

WINNER

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Libro Para sa Tanan,
A Literacy Project
(aka Sawaga River Press)

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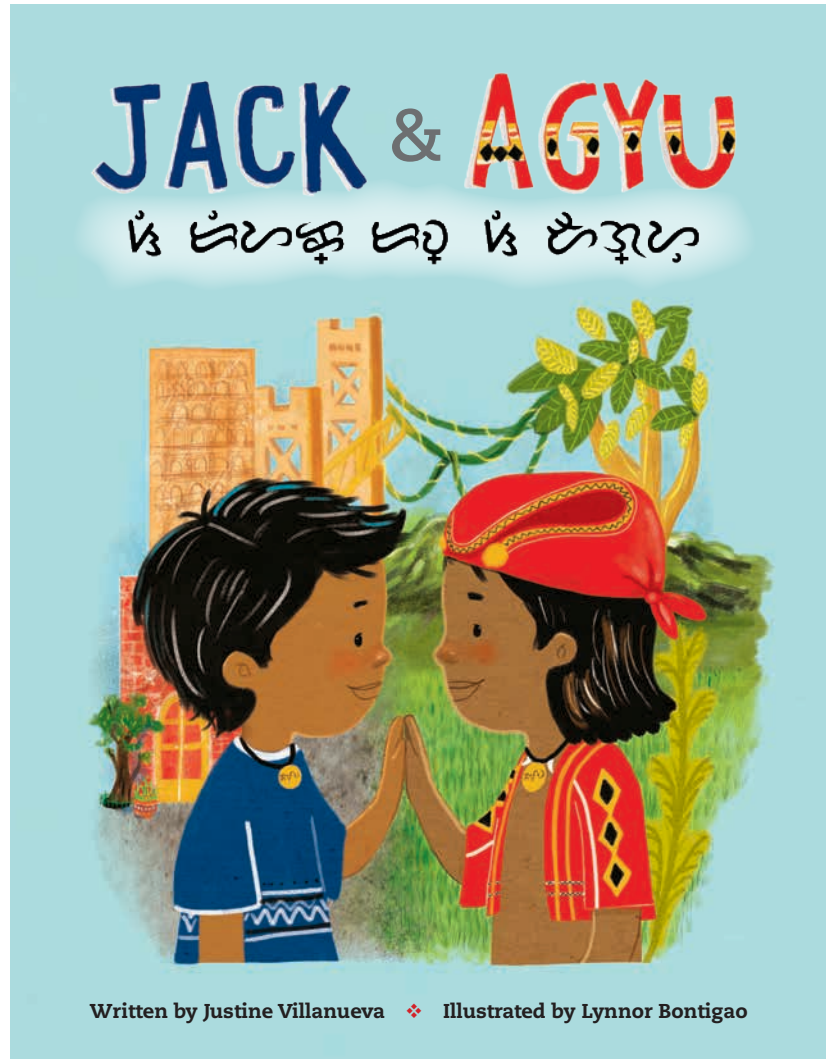
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PRINTER Tien Wah Press

MATERIALS Text: 170 gsm uncoated;
Cover: 130 gsm LumiArt gloss
over 3 mm graphic board

We offer this book not only to shine light on the experiences of the Filipino American children in the diaspora but also to share knowledge of the indigenous Filipino history and culture.

This book is about a child who loves to read about adventures and who longs to go on his own adventures. It tackles the issue of lack of representation and diversity that deeply affects children of color. Inspired by the oral storytelling tradition of the indigenous Bukidnon tribe, one of the living indigenous tribes in the



Philippines, this book highlights a young person's longing for identity and belonging, while at the same time celebrating the reclamation

of indigenous roots. It also calls for allyship; the indigenous Filipino core value of kapwa, or interdependence/kinship; and stewardship of land.