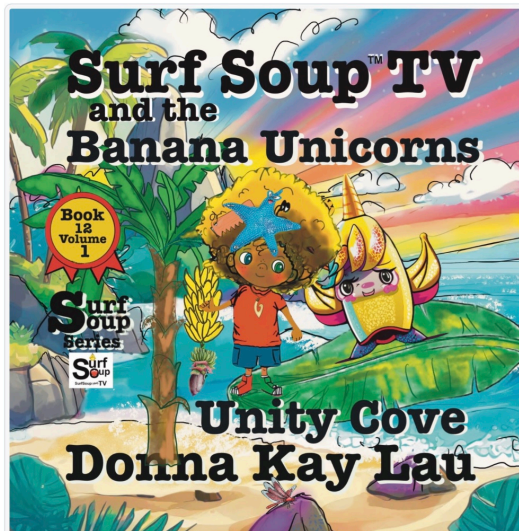


Emmy-Honored Animator Donna Kay Lau Releases Global Children's Book **Surf Soup TV and the Banana Unicorns** in Hardback

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Emmy-honored TV animator, author, and illustrator Donna Kay Lau (known for her work on *Dora the Explorer*, *CatDog*, and *Oswald*) announces the highly anticipated hardback release of **"Surf Soup TV and the Banana Unicorns" (Unity Cove Book 12 Volume 1)**.

This whimsical children's adventure book introduces young readers (ages 6–12) to Koa—the kid with a television on his head—and his lovable companion, Banini the Banana Unicorn. Together, they embark on a vibrant journey through Surf Soup Island, seamlessly introducing critical themes of ocean conservation, environmental stewardship, and social-emotional learning (SEL).

To support global literacy and environmental awareness, the book has expanded into a multilingual franchise. The premium English edition is available right now in beautiful hardback at your favorite local bookshop and major retailers. Simultaneously, international paperback editions have launched globally on Amazon, fully translated into six languages:

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- 🇨🇳 Chinese (简体中文)
- 🇪🇸 Spanish (Español)
- 🇩🇪 German (Deutsch)
- 🇮🇹 Italian (Italiano)
- 🇫🇷 French (Français)

With the second volume, *Chasing Rainbows*, coming soon, Lau continues to expand her sprawling "Surf Soup Universe," combining decades of professional TV animation experience with a deep passion for saving our oceans.

About

Surf Soup® is an independent family entertainment brand created by Emmy-honored animator, author, illustrator, and producer Donna Kay Lau. Originally launched as an award-winning children's book series, Surf Soup® has grown into a multimedia universe spanning more than 100 books published in multiple languages, original animation, music, educational content, podcasts, and licensed products.

Inspired by kindness, creativity, friendship, and cultural storytelling, Surf Soup® encourages children and families to explore the world through imagination, humor, and heart. The brand's original animated short, *Surf Soup® Buttons*, is Oscar-qualified and reflects Lau's Chinese American heritage while celebrating resilience, family, and