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Law

Astute Judicial: Judgments and Essays in Honour of Justice Nayai Aganaba / Oghenemaro

Festus Emiri & Chidi Lloyd Malthouse Law Books

Lagos: Malthouse Press Limited, 2022

xlii, 614p. Includes Index 9789785829716 \$ 60.00 / PB 1130gm.

The judgments that are published in this book reveal Justice Nayai Aganaba of Nigeria's knowledge of the law, candour and judicial acumen. Written by respectable authors, including Judges, academics, practising lawyers some of whom are Senior Advocates of Nigeria, the essays will be useful not only for lawyers, but also for law students who will appreciate the lack of jargon used.

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Law of Evidence in Nigeria : Practice and Procedure / Simon Uchenna Ortuanya Lagos: Malthouse Press Limited, 2021 456p. 9789785878950 \$ 70.00 / PB 796gm.

The Evidence Act, 2011, repealed the old Evidence Act. In doing so, the new Act introduced some changes in the Law of Evidence. Ever since, there has been an urgent need for scholastic guidance, in the proper approach to the interpretation of the provisions embodying those changes. This is particularly so, as the courts have been issuing contradictory interpretations of these provisions.

In his new book, *Law of Evidence in Nigeria: Practice and Procedure*, the veteran author and urbane man of letters, Professor Simon Uchenna Ortuanya, masterfully plumbs the intention of the draft's persons of the Act. The result is a five-hundred-and-forty-page treatise of redoubtable erudition.

The succinct titles of the different chapters are quite captivating just as the logical presentations of ideas are very illuminating. The book bears the imprints of the erudite author's versatility in the Law of Evidence - a course he has taught, admirably, in two public universities years.

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Anti-Dumping Regulations and Practice in Nigeria / Violet Omon Aigbokhaevbo Lagos: Malthouse Press Limited, 2022 xxii, 230p.

Includes Index; Bibliography 9789785897982 \$ 45.00 / PB 448gm.

This book is an attempt to examine the WTO/GATT anti-dumping regulations within the ambit of the peculiar developmental circumstances of developing countries with Nigeria in perspective. A combination of descriptive analysis and deductions are utilised with reference to the Nigerian experience, as a developing country seeking relevance in the global trading system where non-conforming states are regarded as pariahs. The non-availability of industries to cater for the needs of their populaces has rendered these countries viable global dumping ground for fake, substandard and adulterated products. The conclusion here that as far as developing countries are concerned, anti-dumping regulations as provided by GATT in Nigeria is akin to providing shoes for a man with no feet.

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Criminal Law in Nigeria: A Modern Approach / Lawrence Atsegbua, Violet Omon

Aigbokhaevbo & Sunday Daudu

Revised Edition

Lagos: Malthouse Press Limited, 2021

xxxiv, 310p.
Includes Index
9789785897999
\$ 70.00 / PB
602gm.

The book deals with various aspects of Criminal Law in Nigeria. It consists of fifteen researched chapters. The reader is provided with an in-depth knowledge of the Nigerian Criminal Law. In addition, recent developments in the Nigerian Criminal Law are examined. The book, which adopts a modern approach to the Nigerian Criminal Law, is exhaustive, and the reader is provided with case materials on the subject. It will sooner or later establish itself as an authoritative text on the Nigerian Criminal Law.

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<u>Linguistics</u>

Hausa Dictionary for Everyday Use: Hausa – English / English – Hausa = Kamusun Hausa na Yau da Kullum: Hausa – Ingilishi / Ingilishi - Hausa / Paul Newman & Roxana Newman Kano: Bayero University Press, Bayero University, 2020 xxviii, 634p.
9789789844654
\$ 65.00 / PB
974gm.

Hausa Dictionary for Everyday Use is intended to afford greater access to the language by millions of Hausa speakers and scholars in Nigeria and beyond. Composed in Standard Hausa which is largely spoken in Kano, Nigeria the authors have made great attempts to capture new terms and expressions not covered by previous publications.

Kamusun Hausa na Yau da Kullum, kundin littafi ne da ya ke dauke da kalmomi na Hausa da ma'anoninsu. An yi amfani da ingantacciyar Hausa wadda Hausar Kano ta mamaye. Littafin nan ya kunshi tsofaffi da sababbin kalmomi, wanda ya bambanta shi da sauran Qamusan da suka gabace shi. An yi wannan littafi ne domin manyan malamai na jami'o'i da

dalibai masu bincike da masu magana da Harshen Hausa da masu koyon Hausa a Najeriya da wajenta.

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Literature

Waste of Sin|Blood in the Water (Dual Book-2 in 1): Thriller Novel / Akin Akingbogun Ibadan: Winepress Publishing (Noirledge Limited), Ibadan, 2022
1v.
9789785876079; 9789785876062
\$ 35.00 / PB
262gm.

Waste of Sin #WoS

"Two men, 'one woman and half', and a secret." Julia and Stephanie live in two different worlds but stem from a single past, and are controlled by a medical condition; each woman springing up when the spells occur. Julia is just fine with her bland relationship with Danny. Stephanie is enlivened with her erotic affair with Alex.

Danny knows about Stephanie and Julia, and Alex finds out shortly. But one revelation sets both men on the same mission: Alex to rescue Stephanie from Danny; Danny to rescue Julia from Alex.

Blood in the Water #BiW

When two friends set out for an evening of mad fun to celebrate a small win, they had no idea how the night would turn. They decide to take two girls home, only for events to go awry. It was going to be the longest night of their lives—one that would change their lives forever. The two friends would soon learn that their pleasures are their ultimate weakness and undoing.

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Conversations: Poems / Bosede Funke Ademilua Afolayan Lagos: Malthouse Press Limited, 2022 120p. 9789785944754 \$ 17.00 / PB 146gm.

In these fascinating and compelling poetic lines, the Author holds a dialogue with several entities, and especially, with God. We encounter a deeply personal voice that speaks for all times of pain and hurt. In spite of the poignant voice of the persona, there is a hope, a courage, a determination and

confidence to survive drawn from God who is the source and giver of life.

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