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Architecture and Construction techniques amongst Magar and Khasa of Nepal / Rana Prasad Gharti Magar
Nepal : Dhan Maya Gharti Magar,
170 p. : ill. ; 22 cm
Includes Bibliography
99946-2-724-4
\$ 10.00

Monument conservation in Nepal : My experience with the World Heritage Sites of Kathmandu Valley / Shaphalya Amatya
Kathmandu : Vajra Publications, c2007
257 p. : ill. ; 22 cm
978-9937-506-01-4
\$ 30.00

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2. History of Monuments Conservation in Nepal

3. Conservation of Hanuman Dhoka Durbar Monuments Zone

4. Conservation of Patan Durbar Monument Zone

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7. Conservation of Boudhanath Monument Zone

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9. Conservation of Changu Narayan World Heritage Site

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Bawa and Beyond : Readings Sri Lanka's Modern Architecture / Tariq Jazeel
Colombo : International Centre for Ethnic Studies, 2007
32 p. : ill. ; 21 cm.
ICES Lecture / Discussion Series
\$ 5.00

The Architect 50 : 1957-2007 commemorative volume of The Sri Lanka Institute of Architects
Pannipitiya : Stamford Lake (Pvt) Ltd., c2007
xv, 327 p. : ill. ; 28 cm.
978-955-658-089-1
\$ 80.00

[The book contains references to several institutions and when the same institution is mentioned at several places I have resorted to the use of abbreviations. These are given in a separate list of abbreviations. It is to be noted that any reference to the institute of Architects prior to 1976 is given as CIA (Ceylon Institute of Architects) and after 1976 as SLIA (Sri Lanka Institute of Architects)

The book covers the period after 1957 in great detail but refers to a time span of nearly 30 centuries during which time the country was called by several names: Lamka, Taprobane, Serendib, Ceylon etc. But I have used Sri Lanka throughout.]

Japan : The New Mix : Architecture, Interiors and More

Tokyo : G, 2007

260p.

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In Japanese and English

\$ 65.00

The Work of 21 Architects and Interior Designers

The Japanese House : In Space, Memory and Language / Nakagawa Takeshi ;

Translated by Geraldine Harcourt

Tokyo : I-House Press, 2006

2nd Revised Edition

267p. Includes Index

LTCB International Library Selection No. 17

4903452026

\$ 35.00

In a work originally written for the general Japanese reader, the author provides historical context while also exploring the origins and implications of traditional terminology in some depth. By focusing on small concrete details, he encapsulates the broad processes at work in the evolution of new architectural styles over the centuries.

Solar Architecture Design Book

Tokyo : Shokokusha, 2007

135p.

978-4-395-00801-8

In Japanese & English

\$ 60.00

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)
