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Art

Qajar Ceramics : Bridging Tradition and Modernity : The Collection of the Islamic Arts Museum Malaysia / Dr Heba Nayel Barakat & Zahra Khademi (Ed)
Lucien de Guise

Kuala Lumpur: Islamic Arts Museum Malaysia, 2019
232p. ; 24x29cm.

Includes Bibliography

9789832591177

1. Ceramics – Exhibitions.
2. Pottery, Islamic – Exhibitions.

\$ 60.00 / HB

1638gm.

The Qajar era (1785–1925) was a time of struggle to maintain Persian tradition and identity while embracing innovation and modernity. The rarely explored field of Qajar ceramics typifies the development of the dynasty's own language and vitality, reflecting the rich vigour of the time. Qajar Ceramics – Bridging Tradition and Modernity is about art in transition, featuring a diversity of ceramic objects from the collection of the Islamic Arts Museum Malaysia. Both the publication and the exhibition offer a closer look at the distinctive characteristics of Qajar ceramics, highlighting their forms, aesthetics and themes. Going further, the publication delves into historical sources, revealing newly discovered and important treatises on ceramic artists and kiln technology. Leading authorities have provided essays that explore the context and achievements of the Qajar era, making this the definitive work on ceramics of a fertile time for the applied arts in Persia.

'This catalogue is published in conjunction with the exhibition 'Qajar Ceramics – Bridging Tradition and Modernity' which was launched as part of the year-long celebration of IAMM's 20th anniversary on 21st March 2019.'

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=658697>

Banned in KL, Astroboy Rides the Wave to Sky Kingdom on a Grasshopper: Malaysia Melalui Lima Belas Poskad (1886-2019) / Lim Sheau Yun, Simon Soon & Ong Kar Jin

Penang: Cloud Projects Enterprise, 2021

1v.

English & Malay Languages

9789671939802

\$ 29.90

234gm.

One postcard for every decade from the 1880s to the 2020s. Experience a history of Malaysia through visual artifacts as told by Universiti Malaya Professor Dr. Simon Soon, architectural researcher Lim Sheau Yun, and digital researcher Ong Kar Jin. From ice cream wrappers in the 1980s to the Syair Ghayat Al-Muna in the 1900s, this full-colour book is a journey through the layered stories that these objects hold. Each historical image is printed on perforated pages that can be liberated and used as postcards or as gorgeous decorations; once torn, fold the book in and voila you have a tinier version of the book.

Satu poskad untuk setiap dekad dari tahun 1880-an hingga 2020-an. Alami sejarah Malaysia melalui artifak visual seperti yang diceritakan oleh Profesor Universiti Malaya Dr Simon Soon, penyelidik seni bina Lim Sheau Yun, dan penyelidik digital Ong Kar Jin. Antara imej yang diterokai ialah: Pembungkus ais krim dari tahun 1980-an, Syair Ghayat Al-Muna dari tahun 1900-an, dan poster band punk pada tahun 1990-an. Buku penuh warna ini adalah perjalanan melalui kisah berlapis yang dikandungi oleh benda-benda ini. Setiap gambar bersejarah dicetak pada halaman yang dapat dipisahkan untuk digunakan sebagai poskad atau hiasan; setelah dipisahkan, anda boleh melipat buku itu maka muncullah sebuah buku yang lebih padat!

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=780613>

Mirrors of Beauty : Islamic Arts Museum Malaysia Guide / Muhammad Syukri Mohd Shairi (Ed) Lucien de Guise

Kuala Lumpur: Islamic Arts Museum Malaysia, 2020

208p.

9789832591191

1. Islamic art.
2. Museums – Collection management.
3. Islam and art.

\$ 30.00 / PB

720gm.

Mirrors of Beauty: Islamic Arts Museum Malaysia Guide offers a luminous starting point to approach, enjoy and contemplate the wide-ranging collection of the Islamic Arts Museum Malaysia in Kuala Lumpur. An illustrious selection of up to 150 outstanding objects, covering works of calligraphy, illuminated manuscripts, paintings, architectural elements and many others, draws together an enticing close-up of the continually diverse and interconnected cultures of Islamic societies across time, space and media. Elucidated across seven chapters of distinct yet interdependent themes, the lived spectrum of artistic practice, technical fluency and creative vision in various traditions of Islamic art are presented and contextualised through a range of introductory essays and full colour images, supplemented by comprehensive timelines and maps. This publication provides an inviting and accessible accompaniment to the riches of the Islamic Arts Museum Malaysia collection.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=780614>

Architecture

Melaka – UNESCO World Heritage Site : A Worldly Blend of Architecture : A Sketch Book of Historical Buildings in Malacca / Yvonne Yap & Zhihan Yap (Illustrator) Hanzhen Yap

Malaysia: Galeri Hanzhen, 2019

62p.

9789671347683

\$ 15.00 / PB

154gm.

Hanzhen's journey through his art has lead him across the world. For this book, Hanzhen returns to a place just north of his hometown of Johor Bahru – Malacca.

Hanzhen once again picked up his pencil, drawing 20 sketches of iconic buildings in Malacca, covering a range of different architectural styles reflecting the diverse history of Malacca.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=779848>

Biography/Memoirs

Courage at the Crossroads / Andreas M. Vogiatzakis

Malaysia: Amvplus Advisory, 2021

210p.

9789671940211

\$ 27.50 / PB

Born to replace a brother he had never met was to be the first of many events that Andreas M. Vogiatzakis would later realize had shaped his life's purpose and became his guiding light.

Every major crossroad he came upon by divine chance, unexpected and uninvited, requiring him to courageously choose his path. Despite growing up surrounded by vineyards and olive groves, becoming a farmer like his father was never his ambition.

After the father's death, the son's life changed, irrevocably. From one extreme to the other, each decision stretched him further than he thought possible.

Each occasion forced him to carve out his own space, adapting flexibly, moving forward with determination.

From Crete to Athens, Florida to New York, Japan to Taiwan, to finally making his home in Malaysia. From hymns to math, long hair to corporate suits, and souvlaki to durian. From failures to awards, from building brands to establishing his own company, from adapting to cultures to creating culture. Leadership lessons abound in Andreas' life story. From a humble Greek kampung, he sets out on an international and internal journey to becoming a catalyst for positive change.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=779845>

Memoirs of a Doctor : An extraordinary journey of faith across continents that will encourage, enlighten, and empower you to fulfil your God-ordained destiny! / Dr. Andrew C.S Koh

Malaysia: Dr. Andrew C.S Koh, 2021
126p.
9789671840993
\$ 17.50 / PB

Memoirs of a Doctor is a story my life. The story began from my birthday on 11th January 1952 until my retirement day on 11th Jan 2020. The purpose of my memoir is to document my life story as a legacy for my family, relatives and friends. The story traced back to the tough beginnings of the 1950s when life and society was very backward, industrialisation, computerisation and automation was unheard of. Life was slow and leisurely, letters were sent and read through the postal service, and communication was slow and inefficient. This book is divided into 8 chapters, each chapter describing one stage of my life, with photos relevant to each chapter and a poem before each chapter. The story progressed and unfold with each chapters culminating with the testimony of my retirement in 2020.

There are valuable life lessons to be learnt from a story covering a span of so many years. If any reader is inspired to trust in God, to excel in life, and to persevere in the face of adversity, this book would have achieved its purpose.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=779846>

Survivor : My Life as a Rohingya Refugee / Ziaur Rahman

Petaling Jaya : Gerakbudaya Enterprise, 2021

xxiv, 116p.

9789670311784

1. Ziaur Rahman 1974- – Anecdotes.
2. Refugees – Burma – Anecdotes.
3. Rohingya (Burmese people).
4. Burma – Politics and government.

\$ 15.00 / PB

158gm.

I live in a world where every human right has been denied to me and my people ... But surviving a tragedy is not living. Living means having a purpose, living lives, learning new things, having a career, hopes, and dreams that are not fantasy but can actually have a chance at becoming a reality someday. It is more than existing."

Having fled from Myanmar at a young age, Ziaur Rahman's story is one of survival. From the heavily controlled regime of the refugee camps in Bangladesh, bleak depths of the sea, and the Covid-19 crisis, the politics of being a refugee are explored in this deep, immensely personal narrative.

" Ziaur's story is one of resilience, courage, and conviction ... a compelling reminder that Myanmar's genocide and citizenship stripping practices have a far-reaching impact on Roghinyas living outside the country across multiple generations." – Maung Zarni and Natalie Brinham

co-authors of Essays on Myanmar's Genocide of Roghinyas (2012-2018)

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=780617>

Unspoken: A Memoir About Living with Mental Illness / Suria Tei

Malaysia: Clarity Publishing, 2021

270p.

9789671765753

\$ 19.50 / HB

During a Scottish summer, author Suria Tei was struck by an acute psychotic episode that left her mentally paralysed. After a few sessions of Electroconvulsive Therapy (ECT), she gradually regained awareness. As she recovered from her ordeal, Tei delved into the roots of her chronic depression and psychosis, eventually finding answers in her formative years growing up in a conventional Malaysian Chinese family.

From grief to depression, from psychosis to catharsis, from East to West, Tei shares her past encounters and insights into life with an unflinching honesty.

Unspoken is a journey of self- discovery and understanding how the past conditions our present.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=783461>

Economics

Reflections on the Malaysian Economy Post-GE14 : Issues and Challenges /
Irwan Shah Zainal Abidin

Sintok, Kedah: UUM Press, 2021

xii, 146p.

Includes Index ; Bibliography

9789672486589

1. Malaysia – Economic conditions.

2. Malaysia – Economic policy.

\$ 20.00 / PB

256gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=784025>

Evaluating the Malaysian Economy (2009-2018): Growth, Development and Policies / Irwan Shah Zainal Abidin

Sintok, Kedah: UUM Press, 2020

xvi, 220p.

Includes Index ; Bibliography

9789672363149

1. Economics – Malaysia.

2. Economics development – Malaysia.

3. Malaysia – Economic conditions.

\$ 24.00 / PB

362gm.

Malaysia was once on the cusp of becoming one of the ‘Asian Tigers’ as a result of the impressively high growth rates recorded in the early 1990s. From 1990 until 1997, the growth rate was above 9 percent per annum on average. This performance came to an end when the economy was struck by the 1997/98 Asian Financial Crisis, the worst economic crisis Malaysia has ever experienced since independence. Things eventually worsened with the onslaught of the 2008/09 Global Financial Crisis, which dragged the Malaysian economy yet into another round of a recession with the growth rate contracting at 1.5 percent in 2009.

On hindsight, these two events, which have had a substantial impact on the state of the Malaysian economy, pointed to several urgent calls for economic reforms, such as the need to address structural weaknesses of the economy and to have a growth target which is both sustainable as well as inclusive. When Datuk Seri Najib Razak became the sixth Prime Minister of Malaysia from April 2009 until May 2018, it was clear that a new approach to economic development for Malaysia had to be crafted. Towards this end, he introduced the National Transformation Policy (NTP), so that the economy can be transformed into one that is of high-income and developed status by the year 2020. He also set a new vision for Malaysia, also known as the 2050 National Transformation, or TN50, which is meant to chart a new course for Malaysia to move into the second half of the 21st century. How successful is this transformational agenda? What are the other issues and challenges which

need to be addressed? What important lessons can we learn from this transformational journey? This book is an attempt to address these specific questions by assessing Najib's economic plans, policies, programmes and vision which evolved during the nine years of his term as the sixth Prime Minister of Malaysia.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=784026>

Malaysia and the Muslim World: Harnessing the OIC Market Through Trade and Islamic Finance / Irwan Shah Zainal Abidin

Sintok, Kedah: UUM Press, 2021

xxii, 206p.

Includes Index ; Bibliography

9789672486336

1. Finance – Religious aspects – Islam.
2. Economic development – Religious aspects – Islam.
3. Islamic countries – Economic policy.

\$ 24.00 / PB

354gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=784027>

Global Halal Perspectives: Past, Present and Future / (Ed) Risyawati

Mohamed Ismail

Sintok, Kedah: UUM Press, 2020

xx, 174p.

Includes Index

9789672363330

1. Halal food industry.
2. Food – Religious aspects – Islam.
3. Product safety (Islamic law) – Malaysia.

\$ 20.00 / PB

302gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=784028>

Islamic Finance: Legal Frameworks, Practices and Shariah Criteria Review / Asmadi Mohamed Naim, Mohamad Yazid Isa & Mohd Liki Hamid

Sintok, Kedah: UUM Press, 2020

xii, 206p.

Includes Index

9789672210924

1. Finance – Religious aspects – Islam.

2. Finance (Islamic law).

\$ 19.00 / PB

342gm.

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Malaysia's Trade Governance at a Crossroads / (Eds) Pierre Sauve

Malaysia : Khazanah Research Institute, 2018

Xxii, 328p.

9789671633526

1. Free Trade – Malaysia

2. Trade Regulation – Malaysia

\$ 50.00 / PB

510gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=784030>

Looking into the Alternate Malay Universe : Crisis and Opportunity in a
Pandemic / AB Sulaiman

Malaysia : Tiram Studio & Design, 2021

Vi, 234p.

9789672556404

\$ 25.00 / PB

225gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=784031>

History

The Long Shadow of the 19th Century : Critical Essays on Colonial Orientalism
in Southeast Asia / Farish A. Noor

Petaling Jaya: Matahari Boosk (Buku Fixi Sdn Bhd), 2021

392p.

9789672328612

\$ 20.00 / PB

366gm.

Stamford Raffles, James Brooke, John Crawfurd and Anna Leonowens were some of those who came from Europe or the United States to Southeast Asia in the nineteenth century — and then wrote about what they saw.

Their writings deserve to be read now for what they truly were: Not objective accounts of a Southeast Asia frozen in imperial time but rather as culturally myopic and perspectivist works that betray the subject-positions of the

authors themselves. Reading them would allow us to write the history of the East-West encounter through critical lenses that demonstrate the workings of power-knowledge in the elaborate war-economy of racialised colonial-capitalism.

Many of the tropes used by these colonial-era scholars and travellers, such as the indolence or savagery of the native population, are still very much in use today – which means we still live in the long shadow of the 19th century.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=780618>

Acts of Resistance : Dol Said and the Naning War / Shaun Adam

Petaling Jaya : Gerakbudaya Enterprise, 2021

xx, 164p.

9789670311715

1. War.
2. Revolutions – Malaysia – Melaka.
3. Naning (Melaka, Malaysia) – History – 19th century.
4. Dol Said, 1773-1849.

\$ 15.00 / PB

202gm.

when British colonists first arrived in Malaya, they considered Naning, a small village about 30 miles from Malacca, to be under their jurisdiction. The incumbent penghulu of Naning, Dol Said, resisted, claiming that Naning was an independent sovereign state with its own traditions and laws. Intending to follow in the footsteps of their Indian conquest, a military campaign was sanctioned by the British East India Company to seize Naning and to arrest its chief in 1831. What ought to have been a simple campaign turned out to be one of the empire's greatest blunders in what is now modern-day Malaysia. Some would argue that Dol Said's anti-colonial stance was replicated for more than a century afterwards, with different actors fighting the land's colonial masters. Shaun Adam's narrative ties in archival records with folk narratives and oral histories, thus creating a richer and more comprehensive narrative of the infamous Naning War that sparked off a history of unjust conquest – and resistance.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=780619>

The Last Jews of Penang / Zayn Gregory, Arif Rafhan

Malaysia : Matahari Books, an Imprint of Buku Fixi Sdn. Bhd., 2021

9789672328711

1v.

\$ 18.00 / HB

300gm.

Not very long ago, a small but thriving community of Jews called the island of Penang their home. With a presence spanning across two centuries, this little-known but truly Malaysian community eventually vanished, but traces remain!

With prose by Zayn Gregory accessible even to goys of all ages, and beautiful illustrations by Arif Rafhan, *The Last Jews of Penang* brings to life a poignant moment in Malaysia's rich multicultural history.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=784032>

Law

Concise Principles of Malaysian Company Law, Third Edition / by Anil Joshi (Author) , Shanthi Thuraisingham (Author) , Sujata Balan (Author)

Malaysia : LexisNexis, 2021

1v.

9789674009977

\$ 120.00 / PB

Company law has assumed increasing importance to those engaged in commercial law, accountancy and other related commercial areas. The concise yet comprehensive statements on important areas of company law in this new edition incorporate case law, legislation, recent developments and policy issues, making this book an invaluable resource for practicing lawyers, accountants, business practitioners, officers and shareholders of companies, as well as students of law and business at all levels.

This edition introduces three new chapters on Company Secretaries, Corporate Governance and Corporate Rescue Mechanisms, along with updated commentaries on the Companies Act 2016, Companies Regulations 2017, most recent securities legislation, the Malaysian Code on Corporate Governance 2021, and latest case law developments.

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ALL MALAYSIA REPORTS 2022

Malaysia : Sweet & Maxwell, 2021

ISSN :0128-6420
\$ 1500.00 / PB

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SUMMUM BONUM: THE ULTIMATE GOOD / Dato' Mahadev Shankar, Collated and edited by Santhi Latha.

Malaysia : Sweet & Maxwell, 2021

1v.

9789672723080

\$ 50.00 / PB

Summum Bonum (The Ultimate Good) presents the life, experiences and reflections of former Court of Appeal judge, Dato' Mahadev Shankar. It contains stories which are absorbing, some even tantalising, as readers travel with the author down memory lane and immerse in the unfolding of a life well lived. From early Malaya to WWII, England, family law reform and the pebbled road from Bar to Bench, this book is peppered with the struggles and aspirations of one man on his legal journey. A must-read for members of the

legal community, this book brings to life the roots and rich history of the legal community in Malaysia.

This book serves an intimate account about culture, family and one man's life-long encounter with the law. The author provides insight and colourful perspectives about a Malaya that needs to be remembered, and about the journeys of many brave and resolute men and women who blazed the trail for the Malaysian legal profession.

A deeply moving and often colourful memoir, with its share of humour and historical figures from Malaya, England and Singapore, *Summum Bonum* will greatly interest the different stakeholders in the legal profession as well as the society at large. The author shares powerful lessons about the law, our collective history and the evolution of a nation much beloved. The celebrity anecdotes included will certainly be a great bonus to the readers as this book which explodes with extraordinary verve about key legal and historical personalities.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=784038>

Corporate Governance and Ethics / Nik Norzrul Thani, Izahar Izham & Liya Saffura

Malaysia : Sweet & Maxwell, 2021

1v.

9789672723127

\$ 90.00 / PB

The principles of corporate governance and ethics collectively serve as necessary checks and balances to curb the misconduct of corporations. This practitioner-oriented book reviews the development and practical application of governance in the corporate sector with some attention given to the public sector too. The authors have clearly and concisely explained the salient principles of corporate governance and ethics and have included discussion on relevant regulatory bodies (such as the Securities Commission Malaysia and Bank Negara Malaysia), statutes, codes and guidelines (such as the Malaysian Code on Corporate Governance 2021 ("MCCG 2021") and the Bank Negara Policy Document on Corporate Governance for financial institutions), challenges in the implementation of the regulatory framework of corporate governance, and enforcement and compliance of relevant legislation (such as the Companies Act 2016).

A whole chapter dedicated to case studies gives due attention to key cases to further illustrate high-profile breaches of corporate governance in Malaysia, serving as a cautionary tale to company directors and shareholders alike.

This book is invaluable to company directors, shareholders, and other stakeholders who will benefit from the book's succinct guidance to compliance with the Malaysian legal and regulatory regime.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=784039>

Law and Practice of Construction Law In Malaysia / Lim Chong Fong (Editor)
Malaysia : Sweet & Maxwell, 2021

1v.

9789672723028

\$ 225.00 / HB

The phenomenon of construction is an ancient one. Civilisation is built on bricks, concrete, mortar, and steel. As new technologies emerge in this area, so, too, has the law evolved to stay abreast. This book is a collaborative effort between professionals whose respective involvement in the legal and practical aspects of construction in Malaysia is brought to bear in this addition to the Malaysian Practice Series.

The result of their collaboration is a nuanced, balanced and detailed coverage of the most essential topics in construction law and practice, including construction procurement and contracts, design and supervision obligations, quality and defect obligations, variation and extension of time, termination of construction contracts, and the application of the COVID-19 Act 2020 to the construction industry.

The book considers and analyses various standard forms commonly adopted in the Malaysian construction industry. Key cases are presented in the form of illustrations which seek to present essential principles in an easily digestible form. The book is invaluable to all legal professionals engaged in the practice of construction law as well as construction professionals in Malaysia and contains discussion of current Malaysian cases and applicable statutes.

Key Features

Collaboration between lawyers and construction industry professionals to provide balanced and nuanced coverage of contemporary legal and practical challenges in construction in Malaysia

Illustrations of key cases make important legal principles abundantly clear

Analysis and discussion of commonly applied standard forms of contract
Discussion clearly supported by local and foreign case law as well as statutory provisions

One chapter dedicated to the discussion of the effects of the COVID-19 Act 2020 on construction projects

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=784040>

Habeas Corpus In Malaysia / Abd Shukor Ahmad

Malaysia : Sweet & Maxwell, 2021

1v.

9789672919919

\$ 125.00 / HB

Habeas Corpus in Malaysia is a compact, concisely written handbook which offers considerable insight and analysis into the important workings of the writ of habeas corpus, providing enough material for the reader to work confidently or to conduct further study, where necessary. The six chapters of this book cover the history of the writ and provide succinct and nuanced discussion on the legal considerations faced by the courts of Malaysia in deciding if a given detention is unlawful, including discussion on recent key cases like *Zaidi Kanapiah v ASP Khairul Fairoz bin Rodzuan & Ors* and *Rovin Joty Kodeeswaran v Lembaga Pencegahan Jenayah & Ors*, and the position of the remedy with regard to the Federal Constitution. In addition, the practical and procedural considerations for making and sustaining an application for habeas corpus are dealt with in detail. A wide range of cases have been surveyed to show the posturing taken by the courts in Malaysia when faced with applications seeking relief against detention.

The author also provides comparative historical analysis on the position of the writ of habeas corpus outside Malaysia, from medieval to modern times, including the position of detention in Guantanamo Bay in the case of *Boumediene v Bush*.

This book is invaluable to legal practitioners as well as undergraduate and postgraduate students dealing with the powers of the court to issue prerogative writs.

KEY FEATURES

Concise and detailed commentary on the prerogative writ of habeas corpus, with a wealth of practical guidance

Fully up to date with relevant statutory and case law

Summary of decided key cases spanning more than 70 years

Forms and precedents

Proposals for reform of the law on habeas corpus

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=784042>

Law, Practice And Procedure Of Arbitration In India / Sundra Rajoo

Malaysia : Sweet & Maxwell, 2021

1v.

9789391340612

\$ 270.00 / HB

Datuk Professor Sundra Rajoo's Law, Practice and Procedure of Arbitration in India is a great new resource for the Indian and international arbitration community. It provides a detailed practical guide on the Indian arbitration landscape. The text of the book traverses in detail the latest precedents with in-depth analysis and prognosis of the evolving arbitral regime in India. Datuk Sundra's academic knowledge, vast experience and practical insight as an arbitrator is seen in each of the 51 chapters of the book. Every chapter brings the international perspective, practice, procedure, comparable provisions of law and precedents from other common law and civil law jurisdictions to provide global insights and comparisons into each aspect of arbitration.

The book sets out and discusses scholarly and authoritative views of the leading international voices on arbitration, all the latest Indian legislative amendments, judicial precedents and their impact on India's position as a preferred destination for the arbitration of commercial disputes.

Practitioners, counsels, judges, general counsels, arbitral institutions, students and other users of or interested in arbitration will find Law, Practice and Procedure of Arbitration in India useful.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=784043>

Law And Practice Of Employment Law In Malaysia / Sivabalah Nadarajah (Ed)

Malaysia : Sweet & Maxwell, 2021

1v.

9789672723011

\$ 200.00 / HB

The livelihood of most Malaysians is secured through employment and crucially, employment has now been established as a fundamental right within the expression of “life”. Despite this, while government employees are generally assured of security of tenure, employees in the private sector are often left at the mercy of the employer with their terms and conditions of employment very much dictated by the employer. The law has developed and legislative activity has progressively accorded greater protection to employees.

Employment law is an important area of law which applies to a wide spectrum of society. In view of the changes and development of employment law in Malaysia, there is a keen need to have a comprehensive guide to the law and practice of employment law in Malaysia prepared by practitioners in this area of the law. *Law and Practice of Employment Law in Malaysia* contains the collective knowledge and experience of a team of leading employment law specialists. It has been prepared with court lawyers in mind, specifically those with the challenging task of bringing their clients’ cases to court, be they an employee or an employer.

The book is comprehensive in its coverage, including the fundamentals of contracts of employment, the conduct of domestic inquiry, various grounds for termination, unfair labour practice, sexual harassment, proceedings at the Industrial Court, judicial review and appeal, social security, trade unions and the recognition thereof as well as industrial action. Two detailed chapters are devoted to the conduct of proceedings at the Industrial Court which is the primary forum at which employment disputes are litigated. Other obligations under employment law such as complaints, inquiries and offences under the Employment Act 1955, employees provident fund, employment insurance scheme, and the employment of foreign employees are also given due coverage.

The content of the book is practical, instructive and full of insightful analysis of statutory provisions and case law. The amendments brought in by the Industrial Relations (Amendment) Act 2020 have been carefully considered. The best practices provided to avoid employment law issues and to handle them when they arise certainly add further edge to the usefulness of the book.

This is a book which should not be missed by employment lawyers, judges, in-house counsel, human resource practitioners, trade unions and business owners.

KEY FEATURES

Clear and detailed commentary on substantive law, practice and procedure

Valuable practical insights, guidance and incisive analysis

Experienced team of contributors from practice and the courts

Practical guidance on the law and procedure applicable at the Industrial Court

Coverage of various grounds of termination including poor performance, medical incapacity, retrenchment, misconduct and constructive dismissal

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=784044>

Malaysian Law On Division Of Matrimonial Assets, Second Edition / Wee Wui Kiat

Malaysia : Sweet & Maxwell, 2021

1v.

9789672919896

\$ 190.00 / HB

In the breakdown of a marriage, one of the most important considerations for divorcing parties (alongside the custody and care of children of the marriage) is the division of matrimonial assets.

Malaysian Law on Division of Matrimonial Assets (Second Edition) is a comprehensive text covering all the principles which govern the judicial division of matrimonial assets incidental to a court decree of divorce or judicial separation. The main provisions of the Law Reform (Marriage and Divorce) Act 1976 (“LRA 1976”) and its accompanying rules, the Divorce and Matrimonial Proceedings Rules 1980 that govern this area of law in relation to non-Muslims are analysed and explained in great depth and detail. The law applicable to Muslims and the application of native customary laws are also covered.

To elucidate the application of the law in various factual scenarios, copious court decisions – selected from Malaysia and countries with similar laws, such as the UK, Singapore and Australia – are thoroughly reviewed, to provide a good grasp of the different considerations in ascertaining how matrimonial

assets should be divided. Important issues such as what constitutes matrimonial assets, the duty to make full disclosure, and the relationship between the law on division of matrimonial assets and other laws such as contract, trust, and succession laws are given due focus.

This second edition has been updated with two new chapters: Chapter 15 covers the nexus test for determining whether an asset is to be regarded as matrimonial property and the division of such properties, which was introduced in *Yap Yen Piow v Hee Wee Eng*. Chapter 16 surveys the Law Reform (Marriage and Divorce) (Amendment) Act 2017, and its impact on section 76 of the LRA 1976 for the purposes of division of matrimonial assets.

Family law practitioners will welcome the treatment given to practical matters such as the procedure for making an application for property division, the types of orders that a court may issue, and the means available to resist attempts to defeat any potential claim for division of matrimonial assets, as well as the methods of enforcement when there is non-compliance with a division order.

Key Developments Covered in this Edition

Chapter 6 provides discussion on key authorities such as *Hong Leong Finance Bhd v Low Thiam Hoe* (2016) (leave for amendment of pleadings), *Liew Chong Yee v Chai Yem You* (2020) (amendments of pleadings after close of pleadings and commencement of trial), *Ng Yuet Mooi v Leong Yee Heim* (2018) (the time to make applications for orders for ancillary relief) and *Ng Boon Chwee v Yan Shuwei* (2018) (rescission of decree nisi).

Chapter 8 discusses fragmentation of ownership (*Tan Su Lin v Andrew Lim* (2018)).

The Nexus Test in *Yap Yen Piow v Hee Wee Eng* (2017) is discussed extensively, including a review of its application in recent cases like *Wong Chong Kiew v Lee Hock Seng* (2019), *Poonageswari a/p P Krishnan v Bailand a/l Govindanam* (2019) and *Wong Chong Kiew v Lee Hock Seng* (2019).

The workings of the Law Reform (Marriage and Divorce) (Amendment) Act 2017 are explored in detail in cases such as *Kamalahasan a/l Singaram v Portia Ceri Poorans* (2019), *Shilashshree Shirely Gomez v Raymond Shilendran a/l Simon* (2019), *Theynarasi a/p Selambaram v Periasamy a/l Chinnappan* (2019).

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Land Acquisition: A Primer / Prof Dato' Salleh Buang
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Land Acquisition: A Primer discusses the principles of law governing compulsory land acquisition in a concise manner. Clearly written, this book provides the basic underlying legal jurisprudence of compulsory land acquisition in Malaysia and highlights landmark decisions governing the compulsory acquisition of privately-owned land.

This book contains 21 chapters which are presented in a systematic order, dealing with, inter alia, the right to property, the purposes of land acquisition, the general and special procedure, the principles of compensation, the role of assessors, the position of paymaster, challenging the validity of the acquisition, controversial acquisitions, acquisition of Orang Asli land and acquisition of wakaf properties.

This book is intended to be a handy textbook for students and serves as an introductory reading for legal practitioners, policy makers, land administrators, land consultants, property developers and other professionals whose nature of work requires them to have a good grasp of the law relating to compulsory land acquisition under the Land Acquisition Act 1960 (Act 486).

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Written in simple English language for easy understanding of the legal provisions governing the principles of land acquisition.

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Discusses key changes to the provisions of the Land Acquisition Act 1960, as amended by the Land Acquisition (Amendment) Act 2016 (Act A1517).

Essential Company Law In Malaysia: Navigating The Companies Act 2016,
Second Edition / Chan Wai Meng
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Presenting the law in a clear and concise style, this updated second edition guides and supports a quick understanding of the Malaysian company law system. Regular reference is made to the provisions of the Companies Act 2016 to enable the reader to appreciate the statutory scheme regulating companies in Malaysia. Illustrations are used to clarify concepts and cases are cited for reference. Mind maps have been included to assist a quick appreciation of key concepts and procedure. Comparison is made with the former scheme under the Companies Act 1965 where relevant and helpful comments are included to aid the analysis of more difficult areas of the law.

Each chapter begins with its learning objectives, presents the essential principles in succinct paragraphs and concludes with a summary to ensure that the reader obtains a clear understanding of the subject matter covered. A section titled “Points to Ponder” highlights difficult areas which may merit further discussion and consideration. The Appendix to the book contains a useful comparison of key provisions in the Companies Act 1965 and the Companies Act 2016.

Changes made by the Companies Act 2016 Reprint and the Companies (Amendment) Act 2019 have been covered, including the requirements for the execution of documents and the conditions for loans to directors.

This book is especially suitable for non-law degree students who take Company Law in their course of study as well as candidates taking MAICSA, ACCA, MICPA and MIA examinations. It can also be of interest to practitioners who need a quick refresher on basic principles and those who want to learn more about the general law relating to companies and how the Companies Act 2016 impacts their business.

Key Features of this New Edition

Presents essential principles in clear and succinct style
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Mind maps support easy understanding of key concepts and procedure
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Navigating Employment Disputes in Malaysia / Donovan Cheah (Author)
Malaysia : LexisNexis, 2021

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Employment disputes may often be confined to specific issues, but they can be complex and unpredictable because of the human element. This book aims to guide those who face the unenviable task of managing an employment dispute, whether personally or on behalf of their company.

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National Land Code, A Commentary, 2021 Desk Edition / Judith Sihombing (Consulting Editor)

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This 2021 desk edition of the National Land Code looks at recent decisions, including case law from other jurisdictions, on the principles relevant to the National Land Code, and their relationship to the operation of the Code. In particular, references are made to cases in contract law, equity, trusts, property, and remedies, which are influential and relevant in the operation of land matters. This is especially so of cases applicable to the principles of statutory contract law, and to local influences on equitable principles. This title also considers the concept of indefeasibility in detail. Interests or rights in land which are outside the scope of the Code, including those dealt with in

contract, but which have relevance to land ownership. Recent legislative amendments, most notably the introduction of the National Land Code 2020 (Act 828), which came into force on 15 October 2020, are accompanied by explanatory commentary on the need for amendment, and their application. In an expansion of the 2019 addition, this new edition also includes annotations of the Sarawak Land Code and Sabah Land Ordinance.

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Since its inception in 2000, Khoo's Law and Practice of Bankruptcy in Malaysia has been an effective reference book on the bankruptcy law and practice of the country, used not only in the law offices and the courts, but also in the local universities and colleges. The book has been referred to in numerous reported cases, including two Federal Court decisions. 18 years after the second edition, the book has now been updated to incorporate all relevant reported cases up to 2020. The content has also been updated to reflect the changes introduced by the 2017 and 2020 Amendment Acts, thus providing readers a more comprehensive overview of the present landscape of bankruptcy law in Malaysia.

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Law of Trade Marks and Passing Off in Malaysia / Teo Bong Kwang (Author)

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This book provides readers with a comprehensive view of the legislative provisions and principles for the registration, maintenance and enforcement of trade marks as well as the general principles related to the common law action for passing off. In view of the recently enacted Trademarks Act 2019, the author has drawn on his years of experience to provide extensive commentary on the general principles and practice of trade mark law in Malaysia, as well as an in-depth treatment of the principles of passing off.

Whilst the law related to trade mark matters is now governed by the new Act, the saving provisions of the same provide that the Trade Marks Act 1976 still applies to certain trade mark applications. To address this, the book also contains several chapters that address the provisions and developments of case laws under the 1976 Act. More importantly, the author has attempted to elucidate the important provisions of the newly enacted Trademarks Act 2019 by drawing upon numerous case laws which explained the analogous provisions found in the trade mark legislation of the United Kingdom, European Union and Singapore.

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Manoeuvring Corporate Governance in Malaysia: Litigation Perspectives / Gan Khong Aik (Author) , Foo Joon Liang (Author) , Tan Min Lee (Author)
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About the rage of a 19-year-old girl
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Capturing Hope follows chronologically the events described in Tun Dr Mahathir Mohamad's best-selling book, *A Doctor in the House*. This standalone work chronicles not just the unexpected journey of Dr Mahathir back to the premiership but also the great changes taking place within Malaysia today. The story starts with his retirement, which finally gave him the time and means to pursue matters close to his heart—the plight of the Palestinian people, and the criminalisation of war—before the country's troubles soon pulled him back into the maelstrom of Malaysian national politics.

Unable to sit idly by as his country plummeted towards disaster, Dr Mahathir found himself in the unique position of opposing the very party he led for 22 years. More astonishing was his victory in Malaysia's 14th General Election and his return at the age of 92 as the seventh Prime Minister of Malaysia, making him the oldest serving head of government in the world at the time.

This book offers a frank and at times blunt discussion of the difficulties that the Pakatan Harapan Government faced, the challenges of rebuilding national political consensus, the betrayals from within the coalition that ultimately led to the Government's downfall in March 2020 and to the many unthinkable firsts in Malaysian politics. Whether one agrees with Dr Mahathir or not, it is impossible to deny the impact he has had—and continues to have—on the Malaysian political landscape. This book seeks to discuss those impacts as well as Dr Mahathir's unfinished struggle to steer Malaysia away from the destructive political dynamics that have fuelled corruption and division in the country for so long.

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