survival, and resistance against those in power, is seen as some sort of a threat, dangerous enough to ban.

Well, one other thing is clear: The students aren't going to let this go without resistance of their own. Written by the librarian who investigated the Chicago Public School system's 2013 censorship decision, *Wake Now in the Fire* is an inspiring story of student activism and speaking truth to power.

Jarrett Dapier is the 2016 recipient of the John Phillip Imroth Award from the American Library Association for his work exposing book censorship in the Chicago Public Schools. He is the author of several award-winning picture books for children.

AJ Dungo is a graduate of ArtCenter College of Design. He has worked with Nike, *The New York Times*, *The New Yorker*, *Bleacher Report*, Doubleday & Cartwright, *This American Life*, *The Wall Street Journal*, ProPublica, and Virgin Orbit. His first graphic novel, *IN WAVES*, was an NPR Favorite Book and an ALA Alex Award winner.



UNTITLED D&D GRAPHIC NOVEL BOOK 1

by Liz Marsham

A Ten Speed Graphic Hardcover

On sale July 7th, 2026

Comics & Graphic Novels – Fantasy

Editor: Vedika Khanna

Rights: World

Status: Materials September 2025

Title Specs:

Trim: 152 x 229 mm (6 x 9 in)

Pages: 224

Illustrations: Fully illustrated

Price: \$16.99

Books of all kinds are kept in the esteemed Candlekeep Library, fiercely guarded by the Avowed--or librarians--who live there. For Roon and Elegy, Candlekeep is the only real home they've known, and they've been happy studying and protecting the books inside its walls. When Roon is assigned to look after Kip, one of many visitors to the library, they expect to give Kip a tour and be on their way. Instead, Roon, Elegy, and Kip find themselves at the scene of the crime when someone tries to use a transportation spell to steal a book.

Liz Marsham began her storytelling career as an editor for DC Comics and Disney Publishing. She loves fantasy, sci-fi, knitting, games (video, tabletop, and otherwise), weird stories about true things, and people working to make the world better. Also tea. She lives in Los Angeles with her husband, her son, a cat who thinks she is a princess, and a cat who thinks he is a dog.



CASTLE SWIMMER: VOLUME 2

by Wendy Martin
 A Ten Speed Graphic HC/TR
 On sale June 3rd, 2025
 Comics & Graphic Novels – Fantasy

Editor: Vedika Khanna
Rights: World
Status: Materials available

Title Specs:
 Trim: 178 x 229 mm (7 x 9 in)
 Pages: 304
 Illustrations: Fully illustrated
 Price: HC: \$24.99 / TR: \$18.99

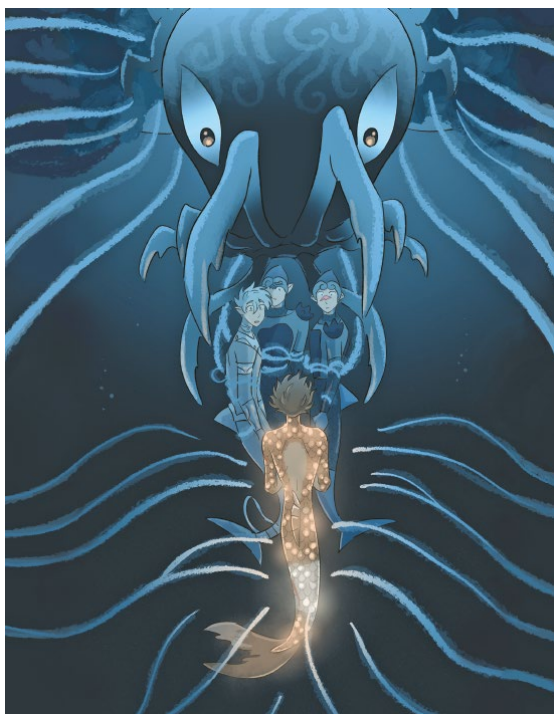
The sharks want Kappa dead, and time is running out for Prince Siren to save him. Queen Susca knows Siren doesn't have the courage to kill Kappa, and for the sake of the kingdom, she's willing to do the deed herself. As tensions run high, neighboring queens pay the sharks a visit to offer an alliance, and while they might just be the means of escape the two mermen have been looking for, it's unclear if they can be trusted.

Siren will do anything to get Kappa to safety—even if it means never seeing him again, and even if all Kappa wants is to stay by his side. Yet escaping the queen's spear will take all of Siren and Kappa's courage and cunning, and there's no guarantee they'll both make it out alive.

This beautiful graphic novel collects episodes 20-41 of Webtoon's *Castle Swimmer* and includes a never-before-seen bonus chapter featuring Kappa and Siren.

Volume 3 is scheduled for March 2026, including episodes 42-65 of the hit Webtoon!

Wendy Martin is the creator of Webtoon's *Castle Swimmer*. She currently resides in Seattle, Washington.



Praise for *Castle Swimmer, Volume One*

“Castle Swimmer hooks you from the start and doesn't let go. It's devastatingly charming with a hint of sweetly heartbreaking. Kappa and Siren really are a beacon of light and a joy to read.”—**Katie Cook, author of *Nothing Special***

“Castle Swimmer is an immediate classic. Wendy has crafted a rich world with beautifully expressive art and amazingly thought-out characters all packed with personality. She plays every emotion to the perfect note from humor to dread to guilt to sweet budding romance! Volume 1 is an excellent start to a very exciting journey and I can't wait to see how the rest of that journey looks in print!”—**Miranda Mundt, creator of *Muted***



CASTLE SWIMMER: VOLUME 3

by Wendy Martin

A Ten Speed Graphic HC/TR

On sale March 17th, 2026

Comics & Graphic Novels – Fantasy

Editor: Vedika Khanna

Rights: World

Status: Materials July 2025

Title Specs:

Trim: 178 x 229 mm (7 x 9 in)

Pages: 304

Illustrations: Fully illustrated

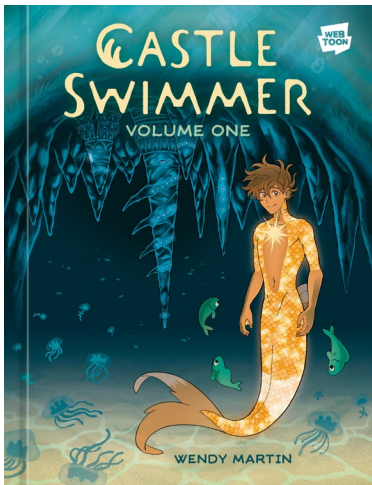
Price: HC: \$24.99 / TR: \$18.99

After leaving Siren to recover from his wounds in the shark castle, Kappa finds himself out in the big wide ocean once more. Minutes into his newfound freedom, a new prophecy intervenes, pulling him towards a giant demigod crab scuttling along the ocean floor. As Kappa tries to figure out what his purpose with the crab is, he comes across three magic-wielding octopi with a tragic past and uncovers more about his greater purpose as the Beacon.

When Siren finally leaves the shark castle a month later, Kappa is long gone. Alone in the greater ocean that he's only ever heard about, Siren quickly finds that he's unequipped to fend for himself. After having his supplies stolen by some thieves, he luckily finds himself in the company of a young fish and his mother, and joins them on their travels. As they teach Siren to fight and tough it out in the wild, he begins searching for a cure to his curse.

This beautiful graphic novel collects episodes 42-65 of Webtoon's *Castle Swimmer* and includes a never-before-seen bonus chapter featuring Kappa and Siren.

Wendy Martin is the creator of Webtoon's *Castle Swimmer*. She currently resides in Seattle, Washington.



Praise for Castle Swimmer, Volume One

“*Castle Swimmer* hooks you from the start and doesn’t let go. It’s devastatingly charming with a hint of sweetly heartbreaking. Kappa and Siren really are a beacon of light and a joy to read.”—**Katie Cook, author of *Nothing Special***

“*Castle Swimmer* is an immediate classic. Wendy has crafted a rich world with beautifully expressive art and amazingly thought-out characters all packed with personality. She plays every emotion to the perfect note from humor to dread to guilt to sweet budding romance! Volume 1 is an excellent start to a very exciting journey and I can’t wait to see how the rest of that journey looks in print!”—**Miranda Mundt, creator of *Muted***





MRBALLEN PRESENTS: TERRORS, MONSTERS, AND NIGHTMARES

The Graphic Stories

by MrBallen; illustrated by Andrea Mutti;
contributions by Robert Venditti
A Ten Speed Graphic HC/TR
On sale September 30th, 2025
Comics & Graphic Novels – Horror

Editor: Matt Inman

Rights: World English

Translation: UTA / Byrd Leavell

Status: Materials March 2025

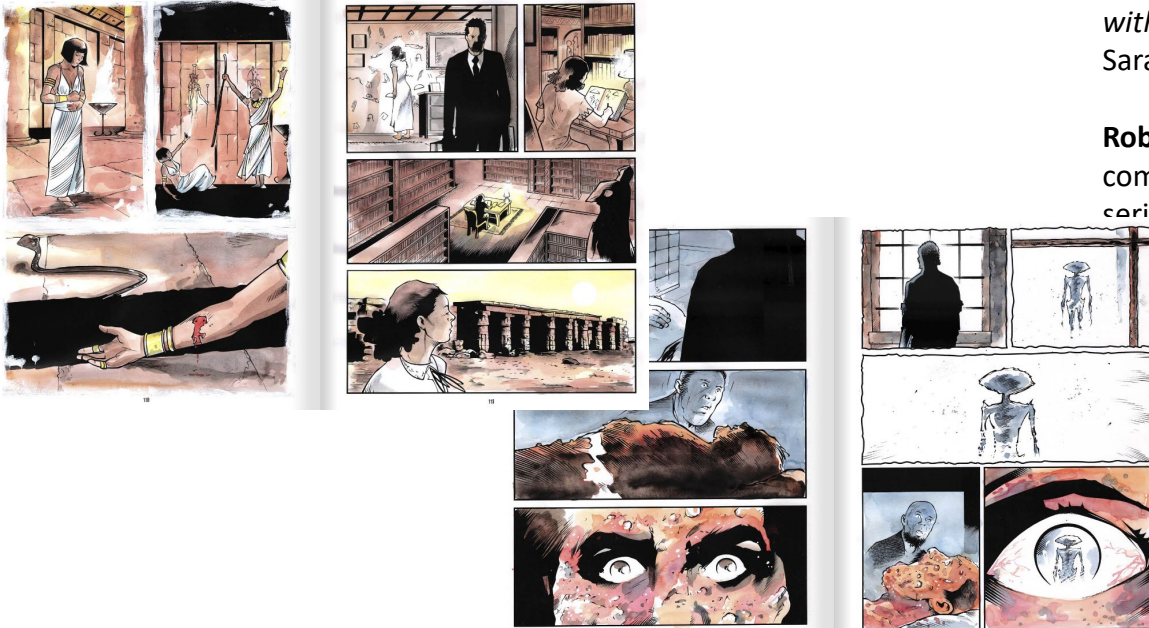
Title Specs:

Trim: 178 x 241 mm (7 x 9 in)

Pages: 208

Illustrations: Fully illustrated

Price: HC: \$25.99 / TR: \$19.99



John Allen, known popularly as “MrBallen,” is back with another heart-stopping collection of strange and mysterious stories. In this brand-new compilation, he dives into the creepy underbelly of the world, covering paranormal and supernatural phenomena as well as goose-bump inducing unsolved cases. From skin-melting alien encounters in Brazil, a bus full of malevolent spirits in Taiwan, to a pack of cryptids watching cabin dwellers from the deep, dark woods in Maine, Allen continues to unveil spine-chilling disturbances that push the boundaries of the human experience. In collaboration with *New York Times* bestselling graphic novelist Robert Venditti and acclaimed comic book artist Andrea Mutti, this is Allen’s most evocative and haunting collection yet.

John B. Allen is a former US Navy Seal, the founder of the multi-platform content company Ballen Studios, and the creator and host of the popular true crime podcast *MrBallen Podcast: Strange, Dark, & Mysterious Stories*.

Andrea Mutti began his career illustrating the superhero comic *DNAction* for Xenia Edizioni, Sergio Bonelli Editore, and Star Comics. He's worked with Marvel, DC, Vertigo, MadCave, Stormking, Dark Horse, IDW, Image, BOOM! Studios, and more. His titles include *Maniac of New York*, *Bunny Mask*, *Rebels*, *Batman Eternal*, and *The Girl with the Dragon Tattoo*. He's a member of the National UFO Center and resides in Sarasota, Florida.

Robert Venditti is a *New York Times* bestselling author of more than three hundred comic books and graphic novels. Some of his works include the monthly comic book series *Justice League* and *Superman*, his own graphic novel *Six Days*, and he adapted Riordan's *Percy Jackson and the Olympians* and more.



SALVAGE

by Renee Nault

A Ten Speed Graphic HC/TR

On sale January 13th, 2026

YA Fiction - Comics & Graphic Novels – Romance

Editor: Vedika Khanna

Rights: World

Status: Materials July 2025

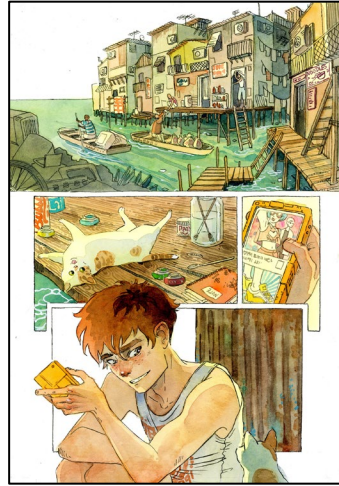
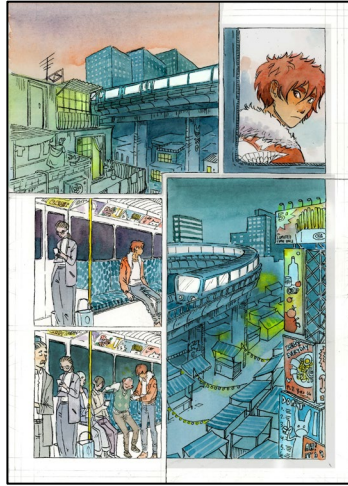
Title Specs:

Trim: 152 x 241 mm (6 x 9 in)

Pages: 256

Illustrations: Fully illustrated

Price: \$25.99 (HC) / \$19.99 (TR)



Paolo only knows life in The Flats, where people live on stilt houses under constant threat of sinking into the ocean below. His family makes a living salvaging materials from the skyscrapers just underneath the water, remnants of a world before sea levels rose. It's a dangerous job, diving down so deep, but one day Paolo scores big: He finds a suitcase of undamaged clothes, and they just so happen to be in his size. Instead of selling them at the weekly market, he decides to fulfill a dream of his--spending one night in the Uplands, where everyone who's someone lives.

Getting off the subway in the Uplands, Paolo immediately gets lost and is about to end up in a bad situation when a girl named Jules and her friends usher him away. It turns out they're living the life he's always dreamed of. They spend their nights at the most exclusive clubs, have access to all sorts of entertainment, and have no real responsibilities. One night with them--and with Jules--just isn't enough. Soon, Paolo finds himself sneaking to the Uplands as much as possible and leading a double life. The closer he gets to Jules, the more he has to lie to her and risk the new life and friends he's made. **Salvage** is a beautifully illustrated romance about finding love in the unlikeliest of places and people, and embracing who you are, even when it's hard.

Renee Nault began her art career as an illustrator, and her vivid watercolors have appeared in books, magazine and advertising around the world. Renee works traditionally in ink and watercolor preferring the tactile qualities of paint and paper to digital tools. She is best known for her acclaimed graphic novel version of *The Handmaid's Tale* by Margaret Atwood, which she both adapted and illustrated. *Salvage* is her first original graphic novel.



SUITOR ARMOR: VOLUME 2

by Purpah

A Ten Speed Graphic HC/TR

On sale May 20th, 2025

Comics & Graphic Novels – Fantasy

Editor: Kimmy Tejasindhu

Rights: World

Status: Materials available

Title Specs:

Trim: 178 x 241 mm (7 x 9 in)

Pages: 256

Illustrations: Fully Illustrated

Price: HC: \$24.99 / TR: \$17.99

Praise for *Suitor Armor*

“Come for the pun-tastic title, stay for the story of a lady in waiting and the enchanted suit of armor who loves her.”—

Buzzfeed

“The overall artwork by Purpah is magical and stunning. Their art does an incredible job transporting readers into their magical world that is divided between humans and fairies . . . a captivating fantasy romance that centers around magic and fantastical beings.”—***Comic Book Resources***

“A cozy romantasy world of knights, fairies, pixies, and wizards . . . it’s easy to fall under Purpah’s sweet spell.”—***Publishers Weekly***



Lucia has just begun her exciting mage apprenticeship with Norrix, finally tapping into her innate capabilities as a magical being, and she sets off to find her fellow fairy Quinn who is captured within the kingdom's dungeons. While trying to free her, she discovers a shocking secret about the fairy-human war that spirals into a series of mistrustful encounters with the people around her. Building off of Modeus's newfound ability to speak, Lucia continues to teach him about the world and help develop his sentience. However, as their relationship deepens, the two must grapple with the true violent purpose for his existence...

In this second volume, Norrix's complicated past is revealed, the connection between Lady Kirsi and King Reimund blossoms, and the darker side of Lucia's journey to magical discovery rears its head. Complete with original behind-the-scenes content and a bonus storyline exclusive to the book, this second volume includes episodes 18-38 of the greatly successful Webtoon webcomic (130M views and 1.6M followers on Webtoon).

Purpah is an artist and writer based in California. They earned a BFA in illustration and have since gone on to create *Suitor Armor* on Webtoon as well as writing for other projects.



THE COMIC BOOK HISTORY OF THE COCKTAIL

Five Centuries of Mixing Drinks and Carrying On

by David Wondrich; illustrated by Dean Kotz

A Ten Speed Graphic Hardcover

On sale September 23rd, 2025

Cooking - Beverages - Bartending & Cocktails

Editor: Julie Bennett

Rights: World

Status: Materials available

Title Specs:

Trim: 178 x 254 mm (7 x 10 in)

Pages: 176

Illustrations: Fully illustrated

Price: \$28.99

There's no better writer to tell the colorful history of cocktails than David Wondrich, widely considered to be one of the world's foremost authorities on cocktails and a driving force behind the early-twenty-first-century revival in the classic American art of mixing drinks. In *The Comic Book Story of the Cocktail*, Wondrich teams up with comics artist Dean Kotz to trace the evolution of the cocktail. Beginning with the ancient days of wassail and hypocras (mixed drinks based on wine and beer), they narrate a tumultuous and vibrant history.

Historian and senior drinks columnist for the *Daily Beast*, **David Wondrich** is one of the driving forces behind the recent revival in the classic American art of mixing drinks. A former English professor with a PhD in comparative literature, he is the award-winning author of *IMBIBE*, *PUNCH*, and the *OXFORD COMPANION TO SPIRITS AND COCKTAILS* and was the resident drinks expert and columnist at *Esquire* for nearly two decades.

Originally from Northeastern Pennsylvania, **Dean Kotz** studied painting at West Chester University and has been working professionally in comics since 2009.



LET'S MAKE SICHUAN!

A Comic Book Cookbook

by Linda Yi

A Ten Speed Graphic Trade Paperback

On sale April 21st, 2026

Cooking – Regional & Cultural – Chinese

Editor: Kimmy Tejasindhu

Rights: World

Status: Materials July 2025

Title Specs:

Trim: 178 x 254 mm (7 x 10 in)

Pages: 192

Illustrations: Fully illustrated

Price: \$22.00



Author Linda Yi--with her posse of kitchen helpers composed of a lovable panda, a detail-oriented hedgehog, a particular feline, a stately owl, and a scrappy raccoon in tow--welcomes home cooks to the exciting world of Sichuanese cooking. *Let's Make Sichuan!* is a delightful comic cookbook with colorful panelized recipes to ensure that readers can follow along every step of the way to a successful, spicy finish. The book features well-known favorites and staples such as Dan Dan Noodles, Mapo Tofu, and a 5-Minute Chili Oil, but also shares recipes and insight into lesser known dishes and traditions. For example, Yi dedicates an entire section to the variety of light, clarified broths that must accompany every Sichuanese meal.

With recipes arranged by sauces, seasonings, and pickles; veggies; tofu; seafood, eggs and poultry; beef and pork; rice, noodles, and dumplings; and broths, *Let's Make Sichuan!* is the perfect beginner's guide to bringing the sparkle of Sichuanese cuisine to their regular cooking rotation.

Linda Yi is a New York City-based comic artist and home cook. She is the creator of the Panda Cub Stories webcomic, and the founder of Panda Cub Diner, a Sichuanese-cooking membership and online community space. Yi was diagnosed with ADHD as an adult and is dedicated to combining her love of cooking and comics to offer neurodivergent cooking strategies, transforming the kitchen into a space that is bright, happy, and accessible to all.

Co-Agents

Clarkson Potter, Ten Speed Press, Ten Speed Graphic, Watson-Guption, 4 Color Books

ALBANIA, CROATIA, MACEDONIA, SERBIA, SLOVENIA

Prava i Prevodi
Ana Milenkovic / Milena Kaplarevic
ana@pravaiprevodi.org
milena@pravaiprevodi.org

ARMENIA, AZERBAIJAN, ESTONIA, GEORGIA, KAZAKHSTAN, LATVIA, LITHUANIA, UKRAINE, UZBEKISTAN

Tatjana Zoldnere / Kristine Shatrovska
Eastern European and Asian Rights Agency
zoldnere@earagency.com
shatrovska@earagency.com

BRAZIL

Laura Riff / Joao Paulo Riff
Agência Riff
laura@agenciariff.com.br
joaopaulo@agenciariff.com.br

BULGARIA

Mira Droumeva
A.N.A. Sofia Ltd.
mira@anas-bg.com

CHINA, TAIWAN

Luisa Yeh / Ivan Zhang
Bardon-Chinese Media Agency
luisa@bardonchinese.com ivan@bardonchinese.com

CZECH REPUBLIC, SLOVAKIA

Kristin Olson / Martina Knapkova
Kristin Olson Literary Agency s.r.o.
kristin.olson@litag.cz
martina.knapkova@litag.cz

FRANCE

Eliane Benisti / Noémie Rollet
Agence Benisti
eliane@elianebenisti.com
noemie@elianebenisti.com

GERMANY

Annelie Geissler
Mohrbooks AG Literary Agency
sales@mohrbooks.com

GREECE

John Moukakos
JLM Literary
jlm@jlm.gr

HUNGARY

Eszter Szasz
Katai & Bolza Literary Agents
esther@kataibolza.hu

INDONESIA, THAILAND, VIETNAM

Pat Akkarasawart / Chonikarn Tunvilai
Bridge Communications, Co.
pat@bridgecomth.com
chonikarn@bridgecomth.com

ISRAEL

Geula Gerts / Efrat Lev
Deborah Harris Agency
geula@thedeborahharrisagency.com
efrat@thedeborahharrisagency.com

ITALY

Chiara Piovan / Claire Sabatié-Garat
The Italian Literary Agency
chiara.piovan@italianliterary.com
claire.sabatiegarat@italianliterary.com

JAPAN

Miko Yamanouchi / Eriko Takeuchi
Japan Uni Agency
miko.yamanouchi@japanuni.co.jp
eriko.takeuchi@japanuni.co.jp

KOREA

Joeun Lee
Korean Copyright Center/KCC
jelee@kccseoul.com

NETHERLANDS

Willem Bisseling / Rik Kleuver
Sebes & Bisseling
bisseling@sebes.nl / kleuver@sebes.nl
office@sebes.nl

POLAND

Lukasz Wrobel
Graal Literary Agency
lukasz.wrobel@graal.com.pl

ROMANIA

Simona Kessler / Adriana Marina
International Copyright Agency
simona@kessler-agency.ro
marina@kessler-agency.ro

SCANDINAVIA

Willem Bisseling
Sebes & Bisseling
bisseling@sebes.nl /
office@sebes.nl

SPAIN, PORTUGAL, LATIN AMERICA

Livia Stoia / Antonia Girmacea /
Oana Vasile
IE Ilustrata SL
livia.stoia@ilustrata.com
Antonia.girmacea@liviastoliaagency.ro
oana.vasile@ilustrata.com

TURKEY

Amy Spangler / Hasret Parlak Torun
Anatolia Lit
amy@anatolialit.com
hasret@anatolialit.com

UK / BRITISH COMMONWEALTH

Rachel Berkowitz
rberkowitz@penguinrandomhouse.com