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Disabled in India / S. Barik
New Delhi : Adhyayan Publishers and Distributors, 2009
978-81-8435-102-6
\$ 16.25

Ageing in North East India : Arunachal Pradesh Perspectives / R.M. Pant
New Delhi : Akansha Publishing House, 2008
Xviii, 107 p.; 22 cm.
Includes Index
978-81-8370-139-6
\$ 9.00

Modernity and the Problem of Cultural Identity / A.P. Dubey
New Delhi : Northern Book Centre, c2008
x,250 p.; 22 cm.
Includes Index.
81-7211-247-9,
\$ 17.50

[According to this view identity is fundamental element of socio-liberation and oppression. The book presents these three views of identity and their possible role in obviating and addressing the problems with possible alternatives. If also implemented how they could bring the social individual and eventual leads in the society. This book will certainly present a number of new solutions to the existing (current) problems.]

Bio – Social Issues in Health / A.K. Sinha
New Delhi : Northern Book Center, c2008
xiii,598 p.; 26 cm
Includes Index.
81-7211-225-5
\$ 68.75

[Themes included are :
v Issues on Health and Diseases Approaches
v Health and Health Care System : Socio – Cultural and Ecological Dimension
v Nutrition Human Growth and Development
v Health and Mental Illness
~~v Contemporary Issues in Tribal Health and Care of the Aged.]~~

India Analysed / Sudhir kaker in Conversation with Ramin Jahanbegloo
New Delhi : Oxford University Press, c2009
Xvi, 90 p.; 22 cm.
978-01-9569-893-0,(019569893-2)
\$ 10.00

[The book also dwells on his views on secularism and modern Indian leaders like Gandhi and Nehru. Kakar brings to bear his intellect on a wide range of issues like philosophy, democracy, Indian Culture and tradition, and the Partition, and the conversational style of the interviews helps demystify many of his complex ideas,]

India's Unfree Workforce of Bondage Old and New / Edited by Jan Breman Isabelle Guerin , Aseem Prakash
New Delhi : Oxford University Press, c2009
Vi, 399 p.; ill.; 22 cm.
Includes Index and Figures
978-01-9569-856-6, (019569846-0)
\$ 22.50

[The book is broadly divided into three sections-agrarian bondage in historical perspective; contemporary forms of bondage; and the urgent need for legal and global action. It argues that while the state gives absolute priority to the interests of formal and informal capital accumulation, it has abdicated its responsibility of providing basic security and protection to the people at the bottom of the economic and social hierarchy. The book will attract a range of readers from students in the social sciences to policymakers, civil servants, and NGOs.]

Labour Regulation in Indian Industry (Set of 10 Volumes) / T.S.Papola (General Editor)
New Delhi: Institute for Studies In Industrial development, c2008
10v. ;23 cm.
978-81-89640-63-7 (set)
\$ 62.50 (Set)

Understanding and Eradicating Bonded labour in India : A compilation of Seven Reports and Papers, containing also various Recommendations, on bonded Labour in India, by the government of India, National Human rights Commission and the International Labour Organisation / Kiran kamal Prasad
Bangalore: Jana Jagrati Prakashana, 2008
Xiv, 422 p.; ill.; 23 cm
978-81-906736-3-1
\$ 25.00

[The bonded labour system is... something which is lesser known and even lesser is it recognized partly because it gets camouflaged within the wider evil of the caste system itself... The present volume... brings together very valuable extracts from more than half a dozen sources. Every single source contained here is an authoritative one. Many of them are the result of commissions appointed by the Government of India.]

TADIA : The African Diaspora in Asia - Explorations on a Less Known Fact (Papers Presented at the First International Conference on TADIA in Panaji, Goa, Held During January 2006) / Kiran Kamal Prasad and Jean- Pierre Angenot (ed.,)
Bangalore: Jana Jagrati Prakashana, 2008
Xviii, 775 p.; ill.; 23 cm
978-81-906736-4-8
\$ 90.00

In Search of An Identity: An Ethnographic Study of the Siddis In Karnataka/ Kiran Kamal Prasad
Bangalore: Jana Jagrati Prakahana, 2005
xxviii 179p.; 22cm.
978-81-906736-0-0
\$ 10.00

[The book provides a brilliant and informative balance between participation, observation and interpretation of Siddi lifeways. Prasad's work is a guide post for further understanding of Siddis and diasporic People. This in-depth study succeeds in articulating the socio-historical, economic and religious context in which suddis and other underclass people order their lives. Further, it stimulates intellectual and socially conscious commitment.]

21 Reasons why Filipino children learn better while using their Mother Tongue / Ricardo MA Duran Nolasco
Philippines: Guro Foundation Forum, University of the Philippines, 2009
27p,; 22cm
\$ 5.00

The Philippines: Mobilities, Identities, Globalization / James A Tyner
England : Routledge, 2008
248p
9780415958073 (PB)
Global Realities Series
\$ 25.00

Etiquette Guide to the Philippines: Know the rules that make the difference! / Dennis Posadas & Joy Posadas
Tokyo: Tuttle Publishing, 2008
128p,; 21cm
ISBN-13: 9780804839549
\$ 12.95

Floundering at 25: A Younlife Crisis / Michelle B Meneses
Quezon City: Milflores Publishing, Inc., 2009
101p,; 18cm
ISBN-13: 9789718280737
\$ 10.00

This book is a gripping personal account of a young life crisis that sheds light on its many aspects and nuances – including problems at work, rapidly losing old friends and

making new ones, confusing sexual experimentation, and searching for a mature faith that can sustain adulthood.

Selected Essays on Science and Technology for Securing a Better Philippines Volume 1 /
Gisela P Padilla – Concepcion, Eduardo A Padlan & Caesar A Saloma (Eds)
Quezon City: The University of the Philippines Press, 2008
xv. 499p,; 25cm
ISBN-13: 9789715425926

1. Science – Social aspects – Miscellanea
2. Technology – Social aspects – Miscellanea
3. Science news – Philippines

\$ 35.00

This collection of articles from the weekly Star Science column of the Philippine Star is a big step toward developing a science culture in the Philippines. The column has increased public understanding of science and technology through topics touching our daily life, essays on the frontiers of science, and discussions of health, food, economic development, and other aspects that may be improved with the help of science-based strategies.

Organizational Culture Symbolism in the Philippines / Normita G Recto & Nanette G Dungo
Quezon City: Asian Center University of the Philippines, 2008
xxx. 319p,; 26cm
ISBN-13: 9789718992197
\$ 35.00

Chronically Ill: An Overview of the Philippine Health Sector
Quezon City: IBON books, 2008
135p,; 22cm
ISBN-10: 9710483457
\$ 14.00

Mekong Erotics: Men Loving/Pleasuring/Using Men in Lao PDR / Chris Lyttleton
Bangkok: UNESCO Bangkok, 2008
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ISBN-13: 9789292231385
\$ 25.00

IMPACT: The Effects of Tourism on Culture and the Environment in Asia and the Pacific:
Alleviating Poverty and Protecting Cultural and Natural Heritage through Community-
Based Ecotourism in Luang Namtha, Lao PDR
Bangkok: UNESCO Bangkok, 2008
vii. 121p,; 26cm
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Our Broken Dreams– Child Migration in Southern Africa / Irene Staunton
Harare, Zimbabwe : Weaver Press, 2008
114p,; 210 x 222 mm.
ISBN 9781779220707
\$ 16.95

Children who choose to leave home as a result of hunger, poverty, conflict, or simply to seek adventure, often travel alone. Crossing the border into strange countries, which for them hold great promise, they find their hopes battered when bandits steal their possessions or abuse them. They are often arrested by authorities, have their few possessions confiscated, and find themselves vulnerable to sexual and verbal abuse. In *Our Broken Dreams*, children tell their own stories to highlight the dangers they face and what has driven them to make what is often a long and dangerous journey. Their singular voices, remind us of their courage, resilience and their refusal to manipulate the situation in which they find themselves through self-pity and sentiment.

Conscience Be My Guide: An Anthology of Prison Writings / Edited by Geoffrey Bould
Harare, Zimbabwe : Weaver Press, 2005
294p.; 215 x 133 mm.
ISBN 1779220332
\$ 22.00

This remarkable collection of prison literature inspires with the eloquent idealism of prisoners of conscience through the ages. Just as the lone Chinese student confronted the tanks in Tiananmen Square, so too have prisoners of conscience challenged and emboldened with their rare courage.

A Tragedy of Lives / Edited by Chiedza Musengezi & Irene Staunton
Harare, Zimbabwe : Weaver Press, 2003
300p.; 210 x 145 mm.
ISBN 0779220170
\$ 15.00

This powerful book is based on interviews with (former) prisoners that were conducted by Zimbabwe Women Writers. The stories that are told are revelatory. Women who find themselves in prison are too often driven by circumstances into a situation where the emotional or material poverty of their lives makes breaking the law appear the only option.

Girls on the Street / by Rumbidzai Rurevo and Michael Bourdillon
Harare, Zimbabwe : Weaver Press, 2003
78p.; 210 x 138 mm.
ISBN 0779220170
\$ 8.00

Why do some girls try to live their lives on the city streets? What happens to them when they find themselves there? How do they survive? Why do they not accept help to leave? Rumbidzai Rurevo spent two months researching these questions, helping where she could, and eliciting the stories of the girls' lives.

Women, Men and Work: Rural livelihoods in south-eastern Zimbabwe / edited by Paul Hebinck and Michael Bourdillon
Harare, Zimbabwe : Weaver Press, 2002
168p.; 210 x 142 mm.
ISBN 1779220030
\$ 15.00

Women, Men and Work is a collection of studies on livelihoods in south-eastern Zimbabwe. It looks at the essential contribution of children to the livelihoods of poor families. We see how women and children sometimes suffer because a development project is placed in the control of men. Two chapters explore the tension between conserving the natural environment and making money from it through crafts, and the different perspectives that arise out of this tension. We see how some women seek to alleviate poverty by selling their sexual services. We see how new technologies for processing foods fail to take account of local needs, and how their usefulness is consequently diminished. All the studies show the significance of local context to understanding how people manage available resources.

ABC of All the Questions We Never Dare to Ask

Harare, Zimbabwe : Weaver Press, 2005

148p.; 229 x 152 mm.

ISBN 1779220235

\$ 15.00

In many countries in Africa the role of aunts and uncles has been displaced, traditional cultural practices have been eroded, and not a great deal has taken their place as a source of information about relationships, sex, gender, and the human body. The ABC of all the questions we never dare to ask will help to fill this gap. Designed around actual questions asked by young people in southern Africa, it is an up-to-date source of information on all the major issues that affect their lives. The book is, however, not only for the youth. Teachers and parents will find it valuable as the book not only answers very specific, often personal questions that trouble our young people, it also touches on cultural values and practices that underpin our societies - some of which need to be reinforced, and others more openly discussed.

Reclaiming the Resources for Health: A Regional Analysis of Equity in Health in East & Southern Africa / Equinet

Harare, Zimbabwe : Weaver Press, 2008

227p.;

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Silent Voices: Indigenous Languages in Zimbabwe / Isaac Mumpande

Harare, Zimbabwe : Weaver Press, 2006

64p.;

ISBN 9781779220501

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Unspoken Facts : A History of Homosexualities in Africa / Edited by GALZ

Harare, Zimbabwe : GALZ, 2008

272p.; 216 x 140 mm.

ISBN 9780797434837

\$ 32.00

Homosexuality. Lesbians. Gay rights. Homophobia. These terms have surfaced in recent years in Africa to the shock, embarrassment and even anger of many people. This book is about that, and about the coming out (into public view) of individuals who in the past tended to keep a low profile. What does the history of homosexuality and the reactions against it tell us about African history in general? And how might this knowledge help us

in struggles against HIV/AIDS, gender violence and other social inequalities in contemporary Africa?

Side Effects- The Story of AIDS in South Africa / Lesley Lawson
Cape Town, South Africa : Double Storey Books, 2008
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HIV and Nutrition
Cape Town, South Africa : Aardvark Press, 2008
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ISBN 9780620403023
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J Baxen, A Breidlid
Cape Town, South Africa : UCT Press, 2009
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Scottsville, South Africa : University of Kwazulu Natal Press, 2008
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Cape Town, South Africa : UCT Press, 2009
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The Called To Care Toolkit Consists Of Practical, Action Orientated Booklets And Mini-Manuals On Issues Related To Hiv And Aids, Designed For Use By Church Leaders, Especially In Sub-Saharan Africa. The Purpose Of The Materials Is To Enable Pastors, Priests, Religious Sisters And Brothers, Lay Church Leaders And Their Congregations And Communities To:

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Overcome The Stigma To Address Hiv Related Issues Effectively
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Aids In Africa:How Did It Ever Happen? / Frank Ham
Zomba, Malawi : Kachere Series, 2004
229p.;
Isbn 978999087624x
\$ 6.67

This Is A Book Written With Deep Concert By An Englishman Who Was Among The First To Test Hiv Positive And, Though He Now Uses The Antiretroviral Drugs, Lived For 18 Years Without Drugs While Most Of His Friends Died.

Spirituality, Sexuality, And Hiv/Aids In Malawi / Augustine Musopole
Zomba, Malawi : Kachere Series, 2006
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Isbn 9789990881022
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Since Hiv/Aids Came To The Fore, It Has Devastated No Country Or Society More Than Those Of Eastern And Southern Africa, And In The Fight Against It All Resources Need To Be Marshalled. Here Is A Voice From Malawi, Arguing That Theology Has An Important Role To Play In The Response To The Pandemic.

A Silent Battle / Kudzai Nhamo
Zomba, Malawi : Kachere Series, 2006
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ISBN 9789990876614
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This Book Is About HIV/AIDS. The Battle Is Between The Human Race And The Virus. No Military Ware Of Noises Of Bombings And Gunshots Are Heard But Casualties Are Many And Burials Take Place On A Daily Basis. The Book Encourages Every One To Take Responsibility, With The Help Of The Almighty God As Our Hope, To Try And Win This Battle

The Hyena Wears Darkness / Steve Chimombo
Zomba, Malawi : Kachere Series, 2007
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Isbn 9789990848157
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The Impact Of The Hiv/Aids Pandemic On African Societies Steeped In Risky Cultural Customs

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Isbn 9789990876207
\$ 10.00

How To Handle God's Gift Of Sex. Sexual Health Learning Activities For Religious Youth Groups And Individuals.

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Face To Face With Aids / Isaac Wilson Jambo
Zomba, Malawi : Kachere Series, 2006 (Reprinted)
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A True Life Story

Culture : Talk About China in English / Robin Harrison
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174p.
9787542741363
\$ 7.00

Dream Beyond the Pacific: Canadian Teachers in China / Julia Ningyu Li
Beijing: China Intercontinental Press, 2008
149p.; 23cm
ISBN-13: 9787508513584
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China cannot separate herself from the world community in her development, nor can the world segregate China for its stability and prosperity. We do welcome teachers with "China dreams" come to us from all parts of the world, and, with joint efforts, we all can realize "One dream." It took Leslie Jeanneret, a specialist in education, half a century to get her China dream realized; it was 11 years before Prof. Ruth Hayhoe, a well-known educator who began her teaching career in Hong Kong in 1967, set her foot on mainland China in 1978; And Elissa McRae, who had never thought she would go to China, realized her dream in a Chinese classroom within 6 months... Today, the way to the

realization of dream is no more that long. We sincerely wish all the foreign teachers get dreams realized in a quicker, nicer and better way!

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Ix, 140p.
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Kota Kinabalu : Universiti Malaysia Sabah, 2008
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\$ 9.00

Ethics for a Multicultural Society: Strategic Solution for Interweaving Togetherness the Frame Work of Pluralism / H A Prayitno & Trubus Rahardiansah
Jakarta: Trisakti University Press, 2008
x. 225p,; 22cm
Includes Bibliography
ISBN-13: 9789792689327
\$ 15.00

Under Construction: The Politics of Urban Space and Housing during the Decolonization of Indonesia, 1930-1960 / Freek Colombijn
Leiden : KITLV Press, 2009
250p
ISBN-13: 9789067182911 (PB)
\$ 42.00

This book examines the social changes in Indonesian cities during the process of decolonization. The political upheavals of the Japanese occupation and Indonesian revolution, and the first steps to build a sovereign nation, had major repercussions for urban society. These social changes are studied from the angle of urban space in general, and the provision of housing in particular. This focus on the everyday matter of housing, in combination with a local level of analysis, provides fresh insight into how people experienced decolonization. In the first half of the book, the author challenges the idea that a shift from ethnic to class differences was the overriding social change during decolonization and argues instead that class differences already formed the predominant dividing lines in colonial urban society. The second half of the book focuses on the shifting balance of power between the main agents in the urban arena.

Beyond Empire and Nation: Decolonizing Societies in Africa and Asia, 1930s-1970s / Els Bogaerts and Remco Raben (Eds.)
Leiden : KITLV Press, 2009
250p
ISBN-13: 9789067182898 (PB)
\$ 42.00

The decolonization of countries in Asia and Africa is one of the momentous events in the twentieth century. But did the shift to independence indeed affect the lives of the people in such a dramatic way as the political events suggest? The authors in this volume look beyond the political interpretations of decolonization and address the issue of social and economic reorientations which were necessitated or caused by the end of colonial rule. The book covers major issues such as public security; the changes in the urban environment, and the reorientation of the economies. Most articles search for comparisons transcending the colonial and national borders and adopt a time frame extending from the late colonial period to the early decades of independence in Asia and Africa (1930s – 1970s.)

A Matter Of Honour - Being Chinese in South Africa / Yoon Jung Park
Johannesburg, South Africa : Jacana Media, 2009
288p.; 234 x 155 mm.
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This book, based on a PhD thesis, focuses on Chinese South Africans by examining their shifting social, ethnic, racial and national identities over time. Using concepts of identity, ethnicity, race, nationalism, and transnationalism, and drawing on comparisons with other overseas Chinese communities, it explores the multi-layered identities of the South African group and analyses the way in which how their identities have changed over time and with each generation. As the book makes clear, Chinese identities in South Africa have been shaped by both external and internal forces. As regards external factors, the state – both that of China and of South Africa – played a key role in establishing the parameters of identity construction. Over time the weight of this influence changed, as a result of international political events, internal racial policies, and external trade and political relations. At the same time, individual and community agency, and the force of the 'China myth', played important parts in the construction of Chinese South African identity

The Perfect Storm. Xenophobia in Contemporary South Africa / Edited by Jonathan Crush

Cape Town, South Africa : IDSA, 2007

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In late 2006 SAMP undertook a national survey of the attitudes of the South African population towards foreign nationals in the country. The data from this survey allows us to analyze the state of the nation's mind on immigration, immigrants and refugees in the period immediately prior to the recent upsurge of xenophobic violence in South Africa. By comparing the results with those of previous surveys conducted by SAMP in the 1990s, we are also able to see if attitudes have changed and in what ways. Are they better now than they were in the days that prompted the South African Human Rights Commission to set up its Roll Back Xenophobia Campaign and partner with SAMP in a study of immigration, xenophobia and human rights in the country? Has xenophobia softened or hardened in the intervening years? Are xenophobic attitudes as widespread and vitriolic as they were then? How many South Africans were poised, in 2006, to turn their negative thoughts about foreign nationals into actions to "cleanse" their neighbourhoods and streets of fellow Africans?

Baba-Men and Fatherhood in South Africa / Edited by Linda Richter, Robert Morrell

Cape Town, South Africa : HSRC Press, 2006

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Baba: Men and Fatherhood in South Africa provides answers to some of the most difficult questions about fatherhood in South Africa: Who is a father? What does it mean to be a father? Is it important for fathers to do more for children in a world that assumes that mothers take the primary parenting role? Do different people understand fatherhood in different ways? What evidence is there of new fatherhood styles emerging in South Africa?

The Haemorrhage of Health Professionals from South Africa. Medical Opinions / Wade Pendleton and Jonathan Crush

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This paper reports the results of a survey of health professionals in South Africa conducted in 2005-6 by the Southern African Migratory Project (SAMP). Since there is no single reliable database for all practising health professionals, SAMP used the 29,000 strong database of MEDpages. All those on the list were invited by email to complete an online survey. About 5% of the professionals went to the website and completed the questionnaire; some requested hard copies or electronic copies of the questionnaire which they completed and returned. Although the sample is biased towards professionals who have Internet access and those who were willing to complete an online questionnaire, the sample represents a good cross-section (though not necessarily statistically representative sample) of South African health professionals and offers insights into their attitudes and opinions about emigration and other topics. In partnership with the Democratic Nursing Organisation of South Africa (DENOSA), SAMP also distributed the survey manually to a sample of nurses and received an additional 178 responses.

The Brain Drain of Health Professionals from Sub-Saharan Africa to Canada / Edited by Jonathan Crush
Cape Town, South Africa : IDSA, 2008
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The Southern African Migration Project (SAMP) is an international network of organizations founded in 1996 to promote awareness of migration-development linkages in SADC. SAMP conducts applied research on migration and development issues, provides policy advice and expertise, offers training in migration policy and management, and conducts public education campaigns on migration-related issues. This report attempts to answer the question "how" the brain drain can be reduced, acknowledging that it can best be done through concerted efforts from both sides -Sub-Saharan African countries and Canada.

Readings in modernity in Africa / Edited by Peter Geschiere, Birgit Meyer & Peter Pels
Pretoria, South Africa : UNISA Press, 2008
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This reader is a bold attempt to rescue the heuristic value of modernity in African scholarship that takes cognizance of the disjunctures between academic discourses and lived African realities. By bringing together a wide array of multidisciplinary papers - published and unpublished - it makes a convincing argument for a historicized approach to Africa's engagement with modernity that gives Africa agency as coeval while recognizing the inequities that have framed Africa's relationship with the West. The stimulating introduction and essays in this volume underscore why modernity remains a factious yet highly significant concept for Africans

Human Resources Development Review 2008 - Education, Employment and Skills in South Africa / Edited by Andre Kraak, Karen Press
Cape Town, South Africa : HSRC Press, 2007

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Through 25 chapters authored by some of the leading researchers in the field, Human Resources Development Review 2008 provides an extensive overview of the contextual factors driving human resources development in South Africa. A key theme throughout the volume is the importance of a multi-faceted skills development strategy operating at three levels.

The first entails high-skills policies aimed at expanding export-oriented manufacturing production and services provision, particularly in new globally-competitive 'niche' areas. The second level relates to the ongoing need for intermediate skills, as is evidenced by the shortage of skilled artisans and technologists. Finally, the provision of basic, entry-level skills is important in view of the urgent need for large-scale job creation schemes to ameliorate high levels of unemployment and despondency, especially amongst the youth.

Together with its companion data warehouse (see <http://hrdwarehouse.hsra.ac.za>), this is an essential, user-friendly resource for policy-makers, planners, managers and educators at national and institutional levels

University Autonomy, the State, and Social Change in China / Su-Yan Pan
Hong Kong: Hong Kong University Press, 2009
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This book explores the role of universities in responding to ongoing changes in China, and in shaping the relations between the university and the state during periods of social change. Tsinghua University is selected as a case study to inform this important issue. By tracing the changes and continuities, Tsinghua has experienced since 1911, this book gives an in-depth analysis of how the university strives to maintain autonomy while taking a leading role in implementing China's policy of higher education.

Bilingual Education: Southeast Asian Perspectives / Angel M Y Lin & Evelyn Y F Man
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"Bilingual Education: Southeast Asian Perspectives is a refreshingly welcome text by two experts on bilingual education and English language teaching in international contexts whose scholarship is matched by their passion for culturally relevant approaches to bilingual education. Their focus on Hong Kong, Malaysia, and Singapore is significant, as each of these areas is faced with major challenges to provide equitable education for their respective linguistically diverse populations. Angel Lin and Evelyn Man's careful analysis is contextually grounded as it steps away from perspective remedies. Their work informs policy and practice with local contexts against the pressures of nationalism and globalization. This text will be of value to both scholars and serious students as it challenges dominant assumptions about bilingual education within real world contexts."

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