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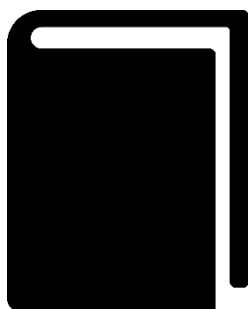
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複式簿記の批判的歴史 1150～1800 年
A Critical History of Double Entry
Accounting 1150-1800

Sangster, Alan, A Critical History of Double Entry Accounting 1150-1800. (Frontiers of Accounting and Financial History 5) 500 pp. 2025:11 (World Scientific, SI) <754-449>

ISBN 978-981-9815-80-7

hard ¥33,543 (税込)



The English language accounting history of double entry accounting before 1800 has reached an impasse. The doors to its reawakening are fiercely guarded by combination locks powered by confirmation bias and adherence to a priori wisdom requiring vast amounts of supportive scholarship to make public the smallest contribution to what is known and understood of the first 600 years of its use. To open those doors, a foundation is needed upon which scholarship can begin anew - a framework of reference that can be used to justify the validity and relevance of scholarship and discovery in this field. That is the purpose and role of this book. It does not focus on the technical. It focuses on the environment and context of use of the method, and its function. It considers 'why' and consequences. It asks who, when, where, and what, along with 'how'. It adopts the perspective that the reason for the bookkeeping drove how it was adopted, not the availability of parchment or paper, nor the emergence of the concept of the technology - the book - in which it was recorded. Rather its use was driven by a need of the person who wrote the record, or by the needs of those who wished a record to be kept. A critical traditional historical method is adopted. Explanations are sought and identified utilising knowledge of the environment and context of practice that, to this point, rarely if ever feature in the antiquarian historiography this book ideally seeks to replace. The approach adopted is multi-disciplinary and the sources used are multi-disciplinary and multi-lingual. This book is essential reading for anyone with an interest in accounting's past.



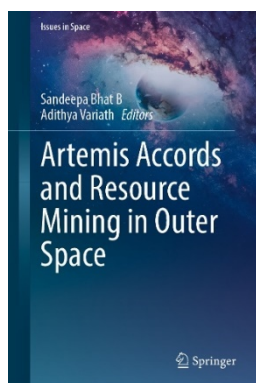


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アルテミス合意と宇宙における資源採掘 Artemis Accords and Resource Mining in Outer Space

Bhat B, Sandeepa / Variath, Adithya (eds.), Artemis Accords and Resource Mining in Outer Space. (Issues in Space) 200 pp. 2025:10 (Springer, GW) <754-589 > ISBN 978-981-9501-51-9 hard ¥39,596 (税込)



This book explores the timely intersection of international law, space exploration, and global equity, focusing on the implications of the Artemis Accords. As humanity embarks on a new era of space exploration, driven by technological advancements and geopolitical competition, the Artemis Accords represent a pivotal milestone in shaping the legal frameworks for outer space activities. These non-binding agreements, established by NASA and the U.S. Department of State, facilitate international cooperation in civil exploration and the peaceful use of the Moon, Mars, and other celestial bodies. The Accords outline a structure for resource mining on the Moon while emphasizing peaceful exploration.

However, they also raise questions about governance, ownership, and accountability, particularly regarding private enterprises and international competition.

The book critically examines the potential for space resource mining to perpetuate global inequities, drawing parallels with historical patterns of colonialism. It emphasizes the need for more equitable frameworks that allow nations, including those from the Global South, to benefit from space exploration. The contributors, experts in space law and policy, provide diverse perspectives on the challenges and opportunities of resource mining in outer space, addressing ethical and environmental considerations to promote sustainability. Through case studies and analysis, the book offers innovative solutions for ensuring a just and inclusive future for space exploration, making it an essential resource for legal scholars, policymakers, and anyone interested in space law and global equity.



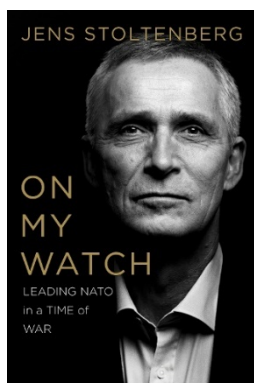


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J.ストルテンベルグ著
戦時において NATO を率いる
On My Watch: Leading NATO in a Time of War

Stoltenberg, Jens, On My Watch: Leading NATO in a Time of War. 480 pp. 2025:10
(Norton, US) <754-685>
ISBN 978-1-324-11117-7 hard ¥7,003 (税込)



When Jens Stoltenberg took office as secretary general of NATO in 2014, the world was already changing. What followed was a decade marked by war, diplomatic crises, and decisions that helped shape the West's shared security.

On My Watch takes readers behind closed doors and offers rare insight into how the world's most powerful military alliance handles crises. Stoltenberg describes the effort to keep NATO united and addresses key issues, such as the war in Ukraine, NATO's withdrawal from Afghanistan, relations with Russia and China, and cooperation with world leaders including Angela Merkel, Donald Trump, and Volodymyr Zelenskyy.

This is not a book about division. It is a story of unity, of friendship and of why NATO still matters. Through his reflections on disagreements and dilemmas, he offers a unique view into the art of diplomacy and the hard choices that must be made when global peace is at stake. He ultimately shows why openness is essential to preserve cohesion and to face the challenges of tomorrow.



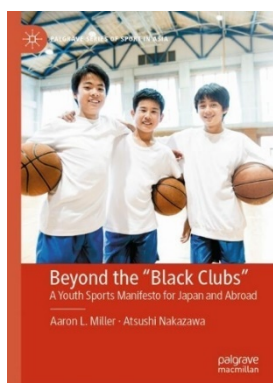


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A.L.ミラー、中澤篤史著
『ブラック部活』を超えてー日本及び外国の
ユーススポーツのマニフェスト
Beyond the "Black Clubs": A Youth Sports Mani-
festo for Japan and Abroad

Miller, Aaron L. / Nakazawa, Atsushi, Beyond the "Black Clubs": A Youth Sports Manifesto for Japan and Abroad. (Palgrave Series of Sport in Asia) 291 pp. 2025:10 (Palgrave Macmillan, UK) <754-1157>
ISBN 978-981-9614-24-0 hard ¥29,696 (税込)



Based on a unique blending of sociology, history, anthropology, and philosophy, this book seeks to reinvigorate youth-centered sports along a path of inclusivity, play, and enjoyment. Beyond the Black Clubs represents a groundbreaking collaboration between leading global researchers as they unravel the intricate tapestry of youth sports in Japan. From Japan's opening to the West in the nineteenth century, the state-driven fusion of sports and education has given rise to a powerful apparatus of moral education, which has helped sustain social stability, order, and hierarchy. And yet, the current state of youth sports is unfortunately pockmarked by so-called "black clubs"-school sports clubs that allow practices such as hazing and corporal punishment, and which lead to many injuries and accidents. This meticulously researched book unveils the global undercurrents that

have shaped youth sports in Japan and created the conditions for these black clubs to emerge and, by demanding the attention and action of fellow adults, lays the intellectual foundation for a brighter sports future for all Japanese youth as well as all youth athletes abroad.



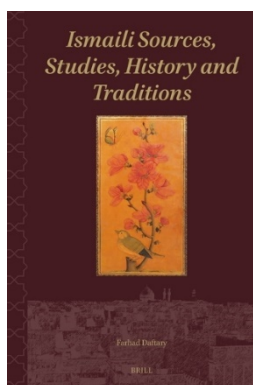


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**F.Daftary 著 イスマーイール派の史料、
研究、歴史、伝統**
Ismaili Sources, Studies, History and Traditions

Daftary, Farhad, Ismaili Sources, Studies, History and Traditions. (Shii Islam: Texts and Studies 6) 315 pp. 2025:10 (Brill, NE) <754-117>
ISBN 978-90-04-74380-9 hard ¥30,937 (税込)



Until recently, Ismailis were studied and evaluated almost exclusively on the basis of evidence often fabricated by adversaries. Thus, a variety of legends and misrepresentations circulated in Europe as well as among other Muslim communities regarding the teachings and practices of this Shi'i Muslim community. With the access of modern scholars to numerous Ismaili manuscript sources, preserved in Yemen, Syria, Iran, Central Asia and India, a completely new image of the Ismailis has emerged. A leading authority in Ismaili studies, Farhad Daftary draws on the results of modern scholarship in the studies collected here on Ismaili history and aspects of Ismaili thought and traditions.





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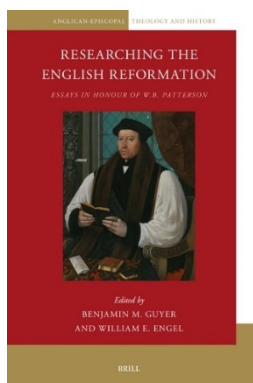
イングランドの宗教改革を研究する —W.B.Patterson 記念論集

Researching the English Reformation: Es- says in Honour of W. B. Patterson

Guyer, Benjamin M. / Engel, William E. (eds.), Researching the English Reformation: Essays in Honour of W. B. Patterson. (Anglican-Episcopal Theology and History 15) 2025:10 (Brill, NE) <754-123>

ISBN 978-90-04-67783-8

paper ¥16,087 (税込)



Researching the Reformation studies the history and historiography of early Anglicanism in order to pay tribute to the scholarship of W. Brown Patterson. Three of the volume's sections are inspired by Patterson's research monographs. The first taking its cue from Patterson's study of Thomas Fuller, analyses the intersection of mythology and historiography surrounding the English Reformation. The second, following Patterson's study of William Perkins, turns to the general theological and political contours of early modern England. The third pans out in both geography and chronology, thus emulating Patterson's award-winning study of King James VI and I. The fourth and final section analyses how, in the nineteenth century, the early modern period was reinvented by the Parker Society and the Oxford Movement.

Contributors are: Benjamin M. Guyer, William E. Engel, George Core, George Poe, Diarmaid MacCulloch, Anthony Milton, James Ross MacDonald, Scott Kindred-Barnes, Paul Dominiak, David Neelands, John N. Wall, Torrance Kirby, Margo Todd, Nicholas Tyacke, Lori Anne Ferrell, and Peter Nockles.





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動学的マクロ経済学講義 一方法と応用 Lectures on Dynamic Macroeconomics: Methods and Applications.

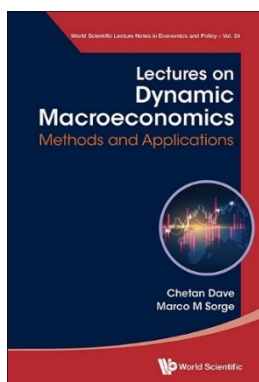
Dave, Chetan / Sorge, Marco M., Lectures on Dynamic Macroeconomics: Methods and Applications. (World Scientific Lecture Notes in Economics and Policy 24) 316 pp. 2025:6 (World Scientific, SI) <754-159>

ISBN 978-981-12-9620-8

hard ¥22,928 (税込)

ISBN 978-981-12-9757-1

paper ¥12,313 (税込)



This book provides an introduction to the study of dynamic general equilibrium economic models: time can either be modelled in a discrete or continuous fashion, and the environment may be either deterministic or stochastic - this generality accommodates both business cycle and economic growth modelling. The purpose of the book is to teach first the tools employed in modern macroeconomic theory and second the topics most often encountered in macroeconomic debate. While the focus of the textbook is on macroeconomic modelling, the tools that are employed can also be applied to other fields in economics; for example, natural resource and environmental economics and industrial organization.

Throughout the text the reader is exposed to both methodology and applications - the scope and reach of a reader's own modelling is of course entirely a function of her own ingenuity with economic questions of interest.



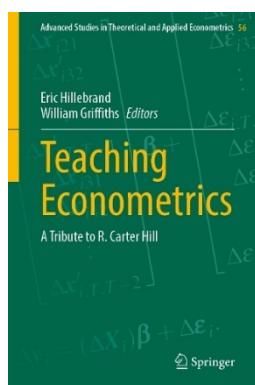


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計量経済学を教えるーR.C.ヒル記念論集
Teaching Econometrics:
A Tribute to R. Carter Hill

Hillebrand, Eric / Griffiths, William (eds.), Teaching Econometrics: A Tribute to R. Carter Hill. (Advanced Studies in Theoretical and Applied Econometrics 56) 414 pp. 2025:9 (Springer, GW) <754-171>
ISBN 978-3-031-97941-5 hard ¥44,546 (税込)



This compendium collects advances and reflections on the teaching of econometrics from internationally well-known econometricians, including a number of accomplished textbook writers. The subjects range from reflections on many decades of teaching econometrics to studies of the instruction of specific examples and methods. It is aimed at teachers and students of econometrics at all levels.

- Provides helpful tools for anyone teaching econometrics
- Features some of the most distinguished and well-known teachers and researchers in econometrics
- Discusses specific examples and methods for teaching econometrics





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計量経済学 第1・2巻 Econometrics. Volume 1 & 2.

Perron, Pierre, Econometrics. 2025:10 (World Scientific, SI)

Volume 1: Basic Theory and Topics for Cross-Section Data. 850 pp. <754-172>

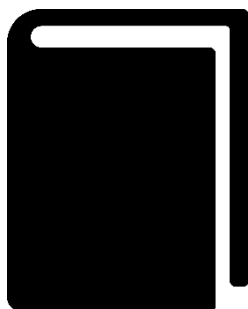
ISBN 978-981-9810-87-1

hard ¥41,398 (税込)

Volume 2: Topics for Time Series and Large Panel Data. 700 pp. <754-173>

ISBN 978-981-9810-90-1

hard ¥32,906 (税込)



This book is intended for graduate instruction in subjects like econometrics, economics, environmental science, social science and many other fields, at the Masters or PhD levels. It can be used as a textbook or as a reference guide. It covers a wide range of topics related to tools used in cross-sectional, time series and panel data. There are several aspects in which this book departs from traditional treatments. The emphasis is on understanding the main issues, concepts and methods in Econometrics, how to implement them and interpret the results. The mathematical aspects are kept to a minimum as the aim is to provide an intuitive understanding of how various parts fit together, as opposed

to a sophisticated mathematical treatment of the subject. Many examples and discussions are provided. Hence, minimal mathematical pre-requisites are needed. Extensive references are also provided to dig deeper into the mathematical aspects of the theories.

Volume 1 deals with the main methods used for inference and hypothesis testing which are applicable to both time series and cross-section data within a unified framework, with special emphasis on how the conditions and methods differ for each. It also includes a discussion of methods applicable only to a cross-section of data (usually a random sample) and to panel data with a small time-dimension. Cases with a large number of predictors are also covered.

The second volume deals with various estimation and inference methods applicable when using time series data or with panel data having a large time-dimension. The treatment covers both stationary and non-stationary (i.e., unit root) data as well as long-memory processes. Also covered extensively are issues related to structural change including estimation and inference methods with stationary and/or non-stationary data, related issues in the context of forecasting and methods to address the interplay between changes in trends and unit roots.





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**日本と中国のインフラ出資ガバナンスの
政治経済学—インドネシアの事例**
**The Political Economy of Japanese and Chinese
Infrastructure Financing Governance**

Wijaya, Trissia, The Political Economy of Japanese and Chinese Infrastructure Financing Governance: Organizing Alliances, Institutions, and Ideology. (Spaces of Peace, Security and Development) 240 pp. 2025:11(Bristol U. Pr., UK) <754-183>

ISBN 978-1-5292-5022-0

hard ¥24,590 (税込)



Explores the political economy of Chinese and Japanese infrastructure financing in Indonesia, examining how Chinese and Japanese actors utilize diverse modes including Official Development Assistant, commercial loans, export credits, business-to-business investments, and public-private partnerships to ensure profitability and manage risks

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Moving beyond traditional views of these financing modes as geo-economic statecraft, the book exposes readers to a new perspective by situating infrastructure financing in the context of capitalist development. It reveals how contestation, conflicts, and compromise between socio-political forces including different segments of Japanese and Chinese capital, state actors, and civil society actors in Indonesia give shape to distinct modes of financing. Through detailed case studies and interviews across Japan, China and Indonesia, it uncovers the interplay between these forces and how their relations are sustained through regulatory complexes underpinning large-scale projects.





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環境・資源経済学講義ノート—理論的入門
Lecture Notes on Environmental and Resource
Economics: A Theoretical Introduction

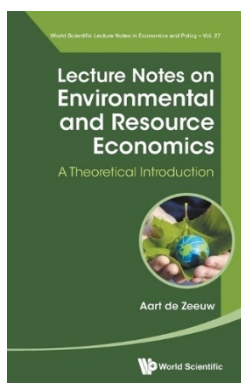
De Zeeuw, Aart, Lecture Notes on Environmental and Resource Economics: A Theoretical Introduction. (World Scientific Lecture Notes in Economics and Policy 27) 204 pp. 2025:8 (World Scientific, SI) <754-227>

ISBN 978-981-9808-01-4

hard ¥18,682 (税込)

ISBN 978-981-9809-39-4

paper ¥8,067 (税込)



This set of lecture notes contains basic theory in environmental and resource economics. It covers not only the traditional topics pollution targets and instruments, renewable and non-renewable resources, growth, trade, and valuation, but also the newer topics international aspects, stock pollution and tipping points. The lectures focus on the main concepts, models, and results in the core areas of environmental and resource economics, and form the basis for extensions, applications, and policy issues in the courses. The book is compact and can serve as a basic text for a course in environmental and resource economics at the advanced undergraduate level. It can also be useful as a reference text at the graduate level or for research. The mathematics in the main text is elementary, with more advanced mathematical analyses in the appendices. The book provides a precise account of the essentials in environmental and resource economics.





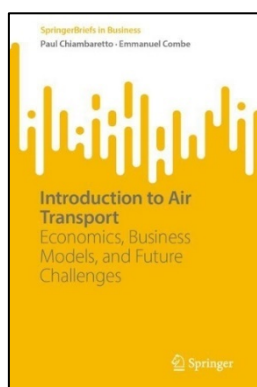
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航空輸送入門－経済学、
ビジネスモデル、将来の課題

Introduction to Air Transport: Economics,
Business Models, and Future Challenges

Chiambaretto, Paul / Combe, Emmanuel, Introduction to Air Transport: Economics, Business Models, and Future Challenges. (SpringerBriefs in Business) 97 pp. 2025:10 (Springer, GW) <754-249>
ISBN 978-3-031-99935-2 paper ¥12,371 (税込)



This book highlights the economic, systemic, and forward-looking dimensions of air transport, offering a comprehensive and accessible introduction to the functioning, evolution, and future challenges of the global airline industry. Its main strength lies in its ability to address a wide and diverse audience. Structured around five chapters, the book examines the historical development of aviation, the complexity of the air transport ecosystem, airline business model dynamics, competitive strategies, and future challenges such as climate change, evolving passenger behavior, and geopolitical issues. Combining academic rigor with clarity, it fills a gap in the literature by providing an up-to-date and multidisciplinary perspective. It raises timely questions about the sustainability

of current airline business models and offers insights into the technological, regulatory, and societal transformations shaping the future of aviation.

The original French edition was appreciated not only by students but also by aviation professionals (pilots, cabin crew, managers), consultants, lawyers, and public decision-makers seeking a concise and structured understanding of the air transport sector's key issues.



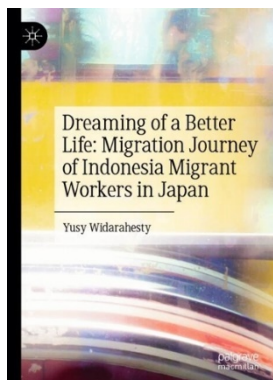


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**Y.ウィダラヘスティ著 よりよい生活を夢見る
ーインドネシア人移民労働者の日本への旅路
Dreaming of a Better Life: Journeys of In-
donesian Migrant Workers to Japan**

Widarahesty, Yusy, Dreaming of a Better Life: Journeys of Indonesian Migrant Workers to Japan. 210 pp. 2025:10 (Palgrave Macmillan, UK) <754-1095>
ISBN 978-981-9691-55-5 hard ¥29,696 (税込)



Takes an interdisciplinary approach to the study of Indonesian migrant workers under the TITP in Japan

This book delves into a developing area of Japan's labor migration studies, providing comprehensive insights to unveil the complexity of Japan's Technical Intern Trainee Program (TITP), not only from the perspective of the receiving country but particularly from that of the sending country. In doing so, the book focuses on Indonesia's participation in the TITP.

With this, the book investigates the roles of various actors, including the Indonesian government, the supervising organization, the Indonesian community, alumni, and the trainees themselves. It examines, through three different (but interlocking) stages, (1)

the pre-departure stage, (2) on-the-program stage, and (3) post-program stage.

To achieve this, the book draws upon extensive fieldwork, including in-depth interviews where the main part of the book is the result of ethnographic fieldwork, netnography, interviews, and participant observation of the relevant parties to gauge what issues/problems they are aware of. Fieldwork was conducted on/off sites and also with current and former alumni of the technical trainee program in Indonesia as well as interviews with the stakeholders, such as policymakers from Japan and, particularly in Indonesia, and the supervising organization (kumiai/kanridantai).



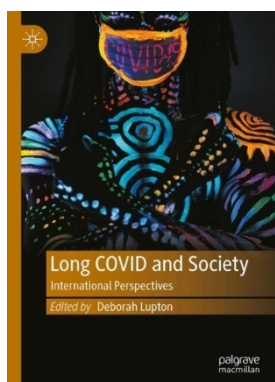


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D.ラプトン編
コロナ後遺症と社会－国際的視点
Long COVID and Society:
International Perspectives

Lupton, Deborah (ed.), Long COVID and Society: International Perspectives. 235 pp. 2025:11 (Palgrave Macmillan, UK) <754-304>
ISBN 978-981-9691-67-8 hard ¥29,696 (税込)



This edited book focuses on the social aspects and impacts of Long COVID from an international perspective, including contributions from researchers in the UK, Italy, Switzerland, the Netherlands, USA and Australia. The book highlights how Long COVID affects people's identities, social relationships, life opportunities and inclusion in society. Long COVID, like COVID itself, is a social and political as well as a medical phenomenon. People with Long COVID, from young children to older adults, are confronting ableism, social stigma, exclusion, invisibility and gaslighting. The book throws a spotlight on the struggles over the legitimacy of lay expertise versus medical authority and addresses how people with Long COVID are supporting and learning from each other and engaging in activism and advocacy initiatives. Crucially, most of the authors are themselves living with or caring for someone with Long COVID or work closely with Long COVID patient communities and others with lived experience.

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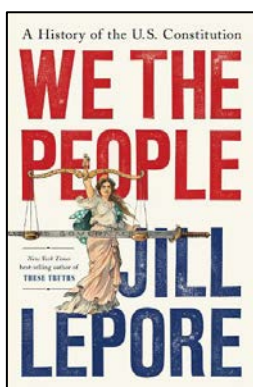
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合衆国憲法史

We the People: A History of the U.S. Constitution

Lepore, Jill, We the People: A History of the U.S. Constitution. 720 pp. 2025:9
(Liveright, US) <754-1284>
ISBN 978-1-63149-608-0 hard ¥8,489 (税込)



The U.S. Constitution is among the oldest constitutions in the world-and one of the most difficult to amend. At what cost? In this landmark, lavishly illustrated book, Harvard professor of history and law Jill Lepore argues that the philosophy of amendment is foundational to American constitutionalism. Challenging both originalism and the Supreme Court's monopoly on constitutional interpretation, Lepore argues that the framers never intended for the Constitution to be kept, like a butterfly, under glass but instead expected that future generations would be forever tinkering with it, improving the machinery of government. In a radical account, Lepore offers a sweeping, lyrical and democratic constitutional history, telling the stories of generations of Americans who have attempted everything from abolishing

the Electoral College to guaranteeing environmental rights, hoping to mend America by amending its constitution.





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カップルの債務 La dette en couple

Vanel, Anaïs, La dette en couple. (Bibliothèque des thèses) 2025:7 (Mare & Martin, FR) <754-562->
ISBN 978-2-38600-155-0 broché ¥12,622 (税込)



Qui paie la cantine des enfants ? Votre conjoint peut-il dépenser sans limite, y compris pour son amant ? Que devient le couple en cas de surendettement ? Comment éviter les tumultes financiers au temps de la séparation ? Quand on aime, a priori, on ne compte pas...

La dette côtoie pourtant chaque couple – de l'achat du pain au financement du logement de la famille – jusqu'à parfois le détruire. Aussi était-il nécessaire d'éclaircir, au prisme de notre droit, le rôle de cette mal-aimée : réelle menace ou force cachée ? En faisant le lien avec l'histoire et la sociologie, l'auteur propose une clé de compréhension des règles juridiques actuellement applicables à la dette en couple. À rebours de tenaces préjugés, la dette s'avère bénéfique pour la vie de tout couple. Elle est à l'origine d'une association sur-mesure pour

toutes les dettes du quotidien. Elle est source d'unité familiale, notamment par la prise en charge conjugale des dépenses liées aux enfants d'un premier lit. Elle est encore un pilier de l'autonomie en couple : chaque partenaire est libre de souscrire seul un crédit chez son banquier. En mariage, pacte civil de solidarité ou concubinage, tous sont protégés par le régime juridique actuel de la dette en couple. La dette n'est dès lors qu'une faiblesse sur-estimée. L'enjeu de cette étude, s'il prend sa source en droit, le déborde ainsi pour toucher la vie des individus, sociologiquement et psychologiquement. La dette porte en elle l'espoir d'une vie de couple sans mauvais calcul...



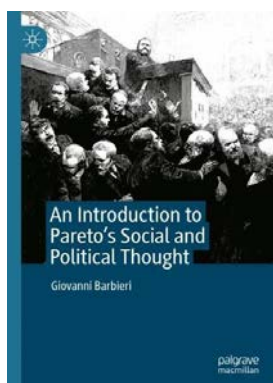


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パレートの社会・政治思想入門
**An Introduction to Pareto's Social
and Political Thought**

Barbieri, Giovanni, An Introduction to Pareto's Social and Political Thought. 158 pp. 2025:9 (Palgrave Macmillan, UK) <754-599>
ISBN 978-3-031-95411-5 hard ¥29,696 (税込)



This book analyses Pareto's social and political thought a hundred years after his death, showing how the structure of the scholar's works is generally quite clear (contrary to what is commonly presumed), and how the maintenance of the social and political systems' equilibrium represents Pareto's main research focus. In particular, the aim of this book is to demonstrate how the author considers the 'right middle path' - in the social, economic, and political arenas - as the only way capable of ensuring social cohesion.

The book will be of interest to scholars and researchers of sociology, sociological and political theory, and political science.





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BRICS+と GCC 諸国 — 公共政策、外交政策、地政学

**The BRICS+ and Gulf Cooperation Council Countries:
Public Policies, Foreign Policy and Geopolitics**

Porto de Oliveira, Osmany / Zaidan, Esmat (eds.), The BRICS+ and Gulf Cooperation Council Countries: Public Policies, Foreign Policy and Geopolitics. 196 pp. 2025:11 (Palgrave Macmillan, UK) <754-634>
ISBN 978-3-031-96002-4 hard ¥32,171 (税込)



This book examines the multifaceted dimensions of the BRICS+ and Gulf Cooperation Council countries, focusing especially on public policy exchanges, economic partnerships, and diplomacy. It charts the evolution of the BRICS from a loose coalition of emerging powers to an institutionalized entity, with its own thinktank network dedicated to policy research and coordination. It also considers the relationships between these countries, especially against the backdrop of the war in Ukraine, as well as similarities and differences in their domestic and foreign public policies. The book will appeal to all those interested in public policy, governance and international relations.





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1830 年から 2025 年までの
ベルギーにおける政治
Politics in Belgium from 1830 until 2025

Delwit, Pascal, Politics in Belgium from 1830 until 2025. (Science politique) 456 pp.
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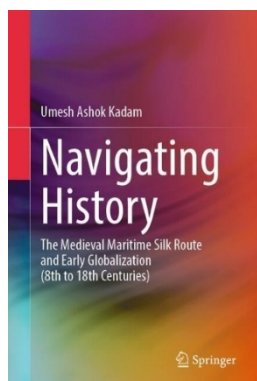
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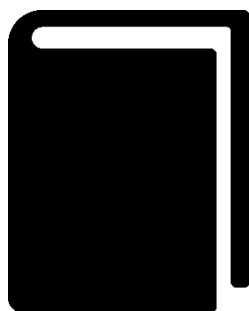


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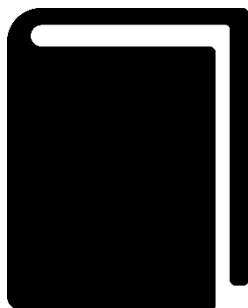


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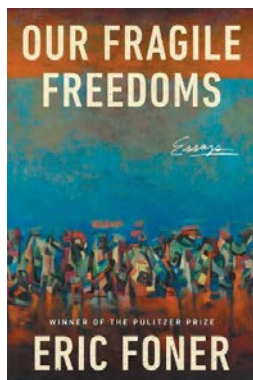


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