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Chicks o'hoi. Diary of a Norwegian girl

Original title: Chicks o'hoi. En norsk jentes bekjennelser
Publisher: Kagge Forlag 2017
Non-Fiction / Diary
51500 Words
English material soon available.

She likes to read and write, she feels strongly for the conservation of the environment, and she hates anything causing suppression of women. Still, she likes to watch porn, she's got a suitcase full of joy toys under her bed, she digs the rap hit "girl you stank" and she's too lazy to work out.

A.N.P. is 21, this is her uncensored diary from her years 18 to 20. She questions how girls are being presented everywhere in public; skinny bikini models smiling convincingly to us from boards; half naked, moaning pop queens who claim their sexual virginity at the end of the video. The way girls and women appear in public life and media doesn't match with her own life and how she and her female friends live their lives. A.N.P. wants to show us girls who are far from perfect. They are girls full of doubts, inner conflicts, young women who are tough and independent, but still vulnerable. She writes about falling in love, friendship, raw sex, depressed days and pure happiness. Funny, smart and emotional stories, straight from the mouth, no beating around the bush.

A.N.P. writes about intimate and taboo subjects with a raw, candid and liberating honesty. Through her portrayal of how young girls approach sexuality and that a flabby woman's body can be just as sexy as a perfect model body, the author challenges today's concept of the ideal woman. The fact that she must remain anonymous emphasizes the book's importance.

VG: Elin Brend Bjørhei, VG (Verdens Gang, Norway)

A.N.P.

- * She loves to read, she loves to party.
- * She's heterosexual, but fancies the thought of exploring the female body.
- * She loves to study, but finds the pressure on educational matters tiresome.
- * She thinks politics is interesting, but hesitates to give her vote until the very last second.
- * She loves watching documentaries, but has also watched a lot of porn.
- * She likes yoga, but hasn't showed up in class for the last five months, since she's super lazy.
- * She enjoys making new routines in her life, but is always tempted to break them when things are going really great.

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Seven Days in August

Original title: Sju dagar i august
Publisher: Samlaget 2014
Fiction / Novel

In the course of seven days in August, Sofie and Otto Krohg-Iversen, a married couple, experience a series of trivial mishaps. Each of these incidents in itself is not so serious, but they reveal large and small cracks both in their marriage and the community around them. Is everything falling apart? Or are these mishaps reminders of a greater catastrophe in life?

The novel is set several years into the future. Eight years have passed since the terrorist attack, a cataclysm that had hit Sofie and Otto badly. At that time they had devised a plan for survival, strategies that have kept them and their relationship going until this week in August. But for how long can the grief process be a joint effort? Is sorrow something that can be shared for only a short period, and thereafter something you have to live alone with?

While rainstorms ravage Oslo and conflicts at work accumulate, it becomes clear to Sofie and Otto that their life strategies will have to be re-evaluated and the important questions can no longer be avoided.

Foreign rights

"Seagull Books": <http://seagullindia.com>, World English

«Bildøen writes movingly about grief when life is on hold.»

Bergens Tidene

Brit Bildøen

Brit Bildøen (b. 1962) is one of Norway's most beloved and well acclaimed authors.

Bildøen made her literary debut in 1991 with a collection of poetry «Bilde av menn» (Pictures of men). In 1998 she had her literary breakthrough with the novel «Tvillingfeber» (Twin fever). For this she was nominated to the Brage prize for best novel and awarded the Oslo prize and Nynorsk literary prize. For her third novel, «Landfastlykke» (Landlocked), 2001, she was awarded the Melsom Prize and Sigmund Skard-scholarship. Both her last novels «Alt som er» (All there is), 2004, and «Mitt milde vesen» (My gentle self), 2006, have been praised by the critics.

Bildøen has translated several novels and children's books, and is also a children's books author herself.

Other titles

Adam Hiort's Journey (2011)
Literary Salon (2009)
My gentle self (2006)
All there is (2004)
Landlocked Happiness (2001)
Twin Fever (1998)

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Knitwear from Løkal Oslo

Original title: Strikk fra Løkal
Publisher: Stenersen 2017
Non Fiction / Hobby

Soft yarn, thick needles, relaxed and playful style inspired by urban fashion, films and TV-series -- this is characteristic for the knitwear from Løkal Oslo. The book offers easy and fast knitted patterns for charming sweaters; long and comfortable knitted jackets; rough clothing for men; cool caps and varied knitwear for the youngest. Everything is knitted with top yarn quality, ensuring comfortable and long lasting knitwear. Løkal Oslo is based on Grünerløkka.

"www.lokal-oslo.no":<http://lokal-oslo.no/>

Foreign rights

Turbine Forlaget (Denmark)

Camilla Dingsøy

Camilla Dingsøy is a designer and owner of the knitwear factory, Løkal Oslo, at Grünerløkka. "www.lokal-oslo.no":<http://lokal-oslo.no/>. Løkal delivers knitwear patterns to magazines such as *Kamille*, *Kamille Idéer*, *KK* og *Maries Ideer* (Denmark).

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Apprentice of War

Original title: Den siste Vikingkongen
Publisher: Gyldendal 2016
Fiction / Novel
78000 Words
English sample translation available - 100 pages

In the autumn of 1028, the Norwegian king is forced to flee. The Danish king, Cnut the Great, runs Olaf Haraldsson out of the country. Olaf travels east to Russia accompanied by only his most trusted men. His younger half-brother, Harald, remains at home. So does the severely injured Rane Kingsward, once the most feared of all Vikings.

The old Viking teaches the stubborn young boy his weaponry skills. When the old berserker sets out on horseback from the estate, it is with Harald chained to the back of another like a slave. Thus begins a long journey for the obstinate apprentice and his unyielding master.

For Harald it is a journey that has just as big an impact on his unformed mind as the Battle of Stiklestad (1030) that makes his brother Saint Olaf. After the battle it is Harald who must flee. He is now heir apparent and in great danger.

Apprentice of War is the first book in a series **THE LAST VIKING KING**, based on Harald Hardråde's adventurous life. In the second volume, *The Devil's Horseman* (2018) Harald goes to Constantinople, where he joins the imperial guardsmen as a viking warrior. According to the historic sources Harald fought 80 battles for the emperor before he returned to his home country to become king of Norway. *Imperial Mercenary* is the third volume (2020).

Foreign rights

Cicero/Rosinante & Co (Denmark)
Heyne Verlag (Germany)

Jan Ove Ekeberg

Jan Ove Ekeberg (b. 1954) lives in Fredrikstad, journalist and till recently; head of TV 2 Financial News, today a full time author. Ekeberg's debut was a biography on former PM, Gro Harlem Brundtland (1996). Since then Ekeberg has written several non-fiction books, children's books and novels. Ekeberg reached a large audience with his first historical suspense series **IN TIMES OF SWORDS** (2011-2013), set in the 12th century.

His new series featuring the Viking king Harald Hardråde, was launched in spring 2016 to marvellous reviews. He aims to deliver the sequels *The Devil's Horseman* and *Imperial Mercenary* by 2020.

Other titles

Den barmhjertige terroristen (2015)
The Holy Shrine (2013)
Regicides (2012)
The Era of Swords (2011)

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Everest

Original title: Everest
Publisher: Kagge Forlag 2016
Fiction / Thriller
87000 Words
Full English translation available

Explorer of the year, Martin Moltzau, is persuaded by his sponsor, Audi, to climb the Everest to complete his collection of «adventurous trophies» after having conquered both the North and the South Pole. What Martin hides for his sponsor, is his paralyzing fear of heights. Martin signs up with a commercial to be led by the legendary British climber Sir Richard Lawrence. The 41 year old Norwegian lawyer meets his fellow expeditioners in Kathmandu: A French mountaineer Celine Blanc, an American Wall Street broker Mark Simmons, an Italian meteorologist Manuela Franchesi and some of the best sherpas. All five have their secret motives for signing up, and before they reach Base Camp the conflicts in the group are piling up. This is a thrilling story of five individualists who are forced to trust each other beyond the point of ease. **The Dead Zone** is the expression used for areas higher than 8000 meters. An altitude where no human being can survive for long. The body automatically shuts down functions, one by one, eventually critical functions will shut off and death occur.

Foreign rights

Yatra Books, English (India), Bengali, Marathi, Hindi
Edipresse Ksiazki, Poland

A real page turner ... (5 of 6 stars)

Bjarne Tveiten, Fædrelandsvennen

... gives the expression 'peak tour' a new dimension (5 of 6 stars)

Jon Åge Fiskum, Trønder-Avisa

Odd Harald Hauge

Odd Harald Hauge is an adventurer, an entrepreneur and an author. He has worked as a business journalist and as chief editor for business at Aftenposten. Hauge has also been a stockbroker. In 1996 he founded Nettavisen, one of the world's first "internet only" newspapers. Hauge has started many companies, both as investor and entrepreneur.

Hauge has published several non-fiction books, two of them on moguls within shipping, Fred. Olsen and John Fredriksen. Hauge has also written books based on his many adventures and expeditions to The South Pole, Mount Everest and the crossing of Greenland.

He lives in Oslo with his wife Kristin. Whenever he finds free time, he offers guiding into the icy wilderness of Spitsbergen, a gift for anyone attracted to extreme adventures.

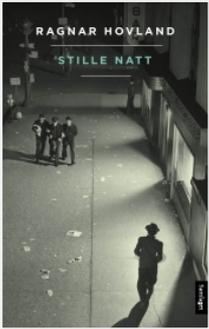
Other titles

Paranoia (2012)
The Liars (2011)
In times of thieves (2009)

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Silent Night

Original title: Stille Natt
Publisher: Samlaget 2011
Fiction / Novel
Full French translation available

An established author experiences writer's block, and his publisher nags him about the great adventure novel he has promised to write. But life writes itself. The author is on his way towards something new, both in his inner and outer life. This something is deeply connected to what happened to his brother many years ago and changed his life for ever -- and the life of the entire family.

On a journey through a familiar Norwegian landscape and through the more unknown landscapes of his own dreams, the author is haunted by his past, persecuted by people he has met who now demand a room in his ongoing writing.

STILLE NATT (SILENT NIGHT) is a grande, beautiful novel on love, loss and dark family secrets.

Foreign rights

Les Belles Lettres, France

Douce Nuit isn't a novel that qualifies as a typical page turner, but still it reads like one.

Mathieu Lindon, Libération

Ragnar Hovland

Ragnar Hovland (b. 1952) is one of the most unique voices of Norwegian literature. With a surplus of playful ideas, odd characters and popcultural references to film and music, his fiction writing is always full of surprises. Soon after making his literary debut he achieved a cult status among many readers and younger novelists. Several authors are clearly inspired by his use of humour, irony and intertextuality.

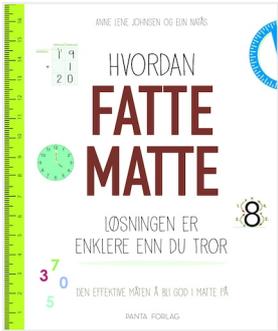
Hovland has won all prestigious literary prizes such as: The Brage Prize (A motorbike through the night), The Critics Prize (A winter's journey and Outlawed), Deutsche Jugendliteraturpreis and Aschehoug Prize last year (for his authorship).

Some of his novels have been translated into German, French, Italian and English.

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Easy Path to Good Math

Original title: Hvordan fatte matte
Publisher: Panta Forlag 2017
Non Fiction / Educational
74000 Words

The solution is easier than you think.

The book *Easy Path to Good Math* offers a revolutionary guide to the understanding of basic math. The book argues against the reigning myth postulating that memorization is the best way to master math. By instead focusing on the basic principles of math, you will be able to help your child achieve outstanding progress.

Children and youths often struggle with the math curriculum in elementary school, and this book explains why and how they face these learning problems. Also it shows how to solve these problems in the most efficient way. Even better: The parents need not be good at math to help their children improve their math skills.

The book is easy to understand and use. It is written in a vocal way with easy explanations on each subject. Follow the instructions in the book to rid yourself of your math problems -- once and for all.

The easiest and most efficient path to good math.

*If my children were small, this book would be used all the time.
Most parents will find this useful. Highly recommended!*

Grete Bauck, math teacher with long experience

Anne Lene Johnsen og Elin Natås

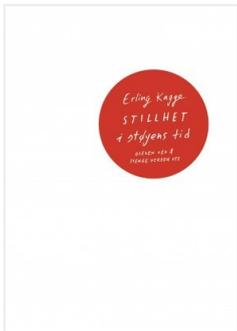
Elin Natås has herself had to overcome dyslexia and severe learning difficulties. Today she works as a special educator and private tutor for children who struggles with learning at Bedre Læring Oslo (Better Learning Oslo). She has over the course of 20 years helped hundreds of children master math with the same method she herself found helpful.

Anne Lene Johnsen has worked with "tailor made" education for both youngsters and adults. She has also taught in high school. Anne Lene Johnsen holds a degree in economics, a bachelor in psychology and a PhD in cognitive and social psychology.

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Silence in the Age of Noise

Original title: Stillhet i støyens tid
Publisher: Kagge Forlag 2016
Non Fiction / Essay
92000 Words
Full English translation available

“Whenever I am unable to walk, climb or sail away from the world, I have learned to shut it out. Learning this took time. Only when I first understood that I had a primal need for silence, was I able to begin my search for it — and there, deep beneath a cacophony of traffic noise and thoughts, music and machinery, i-phones and snowploughs, it lay in wait for me. The silence.”

The author poses three questions: What is silence? Where can it be found? Why is it more important now than ever? What follows in his book are 33 attempts to answer the questions.

A personal, charming and significant book on a topic that powerfully addresses our modern times. Erling Kagge uses his extraordinary experiences to approach silence.

“Shutting out the world is not about turning your back on your surroundings, but rather the opposite: it is seeing the world more clearly, maintaining your direction and taking a stab at loving your life.”

Foreign rights

Wahlström & Widstrand, Sweden
Suhrkamp Verlag, Germany
A. W. Bruna, Netherlands
People's Press, Denmark
Einaudi Stile Libero, Italy
Companhia das Letras, Brazil
Penguin Random House, World Spanish
Flammarion, France
Locus, Taiwan
Muza, Poland
Patakis, Greece
Gummerus, Finland
Alma Littera, Lithuania
Modan, Israel

Erling Kagge

Erling Kagge is a Norwegian explorer, author, publisher, mountaineer, lawyer, art collector, Rolex model, publisher, and father to three teenage girls. He was the first in history to reach the “three poles” — North, South and the summit of Everest.

Kagge has written books on exploration, philosophy and art collecting which have been translated to several languages. Together with urban explorer Steve Duncan, Erling Kagge descended into the subway, sewers and water tunnels of New York in 2010, walking for five days and nights through the mythical underground of the metropolis. The New York Times has described Kagge as “... a philosophical adventurer or perhaps an adventurous philosopher”. Now and then he also tries shutting out the world.

Other titles

A Poor Collector's Guide to Buying Great Art (2015)

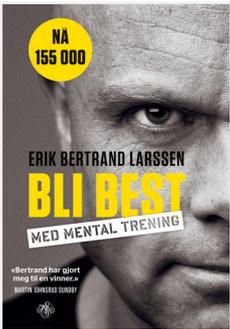
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Minumsa, South Korea
OMG Books, Thailand
Booky, China
Family Leisure Club, Ukraine
Postimees, Estonia
Premedia Publishing House, Slovakia

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No mercy. Be your best with mental training

Original title: Bli best med mental trening
Publisher: J.M. Stenersen Forlag 2012
Non Fiction / Motivational
58000 Words
Full English translation available

Learn the method from Norway's toughest motivational coach and bestselling author!

How can you maximise your potential and perform better than you ever thought possible? Erik Bertrand Larssen helps business leaders, top athletes and ordinary people achieve their goals, both in daily life and when the going gets tough. His method has proved to be efficient, again and again.

The book appeals to a wide range of readers. Motivational training is all about making your emotions change. How you can fetch out your hidden resources and be the best version of you. How you can dare to think differently, think bigger, and push your limits beyond that line of comfort.

Foreign rights

Otros Vozes, Brazil
Beijing United Sky, China
Don Max, Denmark
Bazar, Finland
Forlagid, Iceland
Asuka Shinsha, Japan
Boom, Netherlands
Smak Slowa, Poland
Mann, Ivanov, Ferber, Russia
Hanbit Biz, South Korea
Forum, Sweden
Sun Color, Taiwan
Kahve, Turkey
Monolith, Ukraine

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Other titles

Now! Seize the moment. It's all you've got. (2015)
Hell Week. Seven Days That Will Change Your Life (2013)

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Hell Week. Seven Days That Will Change Your Life

Original title: Helvetesuka. Sju dager som forandrer livet ditt.
Publisher: J.M. Stenersen Forlag 2013
Non Fiction / Motivational
74000 Words
Complete English manuscript available

Do everything you know you ought to ... in just one week!

Here are the golden rules for succeeding with Bertrand's Hell Week:

Take action. Have fun! Establish habits of excellence.

Be an early riser and plan your day. Eat healthy and work out. Reach for great goals.

Take care of the people you care about. Respect and live by your values.

Never give up. Do what you love. Work extremely hard.

Always trust yourself.

Norway's toughest motivational coach has observed that those who plan and perform a Bertrand's Hell Week, experience lifetime change. The feeling of satisfaction is unique, and people realize that they can endure much more than they thought they could.

One week is bearable if you plan it well. What you learn about yourself, will make it a lot easier to achieve permanent change in your life.

Foreign rights

Beijing United Sky, China

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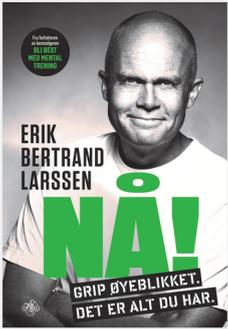
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Now! Seize the moment. It's all you've got.

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Publisher: J.M. Stenersen Forlag 2015
Non Fiction / Motivational
58000 Words
Full English translation available

Erik Bertrand Larssen's strong trilogy on motivational psychology/self help has sold more than 275.000 copies in Norway and has also punched through the sound barriers internationally. Maybe the secret is that the books with their strong psychological view and personal integrity appeal both to young and old, men and women – people in professional setting and on a more personal level.

Bertrand Larssen is a man who knows what he's talking about. He himself has been pushed to the edge both in his personal life and as an elite soldier in some of the world's war zones. But he's never forgotten how it all began: with a shy, little boy who had very few friends, and therefore sought comfort in books instead. Churchill's motto: "If you're going through Hell, keep going ..." inspired him to aim and reach for a seemingly impossible goal -- to become an elite soldier.

A terrible car accident ended his military career, and Bertrand's new way of life became that of a motivational coach. His objective is to create change, not only for a business purpose or in sports, but also for vital personal goals for each and everyone. Erik Bertrand Larssen has been a motivational coach for a wide range of famous sports profiles and corporate leaders, but he's passionate on behalf of everyone with a dream or a need for change: You are much stronger than you think

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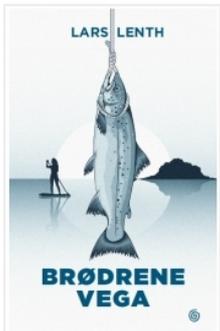
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The Vega Brothers

Original title: Brødrene Vega
Publisher: Kagge Forlag 2015
Fiction / Crime
68000 Words
English samples available - 77 pages

Having blown up a fish farm in Nordland, a young, angry and unstable eco-terrorist hides at the innermost point of a deserted fjord. There he encounters an eccentric hermit, Rino Gulliksen, who has felt the environmental consequences of the salmon farm on his physical health, and together they go to war against the world's largest fish farming company, NorFish AS.

The local fish farm barons in the subsidiary company Fjordlax AS, the brothers Torvald, Einar and Gunnar Vega, have earned a fortune by cutting a swathe through the landscape and inhabitants of Brønnøy municipality, and they have no immediate plans to waive their rights to what they have built up.

Oslo-based chief shareholder in NorFish, Axel Platou, engages his childhood friend Leo Vangen to locate the eco-terrorist and escort him from the area before the vengeful and extremely dangerous Vega brothers sink their claws into him and inflict unwanted attention on their parent company.

Before the melancholic trainee lawyer knows anything about it, he finds himself in the crossfire between the hot-tempered and self-righteous environmentalists on the one hand and the unscrupulous salmon farmers on the other, and it seems that both sides are willing to go to unpalatable lengths to reach their goal.

The Vega Brothers is Lenth at his very best: he spins a vivid, lively tale both indignantly exact and hair-raisingly entertaining, in which the avaricious and corrupt environmental law-breakers who daily fill our fjords with filth, poison and chemicals get their comeuppance.

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Lars Lenth

Lars Lenth (b. 1966) is Norway's undisputed number one when it comes to fly fishing for trout. His literary debut came with the novel *The same river* in 2007, a fly fishing novel following a young man's experiences through a season of fishing at the river Skrukkedalsrenna. *The Norwegian patient* was his second novel, introducing the lawyer Leonard Vangen and the criminal Rino Gulliksen, two characters who readers have grown fond of. Leo and Rino reappear in Lenth's next novel, *The Vega Brothers*. In all three novels there's a deepfelt tension between man and nature. A subject the author continues to focus on in his fresh new novel *Men who hate wolves*.

- * 2008 The Flyfisherman's handbook
- * 2008 Fly Patterns
- * 2007 Trouthead
- * 2003 Fishing Bliss
- * 2001 Flow
- * 1998 Looking for Mr. Trout

Other titles

Men who hate wolves (2017)
The Norwegian patient (2011)
The same river (2007)

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Limes (Germany)
Palto (Turkey)

Lars Lenth masters the temperature and language in the novel from page one, with great timing and an eye for the funny, telling detail. He constructs his colourful, baroque gallery of characters and social setting with precision and consistency to make a unique, entertaining eco-plot. THE VEGA BROTHERS is a dark, satirical crime novel.

From The Brage Jury, shortlisted for best Norwegian crime novel 2015

Magical and heavily salted realism

Aftenposten

Compulsory reading

Dagbladet

Hysterically funny

Trønderavisa

Stilton Literary Agency



Men who hate wolves

Original title: Menn som hater ulver
Publisher: Kagge Forlag 2017
Fiction / Novel
70000 Words

A woman dies after being attacked by a pack of wolves outside Elverum in Østerdalen. Those who oppose wolves finally have ammo: a human has been killed by wolves in Norway for the first time since 1799. Wolf researchers refuse to accept that this was the work of wolves, instead fighting a seemingly hopeless battle – all until careless yet enthusiastic hermit and wolf lover Rino Gulliksen takes matters into his own hands and gives the wolf haters a taste of their own medicine. Conflict-hating lawyer Leo Vangen gets wind of Rino Gulliksen's plans and travels to Elverum to prevent a bloodbath, even as he fights his own demons and a misguided relationship with his daughter, Siri. With Men Who Hate Wolves, Lars Lenth has written another dark, funny and touching novel about nature, humans and human nature.

Foreign rights

Blanvalet/Limes, Germany

It's been an absolute joy to read this manuscript.

Torbjørn Ekelund

Entertaining and wise.

Gudbrandsdølen Dagingen Pluss

Lars Lenth

Lars Lenth (b. 1966) is Norway's undisputed number one when it comes to fly fishing for trout. His literary debut came with the novel *The same river* in 2007, a fly fishing novel following a young man's experiences through a season of fishing at the river Skrukkedalsrenna. *The Norwegian patient* was his second novel, introducing the lawyer Leonard Vangen and the criminal Rino Gulliksen, two characters who readers have grown fond of. Leo and Rino reappear in Lenth's next novel, *The Vega Brothers*. In all three novels there's a deepfelt tension between man and nature. A subject the author continues to focus on in his fresh new novel *Men who hate wolves*.

- * 2008 The Flyfisherman's handbook
- * 2008 Fly Patterns
- * 2007 Trouthead
- * 2003 Fishing Bliss
- * 2001 Flow
- * 1998 Looking for Mr. Trout

Other titles

The Vega Brothers (2015)
The Norwegian patient (2011)
The same river (2007)

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Gut in balance. Lean for Life

Original title: Naturlig slank med tarm i balanse
Publisher: Kagge Forlag 2017
Non-Fiction / Health
89000 Words
Extensive English material available

Dr. Fedon Lindberg gives an insightful perspective on the connection between increased weight gain and the underlying imbalance of bacteria in the guts, or what he calls “the gut factor”, the overlooked cause of weight gain.

Based on new science, dr. Lindberg explains how the digestion system works and how you can achieve a healthy bacterial eco-system. If you pay attention to this important “gut factor”, it will lead to weight loss by making the body absorb fewer calories, reduce feeling of hunger and sugar hunger, and finally store less fat.

The key point is to limit the consumption of sugar and starch, and to eat more healthy fat. Furthermore, one should eat more “living” and fermented food, and enough proteins in each meal in order to balance the gut’s bacterial flora.

The book offers a clear understanding of “the gut factor”, a diet plan easy to abide by, a 14-day menu, over 50 recipes and many good advices. You will learn what you need to get – and maintain – a healthy gut balance, good digestion, quicker burning of calories and a lasting weight loss.

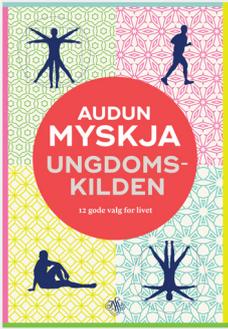
Fedon Lindberg

In Norway he became famous with his first best selling book *Naturlig slank med kost i balanse* (2001). Since then he has published an impressive list of books such as *The Greek Doctor’s Diet*, *Beyond G.I.*, *Smart barnemat*, *Tid med maten* to mention a few. Three of his previous books have sold widely internationally, translated to 14 languages, sold to 20 territories. With *Gut in Balance. Lean for Life* Lindberg has created yet another best seller, ranking high on Norway’s best seller list.

Other titles

Tid med maten (Mindful Eating) (2014)
Helt Gresk (2013)
Smart Barnemat (2013)
Naturlig Slank (2012)
Sunne Pastaretter (2012)
Smartkarbo - Ikke ett fett (2012)
Mat for Livet (2010)

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The Art of Aging

Original title: Ungdomskilden. Tolv gode valg for livet
Publisher: J. M. Stenersen Forlag 2017
Non-Fiction / Health
51000 Words
English material available

“The fountain of youth won’t be found in a far-away land or in some magic potion. The fountain of youth is inside you, in your simple choices, values and healthy habits. It’s hidden in your relations, discipline, love and compassion. Some of the points and conclusions in this book are commonly known, others will surprise and perhaps provoke you.”

These words belong to dr. med. Audun Myskja. His message is simple: We can all do a lot to keep ourselves young and in good shape – whether we’re 30, 60 or 90. It’s never too late. With the knowledge from this book, you can take the right choices now and make sure the years to come will be good.

“My goal with the “forever young”-project is not to keep ourselves young no matter cost, nor have the perfect body or the smoothest face. I think we’re here on this earth to be of use. We need energy, happiness, an agile body, strong muscles and sharpened senses. With these traits, our own lives and the lives of fellow humans may profit from us.

Therefore: Embrace aging instead of fighting it. Choose Art of aging instead of Anti-aging. Love your body, no matter how old it is. Love your mind, no matter how old you feel. It will make you more loveable, if nothing else. Probably younger too. We all contribute in a bigger picture none of us fully comprehend. Every moment has its possibilities.”

Audun Myskja

Audun Myskja is a doctor by profession, but he has always known that medical science cannot explain everything.

He has witnessed many instances that indicate the existence of health-giving powers other than medical ones.

Audun Myskja has written several strong selling books during the last decade. His most recent publication is called Find your inner Strength, published by Stenersen Forlag.

Other titles

Find Your Inner Strength (2014)

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Your SUPERSTAR Brain

Original title: Hjernen er Stjernen -- Ditt eneste uerstattelige organ
Publisher: Kagge Forlag 2016
Non Fiction / Popular Science
53000 Words
English sample translation available

Kaja Nordengen

Ph.d. Kaja Nordengen (b.1987) is a physician specialising in neurology at Akershus University Hospital. She also teaches at University of Oslo. She did her Ph.d. in 2014: "The localisation and function of NAA, NAAG and their derivatives in the brain." Nordengen has always been fascinated by the brain.

Please watch her tedtalk "Invented reality": <https://youtu.be/ubJ9sOIvLuk>.

The brain makes you who you are. It enables you to communicate with other people, from simple messages to subtle use of irony. The brain gives you feelings and personality. The brain keeps memories from early childhood. The brain makes you fall in love, and helps you interpret complex patterns and information. But the brain can also tempt you to make bad choices, and it rewards addiction. Join neurologist Kaja Nordengen in her fascinating journey through the many unexplored territories of the human brain. A best selling book full of striking examples and admirable use of up to date medical science.

Foreign rights

Rosinante & Co, Denmark
Bazar, Finland
Marginesy, Poland
Piter, Russia
Norstedts, Sweden
Piatkus/Little Brown, UK
Goldmann, Germany
Atlas Contact, Netherlands
Postimees, Estonia
KFUND, Ukraine

A brilliant book ... Nordengen masters her subject to the fullest.

Fredrik Wandrup, Dagbladet

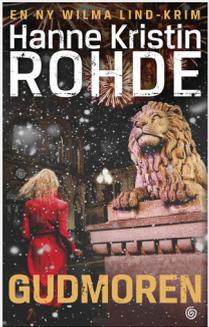
Read it! It is well worth the effort.

Professor May-Britt Moser, Winner of Nobel Prize in Medicine

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The Godmother

Original title: Gudmoren
Publisher: Kagge Forlag 2016
Fiction / Crime
75000 Words

Wilma Lind heads up a new and complicated case when Bønna, a homeless person, is found shot in the middle of the crowd at Spikersuppa on New Year's Eve. Many people were there, but no one seems to have seen anything suspicious.

Another case soon presents itself: a mother-of-three severely injured in a traffic accident is in surgery at Central Hospital. The next morning, she has disappeared from the post-operative care department and is later found dead with a scar on her chest. A twelve-year-old girl who has just undergone surgery disappears from the same hospital, meaning the police have to race against the clock to save her life.

Never before has Wilma Lind been drawn into such a sinister world where evil exceeds her worst fears.

***The Godmother* is Rohde's third crime novel about her heroine Wilma Lind. All in all the series has a print run of nearly 200 000 copies in Norway.**

Hanne Kristin Rohde's best novel thus far.

Tvedestrandsposten

Hanne Kristin Rohde

Hanne Kristin Rohde is Norway's most frequently profiled police official, and she is much noted for her open and genuine communication style.

She is fearless and direct and is often known for involving the Norwegian population in her police work. Under Rohde's influence, the Norwegian police agency assumed a new role — a face — as well as the confidence that things were getting done and cases were being solved.

Rohde was educated as a lawyer and has worked in the police force since 1989. In 1994, she became the Prosecuting Director for the Oslo Police District and in 2002 she became a top official for the Oslo Police. Starting in 2008, she began working as the division leader for violent and sexual crimes in Oslo.

Following the terrorist attack in Norway on July 22, 2011, Rohde worked as the leader on the investigation and has since led investigative teams covering a number of other large murder cases.

Other titles

Only a Child (2015)
Terror from a woman's point of view (2015)
Draw close the Knot (2014)

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Super Student

Original title: Superstudent
Publisher: Universitetsforlaget 2014
Non Fiction / Psychology
Full English translation available

Olav Schewe went from being an average student to a high school valedictorian and top of his class at the University of Oxford by using the techniques described in this book: A best selling book on study skills: reading, note taking and memorization.

The targeted readership is high school and university students. The book's content is universal and not specific to any particular geography.

Part 1: **LEARN EFFECTIVELY:** Manage your time / Plan for success / Maximize classroom learning / Succeed in study groups / Take better notes / Remembering more from reading / Memorize facts with more ease

Part 2: **PERFORM OPTIMALLY:** Prepare well/ Conquer exams and written tests / Write better essays /Cruise through multiple choice tests

Part 3: **THINK RIGHT:** Increase your motivation / Set effective goals / Have more fun in your studying / Develop self-discipline / Form good habits / Manage stress

Foreign rights

Huazhong, China
Dansk Psykologisk Forlag, Denmark
Rizzoli, Italy
Tac, Japan
PTS, Malaysia
Xander, Netherlands
Writinghouse, South Korea
Sun Color, Taiwan
Book 1980, Vietnam

Olav Schewe

Olav Schewe holds a Master in Business Administration with Distinction from the University of Oxford. Olav is a living example that it is possible to go from mediocrity to excellence using the right study techniques. He graduated as the valedictorian (top of his class) of his high school. He then attended the Norwegian School of Economics and the University of California, Berkeley. Before starting his graduate program at Oxford, Olav was classified in the top 6% of more than 1 million test takers worldwide by the Graduate Management Admission Test (GMAT) and was awarded a Fulbright scholarship.

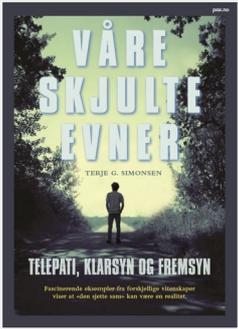
Olav Schewe is a popular speaker on the topic of study skills in Norway. He is frequently invited by universities and high schools to speak about study skills and has made several radio and TV appearances since the publication of *Superstudent* in Norway.

He is also the author of the book *The Exchange Student Guidebook* and has previously been a weekly writer for Norway's third largest newspaper, Dagens Næringsliv.

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Our Secret Powers. A Short History of Nearly Everything Paranormal

Original title: Våre skjulte evner
Publisher: Pax Forlag 2014
Non-Fiction / History of Ideas
104000 Words
Full English translation available.

Most books on parapsychology are designed for either believers or skeptics, while *Our Secret Powers. A Short History of Nearly Everything Paranormal* is aimed at members in both those camps. *Our Secret Powers* has an unusually broad cultural-historical approach to the subject, with numerous perspectives from many different scientific traditions: the humanities, social sciences and natural sciences. The book moves over a greater time span than usual: From the culture-cradles of old India and ancient Greece, to the present-day Western laboratories. Last but not least; *Our Secret Powers* is playfully written. Much parapsychological literature is either scientific "serious" in style (with graphs, Excel-sheets, and the like) or "new-age" and somewhat naïve. And in both cases the richness of perspectives, the playfulness and the humor, will often be lacking.

Our Secret Powers has been well received with favorable reviews in several Norwegian newspapers, and also in the Journal for the Norwegian Medical Doctor's Association.

Concerning the quality of the book's intellectual content: The well-respected researcher professor Anne Kalvig in the Department of Religious Studies at the University of Stavanger has stated that she is 'deeply impressed' with *Our Secret Powers*. Additionally, professor Jan-Erik Ebbestad Hansen in the Department of History of Ideas at the University of Oslo, who is considered to be one of Norway's foremost capacities on mystic and occult traditions, has stated that *Our Secret Powers* is bq. a great, exciting and well-written book.

Terje Simonsen

Terje G. Simonsen is an author with a Ph.D. in the History of Ideas. He has increasingly focused his attention on the Philosophy of Religion, more specifically esoteric and occult traditions. Recently he published the highly acclaimed *Our Secret Powers* (*Våre skjulte evner*), based on his extraordinary knowledge within this field.

Elegantly and with great personal wit and insight, he discusses parapsychological phenomena such as telepathy, clairvoyance, and precognition. A great number of scientific explorations have over the years been performed within these subjects, and the findings of these efforts play an important part in this work. The result is an entertaining, stimulating, and even provocative analysis. The readers will no doubt gain new insights of parapsychological matters.

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The Mozart of Chess

Original title: Magnus
Publisher: Kagge Forlag 2015
Non fiction / Biography
72000 Words
English summary available, Full German translation available

A portrait of the chess genius as a young man. The young Norwegian Magnus Carlsen is called “The Mozart of Chess” for his cool attitude and his playful style. As reigning world champion and the highest ranked chess player in history, he compares favourably with some of the ikons of chess such as Bobby Fischer and Garry Kasparov.

What is the secret of his success? How important is it to have fun rather than just practise? How does Magnus balance between versatility and focus? How does he prepare for a competition? What is the role of the Carlsen family, his trainers, mentors and team? In sum; how important is psychology in the world of elite chess -- how much is based on the chess player’s character and winner instinct?

Aage Sivertsen gives us an inside story from Team Carlsen and from the many world tournaments Magnus takes part in during the year. The author has interviewed many of Magnus Carlsen’s opponents – from Garri Kasparov to Vishy Anand.

The book opens as a light, sparkling Mozart-sonata. But as we read on, we gradually meet a king under cruel psychological pressure. Around him lurk sly, hungry sharks who play with sombre, poker-faced self-discipline.

Foreign rights

Osburg Verlag, Germany

Aage G. Sivertsen

Aage Georg Sivertsen has written 14 books. He trained as a historian and has worked for NRK for more than ten years as a documentary journalist. Sivertsen’s most recent book is about chess genius Magnus Carlsen from Norway. The book has received critical acclaim. You can also find information about the author and some details about the book on the popular website www.chessbase.com. See the article published on 1 January 2016: <http://en.chessbase.com/post/magnus-a-new-book-on-the-world-champion> Over the last two years, Sivertsen has accompanied the Norwegian chess player and Team Carlsen to most of their tournaments. The author has had unique access to information, particularly by virtue of several long conversations with Magnus’ father, Henrik Carlsen. Sivertsen has also interviewed several top players and is a personal friend of former world champion Vishy Anand. This source material makes this book very different from the books that have previously been written about Magnus Carlsen.

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Farmgirl of Norway

Original title: Gardsliv -- ekte og eventyrlig
Publisher: Kagge Forlag 2017
Non-Fiction / Lifestyle
English material soon available.

WINTER: The blue hour / Forest in winter / Winter work at the farm / The animals / Snow scooter trip to the hunting cabin / All kinds of weather / Sheep fell sewing / Cradle song for the little ones / Bunad sewing (national costumes) / Apple cider for winter drinks / Swimming in icy water / Cross country skiing / Cozy winter nights with good friends / Horsehair for bird's nest / Making food for winter birds / Making your own ignition briquettes of old candles / Homemade crisp bread / How frost can help clean the house / Cozy Easter

SPRING: Spring farming / 17th May National Day Party / Gardening and planting / Fire making / New lambs on the farm / Apple trees and bees / Herbs and stinging nettles / Wood chopping / Nymphs and anemone nemorosas / Mountain pastures / Birch sap tapping and detox tea / Forest planting / Windowsill herb planting / To build a greenhouse / Making willow hanks

SUMMER: Pressing hay / Straightening the storehouse / Kayak trips and horse riding / Fishing in fresh water / Midsummer feast / Making black currant juice / Your own raspberry and strawberry jam / Making juice based on willow herbs / Mountain trailing on horseback / Ice cubes with violets / Wedding

AUTUMN: Harvest / Blueberry harvest and blueberries smoothies / Dried tea / Crabbing / Hunting / Lamb in cale -- National dish / Yoga "Farm style" / The world's smelliest fish-party / Slaughter

CHRISTMAS: Making Christmas wreaths / Lucia celebration / Cookies, cakes and bread for Christmas / Chopping your own Christmas tree in the forest / Porridge for Santa in the barn / Decorating for Christmas / Christmas eve and the days before New Years Eve

Live Skinnes

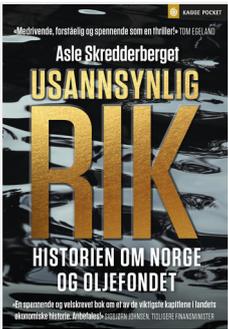
Live Skinnes is a farm girl from Krødsherad who is very active on her blog
"Gardsfruene.no":<http://gardsfruene.no>. She is currently writing her first book for Kagge Forlag (Norway) with the release date set for this fall.

You can read more about Skinnes at her
"webpage":<http://www.farmgirlfnorway.com>,
"Facebook":<https://www.facebook.com/farmgirlfnorway/>, and
"Instagram":<https://www.instagram.com/gardsfruene/>.

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Vikings versus Wolves of Wall Street

Original title: Usannsynlig rik. Historien om Norge og oljefondet
Publisher: Kagge Forlag 2015
Non Fiction / Documentary
English material available

Lehman Brothers went bankrupt at 01.45 AM Monday 15 September 2008 -- the biggest bankruptcy in US' history, and the start of the global financial crisis. On Sunday night The Norwegian Petroleum Fund gathered its top people in Oslo. They worried something could happen to Lehman, and had hundreds of millions of dollars of Lehman exposure. During the night, when the markets opened in Asia, they completely turned their portfolio, getting rid of everything just before Lehman filed for bankruptcy.

During the financial crisis, the fund continued to buy stocks that were plummeting. They were one of very few buyers. When the market bounced back after 2009, they made billions. The fund today is extremely sceptical to US investment banks, and have come up with a number of counter measures towards so called high frequency traders in New York

How did it happen that ordinary Norwegian citizens ended up as the world's leading investor through the state owned Petroleum Fund? Together the people of Norway own approximately one per cent of the world's total share holding. Early in the 1990s the Norwegian Petroleum Fund was empty. Today it is worth 1000 billion USD. Many Americans dislike Chinese companies buying US real estate. However, in the past two years Norway has been the biggest buyer of New York real estate, for instance at Times Square.

Many countries have found natural resources which have made them immensely rich. But no other nation can show a similar method of administrating their wealth as this Norwegian model of "conscentious capitalism" does. An economic model that has helped finance the Norwegian welfare system.

Asle Skredderberget

Asle Skredderberget (b. 1972) has worked as a business journalist, before pursuing a career as a corporate executive. His debut crime novel, "Soft as Metal" about the weapons industry and financial industry, was shortlisted to the prestigious Riverton Award as Norway's best crime novel in 2010. His crime novels are published in Germany and USA.

In 2015 he wrote the narrative non-fiction book "Viking versus wolves of Wall Street". How did it happen that ordinary Norwegian citizens ended up as the world's leading investor through the state owned Petroleum Fund? Together the people of Norway own approximately one per cent of the world's total share holding. Early in the 1990s the Norwegian Petroleum Fund was empty. Today it is worth 1000 billion USD. In the past two years Norway has been the biggest buyer of New York real estate, for instance at Times Square.

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The Invisible Library

Original title: Det usynlige biblioteket
Publisher: Oktober Forlag 2015
Fiction / Historical Novel
Full English translation available

The year is 323 BC. Alexander the Great has strychnine poisoning. He lies paralysed in Babylon. Phyllis, his lover, has been arrested and will be permitted to live as long as she writes down everything she knows about the king for the new ruler. She reveals several details of the final months of Alexander's campaign and of his teacher Aristotle's presence in Babylon.

This period in Alexander's life is rarely discussed by historians. This novel starts to tell us why. *The Invisible Library* is a novel, but Steen bases his text on facts where they can be found. Where they cannot, he writes based on what is probable. And finally, where he encounters gaps, he weaves fiction into the mix. His methods are reminiscent of Hilary Mantel's. Several of his novels have anticipated later discoveries by historians.

Steen worked on the novel for six years after he made new discoveries about the final months of Alexander's life in Babylon. Adresseavisen writes: 'Steen paints a razor-sharp picture of a man on the brink. It is a spectacular and exciting historical novel that once again shows that Steen is unrivalled in this genre.' Dagsavisen writes: 'The precise articulation and the characteristics of people and landscapes contributes to the close atmosphere and drive in the narrative.'

Foreign rights

Matcom, Bulgaria
Seagull, World English
Heidrun, Sweden
April, Turkey

Thorvald Steen

Thorvald Steen is one of Scandinavia's leading authors, translated into 26 languages. His international breakthrough came with the novel *Don Carlos* (about Charles Darwin). This and other novels have been critically acclaimed bestsellers. *Camel Clouds* had 22 print runs in Turkey. *Constantinople* and *The Weight of Snow Crystals* were bestsellers in Norway. The same applies to *The Little Horse*, about Snorri Sturluson, bestsellers in Iceland and Russia.

Thorvald Steen has received numerous prizes including the Swedish Academy's Doubloug Prize, the Saga Prize (Iceland), the Ján Hollý Prize and the Comenius Medal (Slovakia). Steen was chairman of NORLA and the Norwegian Authors' Union for many years, and a board member for PEN International.

Other titles

Sometimes you're absolutely correct (2015)
Balance (2012)
Lionheart (2010)
The Longest Leap (2008)
The Weight of Snow Crystals (2006)
Kamelskyer (2004)
Den Lille Hesten (2002)
Konstantinopel (1999)
Don Carlos/Giovanni (1993)

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Four Seasons of KlompeLOMPE

Original title: Året Rundt med KlompeLOMPE
Publisher: J.M. Stenersen Forlag 2017
Non Fiction / Hobby
Illustrations available

The first three books of KlompeLOMPE have sold more than 100 000 copies in Norway. Foreign editions in ten countries are either published or in the making, showing the unique appeal the colours, patterns and design of KlompeLOMPE have had internationally.

In this new book the authors offer patterns for the four different seasons: spring, summer, autumn, winter. Knit a Christmas sweater, clothes for school or kindergarden, summer dresses, chunky sweaters for children and grown ups, shorts and skirts for cool summer nights, jackets and caps and more.

As in the previous books, you will find patterns in three different levels of difficulty.

Torunn Steinsland & Hanne A. Hjelmås

KlompeLOMPE began as a good idea on a “knitting night” in 2012. They both had children in preschool and grade school, and were wanting patterns for hats that fit well that were also nice to look at. It was especially hard to find finished goods and knitting patterns for boys. Thus, Kjekkaslua came into existence, which would ultimately prove to be their trademark, eventually becoming a whole little collection.

Their goal is to design great knitting patterns for children and adults, patterns for garments that fit well, are nice to wear and can be worn for a long time. It gives them pleasure to visualize a large garment, and then manage to make a pattern that is exactly as they had imagined! The books contains knitting patterns for boys and girls from ages one to six, but also for infants and adults. Many of the patterns are designed for both baby and mom. Find your favorites and combine colors that go well together.

Other titles

KlompeLOMPE. Knitting for the family (2016)

KlompeLOMPE Knitting for little sweethearts (2015)

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KlompelOMPE. Knitting for the family

Original title: KlompelOMPE. Strikking for hele familien
Publisher: J.M. Stenersen Forlag 2016
Non Fiction / Hobby

The interest in the Klompelompe patterns has not let up. Through their website, www.klompelompe.no and via Instagram, the two knitwear entrepreneurs Hanne Andreassen Hjelmås and Torunn Steinsland reach out to more and more international markets every day; both to individuals wanting to buy patterns as well as to yarn shops ordering their products. These clothing patterns have proven to have a worldwide appeal; one that is both romantic, slightly retro, and has a distinct original touch.

Inspired by the nature and climate: wind, rain, sun, storms and sea, **KNITTING FOR THE FAMILY** includes 60 patterns of the beautiful knitting wear from Klompelompe. Along with darling hats for boys, there are patterns for sweaters, trouser suits, gloves, and scarves.

Here you find garments for boys and girls, but also for babies and grownups. Many of the patterns are designed for mother and child. The idea is for the reader to find their favorites and to combine colors that match. All patterns are marked with different degrees of difficulty: 1, 2, or 3. If you want a quick and easy project, look for level 1. All patterns have suggestions for delicate color combinations and for specific wool qualities.

NUMBER ONE BEST SELLER: Since publication in August 2016.

Foreign rights

Peoples Press (Denmark)
Gummerus (Finland)
Marabout (France)

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Other titles

Four Seasons of KlompelOMPE (2017)
KlompelOMPE Knitting for little sweethearts (2015)

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KlompelOMPE Knitting for little sweethearts

Original title: KlompelOMPE. Strikk til baby, barn og voksen
Publisher: J.M. Stenersen Forlag 2015
Non Fiction / Hobby
English material available

Take a look at Norway's most sold non-fiction title in 2015. Here you find more than 60 patterns of the beautiful knitwear from KlompelOMPE. The popular "Loudmouthcap" is of course included, together with patterns for sweaters, trouser suits, gloves and scarfs -- garments for all seasons of the year.

Most garments are for boys and girls from one to six years old, but also for babies and grownups. Many of the patterns are designed both for mother and child. Find your own favorites and combine colours that match. The patterns are marked with different degrees of difficulty: 1, 2 or 3. You will find easy and quick projects and more challenging stuff. All patterns have suggestions for delicate colour combinations and for specific wool qualities.

«Klompelompe» is a Norwegian dialect word from the Western region where the authors come from, and simply is an expression for describing a sweet, little child -- a sweetheart.

NUMBER ONE BEST SELLER: KLOMPPELOMPE has been at the top of the Norwegian best seller lists since it was first published August 2015. Total print run in Norway: 75 000 copies. It was Norway's most sold nonfiction title last year. "www.klompelompe.no": <http://www.klompelompe.no> is a popular blog and a homepage where both professional yarn shops and ordinary customers from all of the world find knitting patterns they can order online.

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KlompelOMPE began as a good idea on a "knitting night" in 2012. They both had children in preschool and grade school, and were wanting patterns for hats that fit well that were also nice to look at. It was especially hard to find finished goods and knitting patterns for boys. Thus, Kjekkaslua came into existence, which would ultimately prove to be their trademark, eventually becoming a whole little collection.

Their goal is to design great knitting patterns for children and adults, patterns for garments that fit well, are nice to wear and can be worn for a long time. It gives them pleasure to visualize a large garment, and then manage to make a pattern that is exactly as they had imagined!

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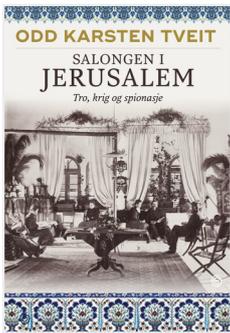
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The Salon in Jerusalem: Faith, War and Espionage

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In 1881, a Christian sect from America travelled to Jerusalem. They called themselves the Overcomers and were convinced that Jesus would descend from the Mount of Olives in that same year. The Lord was long overdue. Instead, the first wave of Jewish Zionists arrived in the country. The small Christian sect grew and stayed in Jerusalem, in what became known as the American Colony.

The Salon in Jerusalem is a spectacular account of the power struggle in Palestine from the First World War until Israel became a nation state in 1948. The most violent battles were fought between the Ottoman Empire and Germany on one side and the British Commonwealth on the other. Later came the civil war between the immigrant Zionists and Palestine's Christians and Muslims. Both sides revolted against the British, who effectively ruled the country after the First World War. And parallel with all this, a secret international game was played that paved the way for the creation of the State of Israel.

Odd Karsten Tveit

"Of all Middle East Correspondents, Odd Karsten Tveit is uniquely qualified -- as both journalist and historian -- to report on the tragedy of a war whose roots lie deep in the history of colonialism, nationalism and Islam" writes The Independent-journalist and author Robert Fisk. Tveit's earlier books include: *A pattern for defeat* (Cappelen 1985), *All for Israel* (Cappelen, 1986), *Anna's House* (Cappelen, 2000), *War and Diplomacy* (Aschehoug, 2005) for which he was awarded with Brage Prize for best Norwegian non-fiction book and *Goodbye, Lebanon* (Aschehoug, 2010).

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