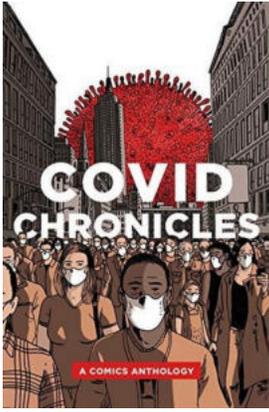


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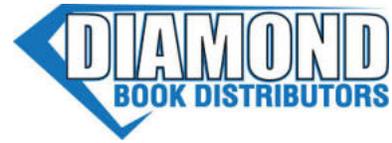


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COVID Chronicles: A Comics Anthology
 Boileau, Kendra and Johnson, Rich (editors)
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 9780271090146
 296 pages
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 \$21.95
 Pub Date: 2/1/2021
 158 color/100 b&w illus. 6.75 x 10.25. Graphic Mundi.

COVID Chronicles collects more than sixty such short comics from a diverse set of creators, including indie powerhouses, mainstream artists, Ignatz and Eisner Award winners, and media cartoonists. In narrative styles ranging from realistic to fantastic, they tell stories about adjusting to working from home, homeschooling their kids, missing birthdays and weddings, and being afraid just to leave the house.

Kendra Boileau is the Publisher of Graphic Mundi and the Assistant Director and Editor-in-Chief of Penn State University Press. Rich Johnson is a publishing consultant and the founder of Brick Road Media, LLC.

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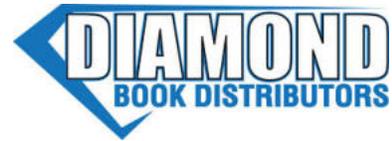
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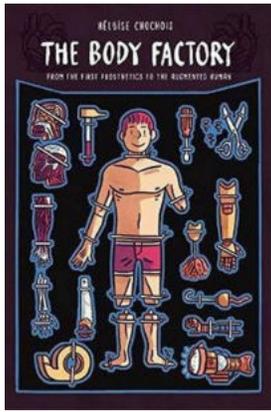
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Translated by Natascha Hoffmeyer. 118 b&w illus. 6.5 x 9.25. Graphic Mundi.

The last thing Pedro remembers is diving into the lake on his day off from work. Now he lies in a hospital bed with a wheelchair at his side. Casting a shadow from the doorway, his caretaker remarks on “how quickly one gets used to this kind of thing,” as she goes on to empty his catheter bag and to help him into his wheelchair. Pedro must now deal with a growing mix of fear and powerlessness that surges within him as he realizes that he will be paralyzed forever; it bursts forth like a twister, “over and over again,” until he resigns himself to it.

Roland Burkart is a freelance illustrator based in Lucerne, Switzerland. A trained artist, he was rendered quadriplegic by an accident at work and has used a wheelchair ever since. Since his accident, he has learned to draw left-handed.

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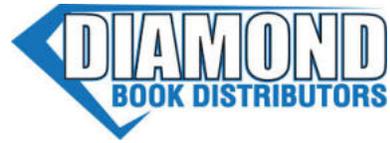


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The Body Factory: From the First Prosthetics to the Augmented Human
 Chochois, Héloïse
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 160 pages
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 Pub Date: 5/1/2021
 Translated by Kendra Boileau. 6.75 x 10. 156 color illus. Graphic Mundi.

A young man has a horrible motorcycle accident. He wakes up in the hospital to discover that one of his arms has been amputated. Unencumbered by pathos or didacticism, this graphic novel explores the world of amputation, revealing fascinating details about famous amputees throughout history, the invention of the tourniquet, phantom-limb syndrome, types of prostheses, and transhumanist technologies.

Héloïse Chochois is a scientific illustrator who debuted as a graphic novelist with the blog *Infiltrée chez les médecins*. She is the author and illustrator of *Intelligences artificielles*.

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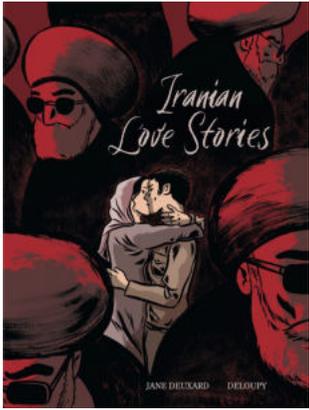
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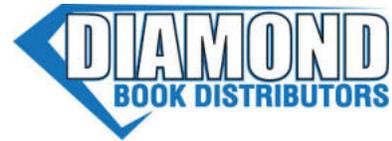


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Iranian Love Stories
Deuxard, Jane and Deloupy
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Pub Date: 12/1/2021
8 × 10

A series of vignettes, in graphic novel format, that explore the lives of ten young Iranian men and women from diverse backgrounds.

Jane Deuxard is the pseudonym of a real-life couple—both journalists. They use an alias to protect their sources and their ability to work. Deloupy is the illustrator of several graphic novels, including *Algériennes: The Forgotten Women of the Algerian Revolution*, also published by Penn State University Press.

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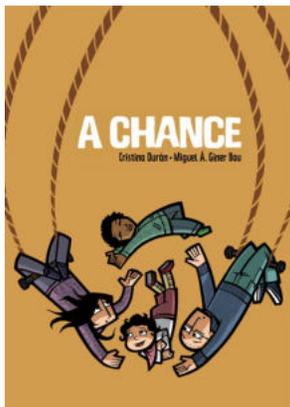
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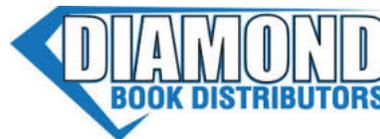


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A Chance
Durán, Cristina and Bou, Miguel Giner
Diamond Book Distributors . Graphic Mundi - Penn State University Press
9781637790038
312 pages
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\$29.95
Pub Date: 11/1/2021
9.5 × 6.75

A narrative, in graphic novel format, following Cristina Durán and Miguel Ángel Giner Bou as they rebuild and reinvent themselves after their daughter Laia is born with cerebral palsy. Their story continues through the arduous process of adopting their second daughter, Selam, from Ethiopia.

Cristina Duran and Miguel Giner Bou are graduates of the Facultad de Bellas Artes de Valencia. They started out in animation, and in 1993 they founded their studio, LaGRUAestudio, where they work as professional illustrators and comic creators. In 2019, they were awarded Spain's Premio Nacional del Cómic for EL DÍA 3.

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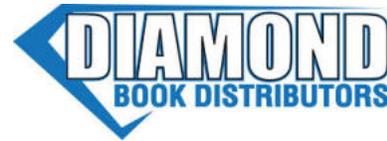
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The Parakeet

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156 pages

hardcover

\$21.95

Pub Date: 3/1/2021

Translated by Hannah Chute. 8.25 x 11.25. 148 color illustrations. Graphic Mundi.

According to the doctors, Bastien’s mother suffers from “bipolar disorder with schizophrenic tendencies,” but he prefers to imagine her as a comic-book heroine, like Jean Grey, who may become Dark Phoenix and explode in a superhuman fury at any moment. Based on the author’s own childhood experiences, The Parakeet is the story of a boy whose only refuge from life’s harsh realities lies in his imagination. In his eyes, we see the confusion and heartache he feels as he watches his mother’s illness progress and the treatments fail.

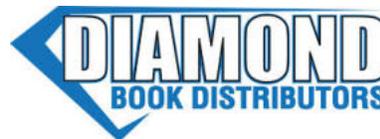
Graphic novelist Espé was born Sébastien Portret in Mazamet, France. A graduate of the École des Beaux-Arts in Toulouse, he collaborated in the publication of several comics series, including Châteaux Bordeaux, and he is the author of two graphic novels: L’Île des Justes and Le Perroquet.

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Translated by J. T. Mahany. 8.375 × 11.375.

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The only way out is through. - = 46%

A native of Tarn, France, Espé discovered his love of comics through his favorite superheroes. Since graduating from the École des Beaux-Arts in Toulouse, he has collaborated in the publication of several comics series, including Châteaux Bordeaux, and he is the creator of L'Île des Justes and Le Perroquet, the latter published in English as The Parakeet by Graphic Mundi.

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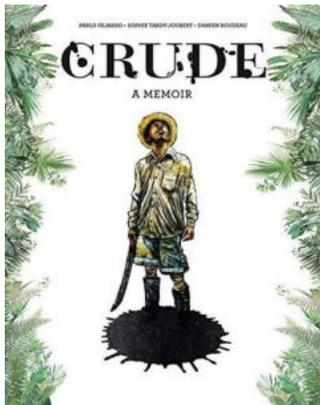
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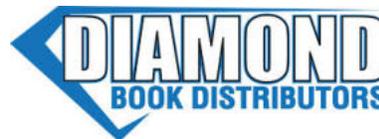
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Crude: A Memoir
 Fajardo, Pablo and Tardy-Joubert, Sophie
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 9780271088068
 132 pages
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 \$19.95
 Pub Date: 4/1/2021

Illustrated by Damien Roudeau. Translated by Hannah Chute. 8.5 x 10.75. 126 color illustrations. Graphic Mundi.

In Crude, Ecuadorian lawyer and activist Pablo Fajardo gives a firsthand account of Texaco's involvement in the Amazon as well as the ensuing legal battles between the oil company, the Ecuadorian government, and the region's inhabitants. As a teenager, Fajardo worked in the Amazonian oil fields, where he witnessed the consequences of Texaco/Chevron's indifference to the environment and to the inhabitants of the Amazon. Fajardo mobilized with his peers to seek reparations and in time became the lead counsel for UDAPT (Union of People Affected by Texaco), a group of more than thirty thousand small farmers and indigenous people from the northern Ecuadorian Amazon who continue to fight for reparations and remediation to this day.

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Pablo Fajardo is an Ecuadorian lawyer and activist. He is lead counsel for UDAPT and continues to dedicate his life to prosecuting the case against Chevron. Sophie Tardy-Joubert is a French journalist. Damien Roudeau is a graphic journalist. He has published illustrations in magazines and the popular press, collaborating with various organizations and NGOs.

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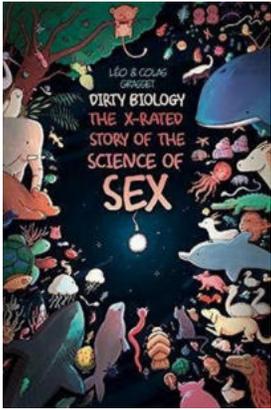
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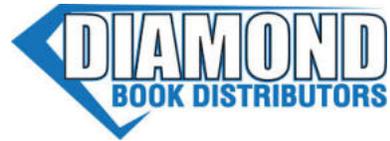


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Dirty Biology: The X-Rated Story of the Science of Sex

Grasset, Léo and Grasset, Colas

Diamond Book Distributors . Graphic Mundi - Penn State University Press

9780271087054

182 pages

paperback

\$19.95

Pub Date: 5/1/2021

Translated by Kendra Boileau. 6.75 x 10. 181 color illus. Graphic Mundi.

What is sex? Has it always existed? What purpose does it serve? Why are there penises and vaginas? These questions are at the very core of Dirty Biology, an erudite (and hilarious) graphic novel that aims to teach you everything you wanted to know about sex—and then some.

Léo Grasset (scripter) has advanced degrees in evolutionary biology and organismal and ecosystems biology. In 2014, he began to make humorous and educational YouTube videos about biology. Colas Grasset (artist) has collaborated with his brother Léo on several episodes of the YouTube program DirtyBiology.

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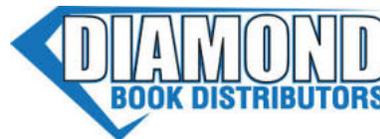
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Hofer, Regina
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paperback
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Pub Date: 4/1/2021
Translated by Natascha Hoffmeyer. 118 b&w illus. 8 x 8. Graphic Mundi.

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In *Fat*, Austrian-born author and artist Regina Hofer documents her battle with anorexia and bulimia. This powerful and imaginative graphic novel follows Regina from her childhood home in Upper Austria, where food and family mealtimes were often associated with feelings of personal failure, to art school at the Mozarteum University Salzburg and a violent reckoning with her dysfunctional family.

Regina Hofer was born in Linz, Austria. She is a freelance animator and illustrator, and she holds degrees in graphic design from the Mozarteum University Salzburg and painting and graphic design from the Academy of Fine Arts in Vienna. Originally published in German, *Fat* is her first graphic novel.

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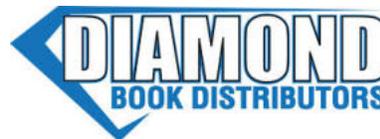
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Some questions can shake even the strongest faith. - T = 46%

A Xeric Award-winning cartoonist, Joshua Kemble writes and illustrates comic books. He published his first graphic novel, *Two Stories: Book One*, in 2020. He resides in Lancaster, California, with his wife and fellow artist, Mai S. Kemble, and his son, Benjamin. You can see Kemble's work at www.joshuakemble.com.

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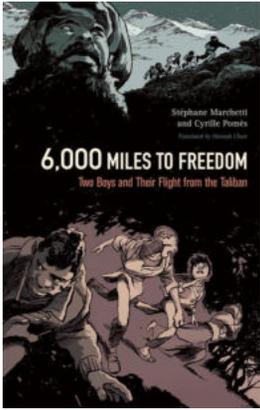
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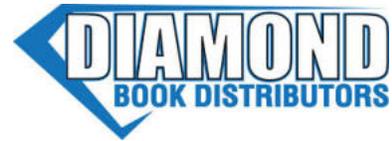


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6,000 Miles to Freedom: Two Boys and Their Flight from the Taliban
 Marchetti, Stéphane and Pomes, Cyrille
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 9781637790212
 128 pages
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 \$24.95
 Pub Date: 4/1/2022
 Translated by Hannah Chute. 7.5 × 11.625.

Two boys. One war-torn country. A world away, freedom. - T = 46%

Stephane Marchetti is an author, director, and producer of documentaries. His film Rafah, chroniques d'une ville dans la bande de Gaza won the Albert Londres Prize in 2008. 6,000 Miles to Freedom is based on testimony collected in his 2017 documentary, Les enfants de la jungle. Cyrille Pomes published his first comic book, À la lettre près, in 2005. Since then, he has collaborated with historian Jean-Pierre Filiu on Le printemps de Arabes and Le dame de Damas and with Isabelle Merlet on the prize-winning Le fils de l'Ursari, based on the novel by Xavier-Laurent Petit.

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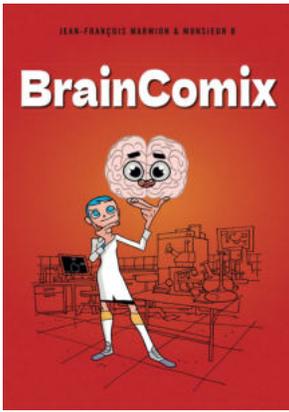
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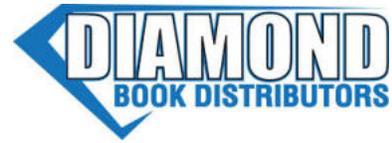


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Marmion, Jean-François and Monsieur B

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Pub Date: 11/1/2021

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An exploration of the complexities of the human brain in graphic novel format.

A psychologist by training, Jean-Francois Marmion is an author and a scientific journalist. He is associate editor of the journal Sciences humaines and a former editor-in-chief of the magazine Le Cercle Psy. His book Psychologie de la connerie was a #1 bestseller in France, and it was published in English as The Psychology of Stupidity. Monsieur B is a scriptwriter-illustrator who works in comics and animation. He is the creator of several popular series, including La Vérité sur..., Yoman, and Histoires de mecs et de nanas.

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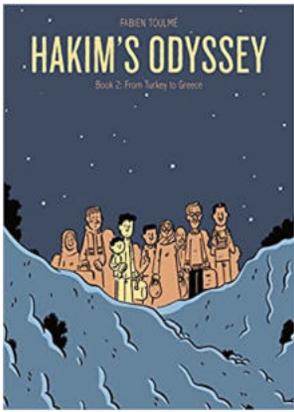
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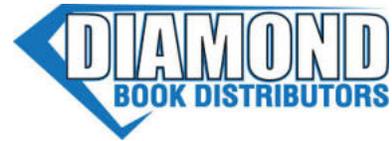
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Toulmé, Fabien
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Translated by Hannah Chute. 6 × 9.5.

What choices would you make to reunite your family? - = 46%

In addition to the three-part Hakim's Odyssey series, Fabien Toulme is also the creator of Ce n'est pas toi que j'attendais and Les Deux Vies de Baudouin. The first volume in the Hakim's Odyssey series, Book 1: From Syria to Turkey, is now available from Graphic Mundi.

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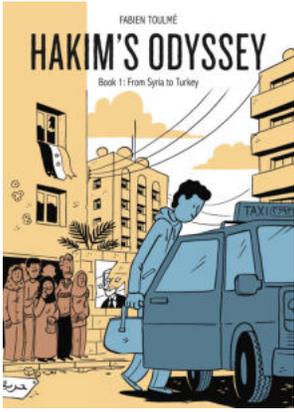
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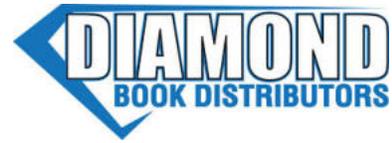


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Hakim's Odyssey Book 1: From Syria to Turkey

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A remarkable recounting of a human journey through an inhumane world. What does it mean to be a “refugee”? It is easy for those who live in relative freedom to ignore or even to villainize people who have been forced to flee their homes. After all, it can be hard to identify with others’ experiences when you haven’t been in their shoes.

Fabien Toulme is the creator of *Ce n’est pas toi que j’attendais* and *Les Deux Vies de Baudouin*. He has published two subsequent volumes in the *Hakim’s Odyssey* series, translations of which are forthcoming from Graphic Mundi.

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