EDITIONS COURTES ET LONGUES

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ditions courtes et longues produces vivid, spirited, illustrated children's books and imaginative art books that stimulate the curiosity of readers young and old. Our easily accessible, high-end works appeal to all types of audiences and help teach children and adults how to read and decipher images that are omnipresent in our daily lives.

Throughout each stage of conception and production, every new project is treated with the **utmost care**, from outlining the shape it will take to choosing the paper on which it is printed and selecting among the most adapted, novel printing techniques.

Our works are intended for a large readership. Sweet Dreamers by Isabelle Simler, for example, was selected by Val-de-Marne, a French county near Paris, to be given to the nearly 20,000 babies expected to be born there in 2018. And the American edition of Plume (Eerdmans Books for Young Readers) was named one of the ten Best Illustrated Children's Books of 2017 by The New York Times last November.



A DYNAMIC TEAM

Jean Poderos began his career with André Schiffrin at *The New Press* in New York. Upon returning to France, he worked at major publishing houses specialized in art books and leading art magazines before founding Éditions courtes et longues in 2005.

Editorial assistant Chloé Fougerouse brings a pertinent, analytical approach to the realization of editorial projects at Éditions courtes et longues.

Clément Llobet was initiated in the art of publishing at L'École des Loisirs before turning his talent to distribution. Today he is head of sales at Éditions courtes et longues.

FOREIGN RIGHTS

Hannele & Associates has been selling foreign publishing rights to our catalogue since 2010. Thanks to Hannele Legras and Émilie Boujon, our books have been published in many countries to critical acclaim.

It is with great pride that we share our catalogue with you! At Éditions courtes et longues we are driven by **powerful**, **intimate stories** and passionate about enhancing them with the work of **today's most talented illustrators** so they may stir the emotions of young readers.

FOCUS



Author Li Lamarre (left) started her career as a schoolteacher before becoming a pediatrician. Today she practices a unique art of storytelling. An artist and teacher, illustrator Odile Santi (right) is a true drawing and engraving virtuoso.



Together they form a perfect tandem and serve as mutual source of inspiration: Odile Santi draws upon the worlds imagined by Li Lamarre to nourish her graphic palette as she fosters new narrative directions for the latter with her powerful renderings.

SNOWLING

Li Lamarre. ill. by Odile Santi

Once upon a time, there was a little snowball that had never left its mountaintop. Tired of the whiteness of the snow and the whiteness of the sky, Snowling was convinced that elsewhere was a world full of color.

One day it raced down the mountain to discover something entirely new at the bottom of the slope: spring. It was a joyous yet short-lived moment for the snowball, which soon melted under the sun's rays and flowed into a nearby river.

Snowling is a sensitive tale of life and learning how to live free.

23 x 32.5 cm • 48 pages • 4 years+





GREEN EYES

Li Lamarre. ill. by Odile Santi

Snow is a yellow-eyed white cat. A cat who needs freedom. At the end of a long and difficult, but rich journey, she meets Tao, a green-eyed black cat...

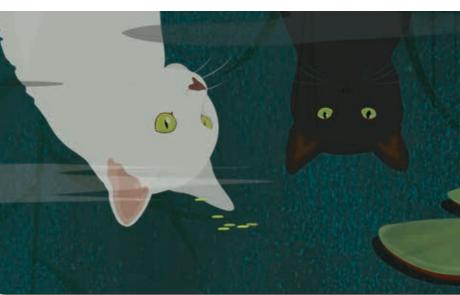
How not to be amazed at the beauty, not to mention the peace and gentleness, that emerge from these images? The soothing text and magnificent illustrations that unfold thanks to the Italian format are perfectly symbiotic.

21 x 30 cm • 48 pages • 4 years+

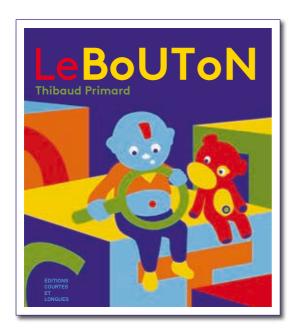








— Green Eyes



THE BUTTON Thibaud Primard

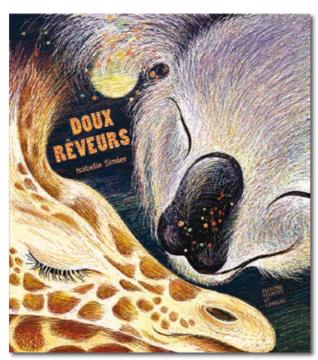
Carl is a young boy with questions about the button on his belly: if he presses it, will it blow him up like a balloon? Or are there hidden people living in it?

The mystery remains complete as Carl considers all the possible reasons for the strange button's existence.

The Button is a wonderful journey through childhood.

24 x 27 cm • 32 pages • 2 years+





SWEET DREAMERSIsabelle Simler

What do animals dream about? Does a wolf dream of a delicious bone?

And does a cat, during its endless naps, dream of leaps and twists?

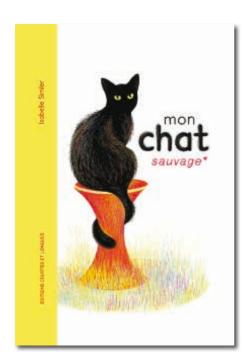
What about the koala, the giraffe and the whale?

Through a series of charming texts, readers explore these simple, heartwarming dreams, alongside the animals.

24 x 27 cm • 80 pages • 2 years+

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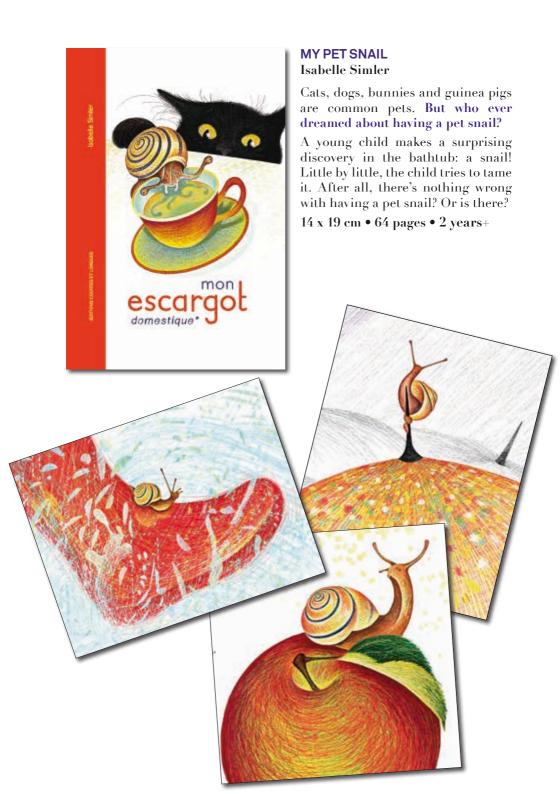


MY WILD CAT Isabelle Simler

What kind of animal would drape itself on a radiator before disappearing for hours, ignoring the anguished calls of its owners? Only the most cunning feline, as sly as its cousins in the wild, with the nonchalant attitude of a dandy, a stealthy hunter that likes nothing better than to purr the day away with not a care in the world... Until it decides to pounce on and play with you!

14 x 19 cm • 64 pages • 2 years +







ME AND THE OTHERS Marie Desplechin ill. by Betty Bone

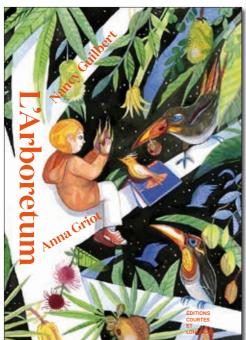
A luminous book that sheds light on relationships with the other, differences and racial prejudice throughout history.

The issue of relating to others is explained very clearly, with original illustrations, works of art and historical documents.

16.5 x 24 cm • 80 pages • 10 years+

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ARBORETUM Nancy Guilbert ill. by Anna Griot

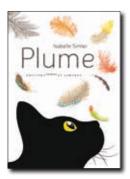
A little boy is lost in a forest when he discovers a hidden treasure: a plethora of species of trees, each more unique and extraordinary than the next. Passionate about what he has found, he wants to take home a souvenir of the secret riches of the forest.

At once fiction and documentary, a true herbarium offering delightful descriptions and true anecdotes, *Arboretum* invites readers to partake in a marvellous discovery of the forest.

23 x 32.5 cm • 48 pages • 4 years+



BACKLIST



Feathers
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The Blue Hour Isabelle Simler • Rights sold: Korean English (North America), Simp. Chinese, Japanese, Comp. Chinese



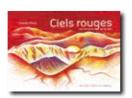
That Night at the Museum...
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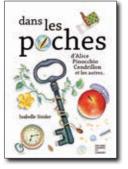


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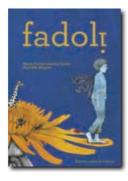
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Marie-France Chevron/
Mathilde Magnan
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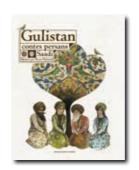
Louise of New York, a Summer of Dogs, Jean Poderos/ Gaia Guarino



After the Storm
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The Tree and the MoonshadowHélène Romano/ Adolie Day



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From My Window Loren Capelli



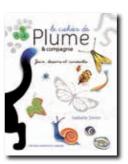
Lines Jacques Arragon



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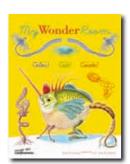
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