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# Tanja Kinkel, Im Wind der Freiheit



ISBN: 978-3-455-01926-1  
Hardcover, 480 Pages,  
Historical Fiction, Germany 19th Century

## **About the Book:**

1848: The people of the German Confederation rise up against the power of the princes and censorship. While Germany experiences the dawn of democracy, two dissimilar women find each other in the turmoil of the time: Susanne, who is unemployed and destitute and has embarked on a dangerous mission, and the courageous writer and unwavering democrat Louise Otto. Side by side, they fight for freedom and self-determination in a revolution that, despite its failure, will change the country forever.

A great, gripping novel that tells a stirring and unforgettable story of how one of our most valuable assets - democracy - was fought for by women.

## **About the Author:**

Tanja Kinkel, born in Bamberg in 1969, studied German, theatre and communication studies and has received various literary awards and scholarships. She is a member of the German PEN, President of the International Feuchtwanger Society L.A. and has been honoured with the Bavarian Order of Merit. Tanja Kinkel is one of the most successful German authors.

# Lars Haider, Ich mach' mein Ding



ISBN: 978-3-455-01938-4  
Paperback, 288 pages  
Thriller, Mystery: Humour

## About the Book:

The ingenious crime series about the stressed reporter and his crazy dachshund lady continues! And as in every volume: Udo Lindenberg being around

HAMBURG NEWS sends reporter Lukas Hammerstein back to the school desk. At the Elyseum, ambitious parents with a tendency to helicopter are almost as present as their pubescent offspring. Lukas is to attend lessons here for a month, exams included, in order to report on them in the newspaper. Lukas really starts to sweat. The project attracts a lot of attention, which has consequences: Lukas receives tips that rich parents are using donations to boost their children's grades where all tutoring fails. Then the headmistress suddenly disappears. Lukas sets out to investigate - and discovers sinister machinations in the elite school that shake up more than just the school landscape.

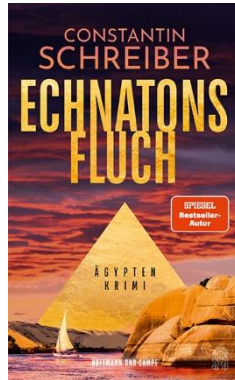
## About the Author:

Lars Haider, born in Hamburg in 1969, has been editor-in-chief of the Hamburger Abendblatt since 2011. He previously worked for various newspapers. He is one of the journalists in Germany who knows Olaf Scholz better than almost anyone else. Together with two friends, Haider hosts the wine podcast 'Vier Flaschen' (Four Bottles), which appears every fortnight, and maintains a WhatsApp friendship with Udo Lindenberg. The first volume of his Lukas Hammerstein series, EINER MUSS DEN JOB JA MACHEN, was published by Hoffmann und Campe in 2023 and was enthusiastically received by readers and the press.

## Previous titles:

Einer muss den Job ja machen – Ich lieb' dich überhaupt nicht mehr – Hinterm Horizont geht's weiter

# Constantin Schreiber, Echnatons Fluch



ISBN: 978-3-455-01784-7  
Hardcover, 300 Pages,  
Thriller, Espionage

## About the Book:

Egypt, today: a sect has settled near an ancient cult site on the Nile that completely isolates itself from the outside world. The members pay homage to Pharaoh Akhenaten - and prophesise the imminent end of the world. When several members of the sect are murdered, the isolated community comes into the public eye. Inspector Theodora Costanda takes up the investigation. Are the murders the work of religious zealots? Or is something else entirely behind them? Theodora delves deeper and deeper into a case that takes her deep into the history of the country, all the way to the dark secret of one of its most powerful pharaohs.

ECHNATONS FLUCH is the second title in Schreiber's Egypt-Thriller-Series after KLEOPATRAS GRAB.

## About the Author:

Constantin Schreiber, born in 1979, has been presenting 'Tagesschau' since January 2021. He was awarded the Grimme Prize in 2016. With his Tolerance Foundation, founded in 2019, he is committed to intercultural exchange. He is the author of several books. Most recently, Hoffmann und Campe published his novel 'KLEOPATRAS GRAB' as well as the Spiegel bestseller 'Glück im Unglück' (2023) and the debate book 'Lasst uns offen reden!' (2024).

# Alexander Stevens + Constantin Schreiber



ISBN: 978-3-455-01997-1

Paperback, 240 Pages,  
Non-Fiction, True Crimes

## About the Book:

Alexander Stevens, one of the country's best-known defence lawyers, and Constantin Schreiber, newsreader, best-selling author and also a lawyer with a passion for criminal law, deal with spectacular murder cases, some of which have never been told before. Together they illuminate and reconstruct them from different angles, take on the roles of lawyer and defence counsel and uncover surprising twists and turns, mysterious clues and crazy motives. A book to puzzle over, which asks its readers which arguments were more convincing and which judgement they themselves would make: guilty or not?

## About the Authors:

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Dr. Alexander Stevens gehört zu Deutschlands bekanntesten Strafverteidigern. Sein Podcast TRUE CRIME erreichte bisher über 33 Millionen Menschen und gehört zu den erfolgreichsten Podcasts der ARD. Zuletzt erschienen von ihm der Spiegel-Bestseller "9 1/2 perfekte Morde", "Verhängnisvolle Affären", "Aussage gegen Aussage" und "Der perfekte Mord".

# Stefan Schulz, Die Kinderwüste

## Wie die Politik Familien im Stich lässt



ISBN: 978-3-455-01964-3  
Hardcover, 160 Pages,  
Non-Fiction, Political Science

### **About the Book:**

The demands on the family are immense: parents are expected to take care of upbringing and education, put their labour at the service of the economy and ensure social cohesion. At the same time, families are being neglected and put on the back burner by politicians. No wonder more and more marriages are divorced and fewer and fewer children are born.

Why don't politicians give families the same importance as commercial enterprises? Sociologist and podcaster Stefan Schulz not only highlights the striking current situation, but also shows that we are jeopardising our future if we do not finally fundamentally redefine the role of the family in our society.

### **About the Author:**

Stefan Schulz, Jahrgang 1983, hat als Journalist u.a. für die FAZ und DIE ZEIT geschrieben, ist inzwischen aber vor allem im Podcast-Bereich tätig. In seinem Format "Fernsehpodcast" diskutiert er mit wechselnden Gästen deutsche, britische und amerikanische Abendnachrichten. Seit 2020 moderiert er zudem gemeinsam mit Wolfgang M. Schmitt "Die neuen Zwanziger" mit runde 100.000 regelmäßigen Hörern.

# Matthias Politycki, Mann gegen Mann



ISBN: 978-3-455-01966-7  
Hardcover, 256 Pages,  
Non-Fiction, General

## **About the Book:**

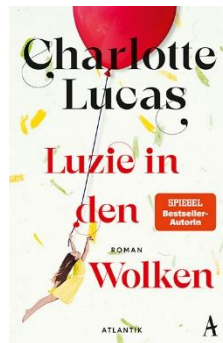
In the face of the threat of war and violence, our convictions and social values are becoming increasingly shaky. The question: Who will defend our country and our freedom in an emergency? suddenly casts existing images of men in a different light. Do we perhaps now need men who remember classic role models without revealing new interpretations of their role?

Matthias Politycki sets out in search of a NEW OLD masculinity. Reading Borges and Hemingway, he unearths surprising insights, and by linking literature, contemporary debate and personal experience, he succeeds in writing a captivatingly intelligent essay on one of the most pressing questions of our time.

## **About the Author:**

Matthias Politycki is regarded as a great stylist and is one of the brightest writers in contemporary German literature. He writes novels, short stories and poems; as an essayist, he has been expressing himself for decades with much-discussed contributions to debates on contemporary issues. His most recent publications are 'Mein Abschied von Deutschland' and the novel 'Alles wird gut - Chronik eines vermeidbaren Todes'.

# Charlotte Lucas, Luzie in den Wolken



ISBN: 978-3-455-01972-8  
Hardcover, 528 Pages,  
Fiction, Contemporary Love story

## **About the Book:**

Gabriel Bach, a burnt-out bestselling author in crisis, is sitting by the River Elbe when a red balloon with a note attached to it flies past. It says: 'Liber Got, my dad is with you in Himell - can't you please send me a new one? With all my heart, your Luzie in the clouds.' When Gabriel reads these words, he has an idea for the first time in a long time, which sets off an avalanche of events that will not only turn his own life upside down, but also that of Luzie and her mother Miriam ...

Charlotte Lucas' new novel tells a great story about the unexpected paths that can lead to love - surprising, endearing, unforgettable.

## **About the Author:**

Charlotte Lucas is the pseudonym of Wiebke Lorenz. Born and raised in Düsseldorf, she studied German, English and media studies in Trier and now lives in Hamburg with her husband and children. 'Luzie in den Wolken' is her fourth Charlotte Lucas novel.



# Tina Wolf, Mama kommt gleich



ISBN: 978-3-455-01978-0  
Hardcover, 304 Pages,  
Fiction, Contemporary Love story

## **About the Book:**

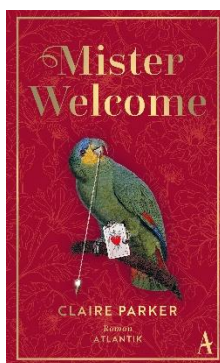
'Sex and the City' on the Elbe  
Great characters, tubulent plot, great emotions

A turbulent day at Toni Meier's sex therapy practice: instead of welcoming her new clients for their initial consultation, Toni has to leave the practice head over heels when her father, who suffers from dementia, once again makes the neighbourhood unsafe. Meanwhile, Toni's new neighbour Josch, who actually just wants to drop off a parcel, is surprised by the open practice door - and then by this weird client who is determined to take him for her new therapist and talks him into the ground. A few extremely piquant conversations later, Josch manages to escape and realises that he quite likes this therapist role. As does his new neighbour when he meets her shortly afterwards. And then he has a supposedly brilliant idea ...

## **About the Author:**

Tina Wolf spent fifteen years in front of and behind the camera for various TV stations. At the same time, she began writing successful books. She lives in Hamburg with her husband, son and dog and loves to spend her free time at the North Sea.

# Claire Parker, Mister Welcome



ISBN: 978-3-455-01982-7  
Hardcover, 176 Pages,  
Fiction, Contemporary Novel

## **About the Book:**

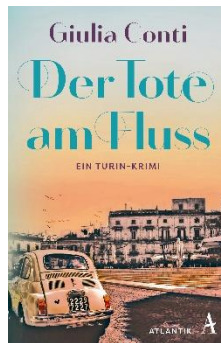
The king, a girl and a parrot who has an answer for everything

When Elinor Carter, the head chef of the rumour mill in Pickford-upon-Tyx, dies, she leaves little Trish a very special inheritance: the lively parrot Mister Welcome, whose constant greetings drive the villagers to despair. But when the cheeky feathered creature leads a guest to a life-changing realisation by asking clever questions, Trish comes up with a brilliant idea: Mister Welcome becomes the oracle of Pickford, guiding destinies and changing lives. Soon people of all ages are flocking to the village and paying generously for the words of wisdom from the unusual bird. And when a royal guest finally asks for an audience, it becomes clear that luck often only needs a little nudge.

## **About the Author:**

Claire Parker believes that democracy is the only right form of society. Nevertheless, the journalist cannot conceal a soft spot for the aristocratic. Like any self-respecting lady, she is proud of her roses and the trees she has planted herself, especially the mulberry trees, which she hopes will grow as old as Shakespeare's in Stratford-upon-Avon. She knows a thing or two about tea and has, of course, visited castles in the UK. Thanks to a German mother, she grew up bilingual.

# Giulia Conti, Der Tote am Fluss



ISBN: 978-3-455-01785-4  
Hardcover, 288 Pages,  
Thriller, Female Investigator

## **About the Book:**

Scorching hot July days in Turin. The body of a young man is found on the banks of the Po. Was it murder, and is the distraught young woman at his side the culprit? Like the dead man, she belongs to a group of young conservationists in Turin who are campaigning against the planned railway line through the nearby Susa Valley to Lyon. They also campaign for the protection of wolves, which many in the valley see as a threat. Camilla di Salvo was actually looking forward to a quiet summer. But when the psychologist is called in to help, she - convinced of the young woman's innocence - goes in search of the perpetrators and puts herself in grave danger.

## **About the Author:**

Giulia Conti is the pseudonym of a German journalist and travel book author. She lived and worked in Frankfurt am Main for many years. Her second home for the past twenty years has been a small village on Lake Orta in northern Italy. Her first novel, 'Lago Mortale', was an immediate success as the first in a series of crime novels.