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The Doctor who Knew Too Much

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The Doctor who knew too much tells the story of a general practitioner coming to work on a deserted island on the west coast of Norway.

It's snowing, soon Christmas time. A deer crosses the road, causing a severe car crash. The young doctor, Mads Helmer, is suddenly left with a big challenge: He is now on his own as general practitioner at Hitra island.

The man in the crashed car was the former doctor, Aldus Corneliussen. Mads Helmer soon discovers that the old man's authority was based on totally different things than proper medical work. Should the young man reveal his findings, or keep it to himself? And then Corneliussen's daughter turns up ...

Foreign rights

Smak Slowa, Poland

... too good to miss out on.

Kurt Hanssen, Dagbladet

Outstanding "doctor's novel".

Hans H. Skei, Aftenposten

Those who haven't found this novel under the Christmas tree ought to get a book immediately

Ragnar Stien, The Norwegian Neuro-Literary Club

Christer Mjåset

Christer Mjåset (M.D.) is a Norwegian neurosurgeon, lecturer, columnist and author. Mjåset has written five books, three of them thematizing the everyday work and challenges of physicians in both primary care and hospitals. "The Doctor Who Knew Too Much" (2008) tells the story of a general practitioner coming to work on a deserted island on the west coast of Norway, while "White Ravens" (2012) is about the highly competitive culture in a surgical department at a hospital. Both novels were praised by critics. Mjåset is currently a Harkness fellow in Health Care Policy and Practice at Harvard University in Boston. His books have been translated to German and Polish.

Other titles

You are Bobby Fischer (2015) White Ravens (2012)