

## **TRANSLATION FUNDING PROGRAMME (ARGENTINIAN SPANISH/GERMAN)**

In preparation for the presentation of Argentina as the Guest of Honour of the Frankfurt Book Fair 2010, the Cultural Division of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Argentina has initiated a funding programme for the translation of Argentinian books to increase the international recognition for Argentinian literature. In a first step, the programme focuses on the translation of books published by Argentinian publishing houses into German.

Initially, there will be four translation fundings at 2,000 US-Dollar each. All publishing houses that publish works by Argentinian authors in German can apply for a funding.

The deadline for application is the **29 August 2008**. The selected titles will be announced at the beginning of October 2008, the payments will be made after the presentation of documents proving that the translation is in progress.

### **CONDITIONS FOR PARTICIPATION**

I. All publishing companies that publish books in German may apply. It is possible to submit more than one application per company.

II. The applications must be sent by e-mail to [vbronstein@typa.org.ar](mailto:vbronstein@typa.org.ar) and contain the following information:

- title of the book
- name of the author
- name of the Argentinian publishing house
- contact information about the agent or rights owner
- name of translator
- planned date of publication
- contact information of the applying editor or publishing company

III. Applications can be made for novels, short stories, children's books, poetry and essays that are written by Argentinian authors.

IV. The translation funding will be paid before 30 December 2008, after the following documents have been presented:

- a) a copy of the contract with the rights owner
- b) a binding agreement on the publication by the German publishing house
- c) a copy of the contract with the translator

If you have any further questions, please contact Violeta Bronstein:  
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