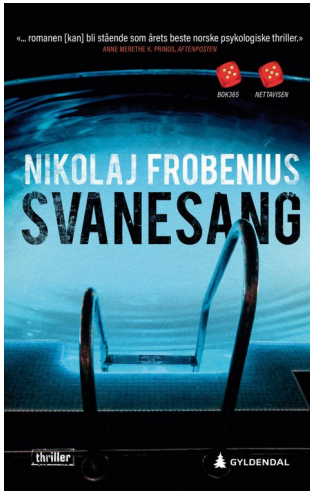


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## SWAN SONG



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Nikolaj Frobenius (b. 1965) is a highly merited novelist and screenwriter. His books are sold to more than twenty languages. Frobenius has also written several film scripts, including the thriller *Insomnia* (1997), which was subsequently produced by Christopher Nolan in a new Hollywood version starring Al Pacino, Hilary Swank and Robin Williams.

