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Kuniyoshi was a master of the warrior woodblock print — and these 18th-century

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illustrations represent the pinnacle of his craft. Full-color portraits of renowned Japanese samurais pulse with movement, passion, and remarkably fine detail.

Silk Roads

He wrote to his wife of their obsession with finding fresh food to supplement their C-rations, their largely unintelligible Island pidgin, and his friendships with Captain Katsumi Kometani, the battalion's morale officer and dentist; Captain Jack Mizuha, later a Hawaii Supreme Court justice; and Lieutenant Spark Matsunaga, who would go on to serve many terms as a senator from Hawaii."

Immagini di Gela. Le necropoli e il profilo culturale della polis tardo-arcaica. I materiali della collezione e del predio Lauricella

An integrated analysis of Picasso's artistic creation during the Surrealist period is presented in a retrospective volume that reveals the extraordinary wealth of Picasso's work during this time as revealed in some one hundred illustrations of the artist's painting, sculpture, and other artworks.

Hokusai's 36 Views of Mount Fuji

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Solitamente gli oggetti di una collezione archeologica hanno perso parte del loro potenziale esegetico perché estrapolati dal loro contesto; non è questo il caso della collezione Lauricella. Per una serie di fortunate vicende, i materiali che la compongono possono contribuire a ricostruire il profilo socio-culturale di Gela in età tardo-arcaica. La collezione Lauricella viene qui per la prima volta presentata in maniera integrale, ma il presente lavoro è anche una riedizione critica e aggiornata dei preziosi dati lasciati Paolo Orsi, a ormai più di un secolo dalla loro pubblicazione, riguardanti le campagne di scavo eseguite nel predio Lauricella, lo stesso terreno da cui provenivano i materiali costituenti la raccolta archeologica. Il predio Lauricella era collocato nel vallone S. Ippolito, un'ampia fenditura sul versante settentrionale della collina di Gela, vero e proprio *trait-d'union* dal punto di vista topografico e cronologico tra la necropoli arcaica "del Borgo" e quella classica di Capo Soprano. L'analisi sepolcrale tardo-arcaica, seguendo le ultime prospettive dell'archeologia funeraria, offre la fortunata possibilità di evidenziare la dialettica sociale interna alla comunità geloa, in un momento cruciale per la città e la Sicilia tutta, ma per il quale abbiamo pochissime notizie dalle fonti. Si tratta dunque di un progetto di ricostruzione storica basato in primo luogo sui dati archeologici, nell'ambito del quale è stato dedicato ampio spazio all'analisi dell'imagerie dei vasi attici; questi hanno accompagnato molti Geloi nel loro ultimo viaggio, esprimendone paure, ansie e aspirazioni.

The Nobility of Failure

The Art of Impermanence

Winner of the 2016 Marfield Prize In 1902, Rainer Maria Rilke—then a struggling poet in Germany—went to Paris to research and write a short book about the sculptor Auguste Rodin. The two were almost polar opposites: Rilke in his twenties, delicate and unknown; Rodin in his sixties, carnal and revered. Yet they fell into an instantaneous friendship. Transporting readers to early twentieth-century Paris, Rachel Corbett's *You Must Change Your Life* is a vibrant portrait of Rilke and Rodin and their circle, revealing how deeply Rodin's ideas about art and creativity influenced Rilke's classic *Letters to a Young Poet*.

Steve McCurry. Animals. Ediz. italiana, inglese e spagnola

Mise au Point was Le Corbusier's last major work, completed only weeks before his death. With this first English translation, Ivan Zaknic attempts to integrate the documents into Le Corbusier's life as a whole.

Venus in the Kitchen

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Reproductions of Toulouse-Lautrec's poster masterpieces, including portraits of the dancer La Goulue of the Moulin Rouge and other Paris sights, are accompanied by a text that offers information on the artist, his techniques, and his subjects

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The Japanese style of art known as "ukiyo-e," which formed the mainstay of paintings and woodblock prints produced between the seventeenth and the twentieth centuries, depicted shadowy projections of the human mind, a transient realm of pleasures, horrors, and dreams. Focusing on "yokai" mystic visions and mythic or monstrous beasts this book collects a variety of woodblock prints from the nineteenth century, images whose subject matter covers the entire spectrum of the supernatural and the outlandish. These stunning works appear in triptych format, which gave "ukiyo-e" artists the freedom to express their fantasies as narratives in a kinetic, detailed image frame. The work of over twenty different artists is featured in one hundred triptychs, which are spread over five different categories: "kaiju" (strange beasts), "yurei" (ghosts), "oni" (demons), "juryoku" (mystic forces), and "yojutsu" (black magic). This book also contains a special section for "yakusha-e," prints directly depicting supernatural scenes from the "kabuki" theater. An important influence on many Western artists, including Van Gogh, Klimt, Degas, Manet, and Gauguin, "ukiyo-e" has played a vital role in art

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history. Offering many prints never previously published, "Yokai" will amaze enthusiasts of Japanese art and culture. "

Mise Au Point

"Of brigands and bravery reproduces the 74 known designs of the series in full colour; each is accompanied by an explanatory text. The publication also offers supplementary information on topics relating specifically to the series such as tattooing: a number of the Suikoden figures are adorned with tattoos and it is thought that Kuniyoshi himself had a passion for this art. In addition, Kuniyoshi's illustration of a variety of armour and dress types, his at times graphic portrayal of the heroes in battle and his integration of western stylistic devices are testimony to the creative genius behind the Suikoden series."--BOOK JACKET.

The Philosopher Cat

This is a new release of the original 1959 edition.

The Surrealist Picasso

Stendhal's first novel is a romance novel set during the Bourbon Restoration .

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Octave de Malivert, a taciturn but brilliant young man barely out of the Ecole Polytechnique is attracted to Armance Zohloff, who shares his feelings. The novel describes how a series of misunderstandings have kept the lovers Armance and Octave divided. Moreover, a series of clues suggest that Octave is impotent as a result of a severe accident. Octave is experiencing a deep inner turmoil; he himself illustrates the pain of the century's romantics. When the pair do eventually marry, the slanders of a rival convince Octave that Armance had married only out of selfishness. André Gide regarded this novel as the best of Stendhal's novels, whom he was grateful to for having created a helpless lover, even if he reproached him for having eluded the fate of this love: 'I can hardly convince myself that Armance, as painted for us by Stendhal, would have been suited by it.' In Umberto Eco's novel *The Prague Cemetery*, the protagonist Simone Simonini pleads with another character, Yuliana Glinka, that he suffers the same fate as Stendhal's Octave de Malivert - whose readers had long speculated about - and thus can't pursue the offer she had made him.

The Dance of Śiva

This book has been out of print since 2011. The book takes us through the history of the Japanese woodblock, discusses the materials, tools, and papers available and shows how to get the most out of them through interesting step by step projects.

The Japanese Tattoo

Utagawa Kuniyoshi (1797-1861) is indisputably a major force in the history of Japanese woodblock prints. His career spanned almost fifty years from the 1810s to 1860 and he helped establish the warrior genre as one of the main pillars of the Ukiyo-e tradition. Kuniyoshi has created some of the most spectacular heroic triptychs which still resonate today in modern manga culture. As this publication demonstrates, his artistic genius extended to diverse genres: beauties and kabuki actors, two other established Utagawa school subjects; ghosts and demons; and images of humour, often involving witty wordplay. This publication is based on the M. Takashima collection, the most extensive private collection on Kuniyoshi in the world. Thus some of the imagery shown here is published for the first time outside Japan.

Of Brigands and Bravery

Hiroshige was one of the last great artists of ukiyo-e, the woodblock print genre that flourished between the 17th and 19th century and did much to determine the world's visual concept of Japan. This dependable introduction leads you through the blossoming cherry trees, beautiful women, and dramatic ocean views that made Hiroshige a household

Yokai

Tracing the full span of Philip Roth's career - from the early controversies surrounding the stories in *Goodbye, Columbus* to his recent assessments of his work and corrections of the record - this retrospective summation of his essays and interviews shows at every turn the vigour, acuity, and persuasive power of our most celebrated living novelist.

Japanese Woodblock Printing

Combat Chaplain

Hiroshige

Famous all over the world for his composite heads made up of plants, fruit and animals, Arcimboldo still remains, paradoxically, a painter shrouded in mystery. This important monograph proposes to reveal the eclecticism of one of the most fertile and lively minds of the Mannerist period, placing him in the cultural context in which he lived and worked. In addition to the artist's anamorphic heads, the

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volume includes an important selection of his paintings (among which, numerous previously unpublished portraits), tapestries, drawings and illustrations, realised throughout his life, from the period of his training in Lombardy to his time at the Hapsburg court.

Why Write?

Hokusai's 36 Views of Mount Fuji Fugaku Sanjurokkeil've long been a fan of Hokusai, and love the 36 Views of Mount Fuji series, so I put this little book together for myself with images of the prints in the series that I have collected over the years from various public sources. It turned out so well, I thought others might find it useful, so I decided to make it available to others using the amazing technology available today. This book simply contains a small (about 4" x 6") full-color copy of each of the 46 prints (sic: 36 Views has 46 views in it) in the series 36 Views of Mount Fuji. I use the book as a reference and reminder. There is no commentary or discussion, just the pictures, with the name in English & Japanese (romaji & kanji). I've indexed each picture with keywords, so if I want to find one with a ferry boat, the ones with snow, the one with the little turtle, or the salt gatherers, I can find them in the index. If you are interested in Hokusai's work, you might find this book as useful as I have.

The Posters of Toulouse-Lautrec

Launching a new education and conservation project that connects people from different cultures, this dazzling series by renowned photographer Pieter Henket gives ancient folklore a modern-day spin. The Congo Basin in Central Africa harbors approximately one quarter of the world's rainforest. In the heart of this forest is Odzala-Kokoua National Park, an ecological wonderland that is home to untold numbers of rare gorillas, forest elephants, and birds. It is also home to people who have lives vastly different from much of the rest of the world. In this stunning photographic series, Pieter Henket presents images of the children of Odzala-Kokoua telling the oral history of the Congo in enchanting and creative ways. Shot over the course of a month, Henket documented the children of this remote region as they designed, planned, created costumes for, and acted out a series of myths-- about their tribes, their landscape, and the animals and plants that they live among. Their stories will educate others unfamiliar with a way of life that is so completely in harmony with nature. Filled with vibrant images that highlight the area's magnificent flora and fauna, this photographic project, which was three years in the planning and execution, offers an exciting opportunity to learn about nature and the environment and it delivers an optimistic message about trust, cooperation, and conservation for the next generation of policy makers.

101 Great Samurai Prints

The book includes works ranging in date from the Final Jomon period (ca. 1000-300 B.C.E.) to the 20th century. This dazzling range of art reflects the broad, yet nuanced ways that the notion of impermanence manifests itself in the arts of Japan. That the world is constantly in flux is a basic tenant of Japanese philosophy and recognizing the aesthetic or symbolic suggestion of ephemerality is key to the appreciation of much of Japan's artistic production. In Buddhism, which has had a major impact on Japanese culture, the concept of impermanence is closely related to the desire to escape the cycle of rebirth and death through enlightenment. During the Heian period (794-1185), courtiers regularly incorporated allusions to impermanence into literature and other arts. By the sixteenth century, tea masters commonly organized Chanoyu, the Way of Tea, to stimulate participants to tap into feelings of wistfulness associated with the transience of life.

Congo Tales

Explore the enduring beauty of Japanese design through some 250 objects, ranging from bento boxes, calligraphy brushes, and Shoji sliding doors to Noguchi's Akari lamp, the iconic Kikkoman soy sauce bottle, and a modern‐day kimono designed by Issey Miyake. Printed on craft paper and bound in the traditional

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Japanese style, WA features stunning, full‐page illustrations and an introduction by MUJI art director Kenya Hara.

Rusty Puppy

A stunning exhibition catalogue showing the splendours of one of the greatest rulers of the world, Indias emperor Akbar (1542-1605) Akbar The Great is considered one of the most splendid sovereigns of the humankind. Though being himself an illiterate, he was a great protector of poetry and literature, the builder of the grandiose capital Fathepur Sikri, the City of Victory, and the promoter of a new style in arts and crafts. His deep religious tolerance even brought him to attempt the creation of a syncretistic religion bringing together Islam and Hinduism. The catalogue illustrates all these aspects, covering the court life with portraits and pictures of the political activities and cultural events; describing the development of arts and crafts through paintings and objects; showing the military glory through arms, armours, matchlocks, daggers as well as the Royal Mughal tent; enhancing the splendours through jewel boxes, turban ornaments, earrings, necklaces, etc. The aim of the project also is to stress Akbars cultural as well as political achievements, and his profound religious spirit and open mind towards all religions he came in contact with. The author references the latest in art historical scholarship, but this book is also aimed at readers who may not have specialist knowledge or extensive familiarity with Indian culture.

The Great Train Robbery

Kuniyoshi The Faithful Samurai is a pioneering publication which deals with the most famous Japanese print series of the forty-seven masterless samurai (ronin) by artist Utagawa Kuniyoshi (1797-1861): the Seichu gishi den (1847-48) and its sequel the Seichu gishin den (1848). The true 18th-century tale of revenge by forty-seven ronin for the death of their lord was enormously popular in Japan. Dr. Weinberg's book includes translations of the texts which appear on the prints and which recount each hero's exploits.

WA: The Essence of Japanese Design

Armance

Hap and Leonard investigate a racially motivated murder that threatens to tear apart their East Texas town. While Hap, a former 60s activist and self-proclaimed white trash rebel, is recovering from a life-threatening stab wound, Louise Elton comes into Hap and Leonard's PI office to tell him that the police have killed her son, Jamar. Months earlier, a bully cop pulled over and sexually harassed Jamar's sister, Charm. The officer followed Charm over the course of the next couple of

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months, leading Jamar to videotape and take notes on the cop and his partner. The next thing Louise hears, Jamar got in a fight and is killed in the projects by local hoods. It doesn't add up: he was a straight A student, destined for better things, until he began to ask too many questions about the racist police force. Leonard, a tough black gay Vietnam vet and Republican, joins Hap in the investigation, and they stumble upon the racial divides that have shaped their Eastern Texas town. But if anyone can navigate these pitfalls and bring the killers to justice, it's Hap and Leonard. Filled with Lansdale's trademark whip-smart dialogue, colorful characters, and relentless pacing, *Rusty Puppy* is Joe Lansdale at his page-turning best.

Hiroshige

Published jointly by Prentice Hall and Harry N. Abrams, Inc., this second edition of the comprehensive history of Japanese art from 10,500 B.C.E. now extends beyond 1945, tying together more closely the development of all the media within a well-articulated historical and social context. Features a comprehensive survey of Japanese art and culture, now with 67 new color and 52 new black and white illustrations including other art forms such as calligraphy, lacquer, metalwares, ceramics, and textiles. For art enthusiasts interested in far eastern art.

Samurai Ghost and Monster Wars

As world powers realign their cultural outlooks, there is no better time to consider how Eurasia's complex network of ancient trade routes - which spanned high mountain ranges, open river plains and vast deserts across the continent and on to the seas beyond - fostered economic activity and cultural communication. From perfume to spice, from religion to art, the trade and exchange of goods and ideas was crucial to the development of civilizations throughout the region, and the world. This book is the first comprehensive illustrated publication on the Silk Roads. Edited by an established authority on the subject, 'The Silk Roads' situates the ancient routes against the landscapes that defined them, to reveal the raw materials that they produced, the means of travel that were employed to traverse them and the communities that were formed by them. Organized by terrain, from steppe to desert to ocean, each section includes detailed maps, a historical overview, thematic essays and features showcasing iconic art objects, buildings and archaeological discoveries. A wealth of photographs reveal the breathtaking landscapes of Central Asia, mostly unseen by those who haven't travelled the routes. Designated a World Heritage Site by UNESCO in 2014, the Silk Road has never been of greater interest or importance than today. This beautiful publication honours the astonishing diversity in the way cultures can advance and flourish not in spite of their differences, but because of them.

Kuniyoshi

From the bestselling author of Jurassic Park, Timeline, and Sphere comes an enthralling novel about Victorian London's most notorious gold heist. London, 1855, when lavish wealth and appalling poverty exist side by side, one mysterious man navigates both worlds with perfect ease. Edward Pierce preys on the most prominent of the well-to-do as he cunningly orchestrates the crime of his century. Who would suspect that a gentleman of breeding could mastermind the extraordinary robbery aboard the pride of England's industrial era, the mighty steam locomotive? Based on fact, but studded with all the suspense and style of fiction, here is a classic historical thriller, set a decade before the age of dynamite—yet nonetheless explosive...

Meeting with Japan

From an elephant lovingly resting on his master's shoulder to a dog led through the rubbles of Kabul on the back of a bicycle; these images by Steve McCurry tell a thousand stories, each a touching tribute to the creatures who share our planet. The legendary photographer presents his favorite shots of animals in this kaleidoscopic collection ranging from Asia to South America, the United States to Europe.

Arcimboldo

A guide to Japanese ink painting provides information on techniques and materials needed, along with step-by-step exercises.

The Tactile Workshops

This text offers a treatment of the history, symbolism, and social function of tattooing in Japan, from its earliest beginnings to the present day.



Utagawa Kuniyoshi (1798-1861) is considered one of the greatest Japanese print artists. Alongside such illustrious names as Hokusai and Hiroshige, he dominated the nineteenth-century production of the popular genre of woodblock prints known as ukiyo-e, literally, pictures of the floating world. This beautiful book presents a selection of Kuniyoshi's finest prints in exquisite reproductions. A leading authority on Japanese art, Timothy Clark explores the impressive range of Kuniyoshi's subject-matter, from his portraits of Japanese warrior heroes and fashionable beauties, to his satirical themes and innovative landscape prints. Examples of Kuniyoshi's original drawings highlight his unique approach to composition and provide a

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valuable insight into the creative process of this prolific and multi-talented artist.

History of Japanese Art

Published to coincide with a major exhibit in Rome, a reference album featuring the works of the prolific nineteenth-century Japanese artist from the popular ukiyo-e school of printmaking offers insight into his poetic and gentle imagery while examining various aspects of his style. Original.

Riflessi del sol levante

Utagawa Kuniyoshi (1797-1861) is regarded as one of the true masters of ukiyo-e, the art of Edo-period Japan. Kuniyoshi produced thousands of prints and designs during his lifetime, but is perhaps best-known for his musha-e (warrior prints), with which he came to prominence in 1830. Kuniyoshi's series 108 Heroes Of The Suikoden from that year was revolutionary in its dynamics, colour and visual violence, epitomising the delirious, almost proto-psychedelic style with which the artist would recreate archetypal figures both human and demonic from Japanese myth over the ensuing decades. SAMURAI GHOST AND MONSTER WARS collects and considers 100 of Kuniyoshi's most vivid and complex images of warriors, spectres, demons and monstrous beasts, presented in large-format and full-colour

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throughout. NEW REVISED AND UPGRADED EDITION: Many new pictures, improved picture quality throughout, high-gauge paper stock."

You Must Change Your Life: The Story of Rainer Maria Rilke and Auguste Rodin

Kwong Kuen Shan has gathered together forty beautiful illustrations of the animal many people hold dear to their hearts, accompanied by forty Chinese proverbs or sayings. These cats are instantly recognisable- the playful and adventurous cat; the languid cat; the philosopher cat. With the same style and lightness of touch that made *The Cat and the Tao* such a delight, this is a beautiful book that cat-lovers will treasure.

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