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Klaus Cäsar Zehrer & Uli Krappen (Ill.)
The Longest Animal in the World

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Whadd'ya reckon, whadd'ya think: What's the longest animal of them all?
There should be much more ice cream! So much that if I stand beside it, I look as tiny as a dwarf:
An iceberg.
An icecreamberg.
A berry icecreamberg.
The strawberry icecreamberg.
A zanily playful picture book in rhymes, dreamily illustrated by Uli Krappen.
For young word artists and imagination jugglers.

Children's Books
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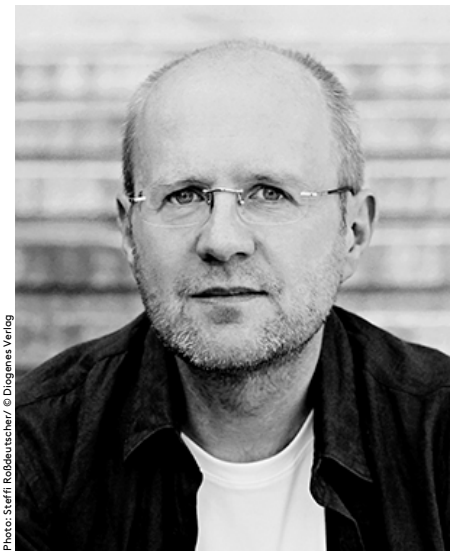

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Klaus Cäsar Zehrer, born in Schwabach in 1969, lives in Berlin as a freelance writer, editor and translator. His first book with Diogenes Verlag, *The Genius,* was named the best debut novel of 2017 by the literary blogging collective *Das Debüt*. Klaus Cäsar Zehrer has a doctorate in Cultural Studies, and edited, together with Robert Gernhard, the classic work of comic verse *Hell und Schnell*. He also plays for the German national writers' football team.

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