# LEGENDARIUM

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**The best collection of terror tales based on Spanish legends.**

## Sinopsys

*Legendarium* is the Spanish horror anthology par excellence. The anthologists, following Gustavo Adolfo Becquer´s example, have gathered twenty six chilling stories, twenty six eerie tales, based on Spanish legends that have fed the popular imagination with spine-chilling mystery stories.

From the Cantabrians' superstitious tales to the legends of Andalucía, spectral apparitions, evil entities, covens or EVPs ... the best writers of this genre give us imaginative texts full of nuances with a thin veil of fantasy draped over the top. Compiled for the first time in a single volume, the Legendarium saga is a collection halfway between Poe and Lovecraft. It includes poetic prose, is faithful to tradition and amazes us with surprising endings that have become classics. *Legendarium*: Legends, mystery, horror and fantasy in the popular imagination.

## Biographies

**Rubén Serrano** is a journalist, writer and anthologist. He studied Journalism and has worked in the communications fields for over twenty years. He is the press officer of the Asociación Española de Escritores de Terror -Spanish Horror Writers Association- (NOCTE). He has not only written horror and fantasy stories for adults but also books for children and teenagers with educational purposes; with several of the latter ones, he has tried to promote reading in a school environment and learning foreign languages.
He has been an active promoter and coordinator of outstanding fantasy and horror collective anthologies, like *Unusual Stories*(Archon), *Zombimaquia* (Dolmen), *New Cthulhu Mythos* (Edge Entertainment) or the collection of epic fantasy stories titled *Chronicles of the East County* (Holodeck editions). In 2011, he won the Ignotus Award for the script of the comic *The Sword of the Hunter.*

**Javier Pellicer** began his literary career writing short stories, which earned him an honorable mention as the First Cryptshow Award at the Festival de Relato Fantástico in 2008. He has also contributed to many collective anthologies: *Phantasmagoria* (Tombooktu), *Illusionary 2* and *Chronicles of the East County 1 and 2* (Holodeck Editions).
His first long prose work was *The Spirit of the Lynx. Iberia Against Carthage* (Ediciones Pàmies) was a historical novel about the Carthaginian invasion of the Iberian Peninsula in the third century. B.C., for which he was selected finalist in the cathegory of Best New Author in the IV Premios de Literatura Histórica Hislibris. With his second novel *Legacies* (Ediciones Holodeck), he stepped into the fantasy genre and made a tribute to the classic adventures of that kind of literature, as well as RPGs.
He is currently focused on writing new works and developing his own web page, where he posts articles about the publishing world and literature.

## Sales pitch

-This book is an anthology of several stories written by various authors compiled by the writers Ruben Serrano and Javier Pellicer, who invite readers to step into the national legendarium.

-Legendarium blends horror and fantasy in a masterful way.

-Legendarium is an anthology of stories that aims to continue to fuel the popular imagination with fabulous stories full of mystery.

-This compilation is a reinterpretation of traditional Spanish legends.


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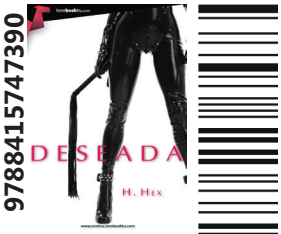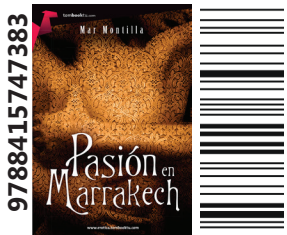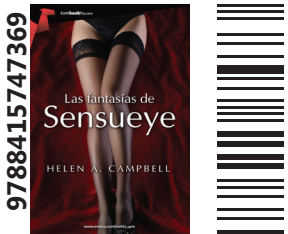
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