



## 2011 USBBY Outstanding International Books

### GRADES K-2

- Argueta, Jorge. **Arroz con Leche: Un Poema para Cocinar/ Rice Pudding: A Cooking Poem.** Illus. by Fernando Vilela. Groundwood. (Canada)
- Croza, Laurel. **I Know Here.** Illus. by Matt James. Groundwood. (Canada)
- Dubuc, Marianne. **In Front of My House.** Tr. by Yvette Ghione. Kids Can. (Canada)
- Graham, Bob. **April and Esme, Tooth Fairies.** Candlewick. (UK)
- Prap, Lila. **Dinosaurs?! NorthSouth.** (Slovenia)
- Tolman, Marije & Ronald Tolman. **The Tree House.** Illus. by authors. Lemniscaat/Boyd's Mills. (The Netherlands)

### GRADES 3-5

- Almond, David. **The Boy Who Climbed Into the Moon.** Illus. by Polly Dunbar. Candlewick. (UK)
- Fromental, Jean-Luc. **Oops!** Illus. by Joëlle Jolivet. Tr. by Thomas Connors. Abrams. (France)
- Gardner, Lyn. **Out of the Woods.** Illus. by Mini Grey. David Fickling/Random House. (UK)
- Gravett, Emily. **The Rabbit Problem.** Simon & Schuster. (UK)
- Hirsch, Odo. **Darius Bell and the Glitter Pool.** Kane Miller. (Australia)
- Hole, Stian. **Garmann's Street.** Tr. by Don Bartlett. Eerdmans. (Norway)
- Jordan-Fenton, Christy & Margaret Pokiak-Fenton. **Fatty Legs: A True Story.** Illus. by Liz Amini-Holmes. Annick. (Canada)
- Langrish, Katherine. **The Shadow Hunt.** Harper/HarperCollins. (UK)
- Lightfoot, Gordon. **Canadian Railroad Trilogy.** Illus. by Ian Wallace. Groundwood. (Canada)
- McKay, Hilary. **Wishing for Tomorrow: The Sequel to The Little Princess.** Illus. by Nick Maland. Margaret K. McElderry/Simon & Schuster. (UK)
- Mitton, Tony. **The Storyteller's Secrets.** Illus. by Peter Bailey. David Fickling/Random House. (UK)

## GRADES 6–8

- Clayton, Sally Pomme. **Rama and Sita: Path of Flames.** Illus. by Sophie Herxheimer. Frances Lincoln. (UK/set in India)
- Coates, Jan L. **A Hare in the Elephant's Trunk.** Red Deer. (Canada/set in Sudan)
- De Goldi, Kate. **The 10 p.m. Question.** Candlewick. (New Zealand)
- Diakit , Baba Wagu . **A Gift from Childhood: Memories of an African Boyhood.** Groundwood. (Canada/set in Mali)
- Gleitzman, Morris. **Once.** Henry Holt. (Australia/set in Poland)
- MacLean, Jill. **The Present Tense of Prinky Murphy.** Fitzhenry & Whiteside. (Canada)
- Matti, Truus. **Departure Time.** Tr. by Nancy Forest-Flier. *namelos.* (The Netherlands)
- McCaughrean, Geraldine. **The Death-Defying Pepper Roux.** HarperCollins. (UK/set in France)
- McKay, Sharon E. **Thunder over Kandahar.** Illus. by Rafal Gerszak. Annick. (Canada/set in Afghanistan)
- Millard, Glenda. **A Small Free Kiss in the Dark.** Holiday House. (Australia)
- Mitchell, Adrian. **Shapeshifters: Tales from Ovid's *Metamorphoses*.** Illus. by Alan Lee. Frances Lincoln. (UK/set in Greece & Rome)
- Newbery, Linda. **Flightsend: A Summer of Discovery.** David Fickling/Random House (UK)
- Norcliffe, James. **The Boy Who Could Fly.** Egmont. (New Zealand)
- Reeve, Philip. **Fever Crumb.** Scholastic. (UK)
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- Starke, Ruth. **Noodle Pie.** Kane Miller. (Australia/set in Vietnam)
- Walsh, Pat. **The Crowfield Curse.** Chicken House/Scholastic. (UK)

## GRADES 9–12

- Christopher, Lucy. **Stolen.** Chicken House/Scholastic. (UK/set in Australia)
- de Vigan, Delphine. **No and Me.** Tr. by George Miller. Bloomsbury. (France)
- Murray, Martine. **How to Make a Bird.** Authur A. Levine/Scholastic. (Australia)
- Ness, Patrick. **Monsters of Men (Chaos Walking Series, Book Three).** Candlewick. (UK)
- Oron, Judie. **Cry of the Giraffe: Based on a True Story.** Annick. (Canada/set in Ethiopia)
- Ward, Rachel. **Numbers.** Chicken House/Scholastic. (UK)

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