

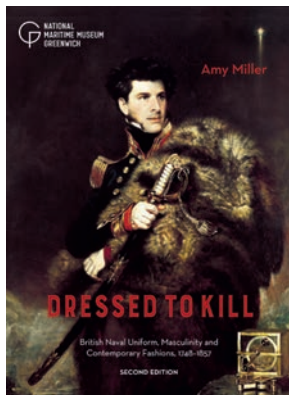
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New for 2021

It is with great excitement that Royal Museums Greenwich announces the list of publications planned for 2021. The list of books presented in this catalogue showcase world-leading expertise, fascinating stories and beautiful artworks inspired by the sea, ships, time and the stars. Every purchase supports the Museum to help fund research, exhibitions and acquisitions.

We hope you enjoy reading them as much as we've enjoyed producing them.

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Dressed to Kill

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Dr Amy Miller

Updated and expanded, this is the long awaited second edition of Dr Amy Miller's definitive exploration of naval identity and masculinity. Boasting more than 100 images of the National Maritime Museum's extensive uniform collection, along with a selection of patterns, this unique publication analyses the historic origins of British naval uniform and its influence on contemporary fashion.

1 October 2021

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£30.00, paperback

230 x 170 mm, 240pp, 100+ colour photos

Categories: Military Uniforms and Insignia,

Fashion and Textile Design, Maritime History

Thema code: JWTU, AKT, NHTN



Pirates

Fact and Fiction

David Cordingly and John Falconer

The image of the pirate never fails to capture the imagination. The cut-throat robbers of history who plundered richly laden merchant ships are legendary. But piracy was more brutal and rebellious than some of the best artistic descriptions let on. This new publication is the first port of call for anyone keen to separate the fact from the fiction.

25 March 2021

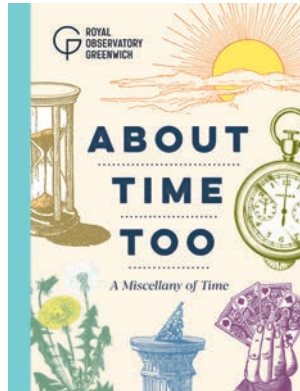
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About Time Too

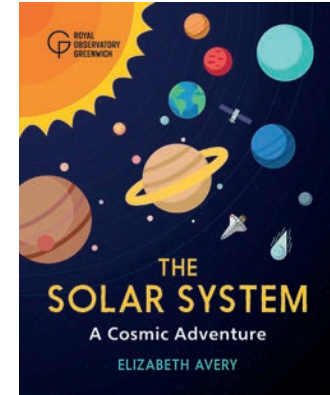
A Miscellany of Time

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100 mono line drawings
Categories: Time
Thema code: PGZ



The Solar System

A Cosmic Adventure

Elizabeth Avery

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BBC Sky at Night



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Dr Greg Brown

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Brendan Owens

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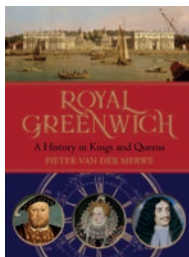
Black Holes

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Illuminates series

Dr Ed Bloomer

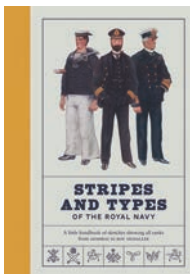
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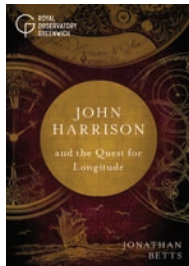
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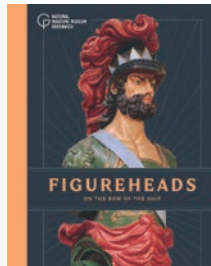
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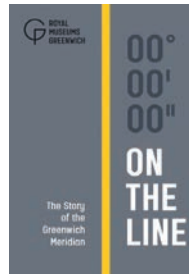
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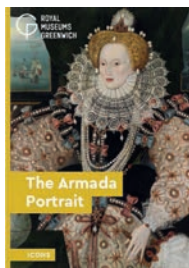
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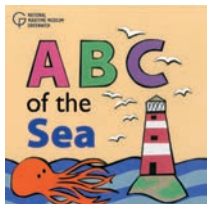
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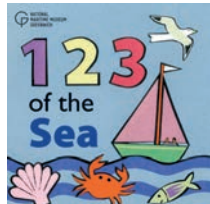
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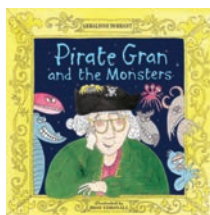
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