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## Praise for *Inside Wikileaks*

»Daniel Domscheit-Berg tells a very personal and intimate story of fascination, friendship, hacker subculture, obsession, delusion and, yes indeed, deep hurt. (...) And yet the book is more bittersweet retrospect than a bitter attempt to get even.«

**STERN**

»It is most striking how Domscheit-Berg reveals *WikiLeaks* to be a phenomenal story of bluffs. He characterises Assange as a manic figure but also as a man with the fantastic gift, who has achieved the unparalleled, yet who also is the destructor of his own success.«

**Süddeutsche Zeitung**

»*Inside WikiLeaks* is the story of a friendship between two unlike characters. But it is also a kind of picaresque novel about visionary activists who give up their jobs and their private lives in order to fool the mighty of the world and make the world more transparent – at least until it all went wrong.«

**Frankfurter Rundschau**

»By blowing the whistle on the world's most famous whistleblower, Mr. Domscheit-Berg has performed a public service.«

**Wall Street Journal, USA**

»Whistleblower website *WikiLeaks* is having its own leaks and this is the first book to take us behind the scenes. (...) a must-read.«

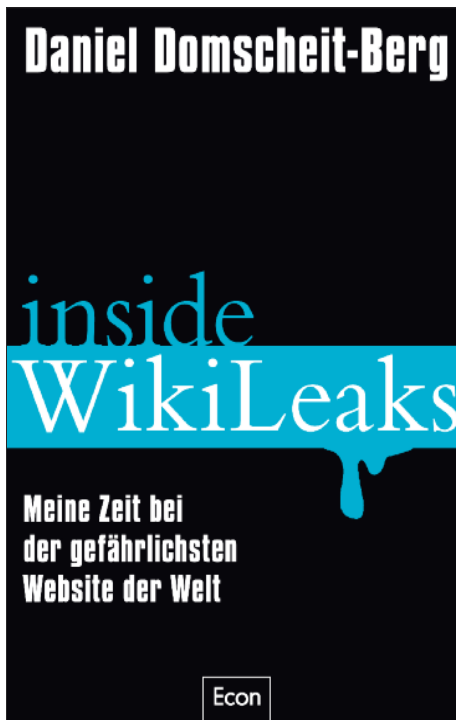
**Herald Sun, Australia**

»The only book that holds true revelations is the one written by dissident Daniel Domscheit-Berg and his ghostwriter Tina Klopp, *Inside WikiLeaks*.«

**NRC Handelsblad, Netherlands**

»*Inside WikiLeaks* paints an intimate and disturbing picture of the way in which both Assange and *WikiLeaks* operate. Domscheit-Bergs memories are the most interesting amongst a wave of books about Assange and *WikiLeaks* that washed over us this past week.«

**de Volkskrant, Netherlands**



## Daniel Domscheit-Berg Inside WikiLeaks

### The truth behind the project that changed the world

Daniel Domscheit-Berg, the former spokesman of *WikiLeaks*, reveals never-disclosed details about the inner workings of the notorious organisation that has struck fear into governments and business organisations worldwide. Under the pseudonym Daniel Schmitt, Domscheit-Berg was the effective No. 2 at *WikiLeaks* and the organisation's most public face, after Julian Assange. In this book, he reveals the evolution, finances and inner tensions of the whistleblower organisation, what led to his September 2010 withdrawal from *WikiLeaks*, his disenchantment with the organisation's lack of transparency, and Assange's increasing concentration of power. What has been made public so far about *WikiLeaks* is only a small fraction of the truth. With Domscheit-Berg's insider knowledge, he is uniquely able to tell the full story.

Non-fiction  
Econ  
Quality Trade Paperback  
304 pages  
Publication date: February 2011

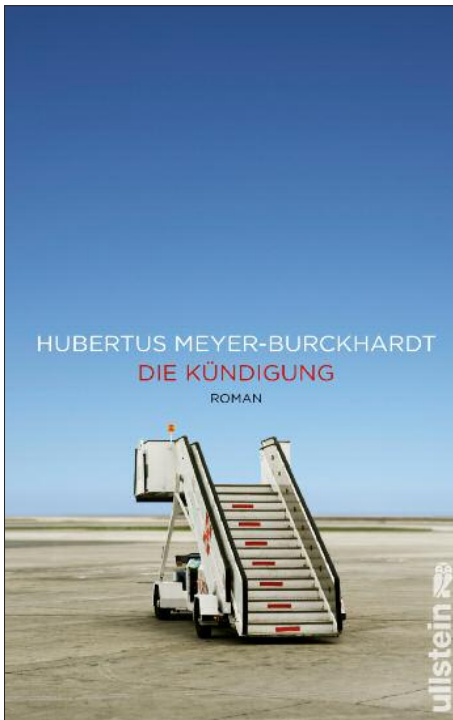


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A computer scientist who worked in IT security prior to devoting himself full-time to *WikiLeaks*, **Daniel Domscheit-Berg** remains committed to freedom of information on the Internet. Today he is working on a more transparent secret-sharing website called *OpenLeaks*, developed by former *WikiLeaks* people.

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## Hubertus Meyer-Burckhardt Resignation

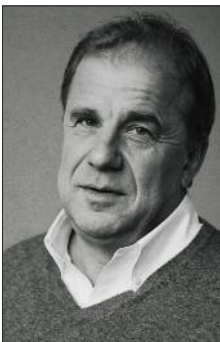
**A literary journey with a man who lost it all**

Simon Kannstatt is a top executive with an international company. Or rather, he was. He has been made redundant. For Kannstatt, it is the end of the world as he knows it. Used to a Business Class life above the clouds, he's no longer capable of making the simplest decisions. So he simply stays where he is: in the frequent flyers lounge at Zurich Airport. When he takes off again, he finds himself heading for New York, returning to the rock 'n' roll life of his youth. In his debut novel, Hubertus Meyer-Burckhardt tells the story of a man whose obsession with his work subsumes his very identity. With ironic articulation and an astute eye for the modern world, he brings the ideals of the beat generation back to life.

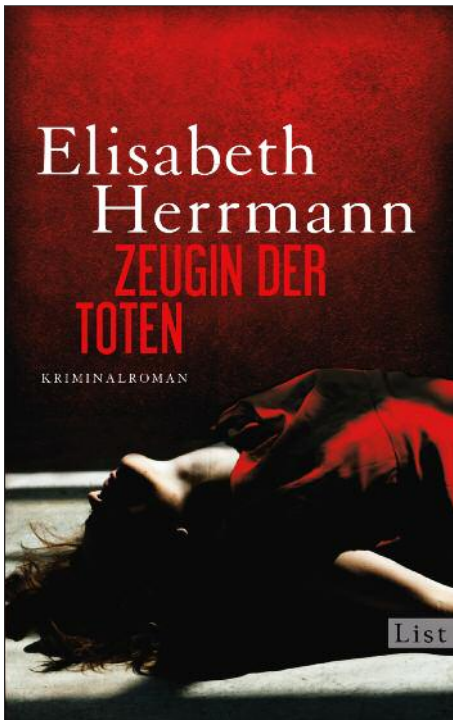
Novel  
Ullstein  
Hardcover  
160 pages  
Publication date: March 2011

sample translation  
available

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**Hubertus Meyer-Burckhardt**, born in 1956, is a film producer, journalist, moderator and media manager. He has held a professorship at the *Hamburg Media School* since 2005.



Thriller  
List  
Hardcover  
432 pages  
Publication date: March 2011

## Elisabeth Herrmann The Cleaner

**She finds the traces of truth**

Signs of an agonisingly slow death, pools of blood, hands desperately searching for a hold. Judith Kepler has seen it all. She is a crime scene specialist. She turns crime scenes back into habitable spaces. She is the cleaner.

It is at the home of a woman who has been brutally murdered that she is suddenly confronted with her own past. The murder victim knew Judith's secret. As a child she was sent to an orphanage under mysterious circumstances. Parentage unknown. And the East German secret police was always there in the background. When Judith begins to ask questions, she becomes the target of some powerful enemies. And nothing will ever be the same again.

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**Elisabeth Herrmann** works as a television journalist. Her first crime novel, *Das Kindermädchen* (*The Sitter*), was named the best German-language crime novel of 2005 by the jury of the KrimiWelt List of the Best.



Crime Novel  
Ullstein  
Hardcover  
304 pages  
Publication date: December 2010

## Gabi Kreslehner *The Girl in the Rain*

**The new literary voice in German crime**

A rain-wet road. Single cars passing by. A misty grey morning. When inspector Franza Oberwieser arrives at the crime scene, she is almost shocked by the sight of the dead body. A beautiful young girl in a sparkling ball dress lies at the roadside, her limbs unnaturally twisted. Franza starts posing questions, but she only meets people who seem to hide something from her. The dark sides of human nature, the abyss of the soul, many lies. The dead girl knew them all. But is this why she had to die?

»An exciting crime debut, unputdownable!« [Hörzu](#)

»A great story, an impressive book – but above all a writer, you must remember.« [Krimi-Couch](#)

sample translation  
available



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**Gabi Kreslehner** was born in Linz, Austria. She received the Austrian State Prize for Children's and Youth Literature for the book *Charlotte's Dream* in 2010. *The Girl in the Rain* is her first novel for adults.



Crime Novel  
Ullstein Taschenbuch  
Paperback  
480 pages  
Publication date: May 2011

## Nele Neuhaus Those Who Sow

**More from Germany's crime shooting star**

A night watchman plummets to his death. A plot of land in the Taunus Mountain, suddenly worth two million euros, has cost an old man his life. Pia Kirchhoff and Oliver von Bodenstein investigate the case amid a circle of suspects who all profess to be fighting a just cause. But every one of them has their own motive – nothing is as it seems. Until the web of lies begins to unravel; vengeance and greed are revealed; love turns into hate. And someone will have to pay.

»One of the most popular crime stars in Germany« **FAZ**

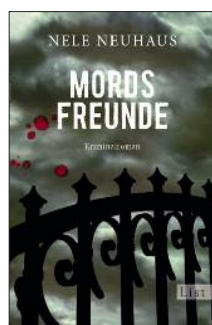
- **Rights to previous novels have sold to:** World English (St. Martin's Press), Brazil (Pensamento), China (Shanghai), Czech Republic (Euromedia), France (Actes Sud), Italy (Neri Pozza), Japan (Tokyo Sogensha), Korea (TheNan), Netherlands (Querido), Poland (Sprawy Polityczne), Russia (Eksmo), Taiwan (Crown Taiwan), Turkey (Pegasus Yayincilik)

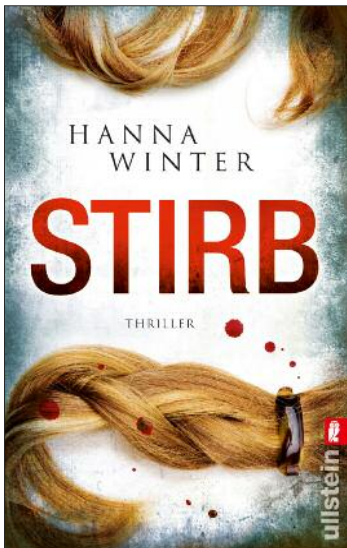


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**Nele Neuhaus** has stormed the bestseller chart with her crime novel series featuring investigative team Oliver von Bodenstein and Pia Kirchhoff. Initially self-published, her books have now sold over 800.000 copies in total and her novels are all bestsellers.

### Backlist





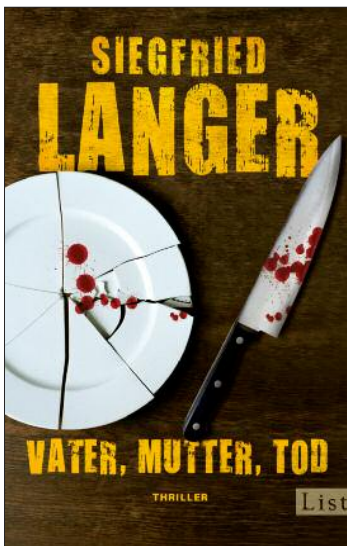
## Hanna Winter **Suffer**

### The killer is close

Lara Simons has just achieved her dream – her own café – when she is brutally attacked one dark night. She manages to escape at the very last moment. But what Lara doesn't know is that the attacker is no stranger. Lara escapes Berlin with her young daughter, travelling to the island of Rügen. But the killer catches up with her, and this time he's in no mood for mercy ...

**Hanna Winter** lives in Berlin and works as a freelance writer. Her first thriller, *Die Spur der Kinder (The Children's Trail)*, was published in paperback by Ullstein Taschenbuch.

Thriller  
Ullstein Taschenbuch  
Paperback  
352 pages  
Publication date: August 2011



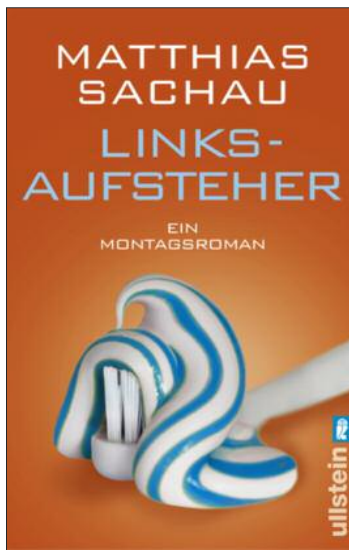
## Siegfried Langer **Eeny, Meeny, Miny, Murder**

### A strong psychological thriller

Police detective Martin Manthey is shocked as he views the dead body of young Robin. His mother is missing, suspected of kidnapping another boy. When Manthey finally tracks down the suspect, he finds a deeply troubled, emotionally unstable woman. But there is no sign of the missing child. Manthey now embarks on a race against time, determined to save the youngster before it's too late.

**Siegfried Langer** is a veteran stage and film actor based in Berlin. This is his first thriller.

Thriller  
List Taschenbuch  
Paperback  
336 pages  
Publication date: May 2011



## Matthias Sachau **Monday Blues**

### Lad-lit from Germany

It's another Monday and Oliver is in a lousy mood. It must be all Lena's fault. First she bumped into him, then they got into a shouting match, and now he is hopelessly in love. But what is Oliver to do? His sidekick, Anton, is always there with some advice. He's only six years old but has some outlandish ideas. Now if Oliver could only do something about his Monday Blues.

**Matthias Sachau** is an author and copywriter. His previous novels have been bestsellers.

For more information please visit: [www.matthias-sachau.de](http://www.matthias-sachau.de)

Novel  
Ullstein Taschenbuch  
Paperback  
352 pages  
Publication date: April 2011



## Tessa Hennig **Elli's Italian Job**

### Love with 60plus

A letter from Italy turns Elli's life upside down. The kind 60-year old has inherited a small hotel on the vacation island of Capri. On the trip south Elli's car breaks down and Heinz comes to her aid. But a not so pleasant surprise awaits their arrival. Elli's older sister has also been named in the inheritance. A sibling battle royal ensues and of course it's as much about men as the hotel.

**Tessa Hennig** is a freelance journalist, director and author, and is a highly sought after screenwriter.

Novel  
List Taschenbuch  
Paperback  
352 pages  
Publication date: March 2011



Historical Novel  
Ullstein Taschenbuch  
Paperback  
450 pages  
Publication date: March 2011

## Elfie Ligensa *The Heart of the Fire Sun*

**A heartwarming South Africa saga**

Ben arrives in South Africa in 1795. The son of a vintner, he has brought with him grape vine shoots and big dreams of starting his own vineyard. Ben falls in love with the beguiling Charlotte, and the lovers marry against her father's wishes. After many years of hard work and plenty of obstacles, the family seems to find happiness but it appears someone is out to cause them misfortune.

A sweeping historical novel about South Africa wine as well as strong, courageous and passionate women.

**Elfie Ligensa** authors both novels and television screenplays.



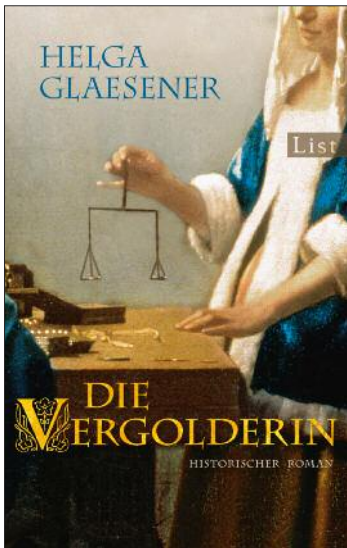
Novel  
Marion von Schröder  
Hardcover  
400 pages  
Publication date: March 2011

## Astrid Ruppert *It's Now or Never*

**You're never too old for love**

Annemie is approaching 60 and is in much better shape than she can believe herself. When she's finished sorting her towels according to colour and straightening the carpet tassels, she whips up fancy wedding cakes in her little kitchen. She works for Liz, who is a much sought after wedding planner. A fateful mix-up brings Annemie and the father of one of the brides closer together. And suddenly, everything in her life changes.

**Astrid Ruppert** spent many years working in television as a dramatic adviser and author, before deciding to concentrate on writing novels.



Historical Novel  
List  
Hardcover  
448 pages  
Publication date: March 2011

## Helga Glaesener *The Gilder's Daughter*

**A strong woman fights for freedom**

Braunschweig, 1604: As Elisabeth flees plundering hordes she is miraculously rescued by a mysterious man. He awakens deep and powerful emotions in her, although she is betrothed to another. She takes on work as a gilder and her gifted talents bring her success. But it also raises the anger of her competitors, since women are officially banned from taking up trades. Her life and livelihood are in fatal danger. Suddenly, the mysterious stranger returns into her life. But can he save her once again?

**Helga Glaesener's** first novel, the bestseller *Die Safranhändlerin* (The Safran Merchant), vaulted the author to prominence as Germany's foremost writer of historical fiction.



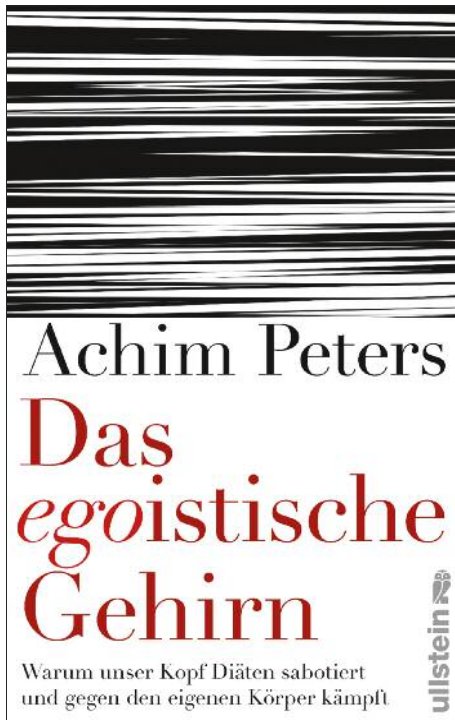
Historical Novel  
Ullstein Taschenbuch  
Paperback  
496 pages  
Publication date: March 2011

## Claudius Crönert *Lords of the Swords*

**Historical adventure for Bernard Cornwell fans**

Bold Prussian Prince Herkus refuses to bow down any longer. German knights have subjugated his land, forcing his people to accept Christianity. Herkus takes up the fight in defense of the thick forests and verdant farmland of his Baltic Sea homeland. But the warrior has one weakness. His undying love for impetuous Zanna. Herkus fights for the freedom of his people and for the love of one woman.

**Claudius Crönert** is a political journalist for Germany's ARD television network and *Phoenix*.



Non-fiction  
Ullstein  
Hardcover  
256 pages  
Publication date: March 2011

## Achim Peters The Selfish Brain

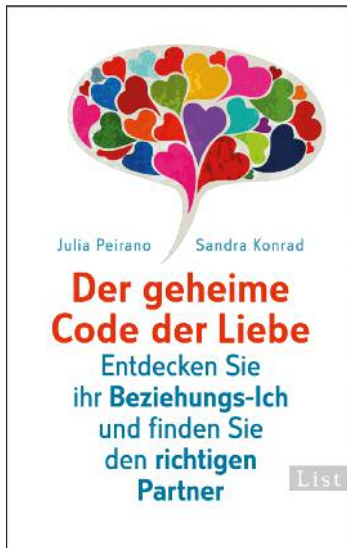
Why our brain sabotages diets and fights against its own body

Our brain is a selfish tyrant. In times of short supply, no matter how relentlessly we stick to our diet, our selfish brain will object and pursue its need for energy, even if it is against our will. This has been proven by the internationally renowned brain scientist and doctor, Prof. Achim Peters, in his unique and unparalleled research. In stress situations the brain needs additional energy. Over time, that can have fatal consequences. It makes us fat, and we find it impossible to shed those extra pounds ever again. Peters explains for the first time his sensational research and outlines the way our brain can provide the key to successful treatment of such ailments as obesity and diabetes. This book takes readers on an exciting and important voyage of discovery not only to health but to themselves.



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Medical doctor, Professor **Achim Peters** is a brain scientist, a specialist in internal medicine and a diabetologist. He leads the *Selfish Brain* research group at the *University of Lübeck*. *The Selfish Brain* was co-authored by **Sebastian Junge**, a deputy editor in chief at the *Welt der Wunder* magazine.



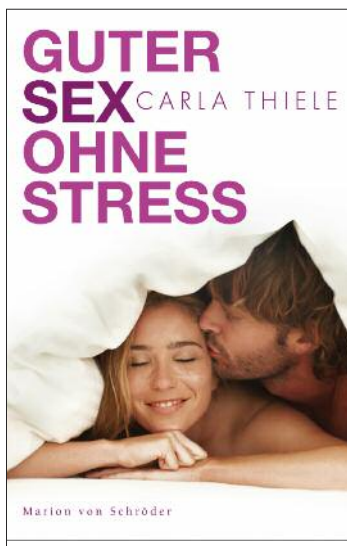
Non-fiction  
List  
Hardcover  
320 pages  
Publication date: February 2011

## Julia Peirano / Sandra Konrad **The Secret Code of Love**

**Discover your relationship personality and find true love**

The way we act publicly has little to do with whether we'll find a fulfilling relationship or not. The self-confident businessman might be a Casper Milquetoast at home, while an unassuming female colleague might rule the roost on the home front. The question is: What do I really want from a relationship and how do I find a compatible partner? Julia Peirano and Sandra Konrad have come up with a fully new and exciting concept. People must discover their true *Relationship Personality* in order to lay the groundwork for a lasting relationship.

**Julia Peirano** is a psychologist and behavior therapist.  
**Sandra Konrad** is also a psychologist with a practice in Hamburg.



Non-fiction  
Marion von Schröder  
Hardcover  
160 pages  
Publication date: April 2011

## Dr. Carla Thiele **Sex without Stress**

**Advice from Germany's best known therapist**

Tiredness, tension, stress – and, is my behind too big? Our constant desire to be perfect is what leads to flops in the bedroom. Germany's best-known sex therapist, Carla Thiele, is familiar with our most intimate problems – and the solution: time spent together, relaxed, with no pressure to perform. Great sex and a fulfilling relationship can be so simple.

**Dr. Carla Thiele** is sex therapist and specialist in internal medicine. Every week, she responds to readers' sex-related questions in her column in the *Bild am Sonntag* newspaper.



Non-fiction  
 Marion von Schröder  
 Quality Trade Paperback  
 256 pages  
 Publication date: February 2011

## Désirée Nick *Is There Life After 50?*

... at fifty you have the face you've earned – or the one you can afford

Love handles, turkey neck, hormone fluctuations – the fate of every fifty-year-old female. Time to go on a diet and invest in expensive anti-wrinkle creams. But beware: face-lift or not, anyone storming the dance floor as soon as *I will survive* comes on will show her real age. When women get the hot flashes ... that's when things heat up. Hilariously funny and mercilessly malicious - Désirée Nick explains the mysteries of the menopause without mincing her words.

**Désirée Nick**, celebrated entertainer and best-selling author of *Gibt es ein Leben nach vierzig?* (*Is There Life After Forty?*), is among the nattiest and cattiest celebrities in Germany.



Non-fiction  
 Ullstein Taschenbuch  
 Paperback  
 224 pages  
 Publication date: August 2011

## Bettina Hennig *Rise and Snore*

In defense of late sleepers

Would you prefer to roll over and catch another 40 winks, rather than rousing out of bed and hopping under the shower? Do you really hit your stride sometime in the late afternoon? Then you're most likely an »Owl«, a late sleeper, one of those tyrannised for centuries by the »Larks«, with their early morning meetings and the brain numbing breakfast television. Enough! Bettina Hennig makes a case for why »Owls« are the superior, kinder and, most importantly, more rested individuals.

**Bettina Hennig** works (starting in the early afternoon) as a journalist, covering European Royalty for a major Hamburg publisher.



Non-fiction  
 Ullstein Taschenbuch  
 Paperback  
 250 pages  
 Publication date: March 2010

## Frau Freitag Take a Chill Pill, Ms Freitag

### Tales from my gangsta class

Ms Freitag has the best job in the world. She's been doing it for more than ten years, and there's still never a dull moment – thanks to Samira, Dschinges, Ronnie, Christine, Emre, Abdul and all her other students. She is a teacher at an urban comprehensive school in a so-called 'problem area'. Parent-teacher talks in Turkish, creative use of the word 'immigrant' or inverse integration – Ms Freitag has seen it all.

**Ms Freitag** was born in 1968. For the past ten years she has pursued her passion, teaching English and Art at a school with a 'difficult' clientele.



Non-fiction  
 Ullstein Taschenbuch  
 Paperback  
 256 pages  
 Publication date: July 2011

## Jürgen Brater Forecast Failures

### A collection of the world's worst predictions

In 1945, Henry Ford rejected an offer to take over Volkswagen for free (!), saying the VW Beetle was a design disaster. It became the most successful automobile of all times. Throughout the ages, so-called experts have managed to misjudge future potential, whether in the world of sport or music, in science, politics or technology («Next Christmas the iPod will be kaput,» predicted Alan Sugar, billionaire owner of the Amstrad electronics and computer chain). Jürgen Brater has gathered the most spectacular, hilarious and outrageously wrong predictions. An amusing experience for any would-be know-it-all.

**Jürgen Brater** has written many successful books. He is the uncrowned king of popular encyclopaedic entertainment.



## Stephan Orth / Antje Blinda Sorry, Your Hotel Burned Down

Curiosities from the world of travel

Hotel rooms from hell, the wrong destination, incredible con-artists: before you know it, your long-awaited vacation can mutate into a tale of misery. This guide through the most hilarious holiday disasters is the best preparation for the perils of tourist travel. These are the stories you won't find in the brochures – real-life reports that will both amuse and edify you.

Following the success of *Sorry, We Just Missed the Runway*, Spiegel Online writers, Stephan Orth and Antje Blinda, now turn their attention to the curious tales from the tourism industry: the many mishaps, misadventures and mistakes that can befall even the best-prepared holidaymakers.

Non-fiction  
Ullstein Taschenbuch  
Paperback  
224 pages  
Publication date: April 2011



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**Stephan Orth**, born in 1979, has been an editor on the travel desk at *Spiegel Online* since 2008.



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**Antje Blinda**, born in 1967, has been with *Spiegel Online* since 1998, where she is in charge of the travel desk.

### Backlist



*Sorry, We Just Missed The Runway* stormed the *Spiegel Online* best-seller list and spent many months continuously at the very top!

500.000 copies sold

- **Rights sold to:**  
Czech Republic (Euromedia),  
Estonia (Tanapaev),  
France (Editions Arthaud),  
Turkey (Pegasus)



Non-fiction  
Graf Verlag  
Hardcover  
176 pages  
Publication date: March 2011

## Lena Gorelik **Dear Mischa**

... you, who were almost named Schlomo Adolf Grinblum, I'm sorry to have to tell you this: you are a Jew

Lena Gorelik is one of a new generation of Jews in Germany who want to be defined by their future, not the past. This book is addressed to her first child, and in it she explains to him, as a preventive measure, not only why he is circumcised, but also why his grandfather prefers solving Sudoku to reading the Torah. And among many other important things, how to politely keep people at a distance whose eyes start to sparkle as they say, »What! You're really a Jew?«

**Lena Gorelik**, born in St. Petersburg in 1981, arrived in Germany with her Russian-Jewish family as a 'quota refugee' in 1992. She has published three novels.



Memoir  
List  
Hardcover  
304 pages, with 8 pages of photographs  
Publication date: May 2011

## Anna Hettich / Sabine Eichhorst **My Country Life**

Memories of a black forest farm woman

Anna was born in 1938 on a remote farm in the Black Forest. Her parents died young and at age 16 she was running the family farm, working her fingers to the bone, raising her younger siblings and keeping track of the finances. Often on the verge of despair she discovered happiness in the simple beauty of nature and eventually met her one true love, the man she hoped to share her life with. Little did she know that they would have just a few precious years together.

**Anna Hettich** lives near Donaueschingen in the Black Forest. This is her story.

Journalist **Sabine Eichhorst** works for the ARD television network. She is also a recipient of the prestigious *CIVIS Media Prize*, awarded by ARD.



## Heinrich von Pierer Pinnacle

### An autobiography

»His experience, his success, his suffering« **Die Zeit**

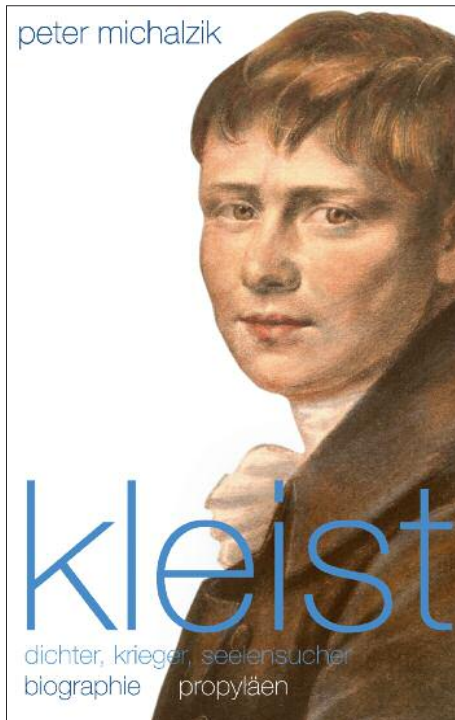
Heinrich von Pierer's career at *Siemens AG* spans four decades, with 15 of those years as CEO and eventually chairman of the board with nearly 500-thousand workers in 190 countries. His life reflects world history of the last half-century, including German reunification, the debate over nuclear energy, the rise of the Asian Tigers, the continuing conflict with Iran, the dot.com bubble and climate change. Pierer has exerted political influence as well. Chancellors Kohl, Schroeder and Merkel have all sought out his advice and he also held wide-ranging talks on human rights with Chinese Prime Minister Li Peng. He is the only business leader ever to testify before the UN Security Council. And »Mr. Siemens« also provides background on the corruption scandal that has rocked the company.

Memoir  
Econ  
Hardcover  
332 pages with 16 pages of colour photographs  
Publication date: January 2011



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**Heinrich von Pierer** stepped down from his posts as CEO and chairman of the board of *Siemens* in 2007 in the wake of a corruption scandal. He began his career at *Siemens* in 1969 as corporate attorney and by 1988 had been promoted to head the energy production unit.



Non-fiction  
Propyläen  
Hardcover

560 pages with 16 pages of b/w illustrations  
Publication date: February 2011

## Peter Michalzik **Heinrich von Kleist** Poet, warrior, soul searcher

Heinrich von Kleist (1777-1811) is considered the most modern of Germany's classical literary writers. 2011 sees the 200<sup>th</sup> anniversary of his death – the most famous suicide at Berlin's Wannsee Lake. Kleist, a notoriously unrecognised genius, was a seismograph of a world in turmoil. He hated Napoleon and fought against him, and he loved the nascent Germany with patriotic exuberance. He was a man of extremes, a veteran Prussian officer on the one hand, and the creator of great female characters and heartrending use of language on the other. He was a realist and a dreamer, an entrepreneur and a bankrupt, a civil servant and a journalist, constant but ultimately unsuccessful fortune-seeker, and the only real tragedian in German literature.

To mark that anniversary, the Frankfurt-based commentator and theatre critic, Peter Michalzik, presents this new biography, which shines a surprisingly fresh and honest light on the life of this great German poet.



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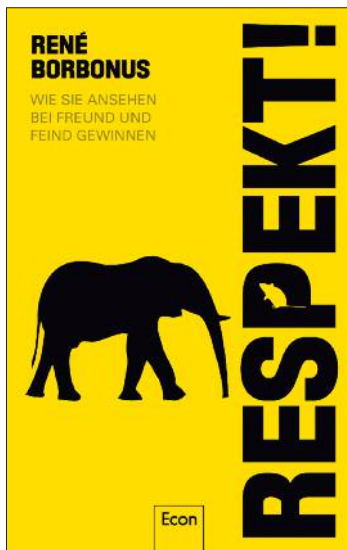
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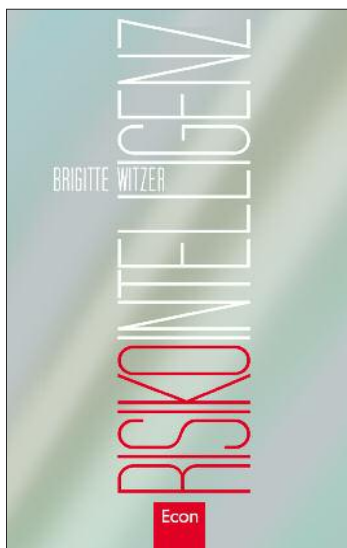
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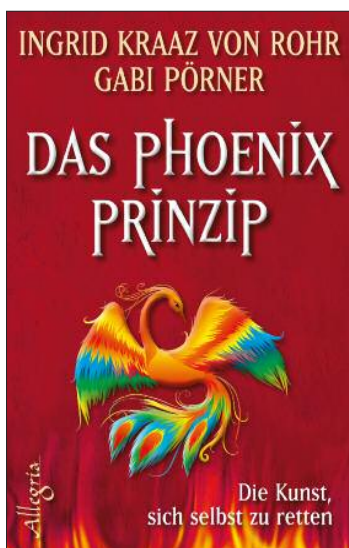
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