

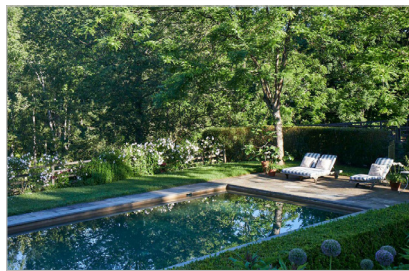
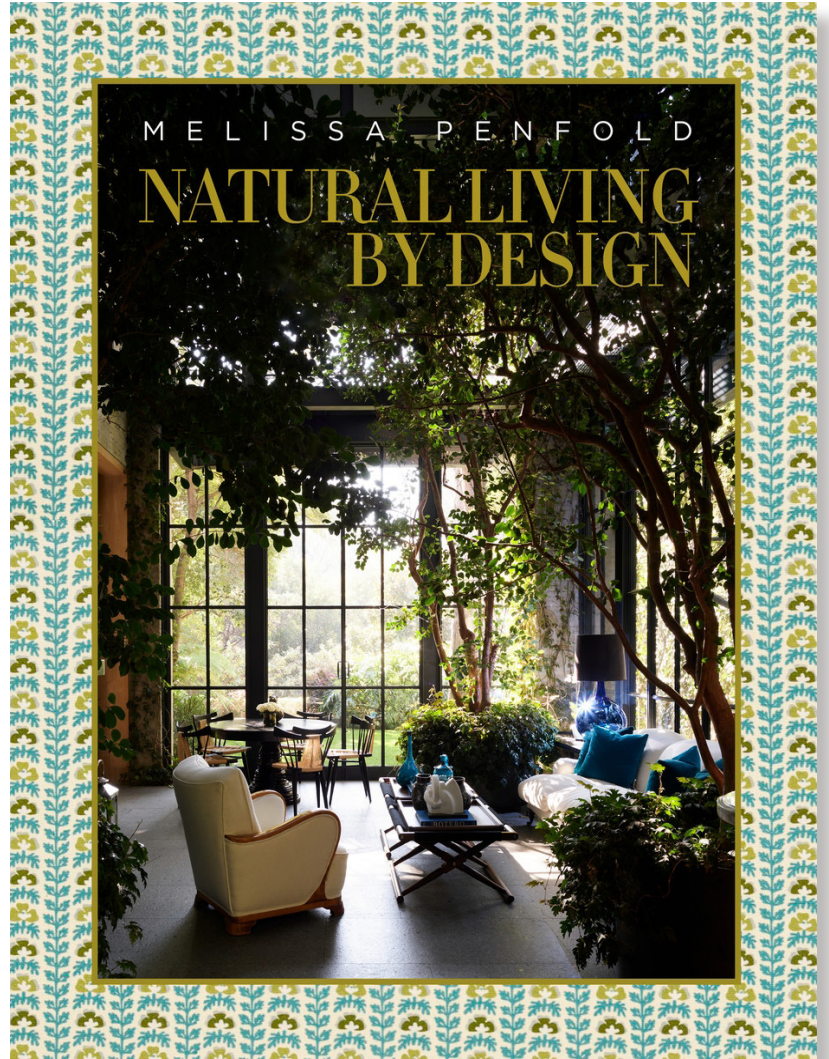
**JUNE 2025 NEW RELEASES**

**Natural Living by Design**  
*Melissa Penfold*

In her new book, internationally renowned design and style authority Melissa Penfold turns her attention from the basics of interior decorating to demonstrating what a powerful force design can be in boosting our physical and emotional well-being.

Each chapter is devoted to an aspect of healthy, life-enhancing design, including Ease, Flow, Light, Nature, Timelessness, and Awe. All underscore the importance of introducing lots of natural light; using natural, non-toxic materials (clay plaster, timber, stone); incorporating nature into our homes, whether through views of the outside world or by filling our interior with plants; creating lots of storage (mess is stress); and recognizing the power that colour has on our state of mind.

Illustrating each chapter are photographs of beautiful rooms in homes around the world that embody the salutary properties of *Natural Living by Design*.



208 pages, 305 x 235 (HB)

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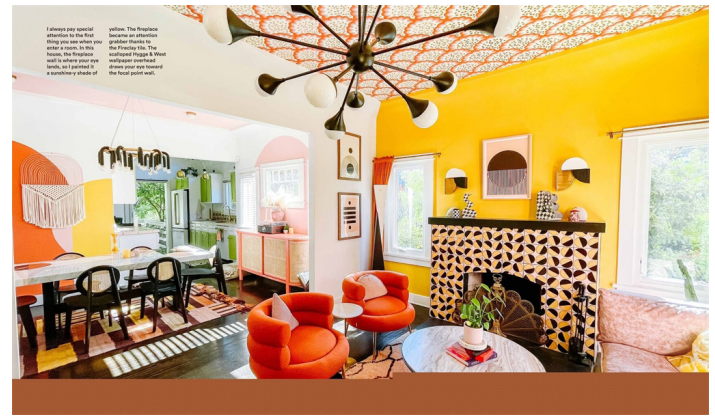
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## The Maximalist Colorful Interiors for Bold Living Dani Dazey

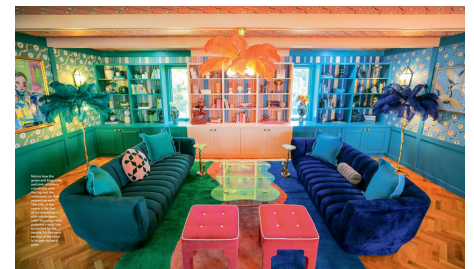
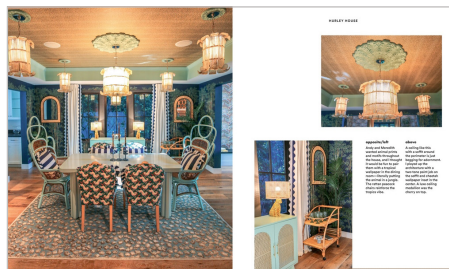
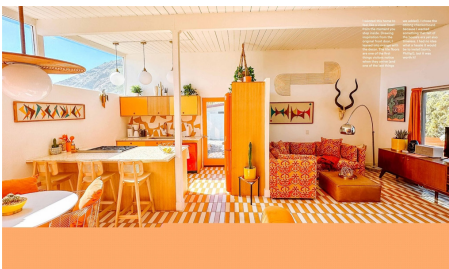
*The Maximalist* by Dani Dazey is an interior design book for true maximalists who love to celebrate all things colour, pattern, and clutter. With her signature seventies flair, quirky custom furniture (pizza couch, anyone?), unique graphic designs, and bright colour palettes, Dazey is the perfect person to show you how to bring happiness and personality into your decorating.



Maximalist style authority Dani Dazey shares her bold design advice for creating colourful interiors and playful patterns in your home.

*The Maximalist* includes 11 of Dazey's design projects, from the iconic Trixie Motel—created by beloved drag queen Trixie Mattel—to the idyllic Dazey Desert House at the foot of the San Jacinto mountains, to a crazy and colourful maximalist mansion.

By showing you how to find balance in creative expression, establish an atmosphere, mix in patterns (hint: you can never have enough wallpaper), and choose the right furniture and finishes, this book is your guide to all things playful and whimsical for your home.



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**David Hockney**  
*Norman Rosenthal*

Published in association with the Fondation Louis Vuitton, Paris, and tied to its major 2025 exhibition, *David Hockney* charts an extraordinarily creative life through images and text in a large-format landscape book. The artworks chosen reflect Hockney's key themes and preoccupations over the decades, from his early life in Bradford and London through the California era and his later years in Bridlington, Yorkshire, and Normandy, France.

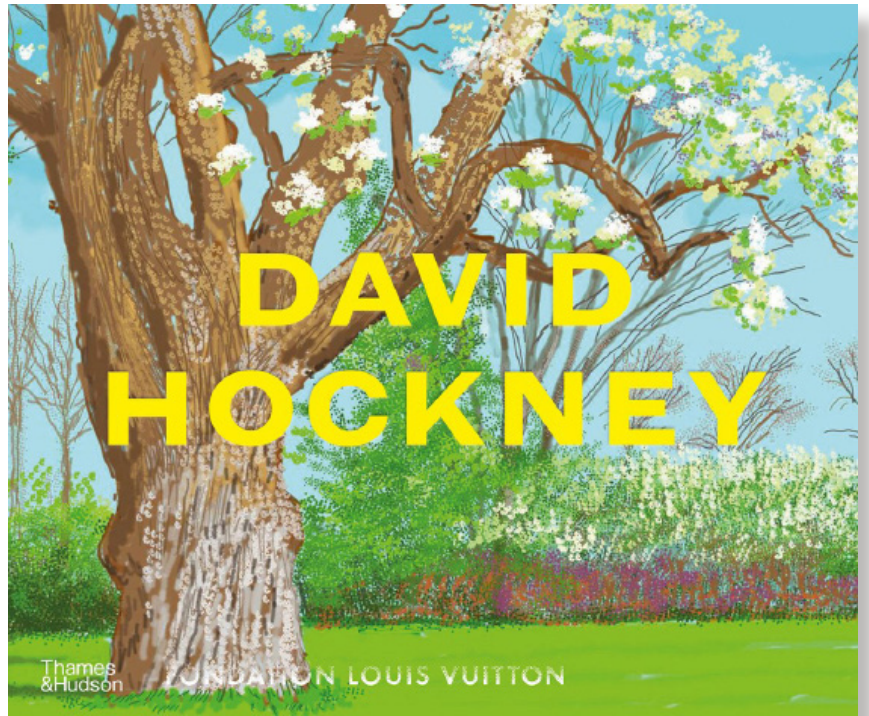
To give context to Hockney's art, this definitive survey features a selection of archival photographs and eye-catching artworks paired with expertly written text by pre-eminent curatorial experts, art historians and critics, including Sir Norman Rosenthal and Sir Simon Schama. Compiled with the full involvement of David Hockney and his studio, and with a largescale landscape format with a selection of gatefolds that enables the reader to revel in the art, this is the most important book on Hockney's entire career to date and will appeal to the many fans of the artist's work across the globe.

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324 pages, 259 x 305 (HB)



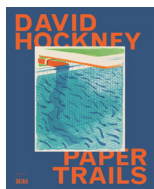
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Playful, keen eyed, ever curious, David Hockney is one of our greatest living artists.



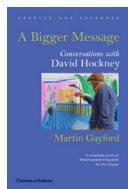
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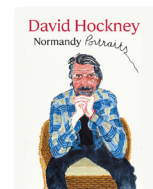
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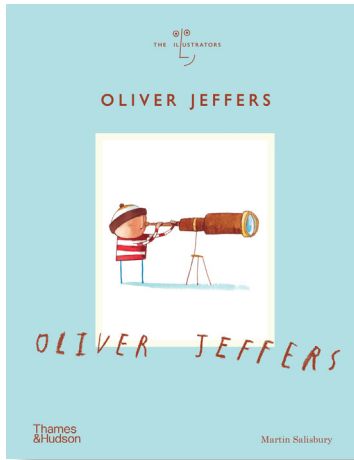
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## Not for Art's Sake Quentin Blake

An art book about art that has a purpose, focusing on work by Quentin Blake that has been commissioned for a particular place or for a particular use. Illustration is the most accessible visual artform and one that is used in all aspects of life; as Quentin Blake says, 'it is, if you like, a vernacular; it's a language that everybody understands...' From site specific work in a maternity suit in France and drawings of everyday life for family rooms in prisons across the UK to logos, cards and designs for various charities; The work here shows Quentin using this vernacular to great effect and for very different purposes.

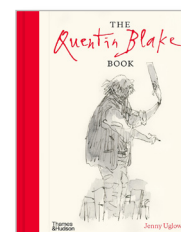
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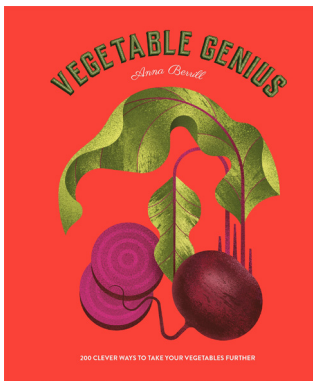
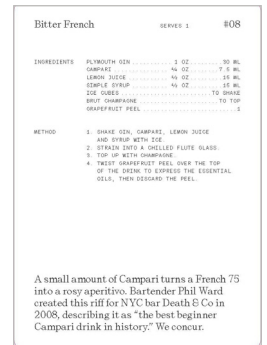
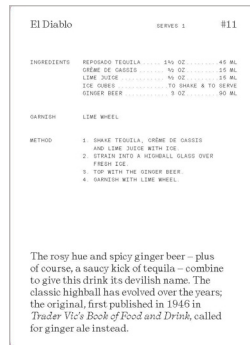
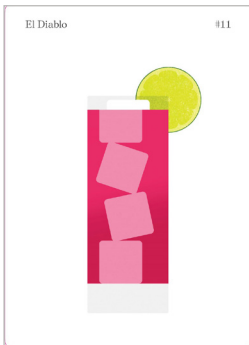
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Anna Berrill

Turn forty humble vegetables into majestic mealtime heroes. From everyday staples like carrots, broccoli and onions to seasonal stars like asparagus, sweetcorn and runner beans, *Vegetable Genius* will elevate your produce to a starring role, either as a main meal or tasty side dish. Each vegetable has five fuss-free recipes that require minimal ingredients - yet taste so delicious you'll want to make them time and again.



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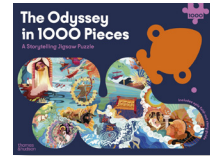
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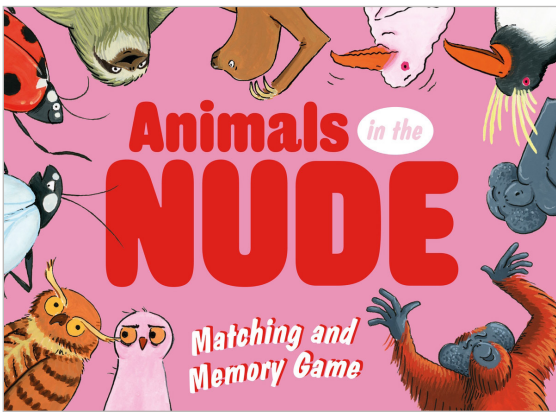
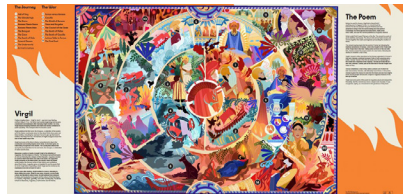
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**Animals in the Nude**  
*Daniel Frost, Catherine Ard*

Uh oh - the leopard has lost its spots, and the queen conch can't find its shell! Play this memory and matching game to help twenty-five animals find their missing 'clothes'. *Animals in the Nude* includes a booklet jam-packed with fascinating facts about each animal, with text written by author Catherine Ard.

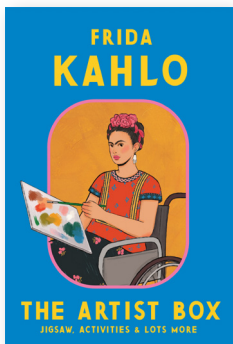


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112 pages, 144 x 108 (Game)

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Have you ever wondered if a zebra is black or white beneath its stripes? What does a bird-of-paradise look like without its fancy feathers?



**The Artist Box: Frida Kahlo**  
*Susannah Frieze*

Explore Frida Kahlo's art, life and home in this interactive artist's box, featuring twenty-four activity cards, a 150-piece jigsaw, a concertina fold-out and an iron-on patch.



24 cards, 150 piece puzzle (Kit)

**The Artist Box: Claude Monet**  
*Susannah Frieze*

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## Life-Changing Homes *Kirsten Dirksen, Nicolas Boulosa*

A unique and daring collection of homes and the stories of those who have changed their lives by changing their surroundings, from YouTube sensation Kirsten Dirksen and Nicolás Boulosa of @kirstendirksen / @faircompanies.



240 pages, 254 x 203 (HB)

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## The World of Peter Dunham

*Peter Dunham*

A-list interior designer Peter Dunham's first book reveals his singular approach to colourful, pattern-filled interiors with world-class photography of never-before-seen projects.

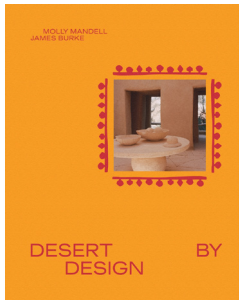
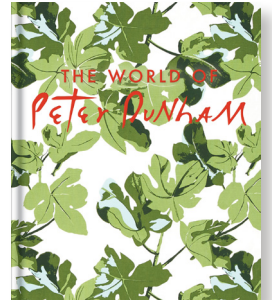
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## Desert by Design *James Burke, Molly Mandell*

A distinctively designed, beautifully photographed interior design book that showcases the incredible spaces and stories of creative desert dwellers.

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## Inside Ibiza

*Emma Roig Askari*

More than a look at extraordinary homes, *Inside Ibiza* is a tribute to the beauty of the island's interiors and the irresistible energy of this most famous of the Balearic Islands.

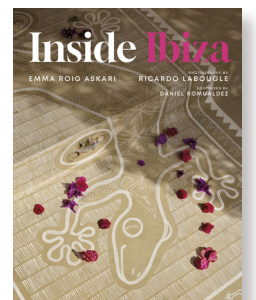
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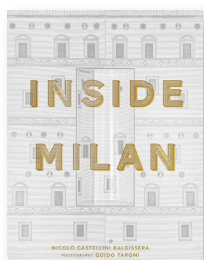


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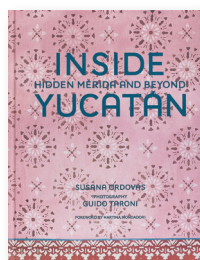
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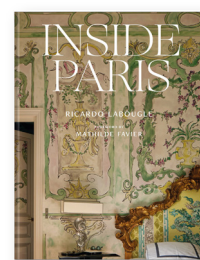
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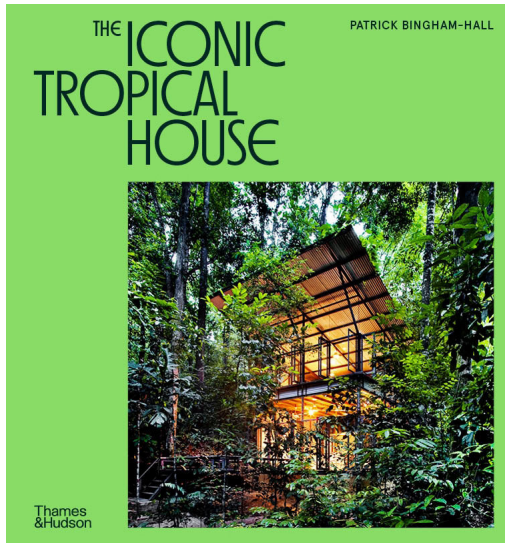
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# ARCHITECTURE



## The Iconic Tropical House *Patrick Bingham-Hall*

This stunningly illustrated volume presents forty-five of the most interesting tropical houses of the last 30 years, surveying India, Sri Lanka, Bangladesh, Thailand, Malaysia, Vietnam, Singapore, Indonesia and northern Australia, arranged decade by decade. Author Patrick Bingham-Hall sets the houses in context arguing that climate, colonization and modernism, have created a very specific set of circumstances and therefore houses. Bingham-Hall makes the case that this is architecture that's environmentally attuned and innately sustainable. It's also a book of lush, jaw-dropping houses that seamlessly blend indoor and out, in locations anyone would want to visit.

304 pages, 280 x 260 (HB)

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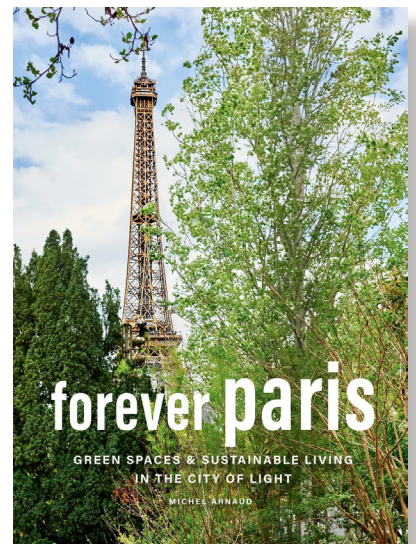
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## Forever Paris *Michel Arnaud*

The gorgeous green spaces and sustainable architecture of Paris are spotlighted by photographer Michel Arnaud in this stunning book. In *Forever Paris*, photographer and author Michel Arnaud documents and investigates the projects and people that are transforming Paris for the future by asking questions like *What makes a city "green"?* and *How can we make our world sustainable?* and *What changes must we make now?* This stunning photography book explores how today's generation is leading a revolution for sustainability to protect the future of our environment for generations to come...

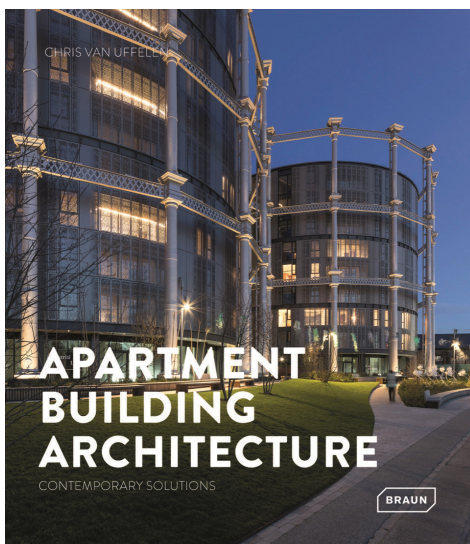
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## Apartment Building Architecture *Chris van Uffelen*

This volume presents projects that combine innovation, aesthetics, sustainability, and quality of life. Each selected building, from social housing to luxury serviced apartments, emphasizes flexibility and individuality, and tells its own story. They all present visions for a vibrant and sustainable urban future through the interplay of intelligent floor plans, well thought-out spatial concepts, and convincing design solutions.

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**Ukrainian Modernism**  
*Dmytro Soloviov, FUEL*

Ukraine's overlooked modernist buildings are under threat from development, decommunization and war. Photographer Dmytro Soloviov has crossed Ukraine documenting them to form the most comprehensive publication available on the subject.

240 pages, 160 x 200 (HB)

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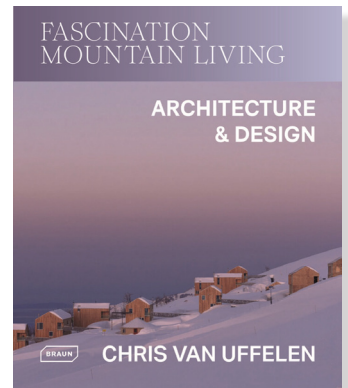


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**Fascination Mountain Living**  
*Chris van Uffelen*

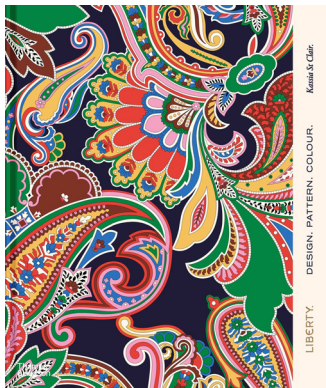
An inspiring overview of contemporary homes set against the backdrop of high mountains, steep hillsides and picturesque valleys with a focus on architecture and interior design. All the oases of modern living featured in this book demonstrate in unique ways how aesthetics, functionality, sustainability and adaptation to the topography can be felicitously combined.



224 pages, 320 x 250 (HB)

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**Liberty**  
*Kassia St Clair*

Published to mark the 150th anniversary of the founding of Liberty, this book celebrates the extraordinary range of innovative fabric designs that have been at the forefront of the business and its global reputation for well over a century. This beautifully produced book places fabrics in the context of the store's wider design history - from the retailer's remarkable Tudor-revival building to posters, advertising and branding.



272 pages, 305 x 255 (HB)

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**The Watercolor Feast**  
*Erin Gleeson*

From the *New York Times* bestselling author of the Forest Feast series, Erin Gleeson, a beginner friendly watercolour book with techniques, 40 fun tutorials, and watercolour paper at the back of the book to practice on. For anyone who is looking for a little more creativity, *Watercolor Feast* is a charming introductory guide to painting that celebrates the beauty of food and the natural world.



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ART



**The Foreign Invention of British Art**

*Leslie Primo*

Weaving together artists' experiences of both acclaim and adversity, *The Foreign Invention of British Art* not only demonstrates how immigration and diversification are so often the driving force behind creative innovation, but also reveals the true heritage behind some of the nation's defining artworks.

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**A Short Book About Art (Expanded Edition)**

*Dana Arnold*

The bestselling survey of art history, newly expanded with additional artworks and fresh commentary across six overarching themes: looking, materials, mind, devotion, power, and sex. It's the perfect companion for anyone seeking to learn more across a stunning breadth of art.

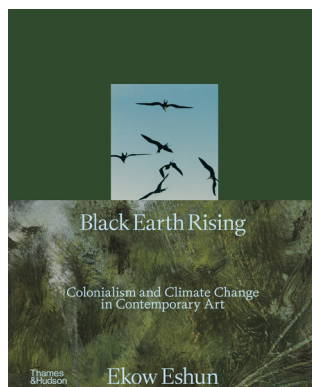
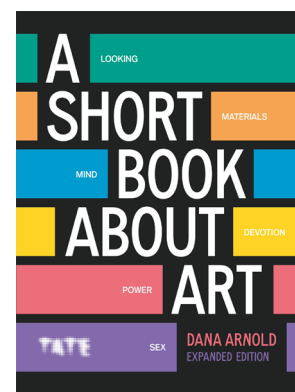
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**Black Earth Rising**

*Ekow Eshun*

A vibrant contemporary art anthology that explores the complex ties between race, climate crisis and colonialism by 100 leading artists of African diasporic, Latin American and Native American identity. Compelling and thought-provoking, *Black Earth Rising* presents a discourse around climate change that situates the voices of people of colour at the active centre rather than on the passive periphery.



240 pages, 308 x 245 (HB)

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**Artists of the Middle East**

*Saeb Eigner*

The first-ever A-Z of the major modern and contemporary artists of the Middle East. The vibrant and varied art of the Middle East and North Africa is brought together in this beautifully illustrated book through the life and work of more than 250 artists, covering a 120-year period of creative activity from 1900 to the present day.

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ART



**Raucous Invention**  
*Mark Heard*

Featuring his distinctive collages, textile designs, linocut prints, wallpapers and sculptures (to name just a few), *Raucous Invention* is a celebration of - and insight into - Heard's recent work and extraordinary creativity. As Alan Powers explains in his introduction, 'this art is imperfect in the best way, messy and not prone to explaining itself, but the sound of singing and laughter is in the air.'



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**Helen Chadwick**  
*Laura Smith*

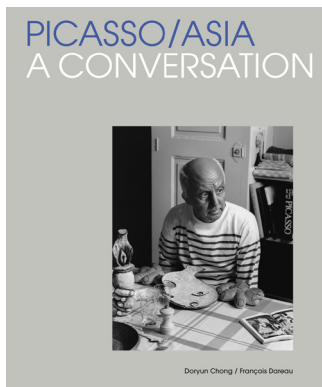
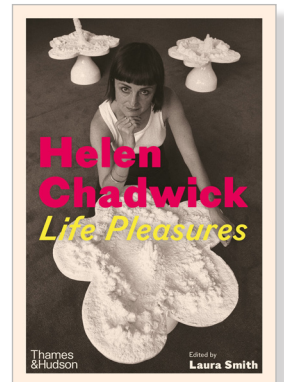
The first ever critical biography of Helen Chadwick, who died tragically young but is now revered as a pioneering feminist artist. Helen Chadwick (1953-1996) embraced the sensuous aspects of the natural world, breaking taboos of the 'traditional' or 'beautiful'. She quickly became a leading figure amongst Britain's post-war avantgarde, becoming one of the first women to be nominated for the Turner Prize.



272 pages, 240 x 165 (HB)

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**Picasso/Asia**  
*Doryun Chong, François Dureau*

Published to accompany a major exhibition at M+, Hong Kong, this book places more than sixty Picasso masterpieces alongside works by Asian and Asian-diasporic artists selected from the M+ collections. A bold exploration of complex relationships between origin and reception, invention and adaptation, and West and East, this book enriches the discourse on transnational contemporary Asian art and visual culture.



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**Obey**  
*Giuseppe Pizzuto*

On the occasion of 35 years of Shepard Fairey's (Obey) career, this monograph presents a body of work that is among the most representative of his artistic production, together with numerous unique pieces conceived especially for the occasion. The sections of the book are inspired by the most representative themes of Shepard Fairey's art: propaganda; peace and justice; environment; music and new works.

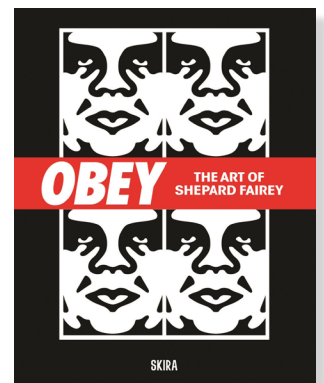
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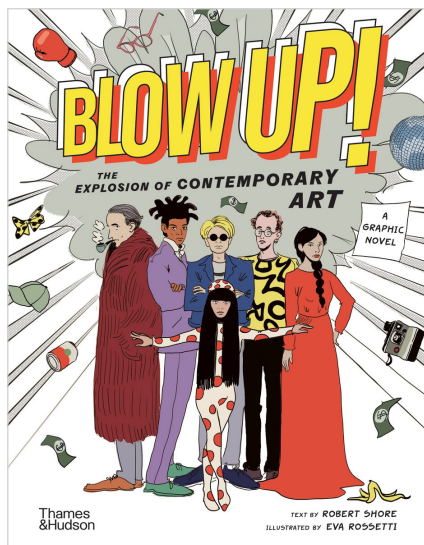
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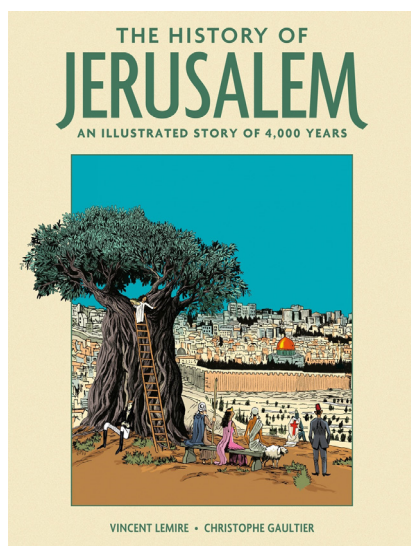
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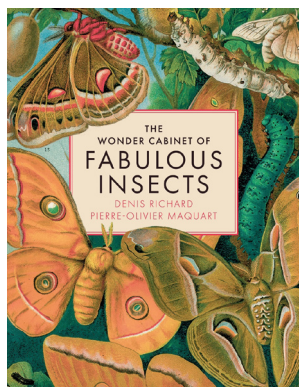
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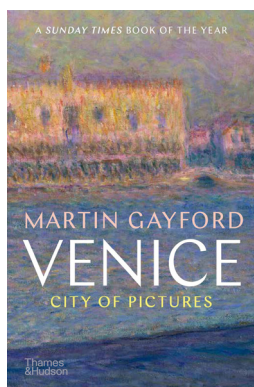
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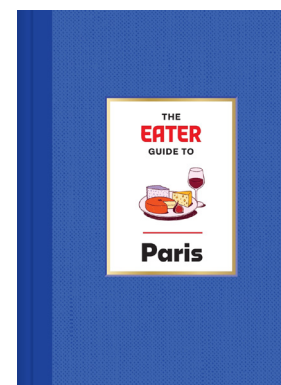
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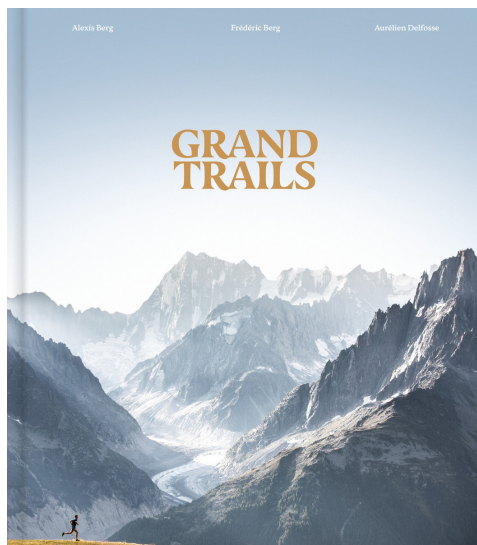


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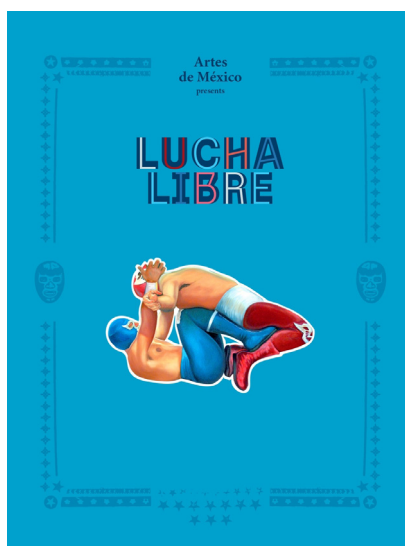
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*Peter Beard*

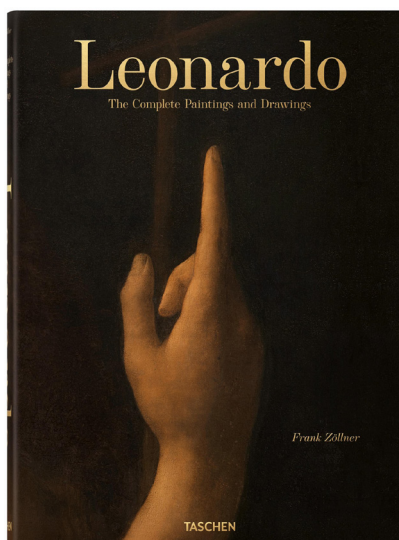
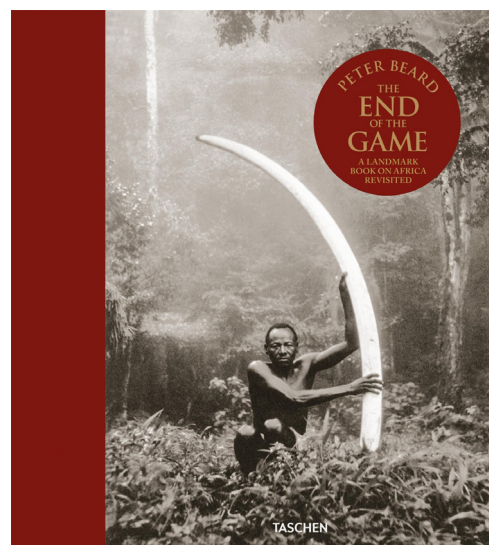
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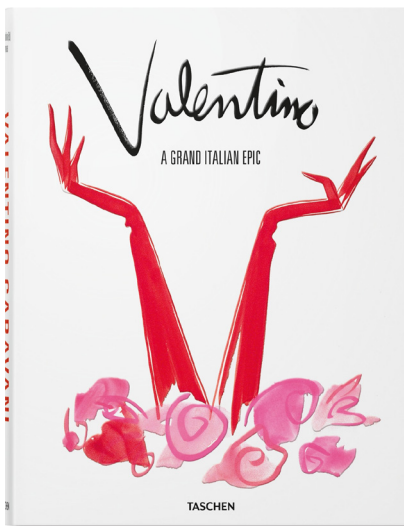
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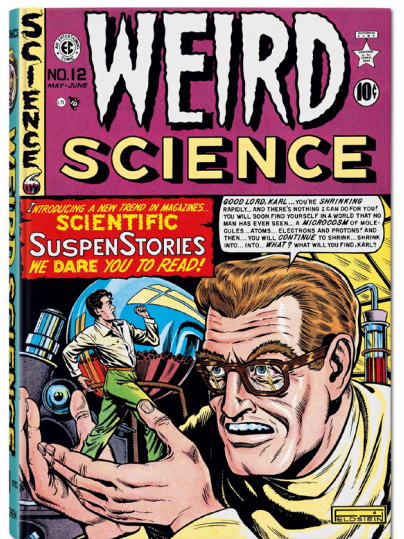
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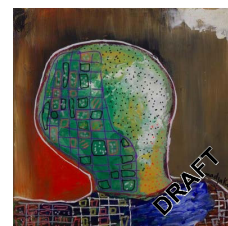
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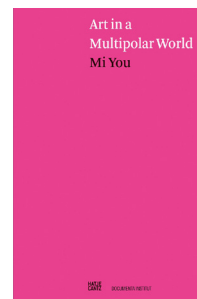
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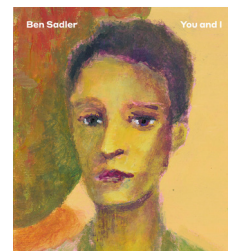
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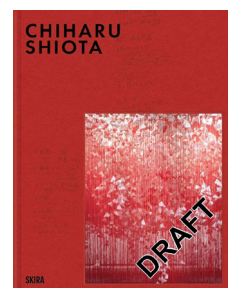
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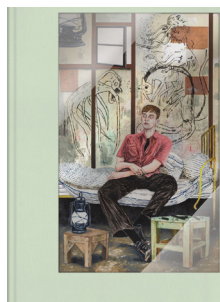
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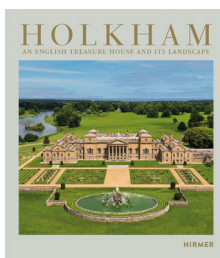
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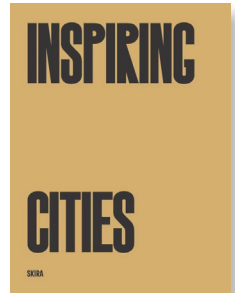
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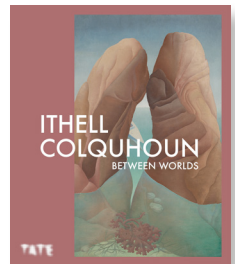
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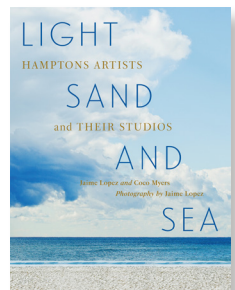
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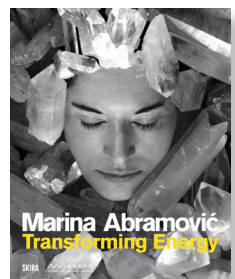
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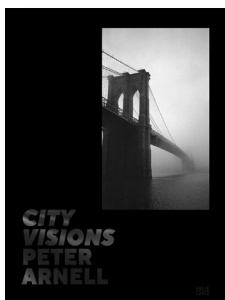
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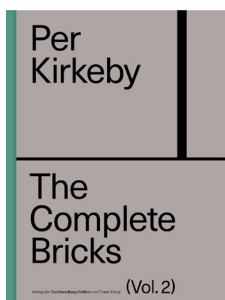
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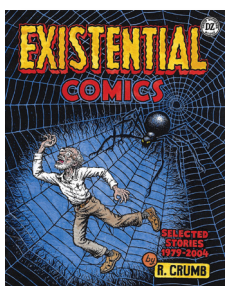
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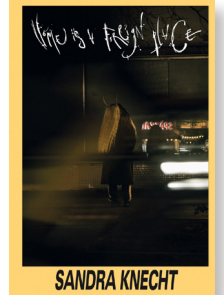
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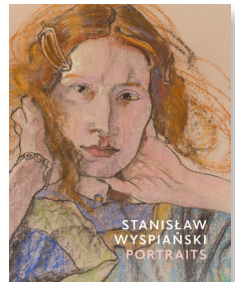
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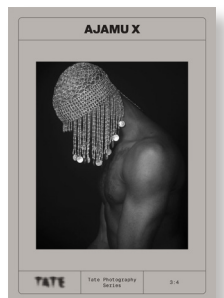
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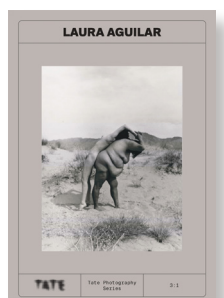
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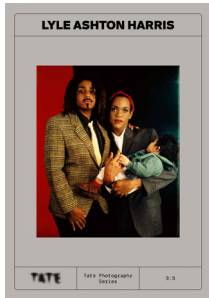
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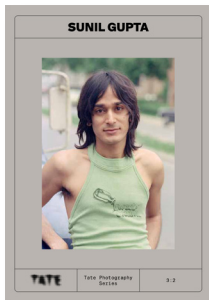
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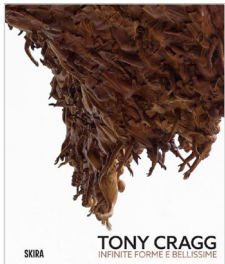
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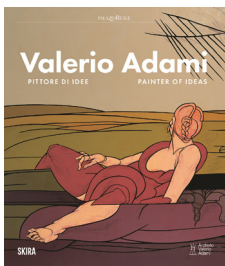
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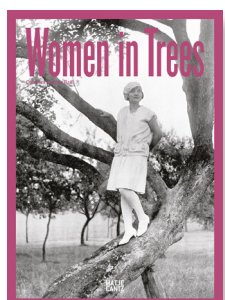
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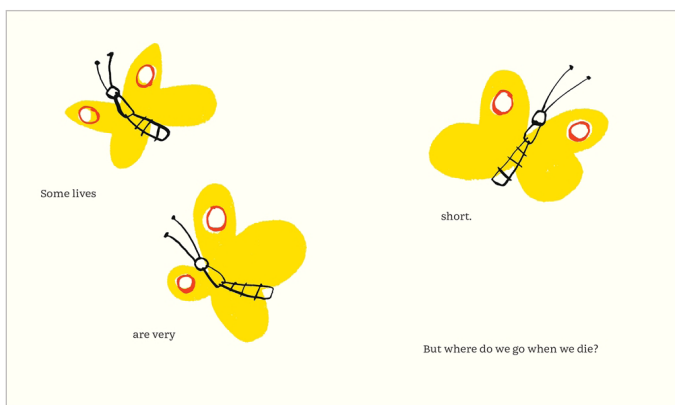
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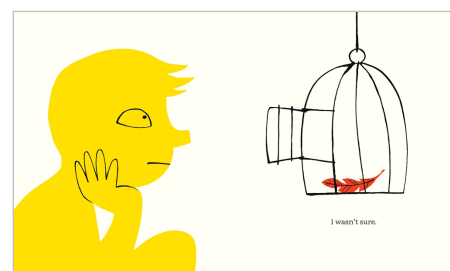
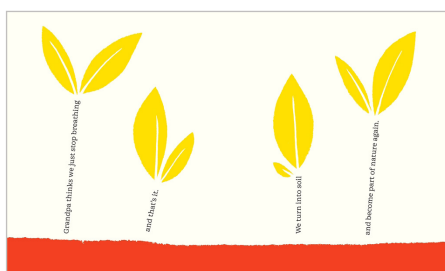
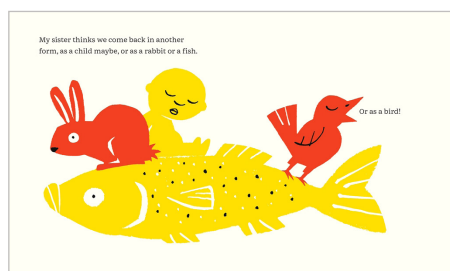
**Gone**  
*Michel Streich*

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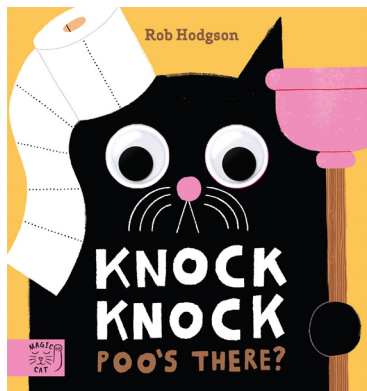
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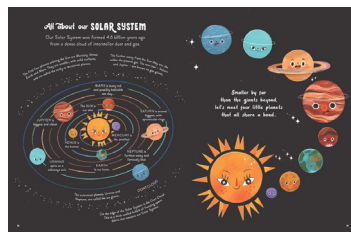
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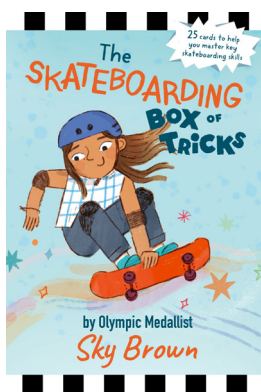
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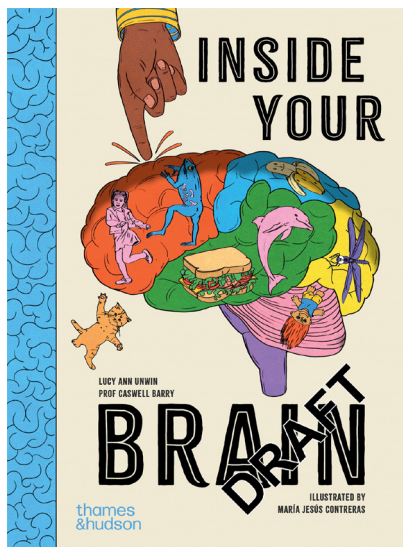
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**Inside Your Brain**  
Lucy Ann Unwin, Professor Barry

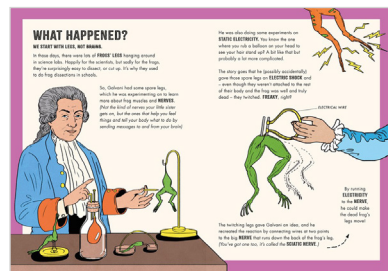
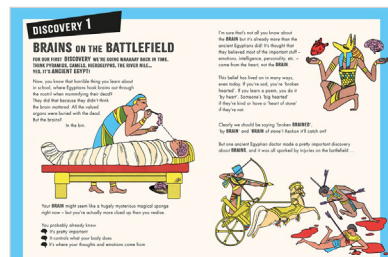
Written by professor of neuroscience Caswell Barry, together with his friend, the children's author Lucy Ann Unwin, *Inside Your Brain* takes readers on an irreverent gallop through history to uncover ten groundbreaking discoveries that led to our current understanding of how the brain works.

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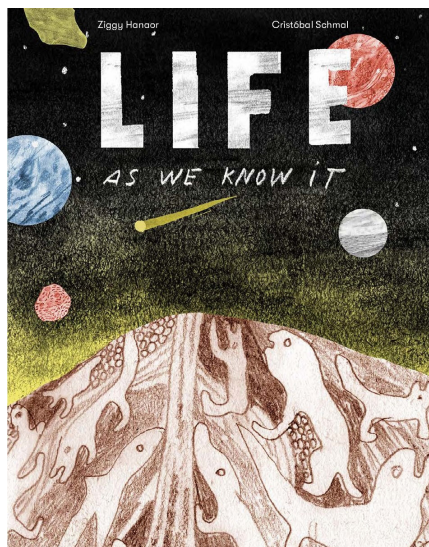
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Ziggy Hanaor

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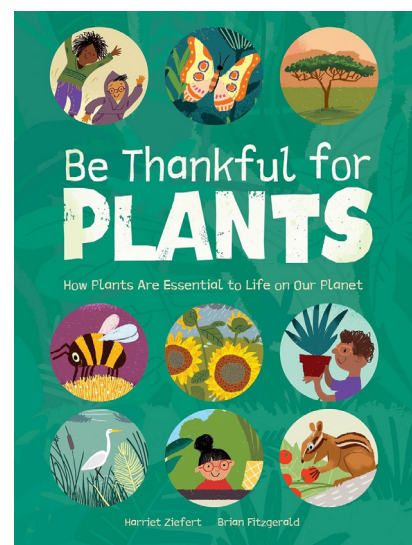
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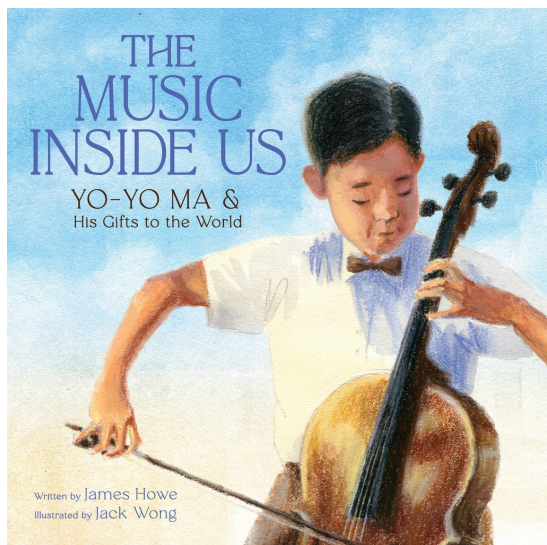
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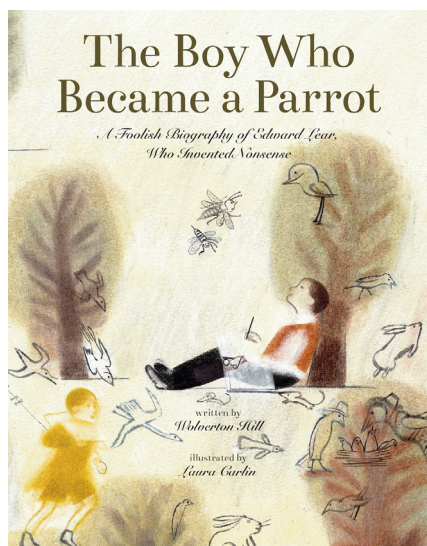
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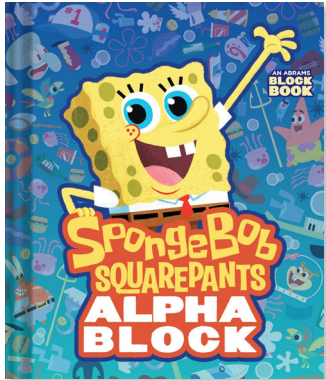
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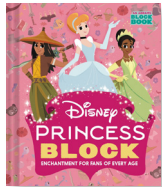
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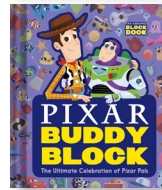
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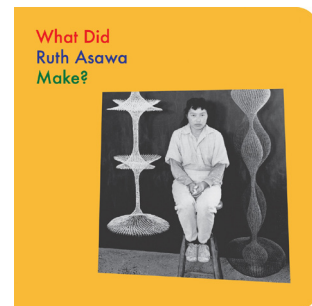
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**What Did Ruth Asawa Make?**

*Ruth Asawa, Doro Globus*

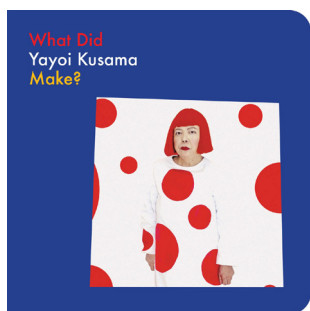
Ruth Asawa found inspiration everywhere—whether she looked to her children, her garden, or the warmth of her home, she believed that anything could become art. Her engaging work invites young artists to discover how creativity can sprout from anywhere.



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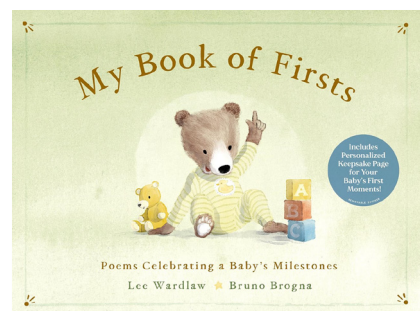
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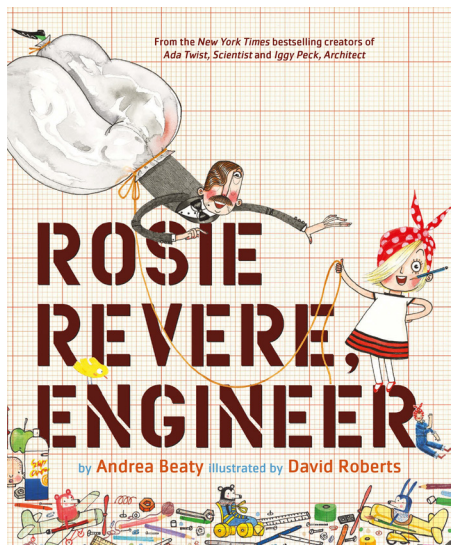


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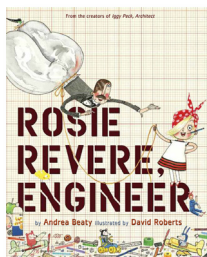


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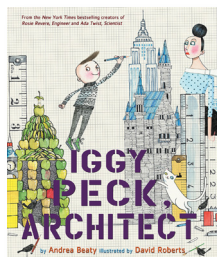
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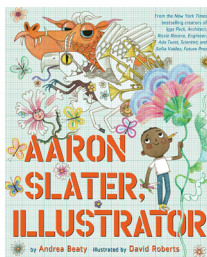
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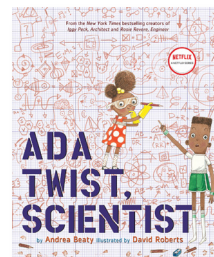
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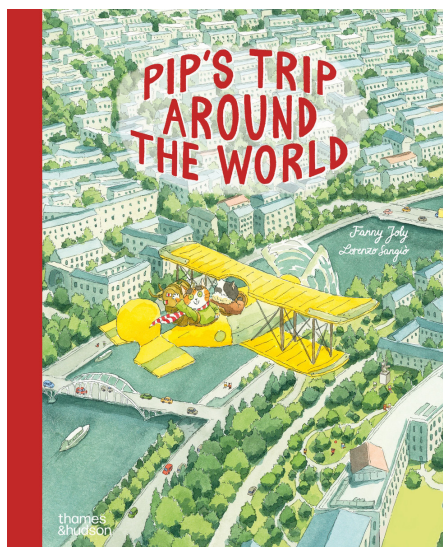


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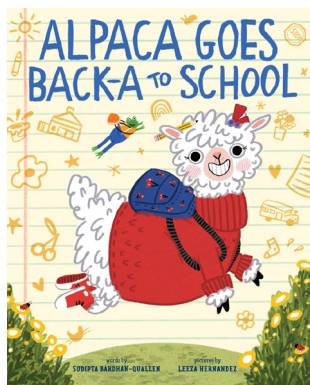
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### Alpaca Goes Back-a to School

*Sudipta Bardhan-Quallen*

From singing new songs to making new friends (and a paint spill here and there—no worries, Alpaca! Ms. Yak-a has more!), Alpaca will help young readers feel prepared for their first day, easing their anxieties and getting them excited for school. Sudipta Bardhan-Quallen's inventive rhyme, paired with Leeza Hernandez's bright, graphic art, is perfect for read-aloud fun, as well as school and family libraries.

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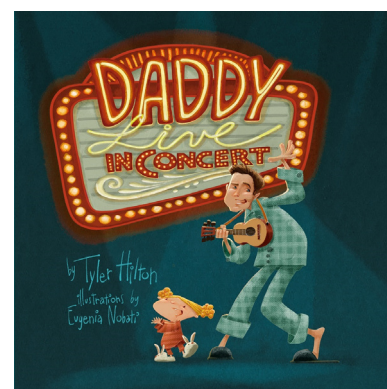
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*Tyler Hilton*

Daddy is going to bring the house down with a private concert in the living room. Bring all your stuffed friends to the living room and enjoy the show! From actor and musician Tyler Hilton comes a sweet window into the mind of a child, Daddy's #1 fan, as her father serenades her with all her favorite nursery rhymes and bedtime songs.

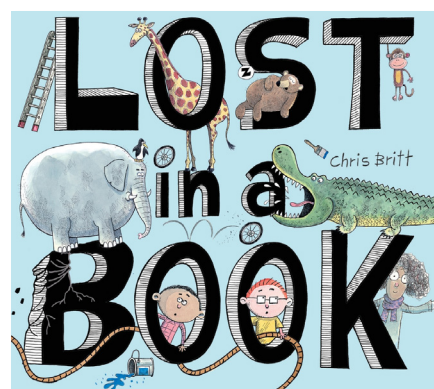
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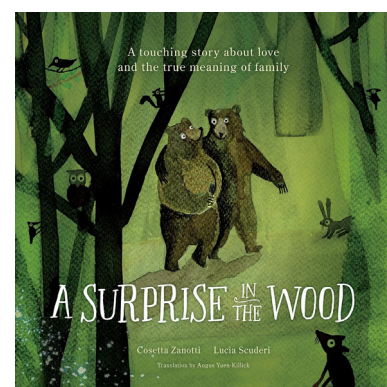
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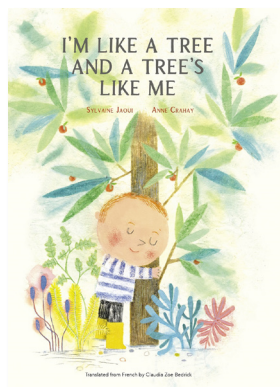


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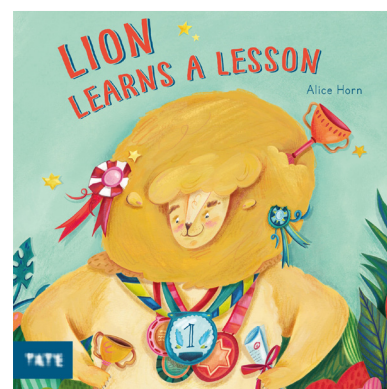
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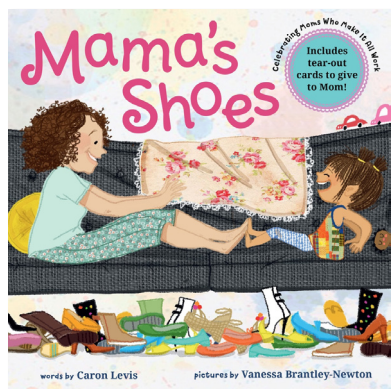
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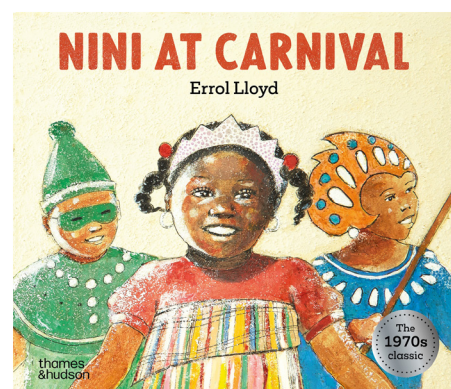
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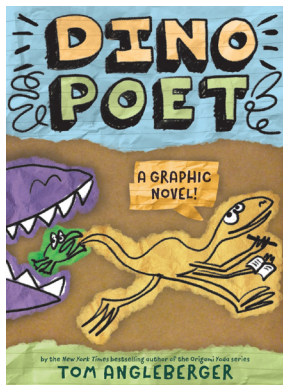
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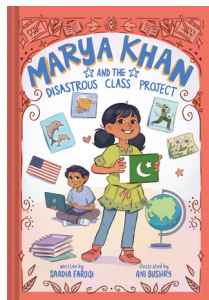
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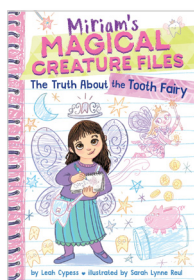


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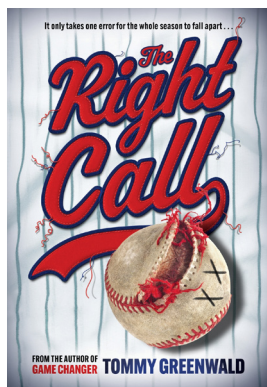
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