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# Anthropology & Archaeology

Olympos : Pirate's Town in Lycia – An Archaeological Guide Istanbul : Homer Kitabevi ve Yayincilik Ltd. Sti., c2007 151 p. : ill. ; 22 cm. Homer Archaeological Guides : No. 4 975-8293-95-8 \$ 39.50

[Noteworthy especially for its cultural assets and natural beauty, the city of Olympos has suffered damage by nature through the centuries accelerated by tourism in the recent years. Therefore, excavations, cleaning, documentation and architecture inventory work of urban plan together with its monuments has been plotted on the topographical map in digital format has been updated. This project was carried out in order to facilitate the foreseen arrangement and restoration programme. The fact they Olympos was not settled by the Turks allowed its medieval urban pattern to be preserved. Being one of the few sites with medieval urban pattern still preserved, Olympos bears importance for the medieval history of the Mediterranean.]

Amorium : A Byzantine city in Anatolia - An Archaeological Guide / Chris and Mucahide Lightfoot Istanbul : Homer Kitabevi ve Yayincilik Ltd. Sti., c2007 180 p. : ill. ; 22 cm. Homer Archaeological Guides : No. 5 975-8293-80-x \$ 39.50

Magnesia on the Meander-Magnesia Ad Maeandrum (The City of Artemis with "White Eyebrows") - An Archaeological Guide / Orhan Bingol Istanbul : Homer Kitabevi ve Yayincilik Ltd. Sti., c2007 204 p. : ill. ; 22 cm. Homer Archaeological Guides : No. 6 9944-483-03-6 \$ 39.50

[These archaeological guides are written by well known archaeologists with the thought that they might evoke the spirit of these places for those who are interested in remains of Anatolian Civilizations.

Illustrated with beautiful photographs, equipped with helpful plans and drawings, they are essential to travellers to Turkey.]

The Other : Turks' quest for identity and image / Bozkurt Guvenc Turkey : ALKIM, 2007 251 p. ; 23 cm. Includes Index. 9944-148-00-8 \$ 39.50

[Turks' quest for identity traces the long history of the Turks, from their origins in the Central Asiatic steppes, to their conversation to Islam and migration to Byzantine Asia Minor, their lives under the Ottoman Empire and subsequent secular republican regime, and, finally, the current accession of Turkey to the European Union.

The book provides a double lens that gazes both culturally and historically in to the main stream dynamics of modern state formation.]

Sylloge Nummorum Graecorum : Turkey 2 – Anamur Museum (Volume 1 – Roman Provincial Coins) / Oguz Tekin and Sencan Altinoluk Istanbul : Turkish Institute of Archaeology, 2007 99 p. : ill. ; 30 cm. Includes Plates and Index. 975-807-154-8 \$ 130.00

## Architecture

Sinan Diaryz : A walking tour of Mimar Sinan's Monuments / Ann Pierpont Istanbul : Citlembik Publications, c2007 216 p. : ill ; 21 cm Includes Bibliography and Index. 9944-424-08-0 1. Mimar Sinan, 1489-1588 2. Architects- Turkey \$ 75.00

[Who was Mimar Sinan? Ann Pierpont, intrigued by what she had seen of the Ottoman dynasty's premier architect's work, embarked on an expedition to find out more about the man, his design sensibility and the milieu in which he lived. Surprised that this great man's work had not been made accessible to the public with a handy guide to his monuments, Pierpont undertook the project herself and has published a walking guide to Sinan's works in Istanbul and beyond. To make the details of his working life and its

challenges more immediate, the author takes on the point of view of the master himself, writing her guide in the format of Sinan's diary, with detailed descriptions of his architectural choices and innovations complementing the diary entries.

For the novice Mimar Sinan enthusiast or for the architectural scholar who would like to know more about the master architect's life and lesser-known structures, this guide is must.]

The Urban fabric and traditional houses of Kirkuk / Suphi Saatci ; Translated by Mehmet Bengu Uluengin Istanbul : Kerkiit Vakfi iktisadi isletmesi, 2007

200 p. : ill . 30 cm Publication No : 20, English Language Series: 3 975-6849-19-3 \$ 120.00

[The present volume attempts to document the contributors made by Turkomans to the field of residential architecture. As a product of the society that has fostered it, the traditional Kirkuk house has been studies in this book in a scientifically rigorous way.

The similarly between the traditional houses of Kirkuk and those of other Anatolian cities vividly demonstrates the shared values that these people possess.

The traditional Kirkuk house has been shaped by issues centered upon the future, rather than a quest-foraesthetics based on past forms.]

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### Art & Art History

Central Asia's magnificent 99 Ikat Chapans / Koryogdi Jumaev Istanbul : Nuans Ajans Ltd., 2007 301 p. : ill. ; 30 cm. Includes Bibliography. The Mehmet Cetinkaya collection 978-975-7336-67-9 \$ 150.00

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- 4. History of central Asia's clothing
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#### **Cinema Studies**

The Turkish cinema in the early republican years / Presented and annotated by Rifat N. Bali Istanbul : The ISIS Press, c2007 197 p. ; 24 cm. US Diplomatic documents on Turkey : II

978-975-428-336-5 \$ 25.00

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(1) Document concerning fox films Inc. filming Ataturk
(2) Document concerning the Turkish movie "The Awakening of a Nation"

2. Eugene M. Hinkle, "The Motion Picture in Modern Turkey", July 1, 1933
3. Department of state's appraisal of Eugene M. Hinkle's report
4. Document concerning motion pictures in JZMUP.

4. Document concerning motion pictures in IZMIR.]

History

Turcology in Turkey : Selected Papers / Edited by Laszlo Karoly Turkey : SzTE BTK Altajisztikai Tanszek, MTA-SzTE Turkologiai Kutatocsoport, 2007 xv, 539 p.; 24 cm. 978-975-6355-29-9 963-482-774-8 ISSN: 0133-4239 Studia uralo-altaica 47 Articles in Turkish & English \$ 65.00

From Tallinn to Turkey : As a Swede and Diplomat / Henrik Liljegren Istanbul : Merkez Kitapcilik Yayincilik, 2006 442 p.; 20 cm. Includes Index. Publication No.55 Memoirs / Biography 3 975-9174-56-1 \$ 49.50

First Published in Swedish, this book is an updated English Translation

L'Image De L'Orient Turc Dans La Litterature Francaise : Les idees, les stereotypes et les strategies / Serhat Ulagli Istanbul : Les Editions Isis, 2007 251 p.; 23 cm. Includes Bibliography. Les Cahiers Du Bosphore XLV 978-975-428-335-8 \$ 30.00

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Includes Bibliography. Les Cahiers Du Bosphore XLVI 978-975-428-337-2 \$ 30.00

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Trade and Money : The Ottoman Economy in the Eighteenth and Early Nineteenth Centuries / Elena Frangakis –Syrett Istanbul : Les Editions Isis, 2007 377 p. ; ill.; 24 cm. Analecta Isisiana XCIII 978-975-428-339-6 \$ 45.00

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Etudes imagologiques et relations interconfessionnelles en zone byzantino – Ottomane / Philippe Gardette Istanbul : Les Editions Isis, c2007 192 p. ; 23 cm. Analecta Isisiana : XCII 978-975-428-334-1 \$ 25.00

Tarihte Turk – Hint Iliskileri Sempozyum Bildirileri : 31 Ekim – 1 Kasim 2002 : Symposium on Turco-Indian Relations Ankara : Turk Tarih Kurumu, 2006 ix, 369 p. ; 24 cm. AKDTYK Turk Tarih Kurumu Yayinlari : XXVI (Dizi-Sa. 12) 975-16-1917-3 Articles in English & Turkish \$ 39.50

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Sufism and Sufis in Ottoman Society : Sources-doctrine-rituals-turuq-architecture literature and fine artsmodernism / Edited by Ahmet Yasar Ocak Ankara : Turkish Historical Society, 2005 xxxv, 650 p.; 24 cm. Includes Index. Ataturk Supreme Council for Culture, Language and History Publications of the Turkish Historical Society XXX. Serial – No.3a 975-16-1832-0 \$ 80.00

#### Literature

Land of the Dragonfly: A true story of a family divided by the great wars of the 20<sup>th</sup> Century / M.S.A.Serifoglu Bostanci : Adnan Serifoglu, c2006 165 p. : ill ; 21 cm 1-4196-2974-3 \$ 28.00

An Island in Istanbul : At home on Heybeliada / M.A. Whitten Turkey : Adali Yayinlari , 2006 199 p. ; 20 cm 975-9119-05-6 \$ 24.50 This book offers a view of Istanbul and the Turks as seen from a small Island in the Sea of Marmara and through the eyes of a foreigner who has come to feel at home there

Sour grapes on the Princes' Islands : An Istanbul Mystery / Lawrence Goodman Turkey : Adali Yayinlari, 2006 232 p. ; 20 cm 975-9119-04-8

24.00

The long white cloud-Gallipoli / Buket Uzuner Istanbul : Everest Publications, c2002 332 p. ; 20 cm Fiction 30 975-289-173-X \$ 29.50

Laugh or lament : Selected Short stories of Aziz Nesin / Aziz Nesin ; Translated by Masud Akhtar Shaikh 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition [1<sup>st</sup> ed. 2002] Turkey : Nesin Yayincilik Ltd. Sti., c2006 168 p. ; 20 cm 975-9038-83-8 \$ 28.00

# Politics

Conquering hearts and Minds : The American war ideology in the Persian / Arabian Gulf, 1990-2003 / Andrew Davison Istanbul : Istanbul Bilgi University Press, c2005 xxiv, 297 p. ; 24 cm. Includes Bibliography and Index. Istanbul Bilgi University Press : No. 114 975-6176-32-6 1. Middle East – Foreign relations – United states 2. United states – Foreign relations – Middle East 3. Terrorism –Political aspects – History – 20<sup>th</sup> century 4. September 11 Terrorist Attacks, 2001 5. Persian Gulf War, 1991 \$ 45.00

[This book by Andrew Davison offers an exposition of the Official American ideology of war in the Persian / Arabian Gulf : an ideology whose principal aims have been the manipulation and militarization of US public-political culture and the imperial reassertion of American global power. The book shows how the official war ideology was put in place by successive American presidents in order to justify the wars in Kuwait, Afghanistan, Iraq, and Against the Al Qaeda Islamist movement more generally. It also compellingly displays how these wars, fought primarily over petroleum and political power in the Gulf, were characterized since 1990, in terms of biblical and civilizational significance that mobilized the militarized support of the American public but distorted the contexts and stakes of the conflict in which the US remains violently involved.

Two especially distinguishing qualities of this analysis are, first, that it draws our attention to the pervasive nonsecular character of Presidential rhetoric in the United States; and, second, that it demonstrates the continuity of militant, religious Presidential rhetoric across the spectrum of the American administrations for over two decades, despite the appearance of sharp antagonisms between Democrats and Republicans.]

The limits of eurocentricity : Imperial British foreign and defence policy in the early twentieth century / Keith Wilson Istanbul : The ISIS press, c2006 220 p. ; 24 cm. Analecta Isisiana : XC 975-428-331-1 \$ 25.00

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## **Religion – Christianity**

A Treasured Memory : Ecclesiastical silver from late Ottoman Istanbul in the sevgi gonul collection / Brigitte Pitarakis, Christos Merantzas Istanbul : Sadberk Hanim Muzesi, c2006 209 p. : ill. ; 31 cm. Includes Bibliography and Index. 975-6959-15-0 \$ 100.00

[Contents : Part 1 : The Objects in the context of their use Part 2 : Late ottoman silver within its artistic, religious and social framework.]

### **Religion** – Islam

Proceedings of the International Symposium on Islamic Civilisation in Eastern Africa Kampala, Uganda 15-17 December 2003 / Edited by Abdu B.K.Kasozi, Sadik Unay

Istanbul : Organisation of the Islamic Conference (OIC), Research Center of Islamic History, Art and Culture (IRCICA), c2006 xiv, 332 p.; 24 cm. Includes Bibliographical references. Sources and Studies on the History of Islamic Civilisation Series No:13 92-9063-161-9 1. Civilisation, Islamic—Africa, Eastern—Congresses. 2. Civilisation—Africa, Eastern—Congresses \$ 65.00

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[This volume comprises the proceedings of the international Symposium on "Islamic Civilisation in Eastern Africa", held in Kampala, Uganda between 15 and 17 December 2003. The Symposium, jointly organized by IRCICA and the Islamic University of Uganda (IUIU), brought together a wide array of distinguished scholars and researchers affiliated with universities, international organizations, cultural and educational institutions form around the globe. This symposium represented the first large-scale academic event organized by IRCICA in collabration with the scholarly institutions in the East African region, defined for the purpose of the symposium, to include Somalia, Ethiopia, Djibouti, Eritrea, Kenya, Uganda, Tanzania, Mozambique, Zimbabwe, Rwanda, Eastern Congo, the Comoros, and also South Africa, Yemen and Oman. The chapters specially selected and edited for this volume highlight the major themes that were discussed and analyzed during the symposium, namely: the penetration of Islam in Eastern Africa; Islam and trade in Eastern Africa; Kiswahili and Islamic literature; Islamic education and intellectual development in Eastern Africa; visual issues in Islamic Civilisation: European colonial powers and Islam; and Islam and the contemporary period.]

Alevism – Bektashism: A Brief Introduction / Dr.Ali Yaman & Dr.Aykan Erdemir Istanbul : Cumhuriyetci Egitim ve Kultur Merkezi Vakfi, (CEM Foundation) 2006 64 p.; 19 cm. Includes Bibliography. CEM Foundation Publications: 16 CEM Foundation Booklet Number: 5 975-94071-8-3 \$ 12.00 [Contents: 1. Introduction 2. History of Alevism-Bektashism 3. Faith-Worship-fundamentals in Alevism 4. Literature, Music and Art in Alevism.]

Proceedings of the Second International Symposium on Islamic Civilisation in the Balkans – Tirana, Albania, 4-7 December 2003 / Edited by Ali Caksu Istanbul : Organisation of the Islamic Conference (OIC), Research Center of Islamic History, Art and Culture (IRCICA), 2006 x, 207 p.; ill.; 24 cm. Includes Bibliographical references. Sources and Studies on the History of Islamic Civilisation Series No.: 12 92-9063-151-1

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## Women's Studies

Zenanname : Kadinlar Kitabi : The book on Women / Enderunlu Fazil Ankara : AltUst Yayinlari, c2006 219 p. ; 24 cm. 975-98171-3-6 Turkish-English Version \$ 59.50

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