

#### Lars Mæhle

#### The Dinosaur Bunch (Dinosaurgjengen)

Picture Book - Series (16 titles) Kagge 2019-2025 46 pages

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Get to know all about dinosaurs big and small in *The Dinosaur Bunch* series, which follows the big and small happenings in the lives of Reggie Rex and his friends.

The books are perfect for reading aloud and are suitable for young children who have just started to read on their own. At the back of each book there are lots of facts about all the dinosaurs featured in the story. Length: 48 pages. Format 20 x 25 cm. 175 000 copies of the series printed in Norway alone!



## Per Dybvig

#### The Line (De står i kø)

Picture Book Aschehoug 2024 36 pages

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The animals stand in line. It looks fun, Twig thinks. He wants to join. He wants to play! It's not a game, the animals tell him. It's a line, they say, and order Twig to stand at the very back. Then Twig doesn't find it to be fun anymore.

The Line is a fanciful fable and an existential drama from the forest.

#### The White Ravens 2025

Nominated for the 2024 Ministry of Culture's Best Picture Book Award, the 2024 Brage Prize and the 2024 Critics' Prize



# Henrik Ibsen, Kåre Conradi, Sunniva Fluge Hole (ill.)

An Enemy of the People - Henrik Ibsen for children (Ibsens En folkefiende)

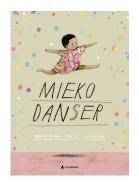
Children's fiction (series) Cappelen Damm 2024 40 pages

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An Enemy of the People is about Dr Stockmann, who discovers that the bathing water in the city's spa is contaminated with dangerous bacteria. He expects people to value his discovery and thinks it will help improve the city. Instead, his political enemies try to destroy him, attempting to silence him with threats. Dr Stockmann stands his ground and in the last act, he delivers one of Ibsen's most famous lines: "The strongest man in the world is he who stands most alone."

With the aid of illustrations and simplified text suitable for younger readers, the series aims to introduce Ibsen's plays to new generations all over the world. Ibsen is the world's second-most performed playwright after Shakespeare.

Illustrated by Sunniva Fluge Hole.



# Mariko Miyata-Jancey, Marianne Gretteberg Engedal (ill.) Mieko Dances (Mieko danser)

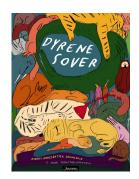
Picture Book Gyldendal Norsk Forlag 2023 48 pages

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Lush, charming picture book story!

Mieko loves to dance. Especially when she can wear shorts and a T-shirt instead of those stupid tights and that uncomfortable leotard. Mieko has never spun so fast or jumped so high before! And now Sofia with the smile has started dancing too – that smile that makes her melt inside, that makes it even nicer to be there. But why has Mieko been put in the jump group? They're all boys!

Illustrated by Marianne Gretteberg Engedal (also known as 'Skinkeape')



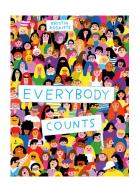
# Kjersti Annesdatter Skomsvold, Mari Kanstad Johnsen (ill.) Bedtime for Bo (Dyrene sover)

Picture Book Aschehoug Forlag 2021 72 pages

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Bedtime for Bo is a book about little Bo who doesn't want to go to bed and his mother who tells stories about how the animals sleep to guide Bo from supper, to bathing, to brushing his teeth, to bed and to finally falling asleep. It is a charming and beautifully illustrated good night story, perfect for reading aloud for curios children.

Awarded New York Times/New Your Public Library: Best Illustrated Children's Books Award 2022, The BRAW Amazing Bookshelf – Bologna Raggazzi Award 2022, "Best of Show 2022" – The Year's Most Beautiful Books (the Norwegian Designer's Guild visual prize), "GOLD – Best Illustrations and Design Children's Book 2022" – The Year's Most Beautiful Books (the Norwegian Designer's Guild visual prize) Nominated for the 2021 Brage Prize and the 2021 Ministry of Culture Picture Book Prize



### Kristin Roskifte

#### **Everybody Counts (Alle sammen teller)**

Picture Book Magikon 2018 56 pages

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So far sold to: Armenian, Azerbaijani, Binisaya, Burmese, Catalan, Czech, Chinese Complex, Chinese Simplified, Croatian, Danish, Dutch, English (World), Estonian, Faroese, Filippino, Finnish, French, Georgian, German, Greek, Greenlandic, Hungarian, Icelandic, Italian, Japanese, Korean, Latvian, Lithuanian, Polish, Portuguese (EUR), Portuguese (BR), Russian, Sami (Lule), Sami (North), Sami (South), Serbian, Sinhala, Slovak, Slovenian, Spanish (EUR), Spanish (LAT), Swedish, Thai, Turkish, Ukrainian, Vietnamese

Everybody Counts is a seek-and-find book, a counting book, and a picture book about humanity. Every single one of us has a unique story, but we are all part of the same group – the world.

Winner of the 2019 Nordic Council Children and Young People's Literature Prize, and Gold Award, Most Beautiful Books of the Year, Visuelt / Grafill..White Ravens 2019. Also included in the dPICTUS platform's '100 Outstanding Picturebooks' selection, spring 2020. Nominated for the 2019 World Illustration Awards and the 2018 Brage Prize



## Kaia Dahle Nyhus

The World Said Yes! (Verden sa ja)

Picture Book Cappelen Damm 2018 48 pages

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How did the world come into existence? How did we come into existence?

Kaia Dahle Nyhus takes the reader along on a marvelous journey of discovery to find out where we come from and when we became people. It is an explanation of evolution for young children and told in an original and poetic way. This book kindles curiosity about the big questions: Who are we and where are we going?

Winner of the 2018 Literary Critics' Prize



# Bjørn F. Rørvik, Per Dypvig (ill.)

Reynard's Reveille - Piggy post (Reveljen - Griseposten)

Illustrated novel (series) Cappelen Damm 2018 56 pages

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Previous titles in the series sold to: China, Denmark, Russia, Sweden

New read-aloud gem about Fox and Piglet that is especially entertaining for all children and adults with a sense of humor!

In the thirteenth book about Fox and Piglet, the two friends decide to start a newspaper. But it isn't that easy to find exciting news in the forest! A mouse who almost trips isn't that fun to write about. And what will they have on the front page? Luckily, the King of the Forest is coming to visit, and then things start to pick up.



# Synne Lea, Stian Hole (ill.)

You and I (Du og jeg)

Picture Book Cappelen Damm 2018 64 pages

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Grandfather's rowboat is ready, little brother runs ahead. They are going to row, play the letter game, see the great ocean. But the girl in this story is hesitant. There is something that is hard to talk about. One day all of this will be their, grandfather says. The boat, the rain cap, the camping stove. But the girl does not want it. She only wants to keep her grandfather.

You and I is a story about loving someone, and about being afraid of loosing the one you love.



# Klaus Hagerup, Lisa Aisato (ill.)

The Girl Who Wanted to Save the Books (Jenta som ville redde bøkene)

Picture Book Gyldendal 2017 55 pages

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Anna is nearly 10 years old and loves to read. She loves reading so much that one of her best friends is the librarian, Monsen. One day Monsen tells Anna what happens to the books no one wants to borrow from the library. The books disappear. The books are destroyed.

But what happens to all those who live inside these books, Anna wonders? Do they disappear too? This is just too much to bear, Anna thinks. She has to save the books! But how?



## Espen Dekko P+E (P+E)

Picture Book Magikon 2017 40 pages

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So far sold to: Chinese Simplified, Dutch, English (North America), French, German, Korean, Turkish

A boy, Edward, has a very strong and loving relationship with the family dog, Puff. Puff used to love chasing rabbits, cats and cars. Now Puff doesn't enjoy running anymore. He has been running enough. Puff just wants to lie in Edward's bed and dream. Dream about everything he has done. Together with Edward.

Illustrated by Mari Kanstad Johnsen.



## Elisabeth Helland Larsen, Marine Schneider (ill.)

I Am Death / I Am Life / I Am the Clown (Jeg er Døden / Jeg er Livet / Jeg er Klovnen)

Picture Book (series) Magikon 2015-2016-2017 48 pages

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So far sold to: I Am Death sold to: Arabic, Brazilian Portuguese, Dutch (Belgium), English, French, German, Italian, Korean, Latvian, Persian, Polish, Simplified Chinese, Slovak, Spanish, Swedish

*I Am Life* sold to: Arabic, Brazilian Portuguese, Dutch (Belgium), English, French, German, Italian, Korean, Latvian, Persian, Polish, Simplified Chinese, Traditional Chinese, Slovak, Spanish

I Am The Clown sold to: French, Italian, Korean

A trilogy about life and death that address fundamental questions of death and life in a beautiful and poetic way, independent of cultural and religious background. Illustrated by Marine Schneider.



# Alice Bjerknes Lima de Faria

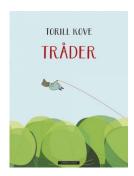
The Bird Party (Fuglefesten)

Picture Book Cappelen Damm 2017 56 pages

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Flapps is a nocturnal animal who gets bored when there's no one to play with. Everyone else sleeps at night – just not Flapps!

Sometimes Mark plays with her, but tonight Mark has to go to bed earlier than usual. Mark was invited to a birthday party at the birds' place. Flapps wasn't. So, she steals the invitation when Mark is sleeping and goes herself. But the birds aren't particularly interested in having a visit from Flapps. They want Mark, and there's a reason for that...



## **Torill Kove**

Threads (Tråder)

Picture Book Cappelen Damm 2017 40 pages

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Threads is based on Torill Kove's latest animated film of the same name. A red thread lifts a woman up and leads her to a small child. The child is anxious and doesn't like to be touched, but eventually the two are tied together. We follow them through the child's upbringing – until the thread loosens and the child goes its own way.

A poignant and touching story about love and attachment, told almost without a single word.



# **Øyvind Torseter**

Mule Boy (Mulegutten)

Picture Book Cappelen Damm 2015 120 pages

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The story of Mule Boy is based on the Norwegian fairy tale about "The Troll Who Had No Heart". The king has sent six of his seven sons out into the world to find suitable princesses. The sons don't return and Mule Boy insists on finding out what has happened to his brothers. He discovers that the troll has turned his brothers and their brides into stone. He makes his way into the mountain to get hold of the troll and free the princess whom the troll has captured.

Winner of the Deutscher Jugendliteraturpreis 2018 for best picture book and the Norwegian Critics' Prize for Literature, Best Children's and Young Adult Book 2015. Nominated for the Nordic Council Children and YA Literature Prize 2016.



## Lisa Aisato

A Fish for Luna (En fisk til Luna)

Picture Book Gyldendal 2014 40 pages

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So far sold to: Czech, Danish, Hindi, Romanian

Luna can't sleep. She opens her window and peeks out. There is something out there. Something is gliding slowly between the houses. Is it a balloon? A flying fish? Luna's parents say it is ugly and that she can't keep it, so Luna decides to help it back home. But it won't say where home is.

All it says is "Ay", "Yue", "Kuu", "Maan", "Tsuki", "Karoo" and "Kamar". And it says "Luna". With great bravery Lisa Aisato explores life's big issues and presents an original and fresh take on subjects as human as loneliness and hope.



## **Øyvind Torseter**

The Hole (Hullet)

Picture Book Cappelen Damm 2012 64 pages

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'Hello, I've discovered a hole in my apartment ... it moves around ... yes ... if you could come and look at it ... bring it down to you, you say ... how ... hello!'

The protagonist has discovered a hole and tries to find an explanation. He seeks expert advice. But not everything can be explained. Perhaps he will just have to accept that it's there.

The Hole has simple, expressive drawings by pen and computer. The hole is punched right through the book, so it exists in real life.

Winner of the prize for Norway's most beautiful book 2013 and the French Prix Jeune Alber Nominated for the Brage Prize 2012 and IBBY's Hans Christian Andersen Awards 2012



## Mari Kanstad Johnsen

Scary Holiday (Livredd i Syden)

Picture Book Gyldendal 2013 32 pages

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Everybody loves a holiday in the sun, except Maja. What's the point of standing in endless queues, jumping from diving towers into waves that could throw anyone over? Luckily, Maja has Daddy who is big and strong and fearless, so it doesn't matter much that Maja is a scaredy-cat. But what happens when Daddy all of a sudden vanishes?



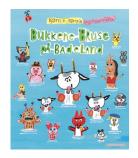
#### Åshild Kanstad Johnsen

Block Makes a Museum (Kubbe lager museum)

Picture Book (Vol. I in a series) Gyldendal 2010 32 pages

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Block likes to collect things he finds in the forest. There are so many treasures out there, he thinks. He takes all these treasures home and puts them in nice boxes. But one day the boxes are full! So Block opens his own museum. The museum is a great success. Almost too much so, Block thinks... is he really supposed to have to queue up to go to his own bathroom for the rest of his life?



# Bjørn F. Rørvik, Gry Moursund (ill.)

The Three Billy Goats Gruff at the Water Park (Bukkene Bruse på badeland)

Picture Book (Vol. I in a series) Cappelen Damm 2009 48 pages

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The three Billy Goats Gruff are on their way to the meadow, as usual, to eat the green grass. But along the road they find a New sign: Water Park – 200 meters. The Gruff brothers think this sounds tempting. And maybe they won't have to face the troll that is always waiting under the bridge to scare them every time they head for the hills to buy waffles. The water park is exciting, especially the long slide. But then the troll shows up...

Illustrated by Gry Moursund.

The book forms the basis for an animated film by the production company Qvisten Animasjon (2023).



#### Kari Stai

#### Yesper and Noper (Jakob og Neikob)

Picture Book (Vol. I in a series) Samlaget 2008 32 pages

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So far sold to: China, Czech Republic, Denmark, Egypt, France, Germany, India (Hindi, Bengali and English), Israel, Italy, North Macedonia, South Korea, Ukraine, Uruguay

Yesper and Noper live together in a house on top of a hill. They are good friends, even though they are very different from each other. Jesper says "YES" to everything, and Noper says "NO" to everything. Some days, Noper gets fed up with all the things Yesper has said YES to. The house is filled to the brim with lamps and stuff they don't need. In the end, Noper asks Yesper to move out, and Yesper says YES immediately. So, they live on a YES mount and a NO mount, until one day Yesper gets so tired of being alone, that he hatches a sneaky plan to get Noper to say yes to a car ride.

Awarded the Ministry of Culture's Prize for the best début work in 2008.



#### Anna Fiske

#### Hello Earth! (Hallo Jorda!)

Picture Book (Vol. I in a series) Cappelen Damm 2007 40 pages

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Hello Earth! is a search and find book. We follow six people on Earth for 16 hours. The reader can also find a lot of other things that happen or change from one hour to the next. For example, the small red car that's always going the wrong way, or the giraffe that's eating nearly all the leaves on the tree, and the lady who's knitting a really long scarf; all these can be found in the book.

#### Other titles in the series are:

Hello City!, Hello Crayon!, Hello Planet!, Hello Down There!, Hello Sea!, Hello Forest!.



#### Stian Hole

#### Garmann's Summer (Garmanns sommer)

Picture Book (Vol. I in a trilogy) Cappelen Damm 2006 44 pages

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Summer is nearly over and Garmann is going to start school. He dreads it, and he tries to find out if adults dread doing things, too. At the same time, he keeps checking if he's got a loose tooth. Garmann thinks about life and death, the present and the future. «What do you want to be when you grow up?» Aunt Augusta whispers to him. «A sword swallower,» Garmann answers.

#### Winner of the Bologna Ragazzi Award 2007.

Two more titles on Garmann have been published to much acclaim in Norway and abroad: *Garmann's Street* (2008), and *Garmann's Secret* (2010) - both so far sold to eleven countries.



Illustrated by Lisa Aisato.