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**Anthropology/Archaeology**

From Southeast Asia to the Pacific : Archaeological Perspectives on the Austronesian Expansion and the Lapita Cultural Complex / Scarlett Chiu, Christopher Sand  
Taipei : Center for Archaeological Studies, Research Center for Humanities and Social Sciences, Academia Sinica, 2007  
294p.  
986-00-7567-0  
\$ 65.00

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Major Archaeological Discoveries of China in Recent Years  
Hong Kong : Hong Kong Museum of History, 2007  
63p.  
978-962-7039-60-0  
\$ 15.00

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Neonatal Anthropometry for the Chinese / T.F. Fok, P.C. Ng, K.L.E. Hon  
Hong Kong : Chinese University Press, 2007  
X, 70p.  
978-962-996-335-4  
\$22.00

This book is intended to be a handy reference for doctors and nurses looking after neonates. It provides gestation-specific reference standards of physical measurements for Hong Kong Chinese newborns. The data has been obtained from observation of over ten thousands babies in twelve hospitals in Hong Kong.

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Shindigs and Solemnity in Taiwan / Tsai wen-ting  
Taipei : Taiwan Panorama, 2007  
232p.  
978-957918851-7  
\$ 20.00

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Mongolian Monuments in Uighur-Mongolian Script (XIII-XVI Centuries) : Introduction, Transcription and Bibliography / Edited by D. Tumurtogoo, G Cecegdari  
Taipei : Institute of Linguistics, Academia Sinica, 2006  
Xiv, 722p.  
978-986-00-7826-8  
Language and Linguistics Monograph Series A-11  
\$ 50.00

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Bulletin of the Indo-Pacific Prehistory association Volume 25 – Indo-Pacific Prehistory  
: The Taipei Papers ( Volume 3)  
Canberra : Indo-Pacific Prehistory Association, Australian National University, 2005

153p.  
0156-1316  
\$ 30.00

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### **Architecture**

DACH 2007 : The 2007 International Conference on Digital Applications in Cultural  
Heritage / Lung Hung Chang, Yu-Tung Liu, June-Hao Hou  
Taiwan : National Center for Research and Preservation of Cultural Properties, 2006  
2v.  
978-986-00-8189-3  
\$ 100.00 (Set)

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### **Art**

Sketches of Nudes by Tsang Kai-Hong 28.4-3.6.2007  
Hong Kong : University Museum and Art Gallery, The University of Hong Kong, 2007  
139p.  
978-962-8038-72-5  
\$ 15.00

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Burden or Legacy : From the Chinese Cultural Revolution to Contemporary Art /  
Edited Jiang Jiehong  
Hong Kong : Hong Kong University Press, 2007  
Ix, 161p.  
978-962-209-870-1  
\$ 39.50

The Cultural Revolution in China (1966-1976) has often been regarded as a period of  
disruptive turbulence and frenzied savagery. Its legacy to artistic growth and  
expression amounts to nothing except a burden of haunting traumas. Or does it  
amount to more than that?

The seven authors in this anthology of essays and images argue that it does.  
Focusing on the impact of the Cultural Revolution on the development of  
contemporary art in China, they present fresh and critical perspectives on how one of  
the most disturbing periods of modern Chinese history has affected the creativity of  
contemporary Chinese artists.

Featuring about 140 coloured illustrations by various Chinese artists and six essays  
whose themes range from the sociohistorical impact of Mao to the visual  
representation of trauma and memories, *Burden or Legacy* brings a multidimensional  
view to our understanding of the influence of the Cultural Revolution on  
contemporary China. This is one of the first studies in English on the topic and will  
serve as a beginning point for anyone who is interested in the history, development,  
and creation of contemporary art in China.

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Plum Blossom on Purple Clay : Teapot Carving by Mr. Shen Juechu  
 Hong Kong : Jao Tsung-I Petite Ecole, The University of Hong Kong, 2006  
 127p.  
 978-988-99654-0-2  
 \$ 20.00

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**-Business**

The Risk Factor : A Guide to the Hazards of doing Business in China /  
 Hong Kong : China Economic Review Publishing, 2007  
 99p.  
 988-99633-6-1  
 \$ 12.50

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China CEO : A Case study for Business Leaders in China / Juan Antonio Fernandez,  
 Shengjun Liu  
 Singapore : John Wiley & Sons (Asia) Pte Ltd., 2007  
 Xviii, 286p.  
 Includes Index  
 9780470822241  
 \$ 26.00

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-Mediazone's Hong Kong's most valuable Companies 2007  
 Hong Kong : Media Zone, 2007  
 1v.  
 988-9878615  
 Captains of Industry : People and Companies devoted to raising the bar – Investing  
 in quality and contributing to the growth of Hong Kong  
 \$ 100.00

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-The Future of Business in Hong Kong – Collector's Edition  
 Hong Kong : Mediazone Publishing, 2007  
 1v.  
 9789889878627  
 \$ 100.00

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-Cases on International Business and Finance in Japanese Corporations / Mitsuru  
 Misawa  
 Hong Kong : Hong Kong University Press, 2007  
 Xiii, 174p. Includes Index  
 978-962-209-891-6  
 \$ 29.95

As one of very few casebooks written in English on Japanese corporations, this  
 volume offers valuable insights into Japan's unique business culture and is essential  
 reading for both executives and students. The companies studied in this volume  
 include:

\* Tokyo Disneyland \* DisneySea Park \* Daiwa Bank \* Fuji Television Network Inc.

\* Livedoor Co. \* Nippon Broadcasting System Inc. \* Nireco Corporation  
 \* Ina Food Industry \* OSG Corporation \* Bank of Japan

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Malaysia : ASEAN's Premier Market

Hong Kong : Hong Kong Trade Development Council, 2007

57p.

\$ 15.00

-Vietnam : A New Dynamo in Southeast Asia

Hong Kong : Hong Kong Trade Development Council, 2007

79p.

\$ 15.00

-Cambodia : A Small Market with manufacturing Potential

Hong Kong : Hong Kong Trade Development Council, 2007

57p.

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Hong Kong : Hong Kong Trade Development Council, 2007

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-Rising Consumerism of Russia's Middle Class : Opportunities for Hong Kong

Hong Kong : Hong Kong Trade Development Council, 2007

Iv, 60p.

\$ 15.00

-China's Licensing Market and Hong Kong's Role

Hong Kong : Hong Kong Trade Development Council, 2007

75p.

\$ 15.00

-Hong Kong's Telecommunications Story / Gertrude Layton

Hong Kong : Communications Association of Hong Kong, 2007

200p.

978-988-98162-3-0

Bilingual – Chinese – English

\$ 75.00

In seeking to provide a vivid and first hand account of developments in the telecommunications industry, this book takes a close look at the many thousands of people who worked both in front of and behind the scenes to make this Hong Kong Success story possible. The result is an interesting and informative look at the human face of Hong Kong's telecommunications, one of the world's most dynamic and competitive market leaders in the industry.

Serving with passion : Stories of established Catering Brands in Hong Kong / Enoch Yiu

Hong Kong : SCMP Book Publishing Ltd, 2007

218p.

978-962-17-9259-4  
\$ 25.00

This is a collection of interviews with the leaders of the well-known Hong Kong food and Beverage companies.

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-Shanghai Expo / Huang Yaocheng  
Singapore : Thomson Learning, 2007  
Vii, 170p.  
978-981-243-805-8  
981-243-805-x  
\$ 39.50

This is the only book on the 2010 World Expo endorsed by the Bureau of Shanghai World Expo Coordination. Comprehensive and authoritative, the book is divided into 3 parts. Part 1 reviews the history of the World Expo and analyzes China's connection with it. Part II is a focused introduction of Shanghai as an international metropolis and reveals the secret of Shanghai's successful bid to host the 2010 World Expo. Part III looks ahead to the 2010 World Expo and covers the ongoing preparations and plans.

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**-Cinema Studies**

Director in Action : Johnnie To and the Hong Kong Action Film / Stephen Teo  
Hong Kong : Hong Kong University Press, 2007  
X, 294p. Includes Index  
978-962-209-839-8 (HB) \$ 59.50  
978-962-209-840-4 (PB) \$ 24.95

This book examines the career of Johnnie To. The author discusses the symbiotic relationship between director and genre, why To is regarded as an auteur, and the influence he has on the trajectory of the action genre in the Hong Kong Cinema. The author's view is that To's idiosyncratic auteurist style transforms the generic conventions under which he is compelled to work, and that there is a discernible element of experimentalism in his most outstanding films. In addition, To modulates the film noir form to suit his local contexts, characters and locations, to create a highly personalized noir cinema in post-1997 Hong Kong

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-Young rebels in Contemporary Chinese Cinema / Zhou Xuelin  
Hong Kong : Hong Kong University Press, 2007  
X, 220p.  
Includes Index  
978-962-209-849-7  
\$ 39.50

'Zhou Xuelin's Young Rebels in Contemporary Chinese Cinema is a very exciting addition to the burgeoning field of Chinese film studies. The scope of Zhou's research is extraordinarily deep and broad, and among the other achievements of Young Rebels is its stretching the corpus of Chinese filmmaking in the 1980s beyond a canon of Fifth Generation classics, its discussion of film and popular music from Taiwan-born Teresa Tang, through the 'Northwest wind style' to rock'n'roll, and its comparison and contrast of Chinese films with those of the 'angry young man' generation in Britain of the late 1950s and early 1960s.

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### **Communication & Journalism**

Hong Kong on Air / Muhammad Cohen  
 Hong Kong : Blacksmith Books, 2007  
 454p.  
 978-988-99799-7-3  
 \$ 18.00

This book captures the soaring pulse of Hong Kong ahead of the handover and China's rise from the crash that followed. It reveals timeless truths about television news as seen from the hot seats on both sides of the camera.

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### **-Economics & Development Studies**

Power, Entitlement and Social Practice : Resource Distribution in North China Villages / Xiyi Huang  
 Hong Kong : Chinese University Press, 2007  
 Xix, 276p. Includes Bibliography and Index  
 ISBN-13 : 978-962-996-315-6  
 ISBN-10 : 962-996-315-9  
 \$ 45.00

Rapid economic and social reforms in rural china have aroused enormous scholarly interest at home and abroad. A Key element to these changes is resource distribution. However, a systematic study of this new mode of resource distribution is to date still underdeveloped, and the complexity of resource allocation in the present-day peasant society of China has not been surveyed as an independent theme.

This book presents an effort to examine the issues relating to the allocation of income, opportunities and assets in two villages in northern China; and thus, tries to shed light on the agent and mechanism of resource distribution in the post-reform era.

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----Hands on or Hands Off? : The Nature and Process of Economic Policy in Hong Kong / Tony Latter  
 Hong Kong : Hong Kong University press, 2007  
 Vii, 153p.  
 Includes Index  
 978-962-209-860-2 (HB) \$ 39.50  
 978-962-209-861-9 (PB) \$ 19.95

Is Hong Kong's approach to economic policy really as hands off as we are led to believe? How are economic policies determined within Hong Kong's unique governance structure?

Tony Latter draws on his deep knowledge of Hong Kong drawn from years in senior positions in the Hong Kong Monetary Authority and Government Secretariat to answer these two central questions about Hong Kong's economic management. He provides both general and specialist readers with an original and wide-ranging

exploration of the workings of Hong Kong's economy and the way its economic policies are determined.

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 Hong Kong's Money : The History, Logic and Operation of the Currency Peg / Tony Latter

Hong Kong : Hong Kong University Press, 2007

Vi, 155p. Includes Index

978-962-209-877-0

\$ 19.95

After a brief overview of Hong Kong's currency board system, two chapters explain the key features of mainstream monetary policy as practised in most economies and how the currency board differs. Then three chapters deal with the history of money in Hong Kong from the mid-1930s, describing the salient events and changes of the period up to the 1983 crisis and the consequent re-adoption of the currency board. Descriptions of the functioning of the system after 1983 and its evolution to the present day then follow. The book concludes with assessments of the performance of the currency board since 1983 and of the Hong Kong economy more widely.

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**----Education**

e-Learning Initiatives in China : Pedagogy, Policy and Culture / Edited by Helen Spencer-Oatey

Hong Kong : Hong Kong University Press, 2007

Xviii, 290p. Includes Index

978-962-209-868-8

Education in China : Reform and Diversity

\$ 29.95

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----Student Performance in Chinese Medium-of -Instruction (CMI) and English Medium -of-Instruction (EMI) Schools : What we learned from the PISA Study / Esther Sui-Chu Ho, Evelyn Yee-Fun Man

Hong Kong : Chinese University of Hong Kong, 2007

58p.

978-962-8908-14-1

\$ 5.00

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----Learning Diversity in the Chinese Classroom : Contexts and Practice for Students with Special Needs / Edited by Shane N. Phillipson

Hong Kong : Hong Kong University Press, 2007

Xvi, 504p. Includes Index

978-962-209-872-5 \$ 59.50

978-962-209-873-2 \$ 32.50

'This book is a timely and valuable contribution to understanding Chinese students with special learning needs in the inclusive environments. It provides useful information, insights and analysis, and serves as a fitting introduction for all pre-service teachers, field practitioners and researchers

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**Environmental Studies**

A Selection of Plants from Iriomote Island, Japan / Edited by Ching-I-Peng, David E. Boufford, Tokushiro Takaso, Tzen-Yuh Chiang  
 Taipei : Endemic Species Research Institute, Research Center for Biodiversity, Academia Sinica, 2007  
 183p.  
 978-9860088601  
 \$ 20.00

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 ----Still Holding our Breath : a Review of air quality policy in Hong Kong 1997-2007 / Kate Trumbull  
 Hong Kong : Civil Exchange, 2007  
 149p.  
 988-98192-6-0  
 \$ 35.00

This book provides an in depth examination of Hong Kong's air pollution, analyses the scope and efficacy of existing policy and provides recommendations for improvement.

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 ----Flora of Hong Kong : Volume 1 / Hong Kong Herbarium & South China Botanical Garden (Eds)  
 Hong Kong : Agriculture, Fisheries and Conservation Department, 2007  
 Xxii, 329p. 521 Col. Ills  
 978-988-98253-6-8  
 \$ 30.00

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 Idling Engine : Hong Kong's Environmental Policy in a Ten year Stall 1997-2007 / Bill Leverett, Lisa Hopkinson, Christine Loh, Kate Trumbull  
 Hong Kong : Civic Exchange, 2007  
 198p.  
 988-98192-5-2  
 \$ 32.50

This book provides a thorough critique of Hong Kong's environmental policy since 1997. The authors address the major environmental issues facing Hong Kong, what progress has been made, and the significant challenges that remain. They examine the reasons behind the success of some policies and the failure of others as well as provide recommendations for the future.

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**History**

Books in Numbers : Seventy Fifth Anniversary of the Harvard-Yenching Library : Conference Papers / Edited by Wilt L. Idema  
 Cambridge, MA : Harvard-Yenching Library, Harvard University, 2007  
 Xxviii, 500p.  
 978-962-996-331-6  
 \$ 60.00

The aim of this conference was to celebrate the book culture of East Asia by comparing and contrasting the development of manuscript and print culture in each

of the separate cultural areas of the region : China, Korea, Japan, Vietnam and Central Asia.

This book hopes to make a modest contribution by highlighting the differential developments in each of the cultural regions, as they were influenced by political, economic , social and cultural factors.

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The Hong Kong Special Administrative Region in its First Decade / Edited by Joseph Y.S. Cheng

Hong Kong : City University of Hong Kong Press, 2007

Xx, 908p. Includes Index

9789629371456

\$ 38.00

This volume intends to survey the developments of the Hong Kong Special administrative region in various important areas in its first decade (1997-2007). It aims to critically review past developments, identify the significant issues, and assess the performance of the government and that of the community as a whole. It also attempts to consider future development trends and offers policy suggestions.

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----A Concise History of Hong Kong / John M. Carroll

Hong Kong : Hong Kong University Press, 2007

Xx, 270p. Includes Index

9789622098787

\$ 24.95

`Written in a readable style free of jargon, John Carroll's new work is a welcome addition to the growing historiography of Hong Kong. It skilfully chronicles major events in Hong Kong from the early 19<sup>th</sup> Century to the present, concluding with a thoughtful epilogue analyzing the legacies of colonialism and their contemporary relevance. `

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----Governing Hong Kong : Administrative Officers from the Nineteenth Century to the Handover to China 1862-1997 / Steve Tsang

Hong Kong : Hong Kong University Press, 2007

Asian Edition – Overseas Edition Published by I.B. Tauris – priced at \$ 85.00

Xii, 227p. Includes Index

978-962-209-874-9

\$ 69.50

Hong Kong is at the heart of modern China's position as a regional--and potential world--superpower. In this important and original history of the region, Steve Tsang argues that its current prosperity is a direct by-product of the British administrators who ran the place as a colony before the handover in 1997. The British administration of Hong Kong uniquely derived its practices from the best traditions of Imperial Chinese government and its philosophical, Confucian basis. It stressed efficiency, honesty, fairness, benevolent paternalism and individual freedom. The result was a hugely successful colony, especially in industry and finance, and it remains so today with its new status of Special Administrative Region of the People's Republic of China. This definitive history of the colorful individuals who administered the colony on behalf of the British government sheds light on two empires inextricably linked in nature and philosophy of government

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 ----De missive van de VOC-gouverneur in Taiwan aan de Gouverneur-generaal te Batavia (1) 1622-1626 / Shu-Sheng Chiang  
 Taipei : SMC Publishing Inc, 2007  
 Xlviii, 296p.  
 978-957-638-694-7  
 In Dutch & Chinese  
 \$ 29.50

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 ----The First Decade : The Hong Kong SAR in Retrospective and Introspective Perspectives / Edited by Yue-Man Yueng  
 Hong Kong : Chinese University Press, 2007  
 Xxii, 422p.  
 Includes Name and Subject Index  
 978-962-996-357-6  
 \$ 32.00

Many people were not optimistic about the 'One Country, two Systems' Formula. How should Hong Kong be judged as a Special Administrative Region within China in the first decade of its existence?

This book has set out to answer this question. Renowned scholars from outside Hong Kong, largely from countries with close links to Hong Kong's handover or other links, have addressed this question from their perspectives.

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 ----Jingji Xue : The History of the Introduction of Western Economic Ideas into China, 1850-1950 / Paul B Trescott  
 Hong Kong : Chinese University Press, 2007  
 Xxiv, 442p. Includes Index  
 978-962-996-242-5  
 \$ 55.00

Based on solid research, this book describes how Western Economics, combining ideas and research techniques, was introduced into China. It identifies the Chinese who studied Economics in the West and evaluates their roles in teaching, research, and publications in China. In particular, it describes and examines the activities of well-known figures such as Fang Xianting, Kang Youwei, Li Choh-ming, Liang Qichao, Sun Yat-Sen, Wu Baosan, Wu Jingchao and Yan Fu in transmitting and interpreting Western Economics. The evolution of Economics programmes in leading universities in China is also discussed.

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 ----Presidential Anecdotes & Artifacts I : President Chiang Kai-shek  
 Taiwan : Academia Historica, 2007  
 1 DVD – All Region Coded  
 Chinese, English & Japanese with Chinese, English and Japanese Subtitles  
 50 min.  
 5096005135  
 \$ 29.50

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Presidential Anecdotes & Artifacts II : President Chiang Ching-Kuo  
 Taiwan : Academia Historica, 2007

3 DVDs  
 Chinese, English & Japanese with Chinese, English and Japanese Subtitles  
 2hrs  
 \$ 60.00

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----Presidential Anecdotes & Artifacts III – Vice President Chen Cheng  
 Taiwan : Academia Historica, 2007  
 1 DVD – 50 Mins  
 Chinese, English & Japanese with Chinese, English and Japanese Subtitles  
 5096005143  
 \$ 29.50

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----Reflections of Leadership : Tung Chee Hwa and Donald Tsang 1997-2007 /  
 Christine Loh, Carine lai  
 Hong Kong : Civic Exchange, 2007  
 303p.  
 988-98192-3-6  
 \$ 35.00

This book examines how Tung Chee Hwa and Donald Tsang led Hong Kong. Their visions, styles, beliefs and choices made a substantial difference to how Hong Kong has been governed in the last ten years. The authors use the major speeches and decisions of the Chief Executives to analyse their leadership because these best embodied their values, assumptions and ideas about government and policy.

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----Hong Kong : The Last Prize of Empire / Trea Wiltshire  
 Hong Kong : FormAsia Books, 2002  
 87p.  
 962-7283-54-1  
 \$ 25.00

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----Hong Kong Landscapes : Shaping the Barren Rock / Bernie Owen, Raynor Shaw  
 Hong Kong : Hong Kong University Press, 2007  
 X, 253p.  
 Includes Index  
 978-962-209-847-3  
 \$ 35.00

This book explains, in simple terms and with numerous photographs and figures, the origins of the varied landscapes, examining the contributions of different rocks, geological structures, and modern processes, as well as the profound impact of people.

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----Hong Kong in Old Times : A Collection of Aerial Photos Taken in 1964  
 Hong Kong : Survey & Mapping Office, Lands Department, 2007  
 189p.  
 962-567-185-4  
 \$ 35.00

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**Law**

Trust in Co-operative Contracting in Construction / Sai On Cheung

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Hong Kong : City University of Hong Kong Press, 2007  
 225p. Includes Index  
 978-962-937-117-3  
 \$ 26.00

This book provides a comprehensive discussion on trust in co-operative contracting. Directed from both management and legal perspectives with findings supported by empirical researches.

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 ----Law Enforcement and the Disciplined Services in Hong Kong / Chiu Wing-kay  
 Hong Kong : Chiu wing-Kay, 20006  
 Ix, 333p.  
 988-99207-1-9  
 \$ 49.50

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 ----**Linguistics**

Comparison of Languages in Contact : The Distillation Method and the Case of Bai / Wang Feng  
 Taipei : Institute of Linguistics, Academia Sinica, 2006  
 227p.  
 986005228x  
 Languages and Linguistics Monograph Series B : Frontiers in Linguistics III  
 \$ 29.50

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 ----Hong Kong Sign Language : A Trilingual Dictionary with Linguistic Descriptions / Edited by Gladys Tang  
 Hong Kong : Chinese University Press, 2007  
 Xvii, 703p.  
 978-962-996-195-4  
 \$ 80.00

The dictionary represents a milestone in sign language research in Hong Kong. The signs collected in this volume reflect the varieties commonly adopted in Hong Kong; each of them is given a near equivalent in both Chinese and English and a brief description about its linguistic properties. The dictionary also lays the foundation of sign linguistics research, the development of sign interpreter training and the production of sign language teaching and learning materials in Hong Kong.

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 ----**Literature**

The Carving of Insects / Bian Zhilin; Edited by Mary M.Y. Fung; Translated by David Lunde  
 Hong Kong : Research centre for Translation, Chinese University of Hong Kong, 2006  
 152p.  
 9627255335  
 1. Chinese Literature – Poetry – Translations into English  
 \$ 14.95

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 Sightings : A collection of Poetry : with an Essay, "Communicating Poems" / Gillian Buckley  
 Hong Kong : Proverse, 2007

142p.

978-988-99668-1-2

1. English Poetry – China – Hong Kong – 21<sup>st</sup> Century – History & Criticism  
\$ 20.35

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----A Bottle of Glue / Fatima Naoot; Translations into English by Sayed Gouda

Hong Kong : Nadwah Press, 2007

93p.

9789889969615

\$ 12.00

Poetry

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----The Chan Interpretations of Wang Wei's Poetry : A Critical Review / Yang Jingqing

Hong Kong : Chinese University Press, 2007

Xvi, 280p. Includes Bibliography and Index

ISBN-13 : 978-962-996-232-6

ISBN-10 : 962-996-232-2

\$ 45.00

Hailed as the 'Buddha of Poetry', Wang Wei is considered to be one of the greatest High Tang Poets, and his poems have often been tied to Buddhism by countless scholars throughout the centuries due to their unique combination of the appreciation of the beauty of nature and the awareness of sensory illusions.

The author has undertaken an ambitious attempt to challenge the prevalent assumptions about Chan Buddhist implications in Wang Wei's nature poetry by examining literal and historical sources that dealt with Wang Wei's ideology of reclusion, his associations with Buddhist Monks and his apprehension of Buddhist doctrines.

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----Summer Cicadas / Jennifer Wong

Hong Kong : Chameleon Press, 2006

77p.

988-9902117

\$ 16.50

'Poetry'

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----Thomas Beckham Wang and Other Stories

Hong Kong : Chameleon Press, 2006

109p.

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\$ 8.00

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----The Question of the Other / Bernhard Waldenfels

Hong Kong : Chinese University Press, 2007

Xii, 148p.

Includes Bibliographical References

978-0-7914-7371-9

\$ 25.00

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Drawn from a series of lectures that Bernhard Waldenfels delivered in honour of the Chinese philosopher Tang Chun-I, this book is a collection of seven papers introducing what he calls a new sort of responsive phenomenology. This means that our experience does not start from our own intentions or from our common understanding, but from something that happens and appeals to us, disturbing our projects and forcing us to respond. We only become ourselves by responding to the Other.

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----**Official Publications**

Yearbook of Environmental Protection Statistics – Republic of China : 2007  
 Taipei : Environmental Protection Administration, Executive Yuan, 2007  
 1v.  
 ISSN : 1680-4384  
 \$ 25.00

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----Statistical Yearbook of the Republic of China : 2006  
 Taipei : Directorate General of Budget, Accounting and Statistics, 2007  
 Viii, 274p.  
 ISSN : 0256-7857  
 1. China – Statistics – Periodicals  
 \$ 20.00

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----Taiwan Statistical Data Book : 2007  
 Taipei : Council for Economic Planning and Development, Executive Yuan, 2007  
 359p.  
 1016-2224  
 \$ 18.00

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----Hong Kong 2006  
 Hong Kong : Information Services Department, 2007  
 Viii, 500p. Includes Index  
 978-962-02-0368-8  
 English Edition  
 \$ 25.00

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----2006 Population By-Census : Main Report - Volume 1  
 Hong Kong : Census & Statistics Department, 2007  
 1v.  
 \$ 30.00

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----2006 Population By-Census : Main Report - Volume 2  
 Hong Kong : Census & Statistics Department, 2007  
 1v  
 \$ 30.00

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----External Direct Investment Statistics of Hong Kong 2006  
 Hong Kong : Census & Statistics Department, 2007  
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 \$ 15.00

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----Hong Kong Social and Economic Trends 2007  
 Hong Kong : Census & Statistics Department, 2007

1v  
\$ 35.00

This aims to present selected annual data series relating to various social and economic aspects of Hong Kong for analysis.

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----Report on 2006 Annual Survey of Transport and Related Services  
Hong Kong : Census & Statistics Department, 2007  
1v  
\$ 20.00

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No.45.  
Hong Kong : Census & Statistics Department, 2007  
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\$ 18.00

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Hong Kong : Census & Statistics Department, 2007  
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Hong Kong : Census & Statistics Department, 2007

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----Thematic Household Survey Report No.32  
Hong Kong : Census & Statistics Department,2007  
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The Eighth round of THS on IT usage and Penetration was conducted during July-Sept 2007 to collect information on the penetration of Personal COmputer and Internet among households, and also the utilization of PC, internet service, electronic business services,electronic government services and information on IT security among household members.

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----2006 Population By-Census Thematic Report : Ethnic Minorities  
Hong Kong : Census & Statistics Department, 2008  
1v  
\$ 20.00

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----2006 Population By-Census Thematic Report - Persons from the Mainland having  
resided  
in Hong Kong for Less than 7 Years  
Hong Kong : Census & Statistics Department, 2008  
1v  
\$ 20.00

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----Demographic Trends in Hong Kong 1981-2006

Hong Kong : Census & Statistics Department, 2008

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----Hong Kong as an Information Society -2007

Hong Kong : Census & Statistics Department, 2008

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\$ 20.00

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----Report on 2007 Annual Survey on Information Technology Usage and Penetration  
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