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- Damián and illustrated by Àlex Fuentes. *Lost in the Future Vol 1 & 2*, 2024-2025.
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- Ibañez, Isabel. *What the River Knows* (Secrets of the Nile #1), 2023.
- Kinoshita, Itaru and illustrated by Shin-ichi Fujiwara. *Dinosaur Sanctuary* (Dinosaur Sanctuary #1), 2022.
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- Santiago, Elizabeth. *Claro de luna / The Moonlit Vine*, 2023.
- \*Wang, Jen. *Ash's Cabin*, 2024.

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- \*Chinsamy-Turan, Anusuya and illustrated by Angela Rizza and Daniel Long. *Antología de Dinosaurios y vida prehistórica, 2022 / Dinosaurs and Other Prehistoric Life*, 2021.
- \*Hirsch, Rebecca E. *A Deathly Compendium of Poisonous Plants: Wicked Weeds and Sinister Seeds*, 2024.
- \*Woodward, John. *El libro de los Dinosaurios / The Dinosaur Book*, 2023.



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- \*Blumberg, Chandra. *Digging Up Love*, 2022.
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- Crichton, Michael. *Dragon Teeth: A Novel*, 2017 / *Dientes de dragón*, 2018.
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- \*Davis, Fiona. *The Stolen Queen: A Novel*, 2025.
- \*Dumas, Luke. *The Paleontologist: A Novel*, 2023.
- \*Gaige, Amity. *Heartwood*, 2025,
- \*Housewright, David. *Them Bones: A McKenzie Novel*, 2025.
- Kelly, Lee and Jennifer Thorne. *The Antiquity Affair: A Novel*, 2023.
- Lahiri, Jhumpa. *The Namesake*, 2025.
- Liu, Cixin. *Sobre hormigas y dinosaurios*, 2024.
- \*Moreno-Garcia, Silvia. *Dioses de jade y sombra*, 2023 / *Gods of Jade and Shadow*, 2019.
- \*Preston, Douglas and Lincoln Child. *Old Bones* (Nora Kelly #1), 2019 / *Huesos olvidados*, 2023.
- \*Preston, Douglas J. *Extinction*, 2024.
- Romero Lacruz, Gabriela. *El sol y el vacío* (Dioses en guerra) / *The Sun and the Void* (The Warring Gods #1), 2023.
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- Denis, Nelson A. *Guerra Contra Todos los Puertorriqueños: Revolución y Terror en la Colonia Americana*, 2015.
- Dixon, Dougal. *The Illustrated Encyclopedia of Dinosaurs and Prehistoric Creatures: The Ultimate Illustrated Reference Guide to 1000 Dinosaurs and Prehistoric Creatures*, updated and revised, 2025.
- **Dolnick, Edward. *Dinosaurs at the Dinner Party: How an Eccentric Group of Victorians Discovered Prehistoric Creatures and Accidentally Upended the World*, 2024.**
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- Young, Marcia. *Create Naturally: Go Outside and Rediscover Nature with 15 Makers*, 2022.