Here comes your new CARLSEN Foreign Rights List!

First of all: You have been making so many of our books travel since the last catalogue has been published! A sincere, huge and happy THANK YOU to all of you!

Our major title this fall is of course Reinhard Kleist’s NICK CAVE: MERCY ON ME. Some of you have been quick and already secured the rights for this superb book. There’s also an artbook to go with it – all coffee tables in the world would look beautiful with NICK CAVE & THE BAD SEEDS!

We strongly advise you to have a very close look at Arne Jysch’s adaptation of Volker Kutscher’s THE WET FISH which is being made into a major TV production under the name BERLIN BABYLON.

We look forward to hearing from you and meeting you at the Frankfurt & Bologna Book Fair and many more fairs to come.

Best wishes
Daniela Steiner and Sylvia Schuster

Two awesome new Projects by award-winning Reinhard Kleist

Reinhard Kleist is Germany’s most popular graphic novel artist. He has received a lot of important national and international awards. His books have been sold into numerous languages.

His style is dynamic with a strong feel for body language, action and atmosphere; his storytelling is touching, evocative and convincing.

In his new work, Kleist plays with Nick Cave’s life and work – musician, author, actor, crooner – and creates a unique narration. He designs a panoramic view over passion, dependency, death. Reinhard Kleist at his best.

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NICK CAVE - MERCY ON ME
by Reinhard Kleist
20 x 26.5 cm | 328 pages

The Artbook with unique sketches, perfect to accompany the graphic novel or to stand alone!

SOLD INTO
Czech, Croatian, Dutch, English world wide, French, Greek, Italian, Spanish, Turkish

Take a look at Reinhard Kleist’s backlist on page 11
**A precious coffee-table Book for Fans of good Art**

A homage to Hamburg. But what’s even more striking: a homage to people who, under the most diverse circumstances, make home for themselves in the big city.

*To be published in April 2018*

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**Atmospheric Detective Stories**

The *WILSBERG series* is around a sympathetic and ingenious amateur detective who investigates in a small town.

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**Finally all short Stories by Uli Oesterle in One Volume!**

New adventures of Uli Oesterle’s hero with special gifts, Hector Umbra! We have also included seven blood-curdling tales from Uli’s early days – now available in one volume!

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**Criminal Investigations in 1920ies Berlin**

Arne Jysch adapts the bestselling crime novel by Volker Kutscher, *BERLIN BABYLON* – and also depicts a very true picture of Berlin in the 1920ies. Glamour, women’s modernity, poverty, political friction in the Weimar Republic – and a view on the development on modern policing.

*THE WET FISH* is our personal favourite!

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**Sold into English worldwide**

**Award winner**
**Comics that make Kids even more clever**

Ferninand is a lovely dog, but a bit of a chaotic one, who works as a reporter. He asks questions and gets answers! The series consists of four volumes and stands for informative knowledge, humor and reading fun!

**Ferdinand**
- **The Reporter Dog**
  - vol. 4
  - by Ralph Ruthe
  - 4c illustrations by Flix
  - 17.5 x 24.5 cm | 64 pages

**Rico & Oskar: The Comic Novels**
- by Andreas Steinhöfel
- 4c illustrations by Peter Schössow
- 16 x 22 cm | 46 pages

**Absolute reading Fun for first Graders!**

You simply have to love Rico and his best friend Oskar. Both are well known from Andreas Steinhöfel’s novels. Rico, the slow learner and Oscar, the highly talented, are inseparable and funny!

**Rico & Oskar**
- **Fische aus Silber**
  - by Andreas Steinhöfel
  - 4c illustrations by Peter Schössow
  - 16 x 22 cm | 48 pages

**Rico & Oskar**
- **Die Regenhütte**
  - by Andreas Steinhöfel
  - 4c illustrations by Peter Schössow
  - 16 x 22 cm | 48 pages

**A Fantasy Comic in the Tradition of Disney and Miyazaki**

Imagine you inherit a gigantic house full of mysteries, magic and crazy inhabitants from your unknown uncle, a legendary magician. Imagine the house would keep a secret so powerful and dangerous that it threatens the whole world. What would you do? Henrietta knows what to do ... move in!

**A House Divided**
- **vol. 1**
  - by Haiko Hörnig
  - illustrated by Marius Pawlitza
  - 15.5 x 24 cm | 96 pages

**A House Divided**
- **vol. 2**
  - by Haiko Hörnig
  - illustrated by Marius Pawlitza
  - 15.5 x 24 cm | 112 pages

- In vol. 2 Henrietta fights with the unintentionally allied soldiers and bandits in the house’s underground against dark forces
Comics Backlist

Flix

**BEAUTIFUL DAUGHTERS**
30 x 30 cm | 128 pages

- An affectionate look upon love and love's moments of crisis

**DON QUIJOTE**
17.5 x 24.5 cm | 136 pages

- An adaptation of a Literary Classic, sparkling with wit and humour

**FAUST**
17.5 x 24.5 cm | 96 pages

- A modern version of Goethe's Faust tragedy: delightful and funny!

**MÜNCHHAUSEN**
Illustrated by Bernd Kissel
17.5 x 24.5 cm | 192 pages

- Sigmund Freund has to decide where Baron Münchhausen lies or tells the truth: a refreshing interpretation of a literary classic

**LUCKY FELLOW**
21 x 21 cm | 96 pages

The weekly published comic strips all treat the everyday life of the Luck-family who consists of Mr. Luck, his daughter Josi and a three-legged racoon named Rocco, who constantly ring the changes in their family live. As one of the best comic-strip artists, Flix created a warmhearted funny comic strip around a lovely family.
Sir Charles Dodgson, better known by his pen name Lewis Carroll, was an English author, mathematician, and photographer, best known for 'Alice in Wonderland' and 'Through the Looking Glass.' His unusual and imaginative books and stories have been enjoyed by children and adults alike for over a century. In this row of images, we see a selection of books that celebrate the spirit and creativity of Lewis Carroll.

**Alices Adventures in Wonderland**
- Lewis Carroll
- Illustrated by Sir John Tenniel
- This book tells the story of a young girl named Alice who falls down a rabbit hole and enters a fantastical world filled with curious creatures and adventures.

**The Looking Glass**
- Lewis Carroll
- This is the sequel to 'Alices Adventures in Wonderland,' continuing the story of Alice in a mirror-world filled with strange and whimsical characters.

**The Kidnapped Child**
- An unlikely sequel to 'Alices Adventures in Wonderland' and 'The Looking Glass,' this novel follows the further adventures of Alice and her companions in Wonderland.

**Alice's Adventures Under Ground**
- A manuscript written by Lewis Carroll in the 1860s, this is an earlier version of 'Alices Adventures in Wonderland.'

**The Shipwrecked Sailor**
- A lost manuscript by Lewis Carroll, this book tells the tale of a sailor who is shipwrecked and must navigate the dangers of the ocean.

**Lilliput and Brobdingnag**
- Two of the most famous stories from the 'Lilliput and Brobdingnag' series, these stories explore the adventures of a man who is transported to two different worlds with different sized inhabitants.

**The Jumblies**
- A short, charming poem by Lewis Carroll, this is a tale about two families who go on an adventure to collect leaves.

**The Hunting of the Snark**
- Another beloved piece by Lewis Carroll, this poem tells the story of a group of explorers who embark on a quest to find the elusive Snark.

**The Message of the Beast from the Cave**
- A lost manuscript by Lewis Carroll, this book is said to contain the key to understanding the true meaning of the Snark in his other works.

**The Lives of the Great Mathematicians**
- A mathematician's guide to the lives of famous mathematicians throughout history, this book provides a fascinating glimpse into the minds and works of these brilliant minds.

**The Mystery of the Mother Goose**
- A mathematical exploration of the riddles and puzzles found in traditional nursery rhymes, this book offers a unique perspective on the world of childhood lore.

**The Language of Numbers**
- A mathematical treatise on the beauty and power of numbers, this book explores the ways in which numbers influence our world and our understanding of it.

**The Science of Logic**
- A detailed examination of the principles of logic, this book provides a foundation for understanding the structure of reasoning and argumentation.

**The History of the World**
- A comprehensive history of the world, this book offers a unique perspective on the events and developments that have shaped our world.

**The Philosophy of Language**
- A reflection on the nature of language and its role in our understanding of the world, this book offers insights into the complexities of communication and meaning.

**The Art of Imagination**
- A guide to the power of imagination, this book explores the ways in which imagination can inspire and transform our lives.

**The Magic of Numbers**
- An exploration of the mystical and spiritual qualities of numbers, this book offers a glimpse into the deeper meanings of these fundamental concepts.

**The Music of the Spheres**
- A study of the mathematical principles underlying music, this book offers a fascinating insight into the relationship between mathematics and the arts.
**A Journey through Cultures**

Before taking the next serious step in life and getting married, Schneeballen visits her friend in Japan and discovers the beauty of the Japanese culture and country.

- The mini series around the lovely character “Schneeballen” is the perfect gift for fans of Japan and Korea.

**SCHNEEBALLEN**

vol. 2

by Inga Steinmetz

14.8 x 19 cm

128 pages

Find vol. 1 in our backlist on page 16.
Two new Editions of a German Manga-Bestseller

The **Brave Brother series** is a complementary story in two volumes, accompanying the Personal Paradise-universe. The story of Mike, who is highly talented in the field of mathematics and who has to withstand the call of being a powerful gang leader is told in these two volumes. With his talent Mike could enrol in an elite university and support his family afterwards financially ... provided that he succeeds at the qualifying test and doesn’t opt for being a gang leader ...

The **Personal Paradise series** depicts the near future, in which society is controlled by gangs of youngster who are inscrupulous and act violently. Being not in a gang can be dangerous: outsiders are tracked down and stigmatized. Few powerful gang leaders decide the destinies of many. In this setting the different characters search for their place in society, driven by completely different motivations and pursuing their individual goals.

Completed in 5 volumes - 5th volume will be published in May 2018

Find Melanie Schober’s **SKULL PARTY** series on page 16
Martina Peters
TEMPEST CURSE vol. 1 - 3
12.5 x 18 cm | 200 pages
TEMPEST CURSE is a fascinating crime manga, completed in three volumes.

Christina Plaka
GOFORIT vol. 1 & 2
12.5 x 18 cm | 178 pages
Christina Plaka has returned to her Shojo roots. GOFORIT is all about volleyball, school and friendship.

Inga Steinmetz
SCHNEEBALLEN vol. 1
14.8 x 19 cm | 128 pages
The first volume is all about Schneeballen’s experiences in Korea, inspired by the author herself, who has spent some time there.

Jutta Bauer
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17.7 x 13 cm | 56 pages
LOOKING FOR A BIRDIE?
by Katja Reider and Kai Pennen
15.5 x 12.5 cm | 64 pages
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Bestseller with over 400,000 copies sold
A book about happiness and how you keep it

Melanie Schober
SKULL PARTY vol. 1 - 4
12.5 x 18 cm | 196 pages
A mix of action, erotic and comedy!

Inga Steinmetz
Fall
14.8 x 19 cm | 328 pages
The first volume is all about Schneeballen’s experiences in Korea, inspired by the author herself, who has spent some time there.

Katja Reider & Kai Pennen
Hast DU einen Vogel?
Looking for a Birdie?
by Katja Reider and Kai Pennen
15.5 x 12.5 cm | 64 pages
A Gift Book for everyone dreaming of Love
For those who don’t give up on love
Charming gift book about looking for Mr Right (and finally finding him!)
The series focuses on birthdays and moments, when you look for a book in order to say “Congratulations, you made it!” – funny, short and with a touch of satire.

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- when you have a cat
- as a World Football Champion
- when you're a woman/man of 18/21 years
- when you're a woman/man of 30 years
- when you're a woman/man of 40 years
- when you're a woman/man of 50 years
- when you're a woman/man of 60 years
- when you're a woman/man of 65 years
- when you can do...
  - when you're a woman/man of 70 years
- Finally...
  - when you move out for the first time
  - Christmas
  - we got a baby
  - homeowners
  - silver wedding anniversary
  - the Bachelor's degree
  - the A levels
  - the driving permission
  - grandmother/grandfather
  - the retirement
  - married

Cartoons about two unlikely but inseparable friends

Does a speed limit for fishes exist? What do underwater fireworks look like? And what happens when you cry as a freshwater fish? Barry und Sting, Youtube-Stars with an audience of millions share deep insights into their lifes behind glass – published for the first time in book format!
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