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Architecture

Deco Filipino : Art Deco Heritage in the Philipines / Ivan
Man DY & Gerard Lico
Makati City: ArtPostAsia Inc.
208p. ; 8.25x11.69inches.
9789710579457
\$ 100.00 / HB
1290gm.

Art Deco was the architectural and stylistic sensation of the 20th century. Originating in France, it spread across cities and towns around the world and reached the Philippines via the United States, where it flourished during the Commonwealth Era.

This book is a sequel to ArtPostAsia's 2009 publication Art Deco in the Philippines. It takes you on a grand tour of the rich Art Deco heritage around the country as it brings together a wide selection of residences, commercial and entertainment buildings, religious edifices, as well as public and private facilities that were extensively documented in towns and cities across the archipelago. Lavishly illustrated with over 500 colored and archival photos, DECO FILIPINO: ART DECO HERITAGE IN THE PHILIPPINES presents a visual catalog of contemporary architecture and design from 1925-1950. Through these structures, we learn about the life and times of an era collectively remembered with gilded nostalgia-set in the

midst of a confident political transition, but also one at the cusp of an impending World War.

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Biography

A Memory of Time / Virgilio A. Reyes Jr.

Quezon City: New Day Publishers, 2020

224p.

Includes Selected Bibliography

9789711013714

\$ 30.00 / PB

432gm.

I am a retired Ambassador. I have published three books, including one on the Philippine Revolution of 1898, one on the Poet Laureate Jose Corazon de Jesus 's poem Gloria(a National Book award work) as translated into a Philippine language Pampango, and one on Philippine stands on Disarmament from 1983 to 1991. I am now publishing two books, a novella on Manila, and one summarizing my essays printed in the last four years on culture and heritage. I wish to write on the Spanish impact on the Philippines in the 333 years that it was dominant in the Philippines, possibly in time for the 500th year of Magellan's landing in the country.

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The Road Never Ends / Emil Jurado (Ed) Adelle Chua & Jenny Ortuoste

Makati City: Philippine Manila Standard Publishing Inc., 2020

xii, 164p.

9786219624909

\$ 30.00 / PB

292gm.

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The First Filipino : A Biography of Jose Rizal / Leon MA. Guerrero (Intro) Carlos Quirino
Pasig City: Anvil Publishing, 2019
384p.
Includes Bibliography
9789712735738
\$ 20.00 / PB
434gm.

“Rizal is usually portrayed in extremes either as a sinner or a saint, but Guerrero took the middle ground and gave his readers a human Rizal. Guerrero’s extensive and sensitive use of Rizal’s correspondence and writings shaped a new and more human picture of Rizal. It is remarkable in that the biographer usually stands aside and allows Rizal to speak for himself.” – Ambeth R. Ocampo.

*** “To Guerrero, Rizal is the greatest man produced by the Malay race; but he does not depict him as a saint or a stuffed shirt—rather, as a very human person, with faults common to many men, and even with “an eye for the fair sex,” a failing which some of our countrymen, who want to canonize the hero, would rather omit or gloss over.” – Carlos Quirino

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=687018>

Dungganon (Honorable) : The story of three women in Negros : their hopes, struggles, and triumphs in creating a better tomorrow / Asuncion M. Sebastian (Foreword) Professor Muhammad Yunus
Bacolod City, Negros Occidental: Negros Women for Tomorrow Foundation, Inc., 2019
xx, 128p.
9786210207965
\$ 20.00 / PB
182gm.

Project Dungganon is a story of unlocking the entrepreneurship of hundreds of thousands of forgotten

women in a forgotten island where the only thing you are supposed to survive on is to work as sugarcane farmers. In order to do it Cecile, Ching, and Cora moved away from the traditional role of NGO leaders, they brought out their top-quality entrepreneurship from their side to create a financially self-sustaining programme. Their entrepreneurship is dedicated to unfolding the entrepreneurship of women who were never thought of possessing any trace of entrepreneurship.

Obviously, this journey was a hazardous journey. This was ridden with doubts, many unknown pitfalls, and many uncertainties. This was the same for both Cecile and the women borrowers. But these are the challenges entrepreneurs are supposed to take. They took it gallantly. That's the story of Project Dungganon.

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When Turtles Come Home : A Memoir on Life in the Philippines / Victoria Hoffarth

Quezon City: Central Book Supply Inc., 2019

258gm.

Includes Bibliography

9786210208238

\$ 25.00 / PB

328gm.

When Victoria Hoffarth was at graduate school in U.S., her lecturer, the anthropologist Margaret Mead, once told her class, "There are so many varied places in the world. It is incumbent upon us to search for one where we most fit."

Thus, despite having been born and brought up in the Philippines, Victoria never felt at home there. And so, she became a cultural refugee, searching for where she most fitted.

This is a story of finding yourself and learning to look beyond.

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Cookbook

The Tausug Cookbook : The Best of Home-Cooked Halal
Tausug-Filipino dishes / Abdulaziz H. Hamsain
Quezon City: Central Book Supply, Inc., 2019
82p.
9786210209587
\$ 35.00 / HB
248gm.

"Sharing these Tausug recipes is a lifetime project. This book is a collection of our family recipes passed on from one generation to another. My goal here is not to just share and adaptation of our family recipes but also to preserve and promote our dishes which is a unique part of the Tausug culture." - AbdulAziz Hamsain
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Ecology/Environment

Compendium of Climate-Resilient Agriculture
Technologies and Approaches in the Philippines / Romeo
V. Labios (et al.) (Mng Ed) Benedict A. Juliano
Laguna: SEARCA, 2020
xx, 252p.
9789715602723
\$ 50.00 / HB
998gm.

This Compendium of Climate-Resilient Agriculture Technologies and Approaches in the Philippines has been produced in response to the need to provide science-based and actionable knowledge on climate-resilient agricultural technologies and practices in different agroecological systems in the Philippines. The compendium aims to better guide policymakers, farmer organizations, researchers, extension workers, and the agribusiness sector, as well as climate-smart agriculture practitioners. It does not only present a menu of

solutions but more importantly, it proposes that the business-as-usual attitude is no longer an option if we want to protect the future of our food supply and the well-being of the farmers and communities that produce it.

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Gender Dimension of Climate Change Research in Agriculture : Case Studies in Southeast Asia / (Eds) Thelma Romero Paris & Mario Fay Rola-Rubzen (Mng Ed) Benedict A. Juliano
Laguna: SEARCA, 2020
216p.
9789715602716
\$ 50.00 / HB
898gm.

This book *Gender Dimension of Climate Change Research in Agriculture in Southeast Asia: Case Studies in Southeast Asia* features case studies on climate change, gender roles, and adaptation strategies in the region. Many studies have been done on gender analysis but not much has been done in the context of climate change and agriculture. This publication aims to find the links between socioeconomic and gender issues in the context of a changing climate.

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Education

Creative Nonfiction : Crafting a Knowledge of Self, Others and the World / Marjorie Evasco (et al.)
Mandaluyong City: Anvil Education (Anvil Publishing, Inc.), 2020
192p.
9789712735431
\$ 30.00 / PB
336gm.

Creative Nonfiction: Crafting a Knowledge of Self, Others, and the World is a definitive resource material for Creative Nonfiction, a required subject for senior high school students who have chosen the Humanities and Social Sciences (HUMSS) track in the K-12 curriculum. This resource material enables students to engage in self-reflexive, life-writing exercise using lived experiences and verifiable facts in the telling of the stories that constitute different aspects of one's life. At the end of each piece, questions are provided as guides for close reading.

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History

70 Years of History : Memories of the Ateneo De Davao (1948-2018) / (Ed) Renante D. Pilapil (et al.)

Davao City: Ateneo de Davao University, 2019

xviii, 270p.

Includes Index

9789710392360

\$ 40.00 / PB

414gm.

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Literature

In the Womb of the Earth and Other Stories : Self-Translation from Hiligaynon into English / Alice Tan Gonzales

Quezon City: University of the Philippines Press, 2020

xii, 262p.

9789715429160

1. Short stories, Hiligaynon – Translations into English.

2. Short stories, Hiligaynon.

\$ 25.00 / PB

414gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=687026>

Broken Bard : Path of the Pacifist / Christian Khriel Pineda
Unto
Quezon City: Central Book Supply Inc., 2020
vi, 324p.
9786210210057
The Requiem Series
\$ 30.00/ PB
436gm.

"When social issues hit you personally, that's when things change." In this first installment of the Requiem Series, follow the trail of a justice-seeking young man, as he finds himself caught in the middle of a secret war, attempting to end it as a pacifist.

The unsolved and gruesome death of a patient in a psychiatric facility sent Sky, a psychology student, embark on a quest to find answers and seek justice. He discovered that Richter Raven, dubbed as the Untainted Governor, could be the mastermind of the murder. Divulging secrets after secrets about the case, Sky lost his family and his memories as a consequence. After spending two years in recovery, he soon found himself caught in the middle of a secret war of two privy factions—The Society of the Broken Bard and the Arcanum Order. Certain 'candidates' of each faction possessed abilities to subdue one another. Members of the Society can project images and cast illusions to the minds of other people. Meanwhile, the Arcanum has talented individuals who can bend people's will and put them under their control. Engaged in the bloody war of these factions, Sky joined the Society and chose to fight the extremist Arcanum as a pacifist. But as the Arcanum plans to raise an army of mind-controlled soldiers and find the ultimate weapon for world domination, Sky begins to question his beliefs and methods of non-violence. Sky now has to make grave choices as he raced with the Arcanum. But little did the Society know, Sky entered the war solely to protect a person of the past—his beloved Clare.

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Politics

Research and Realities : Politics in the Third World / (Ed)

Maria Lourdes G. Rebullida

Third World Perspectives on Politics Series

Quezon City: The University of the Philippines Press,

2020

x, 264p.

9789715429108

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3. Thailand – Politics and government.
4. Malaysia – Politics and government.
5. South Korea – Politics and government.
6. Developing countries – Social conditions.

\$ 30.00 / PB

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