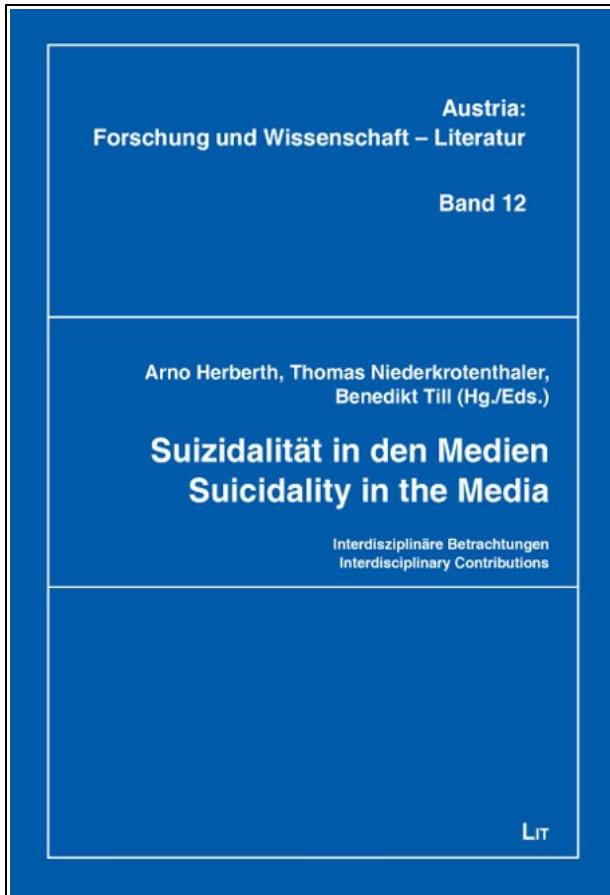


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International contributions from psychology, medicine, sociology, media- and literary studies focus on semiotics of suicide portrayals in the media and their effects on the recipient.

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