

Connie Hsu Book Recommendations for her presentation, "Pitfalls of Picture Books", at the SCBWI San Francisco South Golden Gate Day Conference, September 28, 2024

Concept

The Bad Seed by Jory John and Pete Oswald
Grumpy Monkey by Suzanne Lang and Max Lang
The Magical Yet by Angela DiTerlizzi and Lorena Alvarez Gómez
The Day the Crayons Quit by Drew Daywalt and Oliver Jeffers
Itty Bitty Kittycorn by Shannon Hale and LeUyen Pham
Be Kind by Pat Zietlow Miller and Jen Hill

Voice

Llama Llama Red Pajama by Anna Dewdney
Rosie Revere, Engineer by Andrea Beaty and David Roberts
Wherever You Go by Pat Zietlow Miller and Eliza Wheeler
Dragons Love Tacos by Adam Rubin and Danial Salmieri
Escargot by Dashka Slater and Sydney Hanson
Cape by Kevin Johnson and Kitt Thomas

Story

Extra Yarn by Mac Barnett and Jon Klassen
Memory Jars by Vera Brosgol
After the Fall by Dan Santat
I Eat Poop. By Mark Pett
The Bear Ate Your Sandwich by Julia Sarcone-Roach
Knight Owl by Christopher Denise

Distinction

Du Iz Tak by Carson Ellis
They All Saw a Cat by Brendan Wenzel
The Wonderful Things You Will Be by Emily Winfield Martin
The Book With No Pictures by B.J. Novak
Fry Bread by Kevin Maillard and Juana Martinez-Neal
Press Here by Hervé Tullet