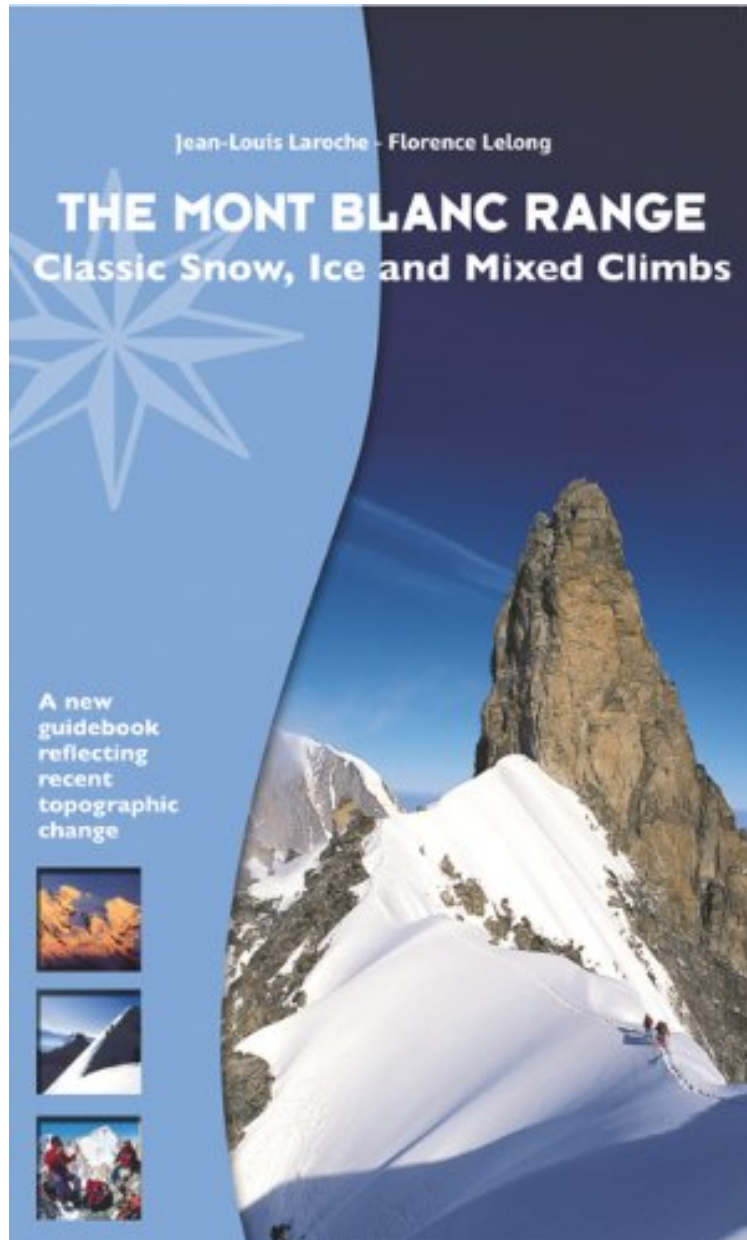


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About the AuthorLean-Louis Laroche is mountain guide, photographer and free-lance journalist. As a Mont Blanc enthusiast for over thirty years he has climbed most of the classics on rock, ice, snow and mixed ground. He has pioneered new rock routes in the pre-Alps, as well as ice falls and has been on expeditions to remote areas. Florence LeLong is a free-lance photographer, illustrator, mountain leader and alpinist.