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BIOGRAPHY
It is a privilege to Brazil to be the guest of honour country at Bologna Children’s Book Fair; particularly, because it is the 51st edition of this event, inaugurated in 1964. Currently, gathering 1,200 exhibitors from 66 countries, the Fair is the most important forum for the exchange and business of this literature.

This editorial meeting and its audience will surely be touched by the images produced by 55 Brazilian artists dedicated to the magical art of literary work illustration aimed at children and young people, who influence the new narratives, characters and authors who depict Brazil and the transformations we went through in the last decades.

The Brazilian culture, which dialogues with the cosmopolitan art, is also reflected in the images that permeate the child’s imaginary, combining tradition, poetry, humor, and creativity. It is nurtured by the simplest thing in the human soul to tell the stories that represent the present and the future; stories that feed on our reality. Images that represent dreams, dreams that transform reality.

In a historic moment that has as one of its main characteristics the constant transformation, we insert ourselves into the global picture with our most valuable asset: our cultural diversity. From the intensity of our different cultural traditions emerges the Brazilian culture: syncretic, inclusive, and every day becoming more international; however without losing its nationality.

We remain committed to improve the socioeconomic conditions of our country, aiming at increasing social inclusion, and more than that, we are proud of the engine running all these processes: the Brazilian people, their creativity and increased ability to express themselves through various artistic languages. We work tirelessly to strengthen our reading scores and form a nation of readers. We value our literature for children and young people, which finds fertile ground in the creativity of our authors and illustrators, here so well represented.

We live in a time of integration, and the Brazilian Culture Ministry, through the National Library Foundation – FBN, National Book Foundation for Children and Young People – FNLJ, Brazilian Book Chamber – CBL, and with the Ministry of Foreign Affairs’ support confirms the place of the Brazilian culture in this scenario on the occasion of the Bologna Children’s Book Fair.

Marta Suplicy
Minister of Culture
It is with great pleasure and pride that we present, for the second time in Bologna Children’s Book Fair, a Brazilian illustrators exhibition of books for children and young people. The first exhibition, under the title *Brazil! A bright blend of colors*, was held in 1995 with the work of 30 illustrators.

Almost 20 years after the first exhibition, with a growing production of Brazilian books, the number of illustrators has since increased significantly, making it difficult to select those who would be present at the Fair’s exhibition in this new opportunity offered us.

On this occasion, we can’t help remembering the leading exponents of our literature for children and young people, starting with Monteiro Lobato, creator of the primordial Brazilian literary work for children, *O sítio do picapau amarelo*, who showed the beauty of literature to Brazilian children and sowed the way of writers who, like his readers, would shine decades later.

From the 1970s and 1980s, we highlight the writers Bartolomeu Campos de Queirós, João Carlos Marinho, Joel Rufino dos Santos, Marina Colasanti, Ruth Rocha; particularly Lygia Bojunga and Ana Maria Machado, winners of the Hans Christian Andersen Award, IBBY, indicated by FNLIJ in 1982 and 2000, respectively.

In the 1960s, Gerson Conforti, known as an accomplished pen-and-ink illustrator, starts his activities as a children’s books illustrator with over 70 published books. He was the most frequent illustrator of books by Ana Maria Machado in the 1970s and 1980s.

In 1971, Eliardo França, great illustrator and creator of *O rei de quase tudo*, a book that received the first FNLIJ Award in 1974 and an Honorable Mention from the Biennial of Illustration Bratislava in 1975. Still in 1971, Gian Calvi, another important illustrator received the INL Illustration Award for his work *Os colegas*—a book that revealed Lygia
Bojunga—, the Jabuti Award in 1973 and an indication for the IBBY Honor List in 1974. Juarez Machado, fine arts artist, created one of the most important picture books, *Ida e volta*, to this day published in many countries and which paved the way for picture books without text.

Regina Yolanda is one of the main people responsible for prizeing the art of book illustration for children in Brazil. In addition to being an illustrator, as a member of IBBY representing Brazil she participated in juries of illustration in Bratislava and IBBY. In Brazil, she passionately remarked the importance of illustration in children’s books, motivating numerous young people to the art of communication through image, so important for children and young people’s formation.

In the 1990s, new illustrators and writers emerge with original creations, expanding the variety of artistic expressions for books.

In the scenario of illustration, we have some artists who are dedicated to comics, forming a very broad and impossible universe to be embraced in this exhibition. Their importance for the education of children and youth is undeniable. Thus, we highlight Mauricio de Sousa with his group of children presenting a national thematic that charmed and enchanted generations of children.

A special mention goes to Ziraldo who created the book *Flicts*, the story of a color that nobody liked and which became a classic. Using color in lines and curves, he innovated in the book’s concept as an art object in Brazil. In the ‘80s, he created *O menino maluquinho*, an unconventionally happy boy wearing a cooking
Imaginando palavras
Gian Calvi
Global, 2012

Por uma questão de saudade
Marina Martinez
Juarez Machado (Illustration)
Nova Fronteira, 1984

Os litorais
Paula Saldanha
Regina Yolanda (Illustration)
Ediouro, 1996
pot on the head, with simple but impressive strokes on white sheet. The character inhabits the imagery of adults who as children read Ziraldo and now read to their children and grandchildren, leaving to them the love for books and reading. *O menino maluquinho* was adapted to screen and seen by millions of children in Brazil. Ziraldo also influenced generations of young illustrators. Today, over the age of 80, he is our honored artist at the Bologna Children’s Book Fair. To the Fair, he presented us with the drawing of a mascot astronaut reading a book and incorporated into the exhibition.

_Brazil: Countless threads, countless tales_ aims to present a current overview of Brazilian illustrators who are actively working on creating books for the sector and excel in their work for quality and originality. The variety of themes, techniques, and looks reflects the cultural and emotional wealth of the country, forming a set of lines (threads) that intertwine to tell new stories (tales) with an endless and exciting spiral in a harmonious and provocative conversation with the writers’ lines. We selected 55 illustrators who are representative of this varied universe and, in turn, they thread the paths for new illustrators.

For those who are in contact with the work through this catalogue, we hope that in a different way they also get to know the Brazilian culture through its artists who hand over to our children and young people the beauty of the stories contained in the books.

_Elizabeth D’Angelo Serra_
Fundação Nacional do Livro Infantil e Juvenil/Brazilian section of IBBY
Bologna’s International Children’s Book Fair opens, in a significant way, the 2014 calendar for the main international publishing market exhibitions. The tribute to Brazil as the Guest of Honour Country in this highly considered event, points at the worldwide growing interest for the Brazilian publishing production, transforming Bologna’s Fair in a privileged showcase for our authors, illustrators and publishers.

Not only by presenting the latest publisher’s market releases, copyrights fairs are essential for the book productive process professionals. Through them, networking with other players becomes possible, either locally or abroad. In order to boost publishing houses presence, CBL (Brazilian Book Chamber) has ongoing and consistently been acting, aiming at clear goals and objectives. Such activity has been lead by the project Brazilian Publishers (BP), a CBL partnership with APEX-Brasil, the Brazilian Agency for Exports Promotion and Investments.

With these goals in mind, once more the Brazilian publishers will be taking part in Bologna Book Fair. This broad exhibition of the book universe, aiming at children and young adult audiences is one of the main marketing channels for the copyrights of our works. We already have various internationally recognized authors and illustrators. Nevertheless, we wish to further broaden this scenario. We intend to have many other Brazilian authors and illustrators to become known and renowned worldwide, so as to endorse the quality of our children and youngster’s books.

In 2013, the internationalization of the Brazilian literature has been the agenda for the country publishing segment, pushed by our effective presence at Frankfurt Book Fair.

The Brazilian presence has shown that the country left behind its condition as copyrights buyer, to become an international seller as well. As such, our expectations are high, again, for this Bologna Fair.
The children and young adult book segment is one of the flagships for the Brazilian copyrights exports and, doubtless, there are chances to further expand them. Bologna always kept its arms open for the Brazilian publishers and, for this new edition, receptiveness is further enhanced by means of our Guest of Honour Country condition. As such, regarding this new challenge, we went through all efforts in showing all the potential of our literary and arts world, aimed at children and adolescents.

CBL feels very proud to organize the Brazilian participation at the Bologna Fair, joining efforts with both, the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and the Ministry for Educational and Cultural Affairs, the latter through FBN (National Library Foundation) and FNLJ (Brazilian section of IBBY).

Our objective is to make our Country’s publishing production known, introducing it to the over seventy nations to be present at the event and, to show our creative potential of this important and recognized segment of our national literature.

Our efforts to be outstandingly participating in another Bologna Children’s Book Fair, showing the world our consistent commitment to knowledge — the guarantee for freedom and development for the future, not only for childhood and youth, but our Nation.

Karine Pansa
President
Brazilian Book Chamber
The recognition of the quality of our children’s literature — that has long been firming and developing — also allows the illustration to be the protagonist of the books, making the image as important as the word. A creation component when composing with the text contributes to enrich and diversify the imagination of children and adolescents.

The Brazilian illustrators set selected by Fundação Biblioteca Nacional and Fundação Nacional do Livro Infantil e Juvenil for the exhibition “Brazil: Countless Threads, Countless Tales” confirms the originality and tradition from this cultural production bringing together our best artists with new languages.

The São Paulo State Official Press is honored to participate in the production of the Brazilian catalogue for the BOLOGNA CHILDREN’S BOOK FAIR 2014, the year that Brazil is the honored country.

Marcos Antonio Monteiro
São Paulo State Official Press
President Director
As art students, we learned at that time the basic principles of composition, and there was an expression that we always heard: *unity in variety*.

Nothing better than this concept — as accurate as comprehensive — to present this diverse exhibition of Brazilian book illustrators for children and young people. If it is between the lines of novelists, short story writers, and poets that one of the faces of a country’s soul is seen, surely it will be in the images, in the illustrations of this literature that we find its body. Illustration is the tangible aspect of the soul.

From its origins, the Brazilian society was formed and colonized by various peoples and cultures, which fused into expressions such as: *diversity and singularity*. For example, speaking a single language, Portuguese, in far and different corners of a country of continental proportions.

The history of the printed image in Brazil is part of this long line of national unity development. Just as an example, in the past, more precisely in the Second Empire, we will find a very exciting phenomenon on the culture of image, which is reflected till today. Between 1841 and 1864, the country began a massive effort to spread the printed image of the young Emperor, D. Pedro II, throughout the country, using for such purpose mainly the vast resources of lithography.

At that time, few countries in America have used the image so intensely in the affirmation of a national unity, as well as in the consolidation of a whole vast empire, like Brazil. And it is noteworthy that, different from all other American nations, we had a long monarchic period, which is another curious and extremely important aspect in the Brazilian people imaginary.

However, till today, as mentioned above, the whole Brazilian monarchical imaginary comes mainly from these images. This fact faces us with a concrete data: illustration of books for
children — by the very human characteristics of its readers — builds the imaginative fancy of each person, throughout life and, in the next moment, the country’s own imaginary. In short: nationality is also fomented in images. The small and stylish quill nibs made by Renato Silva for the book *Cazuza* (1938), by Viriato Correia, passed away in the late nineteenth century, built by generations the distant and idyllic image of rural Brazil; an early longing for a country in which the population soon began to live in big cities, alongside the growing industrialization and its resulting problems.

At this point, inevitably, we are faced with the image’s resolution. How far it will go? Symbolically, what the illustration of books for children and young people represents in people’s formation?

These two examples, historically distant, bring us the answer: they show that the image (illustration) has its real life beyond itself. And it perpetuate individually and collectively around a matrix, at the same time personal and national, temporal and timeless. I dare complement, with all reverence, Lobato’s quote: a country is shaped by men, books, and images; the latter, in the broadest sense of the word.

Between the Portuguese Royal Family arrival in Rio de Janeiro in 1808 and after independence in 1822 — namely, first and second empire —, this whole period lasted over 80 years. Therefore, there is no strangeness to affirm that “fairy tales, kings, princes and princesses” took on an ancestry in the allegory of the Brazilian people, a basic and immemorial archetype.

The Republic, which started in 1889, created new symbols, new images, and new heroes. Values were rescued and raised up to the republican and national ideals. The appreciation of the Brazilian Baroque sculptor’s work, the mulatto Antonio Francisco Lisboa, Aleijadinho, is an example of these new ideals arising with the Republic. It is worth mentioning that he was unknown by the Baron of Rio Branco, an exponential figure in the Brazilian history in the late nineteenth and early twentieth century, besides being patron of our diplomacy.

Still on the rescue of image and popular symbols, we can say that the figure of a martyr of the struggle for Brazilian independence was, obviously, forgotten by the Empire. We refer to Joaquim José da Silva Xavier, Tiradentes. The Republic rescued him with an idealized image — long beard, like Christ in the immolation. Curious still, is the fact that the libertarian poets of that time, such as Tomás Antonio Gonzaga and Claudio Manoel da Costa, also did not mention the figure of Aleijadinho.
All this preamble, which dialectically justifies the two words that characterize us: *variety and unity*, aims to offer the exhibition visitor the idea that book illustration is not restricted to simple text interpretation. It is also a record of all cultural, social, and economic changes taking place in Brazil after more than 20 years of military dictatorship. This exhibition also expresses, in addition to the maturity of the Brazilian book for children and young people, a new reality of the country, brought by the New Republic that, by turning the dictatorship page, winds us with a succession of democratically elected governments. Between strengths and weaknesses, each of these governments has been improving, in its own way, the only system compatible with the good of civilization and the Brazilian people: democracy — with the consequent free enterprise and freedom of speech.

It is visible, in this exhibition, the great creative freedom enjoyed by illustrators in Brazil. Our diversity reflects well a society that seeks to pluralize and modernize itself, accepting the opposite, living with differences. Contradictions exist, but no doubt the book and its image, and many other initiatives, help to reduce conflicts, to awaken and find ways for the individuality of children and young people.

The social and cultural importance of illustration is undeniable. Not only because it allows and creates the people’s happy visual memory, but especially in a country being formed like ours, it consolidates the values of the information and formation in readers. Illustration, in this case, would be the meeting of future with memory. The reader, of any age, is not an individual doomed to unhappiness and isolation. While admiring a picture or reading a good text, the reader awakens his fanciful and demiurgic side, common to all human beings.

Currently, in the Brazilian society, new social contingents are being added to the productive resources of the country, and consequently to books and reading. These economic achievements are not separated from the spiritual, educational demands, and even the simple pleasure of enjoying a beautiful illustration. It is important and auspicious the fact that statistics show that, nowadays, young people read more than adults. And no matter if this reading is directed by schools, or even motivated by huge purchasing of books, either by the federal, state, and municipal governments, in addition to private enterprise purchases. The phenomenon of reading, both text and image — whatever its origin or sponsorship — is a social transformer element itself.
Contradicting the heralds of failure, in a relatively recent survey (2011-2012), it was confirmed that the Brazilians never bought so many books and read so much. In a survey coordinated by FIFE-USP for the Brazilian Book Chamber (CBL) and National Union of Book Publishers (SNEL), a new and surprising profile of the Brazilian readers was revealed, already reflected in 2011 in a sale volume of R$ 2.39 billion, including government purchase of textbooks. That same year, the survey “Portraits of Reading in Brazil” estimated the number of Brazilian readers in 88.2 million people. In another survey also conducted by FIFE-USP for CBL and SNEL, the Brazilian book industry earned R$ 4.9 billion and sold 434.9 million books in 2012. According to a survey conducted by GFK Brasil, between January and August 2013, the Brazilian book for children and young people was the major driver of our publishing industry, increasing 17% in the mentioned period, rising by 7% in number of titles, compared to the same period of 2012. In summary, the book for children and young people in Brazil, in addition to its cultural and social importance, is an industrial and commercial reality.

This exhibition, in addition to being a selection of different faces and conceptions of our illustration, also celebrates a fair tribute to a living symbol of the image and text of the Brazilian book for children and young people: Ziraldo — illustrator, writer, designer, and poster artist — in short, many other qualities and talents could be joined to his name. He is, as said at the beginning of this text, a living fusion of our culture.

Certainly, the work of this great artist and the multiple and plural content of this exhibition reveal and bring to the European public the most significant of our messages: hope and coexistence with the different.

* RUI DE OLIVEIRA

January 2014
The human being lives in a symbolic universe that goes beyond the physical universe. Language, myth, art, and religion are parts of this universe; varied threads which weave the symbolic net, the tangled human experience. All human progress in thought and experience is refined by this network and strengthens it.

Brazil keeps in its memory countless texts that intersect at a cultural weaving characterized by diversity.

The illustrator can be considered a construction agent of visibility in a social context, as through his work he allows the improvement of the ability to decode and create new visual content.

In the culture of the image, seeing and feeling is comparable to looking and thinking, and since reading became more an act of the eye than the ear, the forms of text and image representation, on its printed support, have undergone several transformations. The alphabet itself, which at first is a graphical notation, captured by the eye and not the ear is the boundary between the phonetic system and the visual system. When reading images, we assign them the temporal character of the narrative. We expand that which is limited by a frame to what happened before and after and, through the art of storytelling, we give the unchanging image an infinite and inexhaustible life.1

The exhibition Brazil: Countless threads, countless tales organized by the National Library Foundation and with the curatorship of FNLII (Brazilian Section of IBBY) presents the diversity of traits and styles present in our culture.

The Brazilian Illustration in its variety of forms and styles testifies the strong acculturation process we went through. We are Ticunas, Nambiquaras, Mundurukus, Portugueses, Africans, Italians, Germans, Arabs, Japanese, and other tales and pearls that join

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the strand of history. Our cultural background of different taste and knowledge acquire new meanings and we are reborn in the creative act. One of the Brazilian contemporary illustrators’ hallmarks is the appropriation and redefinition of shapes, symbols, and stories recreated in picture books.

We strolled by the tradition, the popular, the poetic, the humor, the graphic, and the modernity, all very well represented in a conductive line of our origins. The fisherman and water lines, the thread that weaves the story, the timeline tracing the space, the time traveling in the story lines, the sharp line that organizes urban space, the line of the placid horizon that hides the sun and brings the tales of mystery and animals, the line of a river snaking the land full of legends, and finally, a sea of stories full of paths that invite the viewer to join us and unveil a little of our culture.
Ziraldo

Honoured illustrator

O capetinha do espaço
Ziraldo
Melhoramentos, 2011

Os meninos de Marte
Ziraldo
Melhoramentos, 2012

O menino da Terra
Ziraldo
Melhoramentos, 2010
O menino da Lua
Ziraldo
Melhoramentos, 2006
Papai e mamãe estão se separando!
Bel Linares
Salamandra, 2005

E agora? Vão tomar o meu lugar?
Bel Linares
Salamandra, 2004

Papagaio come milho,
periquito leva fama
Ricardo Azevedo
Moderna, 2008
Mas será que nasceria a macieira
Alê Abreu, Priscilla Kellen
FTD, 2010

O menino que perdeu a sombra
Jorge Fernando dos Santos
Positivo, 2011

Onde o sol não alcança
Janaina Michalski
Nova Fronteira, 2009
Il grande albero delle rinascite
Luigi Dal Tin
Franco Panini, 2012

Tra le nuvole
André Neves
Il Gioco de Legere, 2012

Malvina
André Neves
DCL, 2012
Os pontos cardeais acrobatas
Andrés Sandoval
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Água sim
Eucanaã Ferraz
Companhia das Letrinhas, 2011

Siga a seta
Isabel Minhós Martins
Companhia das Letrinhas, 2012
Zoo louco
Maria Helena Walsh
Gláucia de Souza (Translation)
Projeto, 2011

Juan Felizario Contento
Angela-Lago
Fondo Economico de Cultura, 2010

Under the spell
of the moon
Patricia Aldana,
Katherine Paterson
Grondwood Books, 2004
O que anda com os pés na cabeça?

Porquê quanto mais se tira mais adere?
Thapa Kunturi: ninho do condor
Cárcamo
Companhia das Letrinhas, 2007

De quanta terra precisa o homem?
Liev Tolstói
Cárcamo (Adaptation and Translation)
Companhia das Letrinhas, 2009
Duas orelhas e um sorriso
Caulos
Rocco, 2012

O planeta colorido
Caulos
Rocco, 2011

O livro redondo
Caulos
Rocco, 2010
Histórias de quem conta histórias
Lenice Gomes,
Fabiano Moraes (Edition)
Cortez, 2010

Naninquiá: a moça bonita
Rogério Andrade Barbosa
DCL, 2013

Naninquiá: a moça bonita
Rogério Andrade Barbosa
DCL, 2013
Branca de medo
Cláudio Martins
FTD, 2010

Buraco de minhoca
Cláudio Martins
Paulinas, 2009

Loucos, malucos, pirados, birutas!
Cláudio Martins
Dimensão, 2010
Daniel Bueno

O grande circo do mundo
Marta de Senna
Companhia das Letrinhas, 2010

A janela de esquina
do meu primo
E.T.A. Hoffmann
Maria Aparecida Barbosa
(Translation)
Marcus Mazzari (Afterword)
Cosac Naify, 2010

O espelho
Tatiana Belinky
Caramelo, 2012

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Pedro Pet Plástico
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Formato, 2011

O livro que ninguém vai ler
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Rovelle, 1997

O passe e o gol
Juca Kfouri
Papagaio, 2013
A roupa do Rei
Mary França
Global, 2012

O guerreiro
Mary França
Global, 2012

Cacho de histórias
Mary França
Mary e Eliardo, 2005
O coelhinho que não era da Páscoa
Ruth Rocha
Salamandra, 2009

Essa casa é minha
Ana Maria Machado
Moderna, 2008

O lobo
Graziela Bozano Hetzel
Manati, 2009
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Elói Elisabet Bocheco
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Christina Dias
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Eva Furnari
Moderna, 2011

Cacoete
Eva Furnari
Ática, 2005
Os heróis do tsunami
Fernando Vilela
Brinque Book, 2011

Le chemin
Fernando Vilela
Autrement - França, 2007

Lampião & Lancelote
Fernando Vilela
Cosac Naify, 2006
Abecedário de aves brasileiras
Geraldo Valério
WMF Martins Fontes, 2009

Histórias da onça e do macaco: folclore brasileir
Vera do Val (Retodl)
WMF Martins Fontes, 2009

A criação do mundo e outras lendas da Amazônia
Vera do Val
WMF Martins Fontes, 2009
Diálogos fabulosíssimos
Gilles Eduar
Companhia das Letrinhas, 2011

Os desejos de Nina
Gilles Eduar
Companhia das Letrinhas, 2012
A moça tecelã
Marina Colasanti
Global, 2003

Exercício de ser criança
Manoel de Barros
Salamandra, 1999

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pássaros, seres e milagres
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Salamandra, 1998
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Eça de Queiroz
Beatriz Berrini (Adaptation)
Cosac Naify, 2011

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Nurit Bensusan
Peirópolis, 2012

Um dia de chuva
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Beatriz Berrini (Adaptation)
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Somos todos iguazinhos
Bartolomeu Campos de Queirós
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Editora 34, 2001
Quando isto vira aquilo
Guto Lins
Rocco, 2008

E o palhaço o que é?
Guto Lins
FTD, 2007

Bandolim
Leny Werneck
Rovelle, 2014
Vovô virou árvore
Regina Chamlian
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Marcelo Cipis
Caramelo, 2012

Canto do uirapuru
Marcelo Cipis
La Fonte, 2012

Move tudo
Marcelo Cipis
Companhia das Letrinhas, 2011
O gato e o diabo
James Joyce
Lygia Bojunga (Translation)
Cosac Naify, 2012

Meu avô grego
Alexandre Kostolias
Panda Books, 2010
Estórias de arrepiar: à moda da literatura de cordel – Quibungo (v.3)
Marion Villas Boas
Rovelle, 2011

O fim da fila
Marcelo Pimentel
Rovelle, 2011

Estórias de jabuti
Marion Villas Boas
Rovelle, 2013
Crendices e superstições
Marcelo Xavier
Gustavo Campos (Photography)
Formato, 2001

Tot
Marcelo Xavier
Sylvio Coutinho (Photography)
Formato, 2006

Asa de papel
Marcelo Xavier
Gustavo Campos (Photography)
Formato, 1993
Maria Eugênia

Coisas que eu quero ser
Arthur Nestrovski
Cosac Naify, 2003

Salada de letrinhas
Maria Amália Camargo
Caramelo, 2012

Salada de letrinhas
Maria Amália Camargo
Caramelo, 2012
Salão Jaqueline
Mariana Massarani
Nova Fronteira, 2009

Chapeuzinho Vermelho
Mariana Massarani
Manati, 2013

Quando Pedro tinha nove anos
Mariana Massarani
Global, 2009
O delírio: capítulo VII.
Memórias póstumas
de Brás Cubas
Machado de Assis
Companhia das Letrinhas, 2010

Pula, boi
Marilda Castanha
Scipione, 2012

Mil e uma estrelas
Marilda Castanha
Edições SM, 2011
Histórias da Índia
Eunice de Souza
Isa Mesquita (Translation)
Edições SM, 2009

Contos folclóricos brasileiros
Marco Haurélio
Paulus, 2010

A tatuagem: reconto do povo Luo
Rogério Andrade Barbosa
Gaivota, 2012
As aventuras de Bambolina: uma história sem palavras
Michele Iaconca
Ática, 2006

Rabisco, um cachorro perfeito
Michele Iaconca
Ática, 2008

Rabisco, um cachorro perfeito
Michele Iaconca
Ática, 2008
Chica e João
Nelson Cruz
Cosac Naify, 2007

Alice no telhado
Nelson Cruz
Edições SM, 2011

Alice no telhado
Nelson Cruz
Edições SM, 2011
O guarda-chuva do Vovô
Carolina Moreyra
DCL, 2008

O homem que sabia javanês
Lima Barreto
Cosac Naify, 2003

Pedro e Lua
Odilon Moraes
Cosac Naify, 2004
Cheiro de mato
Regina Rennó
Editora do Brasil, 2010

Terra Mãe
Regina Rennó
Abacatte, 2010

Quatro jabutis
Roseana Murray
Abacatte, 2012
Eu sou mais eu!
Sylvia Orthof
Rovelle, 2013

O herói e a feiticeira
Lia Neiva
Nova Fronteira, 2008

Eu sou mais eu!
Sylvia Orthof
Rovelle, 2013
Telefome sem fio
Ilan Brenman,
Renato Moriconi
Companhia das Letrinhas, 2010

O alvo
Ilan Brenman
Ática, 2011

Caras animalescas
Ilan Brenman
Companhia das Letrinhas, 2013
Meu material escolar
Ricardo Azevedo
Moderna, 2009

Um homem no sótão
Ricardo Azevedo
Ática, 2001

Contos e lendas de um vale encantado: uma viagem pela cultura popular do Vale do Paraíba
Ricardo Azevedo
Ática, 2010
João por um fio
Roger Mello
Companhia das Letrinhas, 2005

Carvoeirinhos
Roger Mello
Companhia das Letrinhas, 2009

Meninos do mangue
Roger Mello
Companhia das Letrinhas, 2004
O carvalho falante
George Sand
Dorothé de Bruchard (Translation)
Autêntica, 2013

A formiguinha e a neve
João de Barro (Bragunha)
Moderna, 1995

A formiguinha e a neve
João de Barro (Bragunha)
Moderna, 1995
Lampião e Maria Bonita: o rei e a rainha do cangaço
Liliana lacocca
Ática, 2005

Esmeralda
Rosinha Campos
Projeto, 2007

A história de Juvenal e o dragão
Leandro Gomes de Barros
Rosinha (Retold)
Projeto, 2010
Uma história de amor
sem palavras
Rui de Oliveira
Nova Fronteira, 2009

A tempestade
William Sheakspeare
Rui de Oliveira (Adaptation)
Companhia das Letrinhas, 2000

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encontrou João
Rui de Oliveira
Nova Fronteira, 2012
Dr. Eduardo, certo ou errado?
Suppa
Larousse, 2012

Mesmo assim Martin!
Suppa
Global, 2012

Alfredo não tem medo!
Suppa
Larousse, 2012
A mulher que virou Urutau
Olívio Jekupe, Maria Kerexu, Jera Giselda
Panda Books, 2012

O sinal do pajé
Daniel Munduruku
Peiropolis, 2012

Pequenas guerreiras
Yaguarê Yamã
FTD, 2013
O artesão
Walter Lara
Abacatte, 2010

Biscoitinho chinês
Antônio Shármeta
Julián Fuks (Translation)
Galerinha Record, 2012

Como nascem os pássaros azuis
Walter Lara
Abacatte, 2013
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Born in Uruguay and currently living in the mountain region of Rio de Janeiro. He was professor of drawing at Pontifical Catholic University of Rio and Polytechnic College Estácio de Sá. As an artist, he participated in several group exhibitions, solo exhibitions, shows and won several awards. He has works in private collections and archives, including the National Library. Illustrated more than a dozen titles for various publishers and authors. He is the author of the picture books A semente (2010) and Pedro pet plástico (2011). His works have crossed the ocean and ended up at the Biennial of Illustration Bratislava, Slovakia.
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Eliardo França
Born in 1941 in Minas Gerais, nowadays he lives in Juiz de Fora. He received his first award in 1968. Today, with his wife Mary França, he has over 300 published books. He was the Brazilian candidate for the Hans Christian Andersen illustration Award in 1986. In 1975, he received honourable mention in the Biennial of Illustration Bratislava for the book O rei de quase tudo. França was also awarded the prize O Melhor para a Criança by FNLIJ in 1974, 1979, 1985 and 1986, as well as several Highly Recommended seals by the same institution. More recently, he has been standing out also as a fine artist, having his work exhibited in Brazil and abroad.
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Born in 1961 in Rio de Janeiro, where she still lives. Teixeira is an illustrator and since 1990 has been designing graphics and illustrations for children's books, with over 100 published titles. In 2009, she published her first book as both an author and illustrator. She has taken part in international illustration events such as Sarmede in Italy and the Biennial of Illustration Bratislava. In Brazil, she participated in book fairs in Porto Alegre and São Paulo. She has received the Jabuti Prize of children's book illustration for Brincando adivinhas and O lobo, and FNLIJ Award.

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Elma

Born in 1966 in Recife, nowadays she lives in João Pessoa. She studied Social Services and Public Relations, but due to her passion for children's books, Elma found her vocation for Illustration. Her very first project is Highly Recommended by FNLIJ and, later on, more of her work was awarded. She has participated in many children's books events and has been invited to present her projects in catalogues in Brazil and abroad, including the Biennial of Illustration Bratislava and the Scarpetta d'Oro.

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Eva Furnari

Born in Italy in 1948, moving to Brazil when she was 2, where she still lives. She graduated in architecture by Universidade de São Paulo and was a fine arts teacher at the Lasar Segall Museum. She began her career as writer and illustrator of children and youth's books in 1980 and has 65 published works. Funari has books adapted for plays and books published in Mexico, Ecuador, Guatemala, Bolivia and Italy. She has won many awards, including seven Jabuti Awards by CBL and eight prizes by FNLIJ. She has also received the APCA Award for lifetime achievement.

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Fernando Vilela

Born in 1973 in São Paulo, where he still lives. A fine artist, writer, illustrator and teacher, Vilela has taken part in several important printmaking events in Belgium, France, United States and Mexico. He has illustrated over 60 books for children and young people for Brazilian and international publishers, 13 of which are also written by him. With the book Lampião e Lancelote he received two Jabuti awards and FNLIJ Award in Brazil and the New Horizons Mention at the Bologna Children's Book Fair in 2007. Vilela was also included in the White Ravens catalogue of Munich's International Library.

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Born in Divinópolis, Minas Gerais in 1970, nowadays living in Canada. Valério is an illustrator and author of children’s books and his work has been published in Brazil, Portugal, United States, South Korea, Taiwan and Canada. His illustration work has been exhibited in the Society of Illustrators in New York, and in the Biennial of Illustration Bratislava (2011). His illustration technique uses magazine paper collage.

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Gilles Eduar

Born in 1958 in São Paulo where he still lives. Eduar graduated in Architecture and has worked with fine arts, plays and music. He moved to Europe and lived in France, Spain and England. In 1994 he began to write and illustrate children’s books. In the same year, he had his first book published by Albin-Michel Editora, where he still works and with whom he has published 15 other books. Eduar has now nine books published in France, two of which have been translated in the United States and three in Korea. In 2000, he moved back to São Paulo, where he has been working with local publishers and has 10 books as an author and illustrator, some of them have received Highly Recommended seals from FNLIJ.

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Graça Lima

Born in 1958 in Rio de Janeiro, where she still lives. She graduated in Visual Communication from the School of Fine Arts at UFRJ. In 1992, she received the Jabuti award for best illustration with her first book, which also received the Luiz Jardim award by FNLIJ. Lima received the Jabuti award three more times and many others awards by FNLIJ. The Library of Munich granted the mention White Ravens to five of her projects. She participated in exhibitions and catalogues in Spain, Slovakia, Portugal and Germany. There are over 100 published books with her work. Lima currently teaches at School of Fine Arts/UFRJ.

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Grupo Matizes Dumont

Matizes Dumont is a group formed by artists of the same family from Pirapora, Minas Gerais. Antônia Zulma and her children Ângela, Demóstenes, Marilu, Martha and Sávia Dumont work with visual arts, creating illustrations through embroidery. Screens are specially embroidered to illustrate the text of Brazilian authors which result in books for all ages. The group has received several awards such as the Jabuti Award of Illustration, Adolfo Aizen award, the Highly Recommended by FNLIJ, and many others. The group has participated in several national and international exhibitions.

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Born in 1961 in Rio de Janeiro, where he lives. He is a Designer graduated by ESDI and a teacher in the Department of Art and Design at PUC-Rio. He has participated in the biennials of illustration of Barcelona, Bologna and Bratislava, as well as national and international exhibitions of graphic design and illustrations for children and young people books. Lins is the author and illustrator of several award-winning children’s books (including the Highly Recommended and Best Editorial Project seals by FNLJ).

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Born in 1954 in São Paulo, where she lives. An illustrator and artist, she has won many awards and honours, including two APCA, 5 Jabuti awards, the Diploma of Honour at the IV Illustration Award in Catalonia, she has been selected for the Bologna Ragazzi Shows and was twice nominated for the Hans Christian Andersen prize. As an author, she received the Award for Best Book of Images by FNLIJ. Alexandrino has illustrated over 80 books. With the writer Regina Chamlian, she has published over 30 books and received important awards in Brazil and abroad.

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Laurabeatriz
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Laurent Cardon
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Born in 1977 in São Paulo, where he lives. A versatile artist, Maltez explores the meeting point between music, image and text. As a musician, he has released two albums, As neves do Kilimanjaro, 2006, and Esse cavalo morto no jardim, 2009. As an artist, he has done several exhibitions involving printmaking, drawing, sound installations and interventions. Manu Maltez is the author of three published books in Brazil, including Meu tio lobisomem: uma história verídica, published by Editora Peirópolis in 2011, has received Highly Recommended seals from FNLJ. This title was also released as an application with animations and soundtrack by the author. He has also received the FNLJ Award for the Best Illustration with the book The crow.
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Born in 1959 in São Paulo, where he still lives. A painter, illustrator, author and designer, he graduated in Architecture from FAU/USP. Cipis received the Jabuti Award in 1994 for the cover of the book Como água para chocolate (Like water for chocolate) by Laura Esquivel. In 2000, he won a scholarship from the Pollock-Krasner Foundation in São Paulo. Marcelo produces illustrations for various newspapers, magazines and children’s books. He has participated in the Flipinha literary event in 2011 and is the author of several books.
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Marcelo Lelis
Born in 1967 in Minas Gerais, where he still lives. Lelis has won the top prizes in the main humour events in Brazil. He has illustrated over 60 books and authored two books: *Saino a Percurá* and *Cidades do ouro*. He released his first comic book in France, called *Last bullets*. He took part in the Anthology Project, a comic book album with authors from Canada, France and North America. Lelis has also adapted the work of Lima Barreto into comics. He currently works in Guéules Noires for the French publisher Casterman and keeps illustrating books for children and young people in Brazil.

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Marcelo Pimentel
Born in 1969 in Rio de Janeiro, where he currently lives. An illustrator and graphic designer graduated from UFRJ, Pimentel had his work exhibited in the Biennial of Illustration Bratislava (BIB), in 1999, 2001 and 2003. In 2004, some of his originals were selected for BIB in Japan, an exhibition which toured several Japanese cities. He received the Highly Recommended Seal by FNLIJ in 2001 and 2010. Among his published titles, two were selected for The White Ravens Catalogue of the Library of Munich: *Mistérios de Pindorama* and *O fim da fila*, in 2001 and 2012.

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Born in 1964 in Belo Horizonte, where she still lives, Castanha studied at the School of Fine Arts, UFMG. In recognition of her illustrations for several of her own books and those by other authors, she won the Highly Recommended seal from FNLJ. Castanha’s book Agbalá, um lugar continente, won The Best Secondary Literature Award. In 2000, she won several awards for her book Pindorama, terra das palmeiras; the Jabuti award for Best Illustration, the Prix Graphique Octogone in Paris and runner-up in the Noma Contest. In 2012, her book Mil e uma estrelas was selected for the White Ravens list by Judgendbibliothek Internationale in Munich.

Michele Iacocca

Born in 1942 in Italy, Iacocca currently divides his time between Italy and São Paulo. He graduated in Fine Arts, and is a caricaturist, cartoonist, translator, and writer. For several years, Iacocca was the Art director of various advertising agencies and publishers. His work has been published in the leading journals and magazines of the country. Iacocca is the author and illustrator of more than 100 books, including the award-winning Eva, Vacamundi, O que fazer?, Doente imaginário, Primeiro amor and As aventuras de Bambolina. He has also translated pieces of work by famous writers such as Rodari Gianni and Umberto Eco, for which he was awarded the APCA and several awards from FNLJ.

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Born in 1968 in São Paulo, where he still lives, Negro is an illustrator, writer and graphic designer. He has illustrated several books by national and international authors. He has published six books as an author and illustrator and has participated in several catalogues, Brazilian and international exhibitions. His awards include the Noma Encouragement Prize (Japan, 2008), CJ Picture Book Festival (Korea, 2009), White Ravens (Germany, 2000), XX SIDI (Porto Alegre, 2012), certification of Highly Recommended (FNLJ).

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Born in 1957 in Belo Horizonte, where he still lives, Cruz has worked as an illustrator and fine artist since 1998. His illustrations for children’s books were awarded the French Octagonal, offered by the Centre International d’Etudes en Littérature de Jeunesse in Paris.

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Born in 1955 in Itajubá, Minas Gerais, Rennó graduated in fine arts from the Guignard School of UEMG, Belo Horizonte. She is a fine artist, author and illustrator of children’s books, and has illustrated the books of some important Brazilian authors. Rennó received the Octogones award, the Highly Recommended Seal from the FNLJJ for some titles, and was finalist in the Jabuti Award of Illustration. She was awarded prizes and honourable mentions in Art Salons, with drawings, paintings and multidisciplinary work.

Regina Rennó

Renato Alarcão

Born in 1970 in Rio de Janeiro, where he still lives, Alarcão is a Graphic Designer and Master in Visual Arts, from the School of Visual Arts in New York. As an illustrator, he has had his work published in the newspapers The New York Times, Le Monde Diplomatique, Folha de São Paulo besides several magazines and books for children and young people. Alarcão participated in exhibitions at the AIGA – American Institute for the Graphic Arts, the American Society of Illustrators, New York Public Library, Biennial of Illustration Bratislava and in Tokyo, where he won the Noma Award for illustrated books.

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Born in 1965 in Brasília and currently living in Rio de Janeiro, Mello graduated in Industrial Design and Visual Programming. He received several awards for his work as an illustrator and writer of children’s books, as well as a playwright. Mello also won nine Jabuti Awards, and was recognised by the Brazilian Book Chamber in the Children’s Literature and Illustration categories. With several award-winning works, he became the hors-concours of the FNLIJ awards. Mello was indicated by FNLIJ for the Hans Christian Andersen Award – IBBY in 2010 and in 2012 was a finalist among the best international illustrators.
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Born in 1951 in Ponta Grossa, Paraná, Borges currently lives in Curitiba, where he has a studio and works with several publishers. Borges has worked in illustration since 1970, when he moved to São Paulo to attend the Visual Communication graduation course. Borges worked for advertising agencies and for several publishers. He has received several awards including the Highly Recommended seal from FNLIJ, the APCA, the Jabuti Award for Illustration and the UNESCO’s Prize for Children and Young People’s Literature. Moreover, Borges has had works selected for the international collections of the Library of Munich, Germany.
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Born in 1942 in Rio de Janeiro, where he still lives. Oliveira teaches, illustrates and writes. He has illustrated over 131 books and designed covers for dozens of leading publishers of children’s literature in Brazil. Oliveira is the author of six animations and has received many awards for his work as an animator and illustrator. These include the Jabuti Award for Illustration (four times) and the award for children’s literature from the Brazilian Academy of Letters (2006). He was nominated twice for the Hans Christian Andersen Award in the Illustration category by FNLIJ.

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Born in 1967 in Santos, São Paulo State, Suppa currently lives in the capital. She became an illustrator after moving to Paris, where she lived for 20 years. Suppa graduated from the Ecole d'Arts Appliqués Duperré and worked with the Commander Jacques Cousteau as a colourist of his comics. When she returned to Brazil, Suppa did a variety of works: illustration projects, writing over 100 children’s books, designing stage costumes and even launching a virtual boutique with T-shirts, mugs and dolls clothing. Suppa was a finalist many times for the Jabuti Award, winning it in 2007.

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Born in São Paulo, where she still lives, Borges studied Fine Arts in São Paulo and Paris. On her return to São Paulo, she developed and worked with graphic prints for magazines and newspapers. Today she is dedicated to children’s illustration, as both author and illustrator. Borges has illustrated over 40 titles published by other authors, including Cléo Busatto, Daniel Munduruku, Elias José, Arrabal, José Jorge Letria, Jorge Miguel Marinho and Heloísa Pires Lima. As an author, Taisa has published five books, four picture books and one comic.

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Born in 1952 in Minas Gerais, where he still lives, Lara is an illustrator. He received the Highly Recommended award from FNLJ for the books O dia não está para bruxa by Mark Tafuri and Para criar passarinho by Bartolomeu Campos Queirós, which was also a Jabuti Award finalist. Lara also participated in the Bologna Book Fair. In 2010, he debuted as an author with the book O artesão, published by Abacate, receiving the awards Highly Recommended and 30 Best Children’s Books of the Year from Crescer magazine. In addition, his work was selected for the Bologna’s catalogue. Lara’s second book is Como nascem os pássaros azuis

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Ziraldo

Born in 1932 in Caratinga, Minas Gerais and currently living in Rio de Janeiro, Ziraldo is an illustrator, designer, cartoonist and political cartoonist. In 1969, he published the book Flicts, which became a classic, and in 1980 launched O menino maluquinho, which was adapted for the theatre, television, movie and the first Brazilian children’s opera.

In 2010, Ziraldo received the Quevedos award, from the University of Alcalá, Spain. His books have been translated for all Latin America, with some being published in several countries, including Japan and Korea. Ziraldo was indicated by FNLJ three times for the Hans Christian Andersen Award – IBBY, in the Writer category.

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