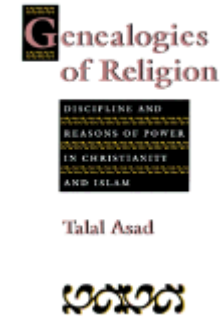
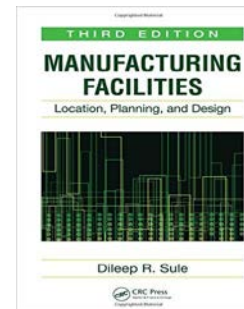
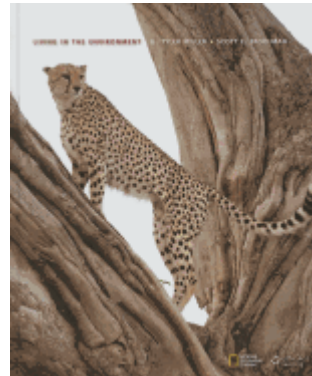
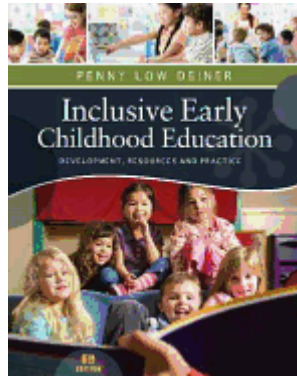
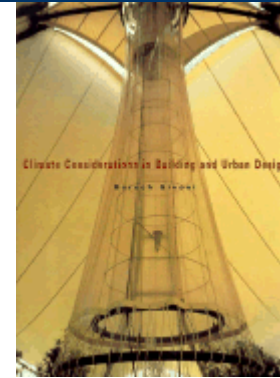
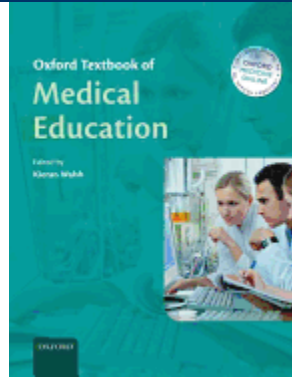
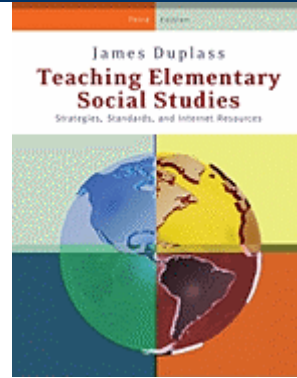
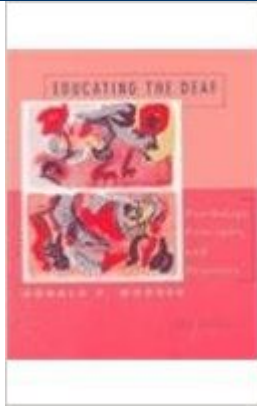


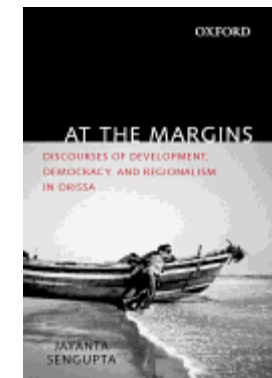
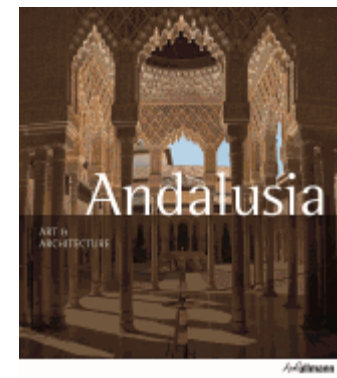
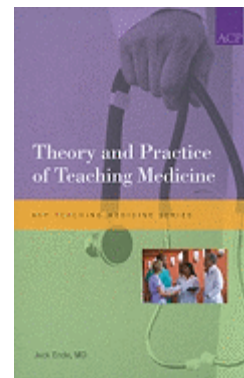
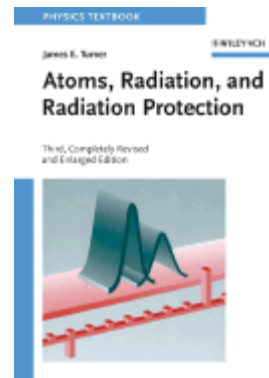
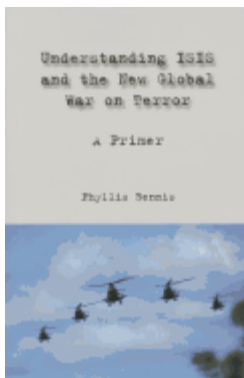
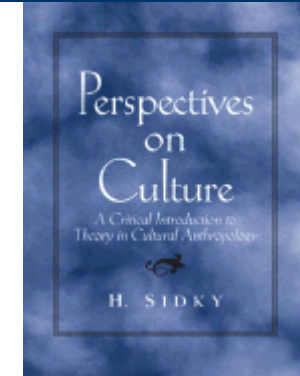
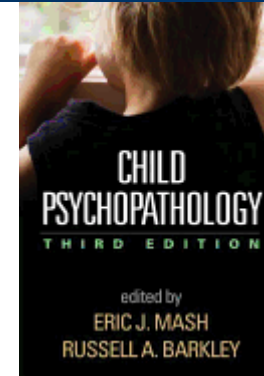
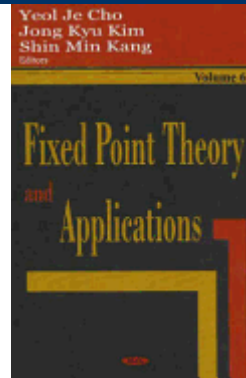
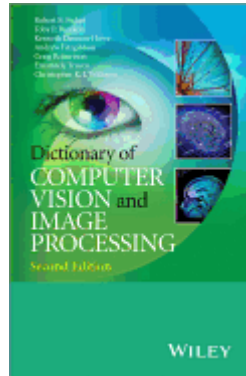
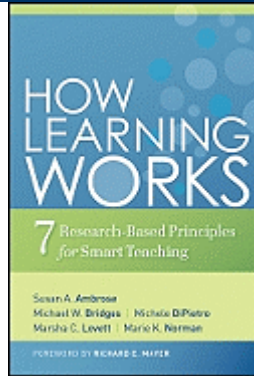
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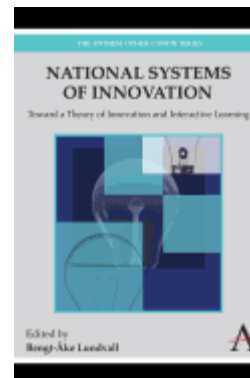
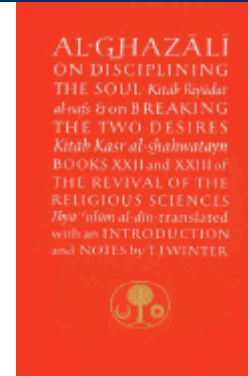
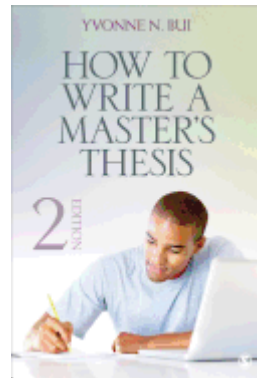
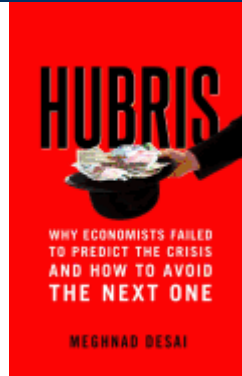
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New Arrivals

Title Educating the deaf: psychology, principles and practices, 5th ed. / by Moores

Imprint New York: Houghton Mifflin Company, c1979

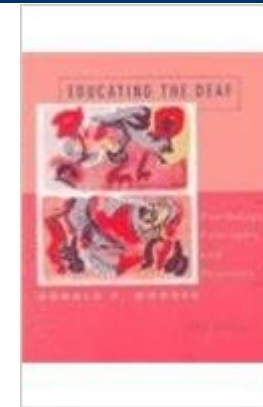
Language English

Book Location 371. 912 MOO – E

Subject

Brief Introduction

Educating the Deaf is the authoritative, comprehensive standard-bearer in its market, offering balanced coverage of hotly contested issues, such as language acquisition vs. manual communication. The text compiles all the major home, school, and community issues that affect the education of the deaf.



New Arrivals

Title Teaching elementary social studies: strategies, standards, and internet resources, 3rd ed. / by Duplass

Imprint Belmont: Wadsworth Cengage Learning, c2011

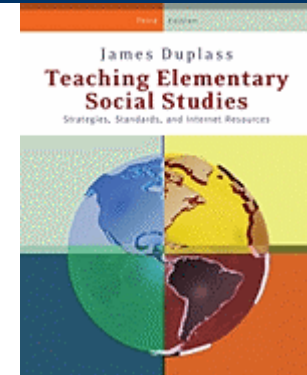
Language English

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Subject

Brief Introduction

Written for the elementary social studies methods course, this "interactive" program features a combined textbook-workbook that is thoroughly integrated with a dynamic website. To accommodate the visual preferences of today's college students, the layout of the print text features a larger-than-usual font, bulleted lists, and contemporary graphics. The program's interactive approach and flexibility allow instructors to model the kinds of teaching principles and practices that students will want to use in their own elementary school classrooms. These principles and practices are integrated throughout the text and include active-learning strategies, application of constructivist principles, a focus on big ideas and thinking skills, use of the Internet, and modeling of best practices and performance-based assessments (based on INTASC and NCATE standards). As a result, the book serves as a springboard for classroom activities, website explorations, and/or instructor-led activities.



New Arrivals

Title Oxford textbook of medical education / Edited by Walsh

Imprint Oxford: Oxford University Press, c2013

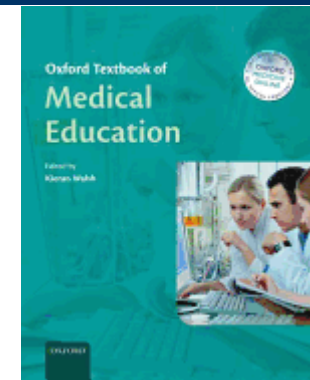
Language English

Book Location 610. 7 OXF –

Subject

Brief Introduction

Providing a comprehensive and evidence-based reference guide for those who have a strong and scholarly interest in medical education, the Oxford Textbook of Medical Education contains everything the medical educator needs to know in order to deliver the knowledge, skills, and behaviour that doctors need. The book explicitly states what constitutes best practice and gives an account of the evidence base that corroborates this. Describing the theoretical educational principles that lay the foundations of best practice in medical education, the book gives readers a through grounding in all aspects of this discipline. Contributors to this book come from a variety of different backgrounds, disciplines and locations, producing a book that is truly original and international.



New Arrivals

Title Climate considerations in building and urban design / by Givoni

Imprint New York: John Wiley and Sons, c1998

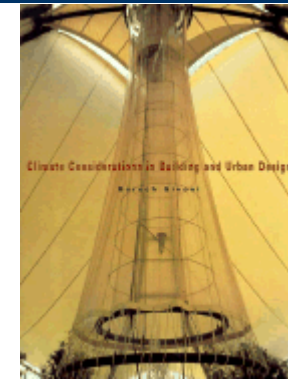
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Book Location 720. 47 GIV – C

Subject

Brief Introduction

Climate Considerations in Building and Urban Design Baruch Givoni Climate Considerations in Building and Urban Design is the most comprehensive, up-to-date reference available on building and urban climatology. Written in clear, common-sense language by Baruch Givoni, the leading authority in the field, this book is a far-reaching look at a variety of climatic influences and their effects on individuals, buildings, and communities. Aimed at architecture and urban planning professionals and students alike, Climate Considerations in Building and Urban Design offers real-life solutions to climatological site planning and design issues, helping to settle disputes about site orientation, site organization, and the assembly of building materials. Climate Considerations in Building and Urban Design is organized into three parts. The first, Building Climatology, analyzes human thermal comfort and the effect of architectural and structural design features including layout, window orientation, and shading, and ventilation conditions on the indoor climate. Then, Urban Climatology explores the ways in which the climate in densely built areas can differ from surrounding regional climactic conditions, for example, in temperature, wind speed, and humidity.



New Arrivals

Title Purchasing and supply chain management, 6th ed. / by Monczka [et al].

Imprint Boston: Cengage Learning, c2016

Language English

Book Location 658. 72 PUR –

Subject



Brief Introduction

Providing a solid managerial perspective, Purchasing And Supply Chain Management, 6e draws from the authors' firsthand experiences and relationships with executives and practitioners worldwide to present the most current and complete coverage of today's supply management process. The text includes critical developments from the field, such as cases from emerging healthcare and service industries, procure-to-pay redesign, supply risk, innovation, sustainability, collaboration, and much more. It also examines key changes in supply management and the impact of the global economy and ongoing business uncertainty on continuous cost and value management across the supply chain. Numerous real-world cases and captivating examples give you contextual insights and knowledge into the strategies, processes, and practices of supply management. Purchasing And Supply Chain Management, 6e equips future managers with a thorough understanding of the impact that purchasing and supply chain management have on the competitive success and profitability of today's organizations.

New Arrivals

Title Inclusive early childhood education: development, resources and practice, 6th ed. / by Deiner

Imprint Belmont: Wadsworth Cengage Learning, c2013

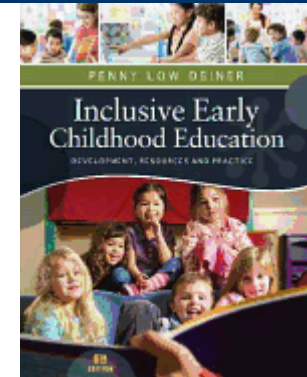
Language English

Book Location 371. 9046 DEI – I

Subject

Brief Introduction

INCLUSIVE EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION: DEVELOPMENT, RESOURCES, AND PRACTICE, Sixth Edition, is a comprehensive special education resource book that provides essential information on a variety of early childhood learning disabilities, as well as strategies for including children with these special needs in regular educational settings. The author provides you with a solid grounding in theory and research as well as practical guidelines, real-world vignettes, and hands-on program planning assistance to prepare you to integrate children with learning disabilities into your classrooms. Updated throughout, this edition also introduces videos that are available for viewing at the Early Childhood Education Media Library, allowing you to see text concepts brought to life in real classroom settings. Whether you're training to be a pre-school teacher, kindergarten teacher, early education provider, child care provider, or administrator in any of these settings, you'll keep this resource with you long after you complete your coursework.



New Arrivals

Title Living in the environment / by Miller & Spoolman

Imprint Stamford: Cengage Learning, c2015

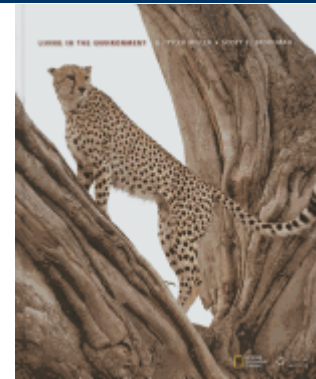
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Subject

Brief Introduction

"Inspiring people to care about the planet." In the new edition of Living In The Environment, authors Tyler Miller and Scott Spoolman have partnered with the National Geographic Society to develop a text designed to equip students with the inspiration and knowledge they need to make a difference solving today's environmental issues. Exclusive content highlights important work of National Geographic Explorers, and features over 200 new photos, maps, and illustrations that bring course concepts to life. Using sustainability as the integrating theme, Living In The Environment 18e, provides clear introductions to the multiple environmental problems that we face and balanced discussions to evaluate potential solutions. In addition to the integration of new and engaging National Geographic content, every chapter has been thoroughly updated and 18 new Core Case Studies offer current examples of present environmental problems and scenarios for potential solutions. The concept-centered approach used in the text transforms complex environmental topics and issues into key concepts that students will understand and remember. Overall, by framing the concepts with goals for more sustainable lifestyles and human communities, students see how promising the future can be and their important role in shaping it. offers additional exclusive National Geographic content, including high-quality videos on important environmental problems and efforts being made to address them. Team up with Miller/Spoolman's, Living In The Environment and the National Geographic Society to offer your students the most inspiring introduction to environmental science available!



New Arrivals

<i>Title</i>	Moorish style / by Danby
<i>Imprint</i>	New York: Phaidon Press Inc, c1995
<i>Language</i>	English
<i>Book Location</i>	726. 2 DAN – M
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Brief Introduction

During the nineteenth century a fascination with the Orient spread across Europe. The landscapes, townscapes and costumes of the Ottoman, Arab and Mogul worlds provided inspiration for painters from Delacroix to Matisse. When expressed in architecture and design, this phenomenon became known as the Moorish Style. In this magnificently illustrated survey, Miles Danby examines the roots of the style in art and architecture throughout the Islamic world, discussing the factors of space, pattern, structure and decoration. Of all the buildings that exemplify this mode, the Alhambra in Granada is perhaps the most important. Expertly recorded by the great nineteenth-century designer Owen Jones, its features became part of the exotic dreams of aesthetes and continued to inspire Western architects during the twentieth century. This book, now available in paperback, is the first to examine this highly distinctive and influential style all the way from its earliest origins to its diverse contemporary manifestations.

New Arrivals

Title Manufacturing facilities: location, planning and design, 3rd ed. / by Sule

Imprint Boca Raton: CRC Press, c2009

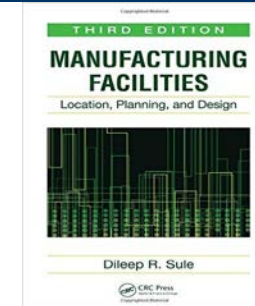
Language English

Book Location 658. 2 SUL – M

Subject

Brief Introduction

Fierce global competition in manufacturing has made proficient facilities planning a mandatory issue in industrial engineering and technology. From plant layout and materials handling to quality function deployment and design considerations, *Manufacturing Facilities: Location, Planning, and Design, Third Edition* covers a wide range of topics crucial to the efficiency of a well-planned facility. Properly updated and revised, the third edition of this classic volume provides the information and analytical tools necessary to move from product designs to production plans and then details all of the planning techniques needed to build a manufacturing facility where safety, efficiency, and profit are interdependent. Divided into two parts, the first section describes all the factors involved in setting up a manufacturing plant. It covers product design, the choice of manufacturing processes, and plant layout, as well as production, material-handling, and storage systems. The author also highlights the importance of the selection of labor resources. The second part examines subjective aspects, such as how to maximize efficiency and save resources. It discusses how to choose the best location and how to assign customers to each facility to minimize the overall cost of operation. It also reviews the process of selecting sites for proximity to emergency service facilities, and explains how to determine the best layout within a building for tool rooms, materials, machining, shipping, inspection, and other departments. Proper planning results in efficient allocation of available resources for any project. This comprehensive reference empowers engineers, facility planners, and students in manufacturing programs to effectively develop both the method and the mindset required to create an efficient and integrated production facility.



New Arrivals

Title Genealogies of religion: discipline and reasons of power in Christianity and Islam / by Talal

Imprint London: Johns Hopkins University Press, c1993

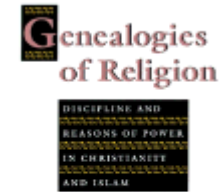
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Subject

Brief Introduction

In "Genealogies of Religion", Talal Asad explores how religion as a historical category emerged in the West and has come to be applied as a universal concept. The idea that religion has undergone a radical change since the Christian Reformation-from totalitarian and socially repressive to private and relatively benign-is a familiar part of the story of secularization. It is often invoked to explain and justify the liberal politics and world view of modernity. And it leads to the view that "politicized religions" threaten both reason and liberty. Asad's essays explore and question all these assumptions. He argues that "religion" is a construction of European modernity, a construction that authorizes-for Westerners and non-Westerners alike-particular forms of "history making".



Talal Asad



New Arrivals

Title How learning works: 7research-based principles for smart teaching / by Ambrose [et al].

Imprint Hoboken: John Wiley & Sons, c2010

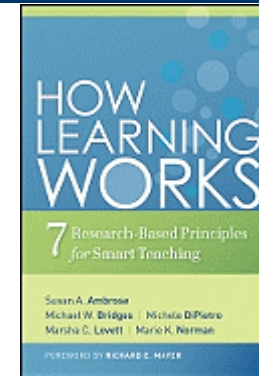
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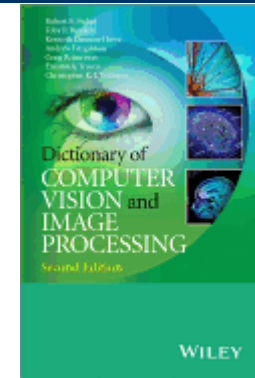
Brief Introduction

Distilling the research literature and translating the scientific approach into language relevant to a college or university teacher, this book introduces seven general principles of how students learn. The authors have drawn on research from a breadth of perspectives (cognitive, developmental, and social psychology; educational research; anthropology; demographics; organizational behavior) to identify a set of key principles underlying learning, from how effective organization enhances retrieval and use of information to what impacts motivation. Integrating theory with real-classroom examples in practice, this book helps faculty to apply cognitive science advances to improve their own teaching.



New Arrivals

<i>Title</i>	Dictionary of computer vision and image processing, 2 nd ed. / by Fisher [et al].
<i>Imprint</i>	West Sussex: John Wiley and Sons, c2014
<i>Language</i>	English
<i>Book Location</i>	006. 3703 DIC –
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Brief Introduction

Written by leading researchers, the 2nd Edition of the Dictionary of Computer Vision & Image Processing is a comprehensive and reliable resource which now provides explanations of over 3500 of the most commonly used terms across image processing, computer vision and related fields including machine vision. It offers clear and concise definitions with short examples or mathematical precision where necessary for clarity that ultimately makes it a very usable reference for new entrants to these fields at senior undergraduate and graduate level, through to early career researchers to help build up knowledge of key concepts. As the book is a useful source for recent terminology and concepts, experienced professionals will also find it a valuable resource for keeping up to date with the latest advances. New features of the 2nd Edition: * Contains more than 1000 new terms, notably an increased focus on image processing and machine vision terms; * Includes the addition of reference links across the majority of terms pointing readers to further information about the concept under discussion so that they can continue to expand their understanding; * Now available as an eBook with enhanced content: approximately 50 videos to further illustrate specific terms; active cross-linking between terms so that readers can easily navigate from one related term to another and build up a full picture of the topic in question; and hyperlinked references to fully embed the text in the current literature.

New Arrivals

Title Fixed point theory and applications / Edited by Cho

Imprint New York: Nova Science Publishers, c2000

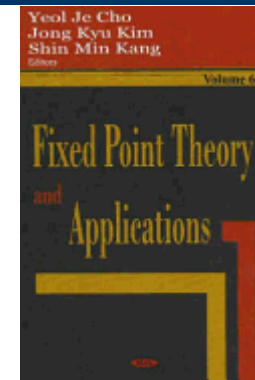
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Subject

Brief Introduction

Stemming from the 8th International Conference on Nonlinear Functional Analysis and Applications, held at Gyeongsang National U. and Kyungnam U. in South Korea in August 2004, this volume is one of three presenting the proceedings (the others are devoted to differential equations and inequality theory). Twenty-three papers are included, with titles.



New Arrivals

Title Child psychology, 3rd ed. / Edited by Mash & Barkley

Imprint New York: The Guilford Press, c2014

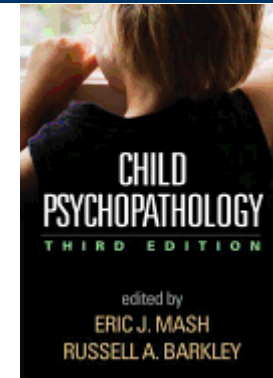
Language English

Book Location 618. 9289 CHI –

Subject

Brief Introduction

This highly respected reference and text on developmental psychopathology brings together leading authorities on the psychological, biological, and social-contextual determinants of child and adolescent problems. The comprehensive introductory chapter provides a state-of-the-art developmental--systems framework for understanding behavioral and emotional disturbances. Subsequent chapters synthesize the developmental bases of specific disorders. The characteristics, epidemiology, developmental course and outcomes, and etiological pathways of each disorder are described, as are risk and protective factors and issues in conceptualization and diagnosis. Important unanswered questions are identified and implications for treatment and prevention considered. New to This Edition *Includes DSM-5 criteria and discussion of changes. *Incorporates over a decade's worth of research advances in genetics, neurobiology, and other areas. *Chapters on bipolar disorder, suicide/self-injury, obsessive-compulsive spectrum disorders, and personality disorders.



New Arrivals

Title Perspectives on culture: a critical introduction to theory in cultural anthropology /
by Sidky

Imprint London: Pearson Prentice Hall, c2004

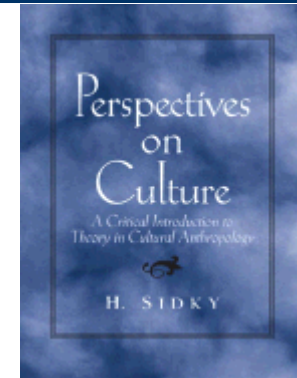
Language English

Book Location 306. 01 SID – P

Subject

Brief Introduction

For courses in General and Cultural Anthropology. This text provides a critical introduction to theory in cultural anthropology-from the perspective of the philosophy of science. It teaches students the analytical skills needed to assess the often contradictory claims to knowledge and theoretical perspectives encountered in the course of their studies.



New Arrivals

Title Understanding ISIS and the new global war on terror / by Bennis

Imprint Northampton: Olive Branch Press, c2015

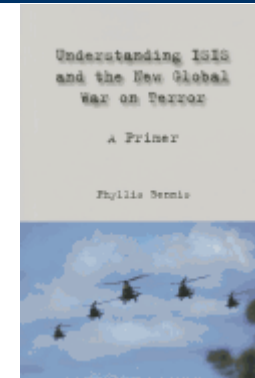
Language English

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Subject

Brief Introduction

Clear explanations of recent events in the new global War on Terror. The US is back at war. A new version of what was once known as George W. Bush's global war on terror has become the central component of American foreign policy. The US/NATO assault on Libya in 2011, thousands of troops on the ground in Iraq, plans to keep combat troops in Afghanistan, drone wars rising in Pakistan, Yemen, Somalia and elsewhere and now new air wars are underway against ISIS and others in Iraq, Syria and perhaps beyond. In this newest addition to Interlinks wide-ranging Understanding Global Issues series, Phyllis Bennis asks and answers the basic questions facing so many Americans: What is ISIS? Why are they so violent? Should Obama have kept troops in Iraq? Is ISIS the same as al-Qaeda? Can you really go to war against terror? How should the US respond to ISIS violence? What dangers lie ahead? Without jargon, in an easy-to-use Frequently Asked Questions format, Bennis sorts through the hype to get to the root of this newest edition of the continuing global war on terror.



New Arrivals

Title Atoms, radiation, and radiation protection, 3rd ed. / by Turner

Imprint Weinheim: Wiley –VCH Verlag GmbH & Co, c2007

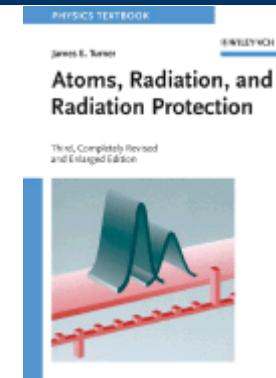
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Subject

Brief Introduction

Atoms, Radiation, and Radiation Protection offers professionals and advanced students a comprehensive coverage of the major concepts that underlie the origins and transport of ionizing radiation in matter. Understanding atomic structure and the physical mechanisms of radiation interactions is the foundation on which much of the current practice of radiological health protection is based. The work covers the detection and measurement of radiation and the statistical interpretation of the data. The procedures that are used to protect man and the environment from the potential harmful effects of radiation are thoroughly described. Basic principles are illustrated with an abundance of worked examples that exemplify practical applications. Chapters include problem sets (with partial answers) and extensive tables and graphs for continued use as a reference work. This completely revised and enlarged third edition includes thorough updates of the material, including the latest recommendations of the ICRP and NCRP.



New Arrivals

Title Theory and practice of teaching medicine / Edited by Ende

Imprint Philadelphia: American college of Physicians, c2010

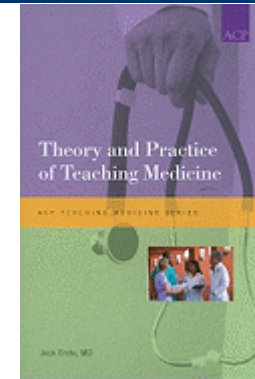
Language English

Book Location 610. 76 THE –

Subject

Brief Introduction

Medical teaching formal and informal, preclinical and clinical, planned and impromptu is complex. Physician-teachers must be concerned with meeting the needs of the learner while providing effective care for the patient. Offering the insight and experience of dedicated medical educators, *Theory and Practice of Teaching Medicine* includes information on the practical applications of learning theories to better meet learners needs; characteristics of successful medical teachers; approaches to developing faculty and improving clinical teaching; vignettes addressing specific clinical teaching challenges; and resources and literature for medical teachers to enhance their knowledge. A special section shares poignant anecdotes and personal stories of teaching medicine from 22 colleagues in the field of internal medicine. A part of ACP's Teaching Medicine Series, this title is available individually or as a part of the complete six-book set.



New Arrivals

Title Art and architecture: Andalusia / by Hintzen-Bohlen

Imprint Germany: Ullmann Publishing, c2013

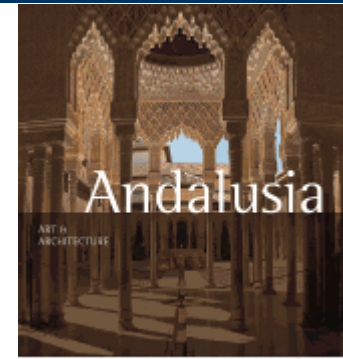
Language English

Book Location 720. 946 HIN – A

Subject

Brief Introduction

Seville, Cordoba, Cadiz or Malaga - Andalusia, at the crossroad of Europe and Africa, has figured prominently in the history of Europe and the Mediterranean. The region has a rich heritage and a strong identity. Many cultural phenomena that are seen internationally as distinctively Spanish are largely or entirely Andalusian in origin. These include flamenco, bullfighting, and certain Moorish-influenced architectural styles. This handy guide will show you all hidden artistic and architectural gems of this fascinating region.



New Arrivals

Title At the margins: discourses of development, democracy, and regionalism in Orissa / by Sengupta

Imprint Oxford: Oxford University Press, c2015

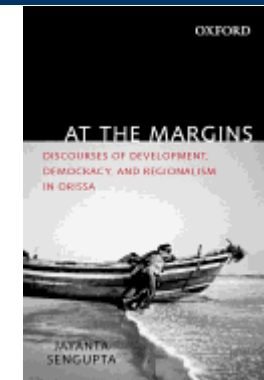
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Subject

Brief Introduction

In comparison to other well-known linguistic movements in India (like the Andhra or the Tamil movements), Orissa is the single instance of the imagination of a pan-regional linguistic identity that made a successful negotiation with the colonial state by using mainly constitutional means within the framework of colonial power. Subsequently, like many other linguistic movements that culminated in statehood in postcolonial India, its appeal waxed and waned and over the long run gradually declined in the second half of the twentieth century, as language came to be displaced by issues of development and underdevelopment as the prime movers of identity politics under electoral democracy. This book addresses these broader questions of poverty, marginality, ethnicity, and identity in Orissa in the twentieth century. Since it challenges the idea of 1947 as a watershed and seeks to grapple with the themes of regionalism, language-based ethnicity, centre-state relations, and the interrelationships between development and democracy across this divide, it will be of great interest not only to historians, political scientists, economists, and sociologists of modern South Asia, but also to scholars and students interested in the cultural politics of linguistic identity, and the politics of democracy and development in the global South.



New Arrivals

Title Hubris: why economist failed to predict the crisis and how to avoid the next one /by Desai

Imprint London: Yale University Press, c2015

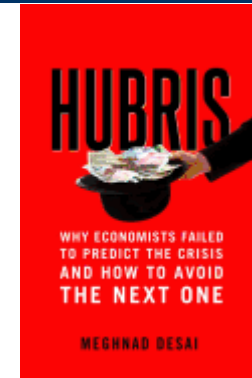
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Subject

Brief Introduction

The failure of economists to anticipate the global financial crisis and mitigate the impact of the ensuing recession has spurred a public outcry. Economists are under fire, but questions concerning exactly how to redeem the discipline remain unanswered. In this provocative book, renowned economist Meghnad Desai investigates the evolution of economics and maps its trajectory against the occurrence of major political events to provide a definitive answer. Desai underscores the contribution of hubris to economists' calamitous lack of foresight, and he makes a persuasive case for the profession to re-engage with the history of economic thought. He dismisses the notion that one over-arching paradigm can resolve all economic eventualities while urging that an array of already-available theories and approaches be considered anew for the insights they may provide toward preventing future economic catastrophes. With an accessible style and keen common sense, Desai offers a fresh perspective on some of the most important economic issues of our time.



New Arrivals

Title How to write a master's thesis, 2nd ed. / by Bui

Imprint London: Sage Publications, c2014

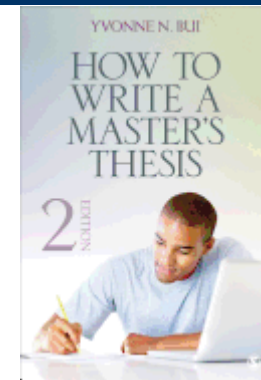
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Subject

Brief Introduction

How to Write a Masters Thesis is a comprehensive manual on how to conceptualize and write a five-chapter masters thesis, including the introduction, literature review, methodology, results, and discussionnclusion. Very often, a theory-practice gap exists for students who have taken the prerequisite methods and statistics courses in their masters program but who have yet to understand how to apply and translate what they've learned about the research process with their first major project. Yvonna Bui demystifies this process by integrating the language learned in these prerequisite courses into a step-by-step guide for developing one's own thesis/project.



New Arrivals

Title Assessment in health professions education / Edited by Downing & Yudkowsky

Imprint London: Routledge, c2009

Language English

Book Location 610. 71 ASS –

Subject

Brief Introduction

Assessment in Health Professions Education provides comprehensive guidance for persons engaged in the teaching and testing of the health professions - medicine, dentistry, nursing, pharmacy and allied fields. Part I of the book provides a user-friendly introduction to assessment fundamentals and their theoretical underpinnings; Part II describes specific assessment methods used in the health professions, with a focus on best practices, assessment challenges, and practical guidelines for the effective implementation of successful assessment programs. Key features: Comprehensive - the first text to provide broad, single-source coverage of all aspects of assessment in the health professions. Accessible - while scholarly and evidence-based, the book is geared towards health professions educators who are not measurement specialists. Thematic - assessment validity is an organizing theme and provides a conceptual framework throughout the book.



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Rachel Yudkowsky

New Arrivals

Title

Al-Ghazali on Disciplining the Soul & on Breaking the Two Desires: Books XXII and XXIII of the Revival
of the Religious Sciences / by Al-Ghazali & Winter

Imprint

Cambridge: The Islamic Texts Society, c1995

Language

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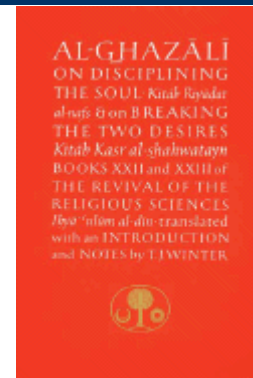
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297. 07 WIN – A

Subject

Brief Introduction

The spiritual life in Islam begins with 'riyadat al-nafs', the inner warfare against the ego. Distracted and polluted by worldliness, the lower self has a tendency to drag the human creature down into arrogance and vice. Only by a powerful effort of will can the sincere worshipper achieve the purity of soul which enables him to attain God's proximity. This translation of two chapters from "The Revival of the Religious Sciences" ("Ihya' 'Ulum al-Din") details the sophisticated spiritual techniques adopted by classical Islam. In the first step, "On Disciplining the Soul," which cites copious anecdotes from the Islamic scriptures and biographies of the saints, Ghazali explains how to acquire good character traits, and goes on to describe how the sickness of the heart may be cured. In the second part, "Breaking the Two Desires," he focusses on the question of gluttony and sexual desire, concluding, in the words of the Prophet, that 'the best of all matters is the middle way'. The translator has added an introduction and notes which explore Ghazali's ability to make use of Greek as well as Islamic ethics. The work will prove of special interest to those interested in Sufi mysticism, comparative ethics, and the question of sexuality in Islam.



New Arrivals

Title Rewriting the rules of the American economy: an agenda for growth and shared prosperity / by Stiglitz

Imprint New York: W.W. Norton & Company, c2016

Language English

Book Location 330. 973 STI – R

Subject

Brief Introduction

Inequality is a choice. The United States bills itself as the land of opportunity, a place where anyone can achieve success and a better life through hard work and determination. But the facts tell a different story-the U.S. today lags behind most other developed nations in measures of inequality and economic mobility. For decades, wages have stagnated for the majority of workers while economic gains have disproportionately gone to the top one percent. Education, housing and health care-essential ingredients for individual success-are growing ever more expensive. Deeply rooted structural discrimination continues to hold down women and people of colour, and more than one-fifth of all American children now live in poverty. These trends are on track to become even worse in the future. Some economists claim that today's bleak conditions are inevitable consequences of market outcomes, globalisation and technological progress. If we want greater equality, they argue, we have to sacrifice growth. This is simply not true. American inequality is the result of misguided structural rules that actually constrict economic growth. We have stripped away worker protections and family support systems, created a tax system that rewards short-term gains over long-term investment, offered a de facto public safety net to too-big-to-fail financial institutions, and chosen monetary and fiscal policies that promote wealth over full employment.



New Arrivals

Title Capitalism: a ghost story / by Roy

Imprint New York: Verso, c2014

Language English

Book Location 320. 954 ROY – C

Subject

Brief Introduction

In *Capitalism: A Ghost Story*, best-selling writer Arundhati Roy examines the dark side of Indian democracy--a nation of 1.2 billion, where the country's 100 richest people own assets worth one quarter of India's gross domestic product. Ferocious and clear-sighted, this is a searing portrait of a nation haunted by ghosts: the hundreds of thousands of farmers who have committed suicide to escape punishing debt; the hundreds of millions who live on less than two dollars a day. It is the story of how the largest democracy in the world, with over 800 million voting in the last election, answers to the demands of globalized capitalism, subjecting millions of people to inequality and exploitation. Roy shows how the mega-corporations, modern robber barons plundering India's natural resources, use brute force, as well as a wide range of NGOs and foundations, to sway government and policy making in India.



New Arrivals

Title Managing the supply chain: a strategic perspective / by Gattorna & Walters

Imprint New York: Palgrave MacMillan, c1996

Language English

Book Location 658. 7 GAT – M

Subject

Brief Introduction

This text takes an updated view of the issues involved in supply chain management in today's business environment. In the 1990s, many businesses have gone through a number of changes, in particular through focusing on core activities and divesting themselves of many of the support functions traditionally carried out 'in house'. This development has led to the necessity for a broader concept of logistics that embraces the functions of both suppliers and customers into an integrated supply chain. The consequence of this is that the fundamental disciplines of logistics management must be reviewed and modified. Within this framework, the text addresses topics such as: * value chain analysis * activity based costing * strategic partnerships and alliances * international operations * optimisation * best practice and benchmarking The book will be ideal for students and practitioners in the field of logistics and supply chain management.



New Arrivals

Title National systems of innovation: toward a theory of innovation and interactive learning / Edited by Lundvall

Imprint New York: Anthem Press, c2010

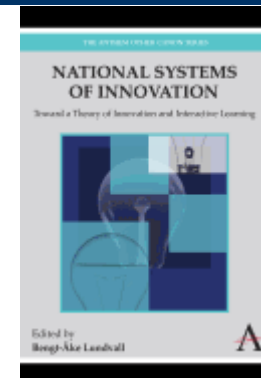
Language English

Book Location 338. 064 NAT –

Subject

Brief Introduction

National Systems of Innovation' presents a new perspective on the dynamics of the national and the global economy.



New Arrivals

Title Make it stick: the science of successful learning / by Brown, Roediger III & McDaniel

Imprint London: The Belknap Press of Harvard University Press, c2014

Language English

Book Location 370. 1523 BRO – M

Subject

Brief Introduction

To most of us, learning something "the hard way" implies wasted time and effort. Good teaching, we believe, should be creatively tailored to the different learning styles of students and should use strategies that make learning easier. "Make It Stick" turns fashionable ideas like these on their head. Drawing on recent discoveries in cognitive psychology and other disciplines, the authors offer concrete techniques for becoming more productive learners. Memory plays a central role in our ability to carry out complex cognitive tasks, such as applying knowledge to problems never before encountered and drawing inferences from facts already known. New insights into how memory is encoded, consolidated, and later retrieved have led to a better understanding of how we learn. Grappling with the impediments that make learning challenging leads both to more complex mastery and better retention of what was learned. Many common study habits and practice routines turn out to be counterproductive. Underlining and highlighting, rereading, cramming, and single-minded repetition of new skills create the illusion of mastery, but gains fade quickly. More complex and durable learning come from self-testing, introducing certain difficulties in practice, waiting to re-study new material until a little forgetting has set in, and interleaving the practice of one skill or topic with another. Speaking most urgently to students, teachers, trainers, and athletes, "Make It Stick" will appeal to all those interested in the challenge of lifelong learning and self-improvement.



New Arrivals

Title Guide to Methods for Students of Political Science: Property, Proof, and Dispute in
Catalonia around the Year 1000 / by Evera

Imprint Ithaca : Cornell University Press, c1997

Language English

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Subject

Brief Introduction

"Stephen Van Evera's Guide to Methods makes an important contribution toward improving the use of case studies for theory development and testing in the social sciences. His trenchant and concise views on issues ranging from epistemology to specific...



