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## **The Art of DreamWorks Animation** - Ramin Zahed 2014-04-15

A visual celebration of DreamWorks Animation's 20th anniversary, featuring concept art, pre-production designs and character sketches from all 30 of the studio's films.

## **The Art of the Strain** - Robert Abele 2016-06-28

Discover the incredible art behind Guillermo del Toro's much anticipated TV series *The Strain*, FX and cable television's newest #1 television series. Based on Guillermo del Toro and Chuck Hogan's best-selling book trilogy, *The Strain* is a high-concept thriller that tells the story of Dr. Ephraim Goodweather (Corey Stoll), the head of the Center for Disease Control Canary Team in New York City. He and his team are called upon to investigate a mysterious viral outbreak with all the hallmarks of an ancient and evil strain of vampirism. As the strain spreads, Eph, his team, and an assembly of everyday New Yorkers battle to control the fate of humanity itself. *The Art of The Strain* will delve into the amazing design work that went into creating this chilling TV series, including del Toro's own designs for the menacing beings that pose a threat to humanity's survival. The book will also feature interviews with key members of the cast and crew and tell the full story of this unique production. Filled with stunning concept art and candid behind-the-scenes imagery, *The Art of The Strain* will be the perfect accompaniment to this year's most exciting new television show.

## **Fantasy Art of Oliver Frey** - Roger Kean 2007-04

Oliver Frey is one of the most important artists working in the medium of commercial illustration. For a generation of boys in the 1980s, it is his art on the covers of cult computer games magazines that came to express the exuberance and excitement of the games they played. This book documents his work between the 1970s and today.

## **The Art of Luca** - Disney/Pixar 2021

This vibrant volume is an exclusive look behind the scenes of Disney and Pixar's original feature film *Luca*. *The Art of Luca* explores the stunning visuals of the coming-of-age story, set in a beautiful seaside town on the Italian Riviera. Readers get a front-row view at never-before-seen development art, character sketches, storyboards, color scripts, and interviews with the creators. \* Behind the scenes of the making of Disney and Pixar's *Luca* \* Features colorful concept art and character explorations from the movie \* Includes fascinating facts and details from the creative team In the animated film, Luca and his newfound best friend are sharing an unforgettable summer and a deeply-held secret: they are sea monsters from a world just below the water's surface. For aspiring artists, animators, and fans alike, *The Art of Luca* is part of the acclaimed ART OF series, inviting audiences behind the scenes of their favorite animated films. This book is perfect for: \* Pixar fans and art buffs \* Animators and students of animation \* Fans of *The Art of Pixar*, *The Art of Soul*, *The Art of Onward* and *The Art of Coco* © 2021 Disney/Pixar. All rights reserved.

## **Jonny Magic and the Card Shark Kids** - David Kushner 2010-06-30

A magnet for bullies at school, Jon Finkel grew up heckled and hazed until he discovered the trading-card game *Magic: The Gathering*. As *Magic* exploded from nerdy obsession into the mainstream, the teenage Finkel emerged as its first world champion. The young shark - now known to his friends and rivals as Jonny Magic - moved on to storm poker rooms, from the underground clubs of New York City to high-stakes tables online, until he landed on the largest card counting blackjack team in the country, taking Vegas for millions and becoming one of the biggest players in town. Finally, they took on the biggest game of all - the World Series of Poker...

## **The Moviemaking Magic of Marvel Studios: Heroes & Villains** - Eleni Roussos 2019-04-23

Explores the secrets behind the Marvel Studios films, using diagrams, photographs, concept sketches, and crew interviews to describe how filmmakers transformed comic book characters into icons of the big

screen.

## **Fizban's Treasury of Dragons (Dungeon & Dragons Book)** -

Dungeons & Dragons 2021-10-26

Discover everything there is to know about dragons—the most iconic of D&D monsters—in this quintessential reference guide. Meet Fizban the Fabulous: doddering archmage, unlikely war hero, divine avatar of a dragon-god—and your guide to the mysteries of dragonkind. What is the difference between a red dragon and a gold dragon? What is dragonsight? How does a dragon's magic impact the world around them? This comprehensive guide provides Dungeon Masters with a rich hoard of tools and information for designing dragon-themed encounters, adventures, and campaigns. Dragonslayers and dragon scholars alike will also appreciate its insight into harnessing the power of dragon magic and options for players to create unique, memorable draconic characters. Introduces gem dragons to fifth edition! Provides Dungeon Masters with tools to craft adventures inspired by dragons, including dragon lair maps and detailed information about 20 different types of dragons Adds player character options, including dragon-themed subclasses for monks and rangers, unique draconic ancestries for dragonborn, additional spell options, and a feat Presents a complete dragon bestiary and introduces a variety of dragons and dragon-related creatures—including aspects of the dragon gods, dragon minions, and more Reveals the story of the First World and the role the dragon gods Bahamut and Tiamat played in its creation and destruction

## **The Art of Magic: The Gathering: Concepts & Legends** - James Wyatt 2018-10-23

Magnificent hardcover art books featuring the incredible images and lore of *Magic: The Gathering*®! Dive deep into the archives of *Magic: The Gathering*® with an inside look at the origins of the characters, planes, creatures and lore of the world's most popular trading card game. Celebrating the 25th anniversary of *Magic*, this beautiful collector's hardcover book features artwork, sketches and commentary showcasing the expansive world that has captivated generations. Includes four double-sided collectible art prints.

## **War of the Spark: Ravnica (Magic: The Gathering)** - Greg Weisman 2019-04-23

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLER • Experience the first official adventure in *Magic: The Gathering*'s multiverse in nearly a decade as the ultimate battle begins on Ravnica. Teyo Verada wants nothing more than to be a shieldmage, wielding arcane energies to protect his people from his world's vicious diamondstorms. When he's buried alive in the aftermath of his first real tempest, the young mage's life is about to end before it can truly begin—until it doesn't. In a flash, a power he didn't know he had whisks him away from his home, to a world of stone, glass, and wonder: Ravnica. Teyo is a Planeswalker, one of many to be called to the world-spanning city—all lured by Nicol Bolas, the Elder Dragon. Bolas lays siege to the city of Ravnica, hungry for the ultimate prize: godhood itself. His unparalleled magic and unstoppable army appear poised to bring the city to utter ruin. Among those who stand in the way of Bolas's terrifying machinations are the Gatewatch, Planeswalkers sworn to defeat evil, no matter where it's found. But as they work to unite the other mages and mount a defense of the city and its people, the terrifying truth of Bolas's plan becomes clear. The Elder Dragon has prepared a trap to ensnare the most powerful mages from across the Multiverse—and it's too late to escape. As forces great and small converge on the city and the battle rages, the stakes could not be higher. If the Gatewatch falters and the Planeswalkers fail, the curtain will fall on the age of heroes—and rise on the infinite reign of Nicol Bolas.

## **Ravnica** - Cory Herndon 2010-04-21

A labyrinth of intrigue... Lieutenant Agrus Kos enjoys his work. A top-notch officer of the city guard, he's been on the force over fifty years. He works alone. And the League of Wojek never had problems with him or his work.

Until now. They gave him a partner to train, who promptly got himself killed. And the more he looks into the death, the less he likes it. Something dark is moving within the guilds of Ravnica.

**The Art of Magic: The Gathering - Innistrad** - James Wyatt  
2016-07-05

Magnificent hardcover art books featuring the incredible images and lore of Magic: The Gathering®! Danger and adventure await in these pages, lavishly illustrated with the award-winning art of Magic: The Gathering®! "Grab an axe and defend the gate! Your despair is an extravagance we can ill afford." —Thalia, Knight-Cathar Terror falls from the skies on blood-spattered wings, and nameless horrors lurk in the shadows. These pages, lavishly illustrated with the award-winning art of Magic: The Gathering™, are your entry into a world beset by terrible evils on all sides and betrayed by the hope it held most dear. Tread lightly as you follow the heroic Planeswalkers of the Gatewatch as they investigate these dark mysteries, for the nightmare they will uncover is a threat to the whole Multiverse. The mysteries of Innistrad—its peoples, provinces, and monsters—await your arrival. But be careful as you peer into the darkness, for you might find something staring back.

**Fantasy Mapmaker** - Jared Blando 2019-11-12

Create authentic-looking maps of fantasy cities, hamlets, fortifications and more in a popular tabletop, RPG style. • 30+ step-by-step demonstrations show you how to create your own unique RPG maps • Learn how to draw fantasy cities, medieval settlements and more from a professional gaming illustrator • Tips and techniques for drawing fences, stone walls, forests, fields, bridges, footpaths, mountains, harbors, shields, coats of arms and other cartography elements Put your design and drawing skills on the map!

**The Art of Magic: The Gathering - Kaladesh** - James Wyatt  
2017-01-03

Magnificent hardcover art books featuring the incredible images and lore of Magic: The Gathering®! Danger and adventure await in these pages, lavishly illustrated with the award-winning art of Magic: The Gathering®! Optimism, innovation, and the spirit of creativity fill these pages, lavishly illustrated with the award-winning art of Magic: The Gathering™!

Welcome to Kaladesh—a vibrant, beautiful plane where anything is possible. Join the heroic Planeswalkers of the Gatewatch as they explore the Inventors' Fair, and let your imagination soar alongside thopters and airships crafted by the best artificers in the Multiverse. Come discover the marvels of Kaladesh—its inhabitants, its inventors, and its artifacts. They all await you at the grand Inventors' Fair!

**The Brothers' War** - Jeff Grubb 2018-03-27

The Myth. The Magic. Dominarian legends speak of a mighty conflict, obscured by the mists of history. Of a conflict between the brothers Urza and Mishra for supremacy on the continent of Terisiare. Of titanic engines that scarred and twisted the very planet. Of a final battle that sank continents and shook the skies. The saga of the Brothers' War.

**War of the Spark: Forsaken** - Greg Weisman 2019-11-12

Brand-new Magic: The Gathering official novel which ties in to the brand-new card game set. THE HUNT FOR LILIANA VESS IS ON IN THE AFTERMATH OF THE WAR OF THE SPARK. The Planeswalkers have defeated Nicol Bolas and saved the Multiverse—though at grave cost. The living have been left to pick up the pieces and mourn the dead. But one loss is almost too great to bear: Gideon Jura, champion of justice and shield of the Gatewatch, is gone. As his former comrades Jace and Chandra struggle to rebuild from this tragedy, their future, like the future of the Gatewatch, remains uncertain. As the Gatewatch's newest member, Kaya aims to help write that future. In joining, she pledged an oath to protect the living and the dead, but now that oath will be tested. The grieving guild masters of Ravnica have tasked her with a grave mission suited to her talents as a hunter and assassin—a mission she is ordered to keep secret from the Gatewatch. She must track down and exact retribution on the traitor Liliana Vess. But Liliana Vess has no interest in being found. Forsaken by her friends, she fled Ravnica after the defeat of Bolas. She was hostage to his wicked will, forced to assist in his terrible atrocities on pain of death—until Gideon, the last one who believed in her goodness, died in her place. Haunted by Gideon's final gift, and hunted by former allies, Liliana now returns to a place she'd thought she'd never see again, the only place she has left: home.

**The Art of Magic: The Gathering - War of the Spark** - James Wyatt  
2020-10-13

Magnificent hardcover art books featuring the incredible images and lore of Magic: The Gathering®! Danger and adventure await in these pages, lavishly illustrated with the award-winning art of Magic: The Gathering®! "Even gods shall kneel." —Nicol Bolas Centuries of scheming have come

to fruition at last. Meet Nicol Bolas: Elder dragon, Planeswalker, God-Pharaoh. He is the ultimate mastermind, whose plots for domination twist through the histories of countless worlds. Now those plots culminate on the shattered streets of Ravnica, with undead armies marching at his command and dozens of Planeswalkers marshaled to oppose him. In these lavishly illustrated pages, featuring art carefully chosen from more than two decades of Magic: The Gathering®, the full scope of Nicol Bolas's plans is revealed at last. It has all led to this. The greatest heroes of the Multiverse make their stand against the ultimate villain in the War of the Spark!

**The Art of Magic: The Gathering - Ravnica** - James Wyatt 2019-01-01

Magnificent hardcover art books featuring the incredible images and lore of Magic: The Gathering®! Danger and adventure await in these pages, lavishly illustrated with the award-winning art of Magic: The Gathering®! The seventh book in VIZ Media's acclaimed series of massive hardcover art books featuring the incredible images of Magic: The Gathering®! "The alliances were already frayed. All we do is find the loose threads and pluck." —Lazav, House Dimir Guildmaster An eternity of winding streets, dark alleys, towering structures, and rubble-strewn ruins make up the world of Ravnica. In this sprawling city, ten guilds are locked in a perpetual struggle for influence and dominance, each one seeking to advance its own agenda and philosophy—and now it's time to choose your place in this conflict. In these pages, lavishly illustrated with the award-winning art of Magic: The Gathering®, you'll learn the deepest secrets of the guilds and the plots unfolding in their ranks. Choose your guild and take your place in Ravnica, the greatest city in the Multiverse!

**The Thran** - J. Robert King 2018-03-27

Before the Brothers' War. Before the five colors of magic. Before history itself, the plane of Dominaria was ruled by the Thran. They built machines and artifacts, the likes of which have never since been seen. But amid this civilization, a shadow took root, one that would stretch its arms across space and time. The hideous evil of Phyrexia was born.

**The Art of Magic: The Gathering - Ixalan** - James Wyatt 2018-01-02

Magnificent hardcover art books featuring the incredible images and lore of Magic: The Gathering®! Danger and adventure await in these pages, lavishly illustrated with the award-winning art of Magic: The Gathering®!

"Just imagine what's waiting around the bend. Adventure. Discovery. Riches for the taking. This is why I sail." —Captain Lannery Storm Deep in the heart of Ixalan's verdant jungle lies a treasure beyond imagining. Join the peoples of this plane in their search for an ancient golden city as you explore these pages, lavishly illustrated with the award-winning art of Magic: The Gathering®! Here you can sail with daring pirates and call on the might of earth-shaking dinosaurs. The marooned Planeswalker Jace Beleren will be your guide in his search for the true power of the golden city. A whole world waits to be discovered. Come and join the struggle to claim the greatest treasure of Ixalan!

**The Art of Magic: The Gathering - Amonkhet** - James Wyatt 2017-07-04

Magnificent hardcover art books featuring the incredible images and lore of Magic: The Gathering®! Danger and adventure await in these pages, lavishly illustrated with the award-winning art of Magic: The Gathering®! "When the Second Sun rests between the horns on the horizon, so begins the Hour of Revelation. Then the Hour of Glory, the Hour of Promise, and finally the Hour of Eternity." —The Accounting of Hours The Second Sun creeps across the sky, growing ever closer to the horns of the God-Pharaoh. These pages, lavishly illustrated with the award-winning art of Magic: The Gathering®, will introduce you to the people of Amonkhet, whose life is a series of trials meant to prepare them for the great God-Pharaoh's return. Join the heroic Planeswalkers of the Gatewatch as they come here to face the evil dragon Nicol Bolas, whose schemes span the planes of the Multiverse. The glorious hope and desolate despair of Amonkhet await you as the final hours draw near!

**Spectrum 22** - John Fleskes 2015-11

"Featuring over 240 artists including Paul Bonner, Donato Giancola, Yuko Shimizu."

**Agents of Artifice** - Ari Marmell 2010-01-26

A new age dawns in the Multiverse—and the balance of power shifts—in this Magic: The Gathering novel that brings readers to the heart of a Planeswalker struggle Jace Beleren is a planeswalker who has taken the path of least resistance. He is gifted and powerful, but chooses not to push himself. Part of an inter-planar consortium that deals in magical artifacts, Jace has some power and influence. He also has a certain amount of security. That's all about to change when Liliana—a dark temptress with demons of her own—comes into his life, bringing with her more possibilities and more problems. Under attack from external interests, a friend dies because of decisions Jace made. Upset with himself

and fearing for his life, Jace sets out to find who is behind this new threat. What he uncovers along the way, an inter-planar chase filled with peril, will alter everything he knows.

**Generation Decks** - Titus Chalk 2017-04-06

*The Art of Magic: The Gathering - Zendikar* - James Wyatt 2016-01-05

Magnificent hardcover art books featuring the incredible images and lore of Magic: The Gathering®! Danger and adventure await in these pages, lavishly illustrated with the award-winning art of Magic: The Gathering®! The first of its kind! A massive hardcover art book featuring the incredible images of Magic: The Gathering®! Explore a tumultuous world fraught with perils, and join the fight for survival as the fragments of civilization confront the unnatural Eldrazi. Follow in the footsteps of heroic Planeswalkers as they combine their unique talents, forming the Gatewatch to overcome the greatest threats the Multiverse has ever known. The secrets of Zendikar—its peoples, continents, and creatures—are ready for you to discover!

*Paleoart* - Zoë Lescaze 2017

Presents the history of paleoart from 1830-1990. These are not cave paintings produced thousands of years ago, but modern visions of prehistory: stunning paintings, prints, drawings, sculptures, mosaics, and murals that mingle scientific fact with unbridled fantasy

**Ikorla: Lair of Behemoths - Sundered Bond** - Django Wexler 2020-04-07

Discover the monstrous realm of Ikorla in this thrilling story, inspired by Magic: The Gathering's card set Ikorla: Lair of Behemoths! Lukka is a proud captain of the Coppercoats, the elite military force that defends Drannith from the savage monsters lurking outside its city walls. For the Coppercoats, the only good monster is a dead monster. Lukka's world is forever altered when he unexpectedly forms a mystical connection with a ferocious, winged cat. But such bonds are high crimes in Drannith, punishable by death. Running for his life, Lukka flees the very home he was sworn to protect. Now an outcast monster "bonder," Lukka must survive the wilds of Ikorla while being ruthlessly hunted by his former brothers-in-arms, including the sadistic General Kudro. With help from planeswalker Vivien Reid, can Lukka learn to tame his newfound powers before he wields vengeance--and an army of nightmarish monsters--against his beloved Drannith?

*Journey Into Nyx, Godsend Part II* - Jenna Helland 2014-05-13

Elspeth's trials in Theros continue... In a realm where fickle gods fight for the devotion of mortals, the Planeswalker Elspeth has risen to become the champion of the sun god Heliod, who transformed her legendary sword into a spear named "Godsend." As Elspeth defends the city Akros from minotaur hordes, she uncovers a horrible truth: If the machinations of the satyr Planeswalker Xenagos come to fruition, he'll ascend to godhood and threaten the entire realm of Theros. Made a pariah by Xenagos, an exiled and hated Elspeth fights for her life. As she hunts Xenagos, Elspeth must attempt to breach Nyx, the realm of night...and the home of the gods.

**Magic: The Gathering: Planes of the Multiverse** - Wizards of the Coast 2021-08-24

An official visual guide to the fantastical worlds and legendary characters of Magic: The Gathering The various realms of Magic: The Gathering's storied Multiverse have served as host to countless epic battles and dramatic cataclysms—and each plane is richly and uniquely populated with its own fantastical creatures, iconic characters, and legendary Planeswalkers. In Magic: The Gathering: Planes of the Multiverse, author Jay Anelli presents a visual guide to the history behind lore-defining events from the Phyrexian Invasion to the War of the Spark, as well as character profiles for Karn, Narset, Vraska, Sorin Markov, and other fan-favorite Planeswalkers. Planes of the Multiverse pairs original artwork—in many instances reproduced for the first time outside of the card frame—with detailed primers on each plane. This collection offers exclusive insight into the art and mythology of some of Magic: The Gathering's most popular and enduring locales—and the characters that inhabit them.

**Guildpact** - Cory Herndon 2010-04-21

One guild ravages the streets. Teysa leads another to "cleanse" them. And Agrus Kos doesn't give a damn. But as he watches the guilds nip and tear at each other like snakes . . . something clicks. Now his mind is clear, as are his options. A disaster grows under the city's crowded streets. He knows what he must do. From the Paperback edition.

**Wonder** - Beatrice Blue 2019-12-10

Escape into the extraordinary world of Beatrice Blue, a playful illustrator with a story to tell...

*Final Fantasy XIV: Shadowbringers -- The Art of Reflection -Histories*

*Forsaken* - Square Enix 2020-07-28

A gorgeous, oversized, full-color art book showcasing the artwork from the massively popular online video game Final Fantasy XIV. Volume one of a two-volume set with *The Art of Reflection -Histories Unwritten-*.(NOTE: E-book edition does not include bonus item code.) Delve into the breathtaking world of Final Fantasy XIV: Shadowbringers in this deluxe volume featuring hundreds of beautiful illustrations of characters, environments, equipment, and more. Offering concept art, reference images, and messages from the artists, this book is a must-have not only for fans of the game but for any who appreciate top-tier game art. Includes an exclusive bonus code redeemable for a Wind-up Dulia-Chai minion! The sixth volume in the line of Final Fantasy XIV official art books.

**Magic the Gathering #1** - Jed MacKay 2021-04-07

A new beginning for the pop culture phenomenon of Magic starts here from Jed MacKay (Marvel's Black Cat) and Ig Guara (Marvel's Ghost-Spider), perfect for new readers and long time fans. \* Across the vast Multiverse, those gifted with a "spark" can tap into the raw power of Magic and travel across realms -they are Planeswalkers. \* When coordinated assassination attempts on Guildmasters Ral Zarek, Vraska and Kaya rock the city of Ravnica and leave Jace Belleren's life hanging in the balance, a fuse is lit that threatens not just these three Guilds, but the entire plane of Ravnica. \* Now these three must covertly infiltrate the wild plane of Zendikar and form a tenuous alliance to uncover why the targets of the assassins have all been Planeswalkers... \* ...which will lead them straight to one of the most enigmatic characters in Magic history!

*The Art of Magic: The Gathering - Dominaria* - James Wyatt 2018-07-03

Magnificent hardcover art books featuring the incredible images and lore of Magic: The Gathering®! Step aboard the legendary airship Weatherlight and explore Dominaria, an ancient world whose stories are known throughout the Multiverse. Dominaria has weathered one apocalypse after another and emerged into a time of rebirth and renewal. In these pages, lavishly illustrated with the award-winning art of Magic: The Gathering®, you can step into the world where it all began. Whether Dominaria is new to you or as familiar as an old friend, you'll find enough lore and legends here to make you feel at home. A new age is dawning on Dominaria. Come and be a part of it!

*The Art of XCOM 2* - . 2K Games 2016-01-12

From the developer behind the Civilization series, XCOM is an award-winning, deeply engrossing strategy game. With the Earth under attack by a super-advanced alien race, players command an elite paramilitary organization called XCOM to repel the extraterrestrial offensive and defend humanity. In *The Art of XCOM*, readers get a behind-the-scenes look at the incredible concept art created for the series and hear from key developers and artists about the challenges, secrets, and rewards of creating this landmark series.

**Dungeons & Dragons Art & Arcana** - Michael Witwer 2018-10-23

An illustrated guide to the history and evolution of the beloved role-playing game told through the paintings, sketches, illustrations, and visual ephemera behind its creation, growth, and continued popularity. FINALIST FOR THE HUGO AWARD • FINALIST FOR THE LOCUS AWARD • NOMINATED FOR THE DIANA JONES AWARD From one of the most iconic game brands in the world, this official DUNGEONS & DRAGONS illustrated history provides an unprecedented look at the visual evolution of the brand, showing its continued influence on the worlds of pop culture and fantasy. Inside the book, you'll find more than seven hundred pieces of artwork—from each edition of the core role-playing books, supplements, and adventures; as well as *Forgotten Realms* and *Dragonlance* novels; decades of *Dragon* and *Dungeon* magazines; and classic advertisements and merchandise; plus never-before-seen sketches, large-format canvases, rare photographs, one-of-a-kind drafts, and more from the now-famous designers and artists associated with DUNGEONS & DRAGONS. The superstar author team gained unparalleled access to the archives of Wizards of the Coast and the personal collections of top collectors, as well as the designers and illustrators who created the distinctive characters, concepts, and visuals that have defined fantasy art and gameplay for generations. This is the most comprehensive collection of D&D imagery ever assembled, making this the ultimate collectible for the game's millions of fans around the world.

**Science of Creature Design** - Terry Whitlatch 2015

What is creature design? We all have a notion--mostly consisting of evocative images of otherworldly beings galloping, swimming, flying, and often attacking the hero of an epic film or story. But what makes a creature believable? In the follow-up to her bestseller, *Animals Real and Imagined: The Fantasy of What Is and What Might Be*, world-renowned artist Terry Whitlatch reveals the secret behind believable creature

design: anatomy. How anatomy applies practically to the natural history and story is the prime cornerstone on which successful creature design hangs, whether the creature is real or imaginary. Studying, understanding, drawing, and applying accurate anatomy to an imaginary creature will make viewers suspend their disbelief to welcome a new vision into their worlds. We invite you to immerse yourself in the intricate workings of numerous animal anatomies--and the beauty they possess--in the *Science of Creature Design: Understanding Animal Anatomy*. Whitlatch's delightful and charismatic illustrations will inform and thrill readers with every turn of the page. She shares valuable techniques reaped from years working for Lucasfilm and Walt Disney Feature Animation, and on such films as *Jumanji*, *Brother Bear*, and *The Polar Express*. In addition, Whitlatch exemplifies an endless love for real animals that continues to inspire her fantastic imaginary creatures, which have captivated audiences around the world.

**Spectrum 26** - John Fleskes 2019-11-15

The best-selling *Spectrum* series continues with this twenty-sixth lavishly produced annual. Challenging, controversial, educational and irreverent, the award-winning series reinforces both the importance and prevalence of fantastic art in today's culture. With exceptional images by extraordinary creators, this elegant full-color collection showcases an international cadre of creators working in every style and medium, both traditional and digital. The best artists from the United States, Europe, China, Australia, South America and beyond have gathered into the only annual devoted exclusively to works of fantasy, horror, science fiction and the surreal, making *Spectrum* one of the year's most anticipated books. Featured in *Spectrum 26* are over 330 diverse visionaries. With art from books, graphic novels, videogames, films, galleries, advertising and the fine arts, *Spectrum 26* is both an electrifying art book for fans and an invaluable resource for clients looking for brightnew talent. The entire field is discussed in an invaluable *Year in Review* found nowhere else. Contact information for each artist is included. Often imitated but never equaled, the latest *Spectrum* annual continues the freshness and excellence that was established more than twenty-six years ago. The mission of *Spectrum* is to promote the fantastic arts and provide an annual showcase for contemporary artists. The collection exists to honor the imaginations of very special artists who delight in helping us see the world in a wonderfully different light. It's our job to help them reach a wider appreciative audience.

**Aquaponic Gardening** - Sylvia Bernstein 2011-10-11

Combining aquaculture and hydroponics, this home gardening guide provides instructions for growing organic vegetables, herbs and fruits along with fresh fish in a sustainable closed system that has no weeds, very few pests and requires no digging, watering or fertilizing. Original.

**Magic: The Gathering: Legends** - Wizards of the Coast 2020-10-27

An official guide to the most iconic legends and legendary creatures from the world of *Magic: The Gathering*. The world of *Magic: The Gathering* is home to many fantastical characters and creatures, but perhaps none so intriguing as its legends. Legendary dragons, demons, angels, goblins, vampires, merfolk, wizards, and more roam the multiverse. These characters harken back to *Magic's* early history, having been introduced in one of the first *Magic* card sets (1994's *Legends*); new legends continue to tell epic stories in lore and on the battlefield through the present day. *Magic: The Gathering: Legends* showcases high-quality reproductions of the legendary card art from across the game's history—in many instances for the first time outside of the card frame—along with accompanying histories written by Jay Anelli. This collection also offers exclusive insight into the art and mythology behind some of *Magic: The Gathering's* most powerful, popular, and enduring legends, including Niv-Mizzet, Emmara Tandris, Marit Lage, Sisay, Atraxa, the Eldrazi titans, Edgar Markov, Queen Marchesa, Zurgo, Pia Nalaar, Zacama, King Algenus Kenrith, Snapdax, and many, many more.

**Magic: The Gathering: Rise of the Gatewatch** - Wizards of the Coast 2019-07-23

A visual history of *Magic: The Gathering's* Gatewatch Mythology. Over the course of its 25-year history, *Magic: The Gathering*—the world's first and most popular trading card game—has redefined the fantasy genre through its exploration of diverse, fantastic worlds. And traversing those worlds are Planeswalkers, heroes who have sworn to defend the Multiverse from harm. *Magic: The Gathering: Rise of the Gatewatch* is a visual history and celebration of *Magic's* first team of Planeswalkers—Jace Beleren, Ajani Goldmane, Gideon Jura, Kaya, Chandra Nalaar, Nissa Revane, Liliana Vess, and Teferi. The Gatewatch's character histories, from their origins through their final confrontation with Nicol Bolas, are presented here via the very best card, packaging, and convention-exclusive artwork, all of it reproduced together here for the first time, some seen for the first time outside of the card frame. *Rise of the Gatewatch* is a giftable visual reference guide sure to appeal to new and longtime *Magic* fans alike.