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### Anthropology

Zhang Zhung : Mysterious History of Ancient Time / Jin Shubo (Ed) Jeffery Wu  
Category: History

Quarry Bay, Hong Kong: Wan Li Book Co Ltd, 2014  
224p.

9789621453617

\$ 39.50 / PB

898gm.

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From Comrades to Bodhisattvas : Moral Dimensions of Lay Buddhist Practice in  
Contemporary China / Gareth Fisher

Hong Kong: Hong Kong University (HKU) Press, 2014  
x, 270p.

Include Index ; Bibliography

9789888208456

\$ 50.00 / HB

530gm.

From Comrades to Bodhisattvas is the first book-length study of Han Chinese Buddhism in post-Mao China. Supported by over a decade of ethnographic research, it provides an intimate portrait of lay Buddhist practitioners in Beijing who have embraced a religion that they were once socialized to see as harmful superstition. The book focuses on the lively debates that take place among these new practitioners in an unused courtyard of a Beijing temple, where laypersons gather to listen to the fiery sermons of charismatic preachers, and seek solutions to personal moral crises.

Spurred on by the lessons of the preachers and stories in the media, these courtyard practitioners inventively combine moral elements from China's Maoist past with Buddhist teachings on the workings of karma and the importance of universal compassion. Their aim is to articulate a moral antidote to what they see as blind obsession with consumption and wealth accumulation among twenty-first-century Chinese.

Full of engaging descriptions of the real lives of practicing lay Buddhists, From Comrades to Bodhisattvas will interest specialists in Chinese Buddhism, anthropologists

of contemporary Asia, and all scholars interested in the relationship between religion and cultural change.

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## **Art**

A Designer's Decade of Contemporary Art in China : The Book Designs of He Hao, 2003 – 2013 / He Hao

Sha Tin, NT, Hong Kong: The Chinese University (CUHK) Press, 2014

386p.

Include Index

97896299666546

\$ 60.00 / HB

1310gm.

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Light before Dawn : Unofficial Chinese Art 1974-1985 / (Ed) Kuiyi Shen and Julia F. Andrews

Admiralty, Hong Kong: Asia Society Hong Kong Center, 2013

xiii, 183p.

Include Bibliography

9789881227225

\$ 70.00 / PB

946gm.

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## **Cinema Studies**

Transnational Representations : The State of Taiwan Film in the 1960s and 1970s /

James Wicks

Hong Kong: Hong Kong University (HKU) Press. 2014

xxiv, 168p.

Include Index

9789888208500

\$ 64.00 / HB

418gm.

*Transnational Representations* focuses on a neglected period in Taiwan film scholarship: the golden age of the 1960s and 1970s, which saw innovations in plot, theme and genre as directors highlighted the complexities of Taiwan's position in the world. Combining a concise overview of Taiwan film history with analysis of representative Taiwan films, the book reveals the internal and external struggles Taiwan experienced in its search for global identity. This cross-disciplinary study adopts a transnational approach which presents Taiwan's film industry as one that is intertwined with that of mainland China, challenging previous accounts that present the two industries as parallel yet separate. The book also offers productive comparisons between Taiwan films and contemporary films elsewhere representing the politics of

migration, and between the antecedents of new cinema movements and Taiwan New Cinema of the 1980s.

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The Sensuous Cinema of Wong Kar-wai : Films Poetics and the Aesthetic of Disturbance / Gary Bettinson

Hong Kong: Hong Kong University (HKU) Press, 2015

x, 158p.

Include Index ; Bibliography

9789888139293

\$ 59.00 / HB

390gm.

The widely acclaimed films of Wong Kar-wai are characterized by their sumptuous yet complex visual and sonic style. This study of Wong's filmmaking techniques uses a poetics approach to examine how form, music, narration, characterization, genre, and other artistic elements work together to produce certain effects on audiences. Bettinson argues that Wong's films are permeated by an aesthetic of sensuousness and "disturbance" achieved through techniques such as narrative interruptions, facial masking, opaque cuts, and other complex strategies. The effect is to jolt the viewer out of complete aesthetic absorption. Each of the chapters focuses on a single aspect of Wong's filmmaking. The book also discusses Wong's influence on other filmmakers in Hong Kong and around the world.

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### **Economics/Development Studies**

China Energy Policy in National and International Perspectives : A Study Fore-and-Aft 18<sup>th</sup> National Congress / Qinhua Xu & William Chung

Kowloon, Hong Kong: City University of Hong Kong Press, 2014

xxiv, 224p.

9789629372385

\$ 39.50 / PB

466gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=173069>

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China's Macao Transformed : Challenge and Development in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century / (Ed)

Eilo W.Y. Yu & Ming K. Chan

Kowloon, Hong Kong: City University of Hong Kong Press, 2014

cvi, 412p.

9789629372071

\$ 50.00 / PB

766gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=173070>

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Hong Kong Land for Hong Kong People : Fixing the Failures of Our Housing Policy / Yue Chim Richard Wong

Hong Kong: Hong Kong University (HKU) Press., 2015

xii, 220p.

9789888208654

\$ 58.00 / HB

462gm.

Hong Kong is one of the world's most densely populated cities. Land supply, property values, and housing provision are inextricably linked with the city's economic growth and questions of economic equality. In Hong Kong Land for Hong Kong People, Yue Chim Richard Wong traces the history of Hong Kong's postwar housing policy. He then discusses current housing problems and their solutions, drawing on examples from around the world. Wong argues that housing policy in Hong Kong, with its multiple, often incompatible objectives, and its focus on supply over demand, can no longer satisfy the needs of a diverse and dynamic population. He recommends three simple low-cost policies to promote homeownership and social mobility: sell public rental housing units to the sitting tenants; make subsidized homes more affordable; and reform the public housing program along lines adopted in Singapore, where government-built housing may be resold or leased in a free market.

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## **Geology**

Geological Heritage of Hong Kong / Chan Lung Sang (Ed) Rowena Ngan

North Point, Hong Kong: Aristo Educational Press Ltd., 2014

189p.

9789888243648

\$ 60.00 / PB

852gm.

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## **History**

From the Treasure House : Jewels from the Library of The Chinese University of Hong Kong / Y. W. Chau

Sha Tin, NT, Hong Kong: The Chinese University (CUHK) Press, 2014

ix, 324p.

Include Index

9789629965518

\$ 49.00 / HB

1410gm.

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Changes in the History of China / Xinghui Pan (Translator) David T.W. Pun  
Wan Chai, Hong Kong: Red Publish, 2014

168p.

9789881360281

\$ 15.00 / PB

214gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=173076>

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The Second Tang Dynasty : The 12 Sons of Fragrant Mountain who Changed China /  
Mark O'Neill

North Point, Hong Kong: Joint Publishing (H.K.) Co Ltd., 2014

286p.

9789620436659

\$ 32.00 / PB

340gm.

This book describes the lives of 12 extraordinary men who lived during the late Qing and early Republican period and played major roles in the worlds of business, education, law, medicine and the military. They were pioneers in the modernization of China.

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Hong Kong Policeman : Law, life and death on the streets of Hong Kong. An English police inspector tells it as it was / Chris Emmett

Hong Kong: Earnshaw Books Ltd (Hong Kong), 2014

272p.

9789881609038

\$ 36.00 / PB

342gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=173078>

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The Diplomat of Kashgar : A Very Special Agent : The Life of Sir George Macartney –  
18 January 1867-19 May 1945 / James McCarthy

Lantau Island, NT, Hong Kong: Proverse Hong Kong, 2014

176p.

Include Index

\$ 22.00 / PB

234gm.

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All Agog in China / Stuart McDouall

Lantau Island, NT, Hong Kong: Proverse Hong Kong, 2014

315p.

Include Index

9789888227303

\$ 30.00 / PB

428gm.

This is a book for everyone who is interested in China, its history and travel potential.  
<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=173081>

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Empires of Panic : Epidemics and Colonial Anxieties / (Ed) Robert Peckham  
Hong Kong: Hong Kong University (HKU) Press, 2015  
9789888208449  
xiv, 242p.  
Include Index  
\$ 58.00 / HB  
502gm.

Empires of Panic is the first book to explore how panics have been historically produced, defined, and managed across different colonial, imperial, and post-imperial settings—from early nineteenth-century East Asia to twenty-first-century America. Contributors consider panic in relation to colonial anxieties, rumors, indigenous resistance, and crises, particularly in relation to epidemic disease. How did Western government agencies, policymakers, planners, and other authorities understand, deal with, and neutralize panics? What role did evolving technologies of communication play in the amplification of local panics into global events? Engaging with these questions, the book challenges conventional histories to show how intensifying processes of intelligence gathering did not consolidate empire, but rather served to produce critical uncertainties—the uneven terrain of imperial panic.  
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Picturing Technology in China : From Earliest Times to the Nineteenth Century / Peter J. Golas  
Hong Kong: Hong Kong University (HKU) Press., 2014  
xx. 206p.  
Include Index  
9789888208159  
\$ 56.00 / HB  
496gm.

Although the history of technological and scientific illustrations is a well-established field in the West, scholarship on the much longer Chinese experience is still undeveloped. This work by Peter Golas is a short, illustrated overview tracing the subject to pre-Han inscriptions but focusing mainly on the Song, Yuan, Ming, and Qing dynasties. His main theme is that technological drawings developed in a different way in China from in the West largely because they were made by artists rather than by specialist illustrators or practitioners of technology. He examines the techniques of these artists, their use of painting, woodblock prints and the book, and what their drawings reveal about changing technology in agriculture, industry, architecture, astronomical, military, and other spheres. The text is elegantly written, and the images, about 100 in all, are carefully chosen. This is likely to appeal to both scholars and general readers.  
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From Warhorses to Ploughshares : The Later Tang Reign of Emperor Mingzong /  
Richard L. Davis  
Hong Kong: Hong Kong University (HKU) Press, 2014  
xvi, 220p.  
Include Index  
9789888208104  
\$ 60.00 / HB  
480gm.

Mingzong (r. 926–933) was the most illustrious emperor of the Five Dynasties, and one of the most admired of China's middle period, the Tang to Song. A warrior of Shatuo-Turk ancestry, he ascended the throne of the Later Tang on the heels of a mutiny against his adopted brother, thus sparing his dynasty an early death. Mingzong's brief reign came to be heralded by historians as the "Small Repose"—a happy convergence of peace and prosperity. He marshaled a cluster of eminently able courtiers, men who balanced Confucian charity against the military discipline demanded in a time of transition. These years were marked by trade with bordering states, frenzied diplomatic activity, and a succession of defections from states to the north. Mingzong wisely eschewed military conflict, except as a last resort. Conservative in moral and legal matters, he introduced radical economic reforms that included deregulation of traditional monopolies and timely changes to the tributary system.

Drawing extensively on primary sources, including Mingzong's spirited correspondence with his officials, this political and cultural biography brings to life a charismatic emperor who was held up as a model ruler by succeeding generations.

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The Golden Ghetto : The American Commercial Community at Canton and the Shaping of American China Policy, 1784-1844 / Jaques M. Downs (Series Ed) Robert Nield  
Reprint

Hong Kong: Hong Kong University (HKU) Press. 2014  
vi, 498p.  
Includes Index ; Bibliography  
Echoes: Classics of Hong Kong Culture and History  
9789888139095  
\$ 69.00 / HB  
902gm.

Before the opening of the treaty ports in the 1840s, Canton was the only Chinese port where foreign merchants were allowed to trade. *The Golden Ghetto* takes us into the world of one of this city's most important foreign communities—the Americans—during the decades between the American Revolution of 1776 and the signing of the Sino-US Treaty of Wanghia in 1844. American merchants lived in isolation from Chinese society in sybaritic, albeit usually celibate luxury. Making use of exhaustive research, Downs provides an especially clear explanation of the Canton commercial setting generally and of the role of American merchants. Many of these men made fortunes and returned

home to become important figures in the rapidly developing United States. The book devotes particular attention to the biographical details of the principal American traders, the leading American firms, and their operations in Canton and the United States. Opium smuggling receives especial emphasis, as does the important topic of early diplomatic relations between the United States and China.

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## **Law**

### **THE HONG KONG ANTI-MONEY LAUNDERING ORDINANCES: COMMENTARY AND ANNOTATIONS (COLLECTED VOLUME)**

Hong Kong : Sweet & Maxwell, 2014

9789626616161

\$ 330.00 /HB

The Hong Kong Anti-Money Laundering Ordinances: Commentary and Annotations provides interpretations of terms and phrases in the three ordinances' sections and subsections, with reference to relevant rules of court and related legislation and discussion on the practical aspect of materials. It gives immediate access to the latest legislation and judicial developments in regards to the ordinances with both academic and professional advice and analysis from an experienced panel of annotators.

A collected volume discussing the three main Anti-Money Laundering Ordinances:

- Cap. 405: Drug Trafficking (Recovery of Proceeds) Ordinance
- Cap. 455: Organized and Serious Crimes Ordinance
- Cap. 615: Anti-Money Laundering and Counter-Terrorist Financing (Financial Institutions) Ordinance

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### **THE COMPANIES ORDINANCE (CAP.622): COMMENTARY AND ANNOTATIONS**

Hong Kong : Sweet & Maxwell, 2014

2v.

9789626615867

\$ 580.00 / HB

A fully and complete annotations of the new Companies Ordinance (Cap. 622) on all 921 sections and 11 schedules, including all 12 provisions of the Subsidiary Legislation (Cap. 622A – 622L)

Key changes to the new Companies Law examined here include:

- New Sets of Model Articles for adoption in whole or in part by companies incorporated after 3 March 2014;
- Sections 67 & 98: Memorandum of Association no longer required as the Articles of Association is now the company's constitutional document;
- Section 135: Abolition of Par Value Shares for all companies;
- Section 457: Required that at least one natural person be the director of a private company;



- Section 465 and Part 11: New Duty of Care imposed upon Directors of Companies – Directors must now exercise the reasonable care, skill and diligence which would be exercised by a reasonable person with the general knowledge, skill, and experience that a director in a similar situation has based on both an objective & subjective test;
- Sections 359, 361, and 364: Facilitating Small and Medium-Sized Entities (SMEs) to prepare simplified financial and director report as intended to facilitate more business.

Highlights of this 2-Volume Set includes:

- Insightful Commentary and Annotations of all 921 Sections and 11 Schedules of the New Companies Law (Cap. 622);
- Additional Commentary and Annotations of 12 Provisions of the Subsidiary Legislation (Cap. 622A – 622L) ;
- Comparative Reference Table showing a section by section comparison of the preceding Company Law (Cap. 32) with that of its new counterpart sections in the New Companies Law (Cap. 622);
- Select List of Specified Forms for Use Under the New Companies Ordinance; and
- Briefing and Consultation Notes on all 21 Parts of the New Companies Ordinance.

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ENFORCEMENT OF COMMERCIAL ARBITRAL AWARDS IN CHINA / Clarisse von Wunschheim

Hong Kong : Sweet & Maxwell, 2014

9789626616284

\$ 300.00 / HB

Specific and important updates described, explained, and analyzed

Newly added features include lawyers and trends in law firms and case trends

Other development updates include the new notice from the SPP and SPC on judicial interpretation, characteristics of the civil law system, arbitration law's articles, etc

Addresses practical interests

Due to the growing importance of China and the global attention to its economic, legal, and political developments, and of the enforceability of one's rights as well as the quality of the national arbitration system, this book evaluates the quality of the Chinese enforcement system of arbitral awards and its implications on the efficacy of the general arbitration system

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COMPETITION LAW IN CHINA / Owen Nee

Hong Kong : Sweet & Maxwell, 2014

9789626616307

\$ 300.00 / HB

Latest and wide-ranging updates on governing laws and regulations, legal and practical issues and more

Key new features include the enforcement of pricing law, SAIC Anti-monopoly Law enactments, and new cases concerning the abuse of dominant positions or with reference to MOFCOM's schedule

Updated or new discussions of legal and practical issues include difficulties in determining the relevant market in China and abuse of administrative power

Strong focus on applicable laws and regulations and major legal issues

Predecessor Anti-monopoly laws are explained in detail, the current Anti-monopoly Law analyzed in practice, regulations discussed with reference to decisions, and major legal issues and imposable liabilities included

The high-level of specificity of areas covered helps stakeholders of bodies corporate become aware of the do's and don'ts with respect to competition, and makes this title a fundamental guide for practitioners

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HONG KONG WHITE BOOK 2015, VOLUMES 1 & 2

Hong Kong : Sweet & Maxwell, 2014

2v.

9789626616451

\$ 1600.00 (Set)/HB

THE RULES, THE INSIGHT, THE CONFIDENCE

In the midst of constant development, the Hong Kong White Book 2015 provides intelligence and guidance on civil procedure in one single source, ensuring you have the in-depth understanding of the Civil Procedure Rules you need to succeed.

The 2015 service continues to provide the most comprehensive coverage of matters relevant to civil procedure through three volumes, one Arbitration and ADR volume, four e-newsletters, two supplements and one special release.

The New Companies and Trustees Ordinance have come into effect. The existing commentaries have been replaced by commentaries tailored to: New Companies Ordinance and New Trustees Ordinance.

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LAW AND JUSTICE IN HONG KONG /Eric C. Ip

Hong Kong : Sweet & Maxwell, 2014

9789626614600

\$ 155.00 / PB

Law and Justice in Hong Kong offers readers an accessible and updated account of the legal system of Hong Kong, the only common law jurisdiction in East Asia. Written in a lucid narrative style, it encourages readers to appreciate the underlying values of legal

practice and the administration of justice in the context of wider global and regional developments. It also explains the crucial role played by the rule of law in Hong Kong's historic transition from a cluster of marginal fishing settlements into a leading international financial centre over the course of one and a half century.

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**CIVIL PROCEDURE IN HONG KONG: A GUIDE TO THE MAIN PRINCIPLES, 3RD EDITION / David Lau**

Hong Kong : Sweet & Maxwell, 2014

9789626616185

\$ 185.00 / PB

Civil Procedure in Hong Kong: A Guide to the Main Principles, 3rd Edition is a popular text with students and practitioners, has developed a reputation as being user-friendly, simply written guide to the main principles of civil procedure. More than five years have passed since the coming into effect of the Civil Justice Reform (CJR). The Court has given much guidance on many aspects of the new rules, including in the last couple of years or so where there have been more appellate decisions.

Important developments, updated case law and refinements include:

- The Court of Final Appeal's restatement of the law on dismissal of want of prosecution
- The large body of post CJR-case law which has developed
- A substantial amount of guidance issued by the Courts on the new CJR rules
- Many parts of the existing text have also been revised or refined, in order to provide clearer or expanded explanations. More examples from recent cases have also been included
- Increased emphasis on the Court's post-CJR approach
- New Companies Ordinance provisions

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**A GUIDE TO WILLS AND PROBATE IN HONG KONG / Rebecca Ong**

Hong Kong : Sweet & Maxwell, 2014

9789626615881

\$ 155.00 / PB

Written for both practitioners and students, A Guide to Wills and Probate in Hong Kong is practically oriented with:

- Detailed checklists
- A useful selection of precedents and Probate Registry forms
- Practice Directions
- Guidance on specific matters such as what one might do where one is not capable of managing one's affairs whilst still alive
- How one might deal with digital assests

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COMPLIANCE AND COMPANY SECRETARIAL PRACTICE OF HONG KONG LISTED COMPANIES /Andrew Tsang, Natalie Chan  
Hong Kong : Sweet & Maxwell, 2014  
9789626615348  
\$ 200.00 / PB

Compliance and Company Secretarial Practice of Hong Kong Listed Companies provides a neat and concise guide to all compliance and company secretarial practices that every Hong Kong listed company must abide by. Viewed through a real world scenario setting of a fictitious company, this publication offers both a concise and comprehensive analysis of these explicit guidelines which will help facilitate a wider understanding of corporate secretarial practice.

Several aspects and stages of development of a listed company are examined:

- Fundamental concepts of restructuring a private limited company into a wholly-owned subsidiary of a Cayman Islands company listed on the Main Board of the Stock Exchange
- Account of the extensive continuing obligations imposed on a listed company and its officers
- Reviews and explains the compliance and secretarial practices
- Examines how a restructuring exercise can help to revive an ailing listed company

Most up-to-date statutory and non-statutory compliances include:

- The New Companies Ordinance (Cap. 622)
- The Securities and Futures Ordinance (Cap. 571)
- The Cayman Companies Law
- The Rules Governing the Listing of securities on the Stock Exchange and the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on the GEM of the Stock Exchange
- The Hong Kong Code on Takeovers and Mergers and Share Buy-backs
- Ongoing or ad hoc compliance and company secretarial practice as required by the Hong Kong Companies Registry

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JOURNAL OF INTERNATIONAL AND COMPARATIVE LAW (JICL) : 2014 /(Ed) Wang Guiguo, Anton Cooray  
Hong Kong : Sweet & Maxwell, 2014  
ISSN : 2313-3775  
\$ 200.00 / PB

Journal of International and Comparative Law (JICL) is an exciting, new, academically refereed journal which promotes truly international legal research and scholarship encouraging new insights into law.

The 2014 volume carries articles on a wide range of topics such as regulation of hydraulic fracturing, aviation and climate change, internationalization of competition law, democratizing international arbitration, secondary industrial action under European and international human rights law, planning permission and nuisance, international

offences and South African courts, pluralism and faith based services, constitutionalizing human dignity, international criminal law, consumer protection and reforming WTO's regulatory system.

Encouraging critical evaluations of law and legal systems, JICL welcomes articles on any area of law which are of international and comparative interest.

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BUSINESS LAW IN HONG KONG, FOURTH EDITION / (Ed) DK Srivastava  
Hong Kong : Sweet & Maxwell, 2014  
9789626615362  
\$ 225.00 / PB

The most comprehensive and in-depth text on Business Law in Hong Kong. The fourth edition of Business Law in Hong Kong continues to provide an overview of some basic themes relating to law and the legal system in Hong Kong. The new edition takes into account the most important development which has been coming into effect of the new Companies Ordinance (Cap.622) in March 2014. While the substance of company law is the same, the landscape has changed significantly, required a radical revision to the chapter on company law and consequential revision of the partnership law chapter. Worth noting the insolvency provisions of the previous Companies Ordinance (Cap.32), now re-titled Companies (Winding up and Miscellaneous Provisions) Ordinance (Cap.32), remain in force and these should now be read with the new Companies Ordinance (Cap.622).

Notable highlights for fourth edition are:

- Heavy emphasis on local cases, allows business and legal professionals in particular to understand difficult legal rules and principles through local examples
- Substantial updates to the chapters on Contract law, Tort and Agency
- Friendly layout and format problems and case summaries highlighted

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ARBITRATION IN HONG KONG - A PRACTICAL GUIDE, 3RD EDITION/ (Ed) Geoffrey Ma  
Hong Kong : Sweet & Maxwell, 2014  
9789626615898  
\$ 630.00 / HB

The third edition of Arbitration in Hong Kong is the definitive work on Hong Kong arbitration. The emphasis is practical. It brings together general principles, procedure, specialist arbitration and relevant reference material.

New chapters have been added:

- Sovereign Immunity, in particular how to deal with the Congo decision
- Key amendments in 2013 to the Arbitration Ordinance
- Rules of the HKIAC
- Emergency Arbitration

- Insurance chapter has been expanded to include reinsurance

All existing chapters have been revised and there has been much restructuring and tightening so enhancing its overall quality and cohesiveness.

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 DATA PROTECTION LAW IN ASIA / Abu Bakaar Munir, Siti Hajar Mohd Yasin,  
 Ershadul Karim  
 Hong Kong : Sweet & Maxwell, 2014  
 9789626616598  
 \$ 330.00 / PB

In the Asia Pacific region, the protection of personal data in maintaining a business relationship is beyond doubt and considered as a prerequisite for trusted business ties. Apart from such business demands, protection of personal data of those involved is a paramount concern for jurisdictions. Data Protection Law in Asia is the first publication of its kind to provide a detailed, comparative and critical overview as to personal data protection laws in 11 jurisdictions of the Asia Pacific region

Specific legislation on personal data and information examined:

- Australia's Privacy Act 1988
- Hong Kong's Personal Data (Privacy) Ordinance
- Japan's Personal Information Protection Act
- Malaysian Personal Data Protection Act
- New Zealand's Privacy Act 1993
- Philippines's Data Privacy Act
- Singapore's Personal Data Protection Act
- South Korean Personal Information Protection Act

Considers the statutory definition of personal data and sensitive data within each jurisdiction including:

- Data protection principles
- Responsibilities of the data user and data processor
- Rights of the data subject
- Roles and functions of the data protection authority
- Evaluation of performance of the functions of the data protection authority

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 CHITTY ON CONTRACTS, HONG KONG SPECIFIC CONTRACTS, 4TH EDITION  
 Hong Kong : Sweet & Maxwell, 2014  
 9789626615751  
 \$ 1000.00 / HB

The definitive source for contracts specifically utilized and applied in Hong Kong with the emphasis on localized commercial law

Building on its illustrious UK equivalent, Chitty on Contract: Hong Kong Specific

Contracts, now in its 4th edition, is the definitive source for specific contracts in Hong Kong. Commercial law is very much localised in Hong Kong now and this new edition reflects that. This edition offers exhaustive coverage of any commercial matter and more, and day-to-day issues areas that Hong Kong practitioner's confront. It is essential for practitioners who are drafting or interpreting contracts; or dealing with tricky points.

Authoritative and highly respected – Cited in court

- A must-have for any Hong Kong law library
- Trustworthy reference when drafting

Comprehensive content

- Chapters have been substantially revised and new chapters on damages and bailment have been added
- Chapters specifically designed for Hong Kong's peculiar circumstances such as government contracts and includes unique content in areas such as information technology
- Addresses complex areas of law

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BRITISH VIRGIN ISLANDS COMMERCIAL LAW, THIRD EDITION /(Eds) Colin Riegels, Ian Munn

Hong Kong : Sweet & Maxwell, 2015

9789626615294

\$ 780.00 /HB

British Virgin Islands Commercial Law is the only publication that focuses exclusively on the British Virgin Islands. The book provides a deep analytical view of the offshore jurisdiction's legal landscape as it relates to companies, partnerships, credit and security, mutual funds, insolvency, dispute resolution, taxation, trusts and more.

The third edition will keep you fully up-to-date on one of the world's fastest developing jurisdictions. This new edition continues to follow and update the major changes which occurred as a result of the BVI Business Companies (Amendment) Act 2012 and the accompanying BVI Business Companies Regulations 2012. The examination of these major changes and incorporation of new legal developments makes the third edition a must-have for anyone with interests in BVI law and practice.

Written by practitioners who know the jurisdiction better than any other

- Harney Westwood & Riegels is the leading international offshore law firm in the British Virgin Islands

Incorporates major developments in 2014 including:

- Application and review of the new Arbitration Act 2013
- Review of new BVI case law including key decisions such as Alfa v Cukurova (Privy Council); Somers Dublin v Monarch Pointe (Court of Appeal); Ciban Management Corp v Citco (Commercial Court); and In The Matter of C (a bankrupt) (Commercial Court)
- Analysis and review of the new multi-lateral tax initiatives including US FATCA



regulations and revised bilateral tax information exchange agreements

- Amendments to the approved manager regime for investment funds
- Reviewing the changes in relation to the powers of private trust companies to act as trustees of VISTA trusts
- Duty of confidentiality under BVI law NEW!
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**DOMESTIC AND COHABITATION RELATIONSHIPS VIOLENCE ORDINANCE:  
COMMENTARY AND ANNOTATIONS / Lawrence Li**

Hong Kong : Sweet & Maxwell, 2014

9789626617052

\$ 133.50 / PB

The Domestic and Cohabitation Relationships Violence Ordinance (DVCRO) protects not only the abused spouse but also the children and elders in the family from all sorts of domestic violence that may occur in a household. It covers physical, mental and psychological violence.

This publication provides both a practical approach and academic analysis to this crucial piece of legislation providing readers with practical knowledge and understanding of the delicate nature of domestic violence and the current situation in Hong Kong. This publication is a perfect companion to our Family Law and Practice title.

In addition to full annotations and commentaries on each and every section of the Ordinance, this title also provides:

- A full historical account of the cases and instances that led to the enactment of this legislation in Hong Kong
- A look at the cultural traits that had to be revealed and overcome to bring the plight of domestic violence out in the open here in Hong Kong
- Highlights the significant features and revisions of the Ordinance that led to more protections entitled to every abused member of the household
- Civil and criminal protections entitled to every abused member of the household
- Recent significant events and cases that occurred since the enactment of the Ordinance

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**COMPANY LAW IN HONG KONG - PRACTICE AND PROCEDURE 2015**

Hong Kong : Sweet & Maxwell, 2014

9789626616628

\$ 416.00 / PB

The Company Law in Hong Kong – Practice and Procedure 2015 continues to highlight how the new Companies Ordinance (Cap 622) intends to provide a modernized legal framework for the incorporation and operation of companies in Hong Kong. It aims to achieve four main objectives including enhancing corporate governance; ensuring better regulations; facilitating business in Hong Kong; and modernizing the law.



This publication is comprehensive and up-to-date covering all new developments and aspects of the new Companies Ordinance since its inception in March 2014.

#### Highlights of the Company Law in Hong Kong – Practice and Procedure 2015:

Updated with all transitional aspects and new legal content relating to the new Companies Ordinance such as:

Constitution of the Company – new & simplified procedures

Share Capital – revised aspects

Transfer of Share Capital

New and Revised Duties of Directors

Provides updates on new cases since the new companies law came into effect in March 2014

Focuses on all matters relating to the new company regime in Hong Kong focusing on the formation and operation of live companies existing and doing business in Hong Kong

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#### COMPANY LAW IN HONG KONG - INSOLVENCY 2015

Hong Kong : Sweet & Maxwell, 2014

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\$ 416.00 / PB

The Company Law in Hong Kong – Insolvency 2015 focuses on all matters relating to the surviving sections of Cap 32 dealing with Insolvency Law in Hong Kong. This publication provides a re-examination of the corporate insolvency law and practice in conjunction with the surviving and amended aspects of the re-titled Cap 32 Companies (Winding-Up and Miscellaneous Provisions) Ordinance.

This title is comprehensive and up-to-date covering all new developments and aspects of the new Companies Ordinance since its inception in March 2014.

#### Highlights of the Company Law in Hong Kong – Insolvency 2015:

- Updated with all transitional aspects and new legal content regarding the re-titled Cap 32 Companies (Winding-Up and Miscellaneous Provisions) Ordinance including the five revised aspects of the winding-up process:

- (a) the commencement of winding-up

- (b) the appointment, powers, vacation of office and release of provisional liquidators

- (c) the conduct of winding-up

- (d) voidable transactions

- (e) the investigation during winding-up, offences antecedent to or in the course of winding-up and powers of the court

- Provides updates to the transitional laws and legal precedence that have been reviewed and heard by the Courts since the new companies law came into effect in March 2014

- Focuses on all matters relating to Insolvency Law in Hong Kong and examines

corporate insolvency law at every angle

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**TORT LAW AND PRACTICE IN HONG KONG, 3RD EDITION**

Hong Kong : Sweet & Maxwell, 2014

9789626616321

\$ 665.00 /HB

Tort Law and Practice in Hong Kong is the authoritative work and is cited in court. The third edition is localisation has been richly and substantially revised. This reflects the speed at which tort law, one of the most dynamic of laws, adapts to modern circumstances.

The third edition provides updates and adds further contents to every chapter with a new general introductory chapter to the law of torts.

Highlights of the Tort Law and Practice in Hong Kong, 3rd Edition:

Negligence chapter, the most used tort, has been substantially revised and rewritten  
Anti-discrimination torts and the defences chapter have been substantially rewritten  
Damages chapter takes into account the adoption of actuarial tables in Hong Kong  
Growing impact of internet reflected in chapters such as internet torts, passing off, privacy, and defamation

Privacy chapter revised

New chapter on nature of torts

Many cases have been added

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**COMPANIES (WINDING-UP AND MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS) ORDINANCE:  
COMMENTARY AND ANNOTATIONS**

Hong Kong : Sweet & Maxwell, 2014

9789626616727

\$ 148.00 / PB

The new Companies Ordinance (Cap. 622) came into effect on 3 March 2014. While Cap. 32 has not been completely repealed except those provisions relating to winding-up and insolvency of companies and prospectuses. The Cap. 32 has now been re-titled as "Companies (Winding-Up and Miscellaneous Provisions) Ordinance".

This title is a must-have publication to examine each and every section of the remaining law, highlighting the key changes incorporated and amended as a result of the enactment of the new Companies Ordinance.

The main focus of this Companies (Winding-Up and Miscellaneous Provisions) Ordinance: Commentary and Annotations including:

1. Prospectives of Companies registered here in Hong Kong;
2. Winding-Up of a Company;

3. Insolvency of a Company;
4. Director duties of care and disqualification;
5. Appointment of receivers and managers of insolvent companies;
6. Restrictions on the sale of shares;
7. Restrictions on the offers of shares for sale;
8. Prevention of evasion of the societies; and
9. For any other incidental and connected matters.

Notable highlights for these commentary & annotations are:

- Insightful commentary and annotations of all those 244 Sections of Cap. 32 which remain in force;
- Select list of specified forms for use under Cap 32 regarding the Winding-Up and Insolvency of a Company; and
- Briefing and consultation notes on the recommended improvements to the clarity and application of the Corporate insolvency and Winding-Up provisions.

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CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTS DICTIONARY, 2ND EDITION / CHOW Kok Fong  
Hong Kong : Sweet & Maxwell, 2014  
9789810786526  
\$ 195.00 / HB

This dictionary has been cited in a number of leading decisions in Singapore and Malaysia and it consists of a readily accessible A–Z glossary of definitions of construction contract terms:

- Terms and expressions encountered in relevant statutes and standard forms;
- Common technical terms found in contract documents;
- Terms applied in leading construction decisions; and
- Terms and expressions encountered in construction arbitration and adjudication

Footnotes complement many of the entries to facilitate reference to authorities, source documents and other instructive reference materials.

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IPO HANDBOOK FOR HONG KONG 2015 (ENGLISH VERSION)  
Hong Kong : Sweet & Maxwell, 2015  
9789626617427  
\$ 100.00 / PB

With a foreword written by David Graham, Chief Regulatory Officer and Head of Listing, Hong Kong Exchanges and Clearing Limited, this IPO handbook for Hong Kong 2015 provides guidance to companies on solving the variety of issues they will face in their listing journey in Hong Kong, especially after the changes to Listing Rules this year.

This IPO handbook features the comprehensive requirements that a company needs to

address during its listing journey, with advice provided by more than 20 experts who have been offering IPO related services for many years and have the most up-to-date knowhow. These include:

- How to get the company ready to be listed;
- The key issues that could arise during the IPO application process, along with the latest rule changes related to IPO sponsors;
- How to market the deal effectively by setting the price, sales and stabilization;
- Some specific listing issues and methods that needs to be addressed;
- The most efficient tax considerations;
- Effective investor relations during the whole IPO process;
- Post-IPO issues like corporate governance, including updates to the latest corporate governance code;
- Compliance issues, including the latest rules on connected transaction updates that became effective from July 1, 2014;
- Effective post-IPO Strategies.

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Crocodile at Law / Kemal Bokhary

Hong Kong : (Sweet & Maxwell) Thomson Reuters Hong Kong Limited, 2014  
xvi, 164p.

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A Guide to Civil Procedure in Hong Kong - 5th Edition / Michael Wilkinson, Eric Cheung, Gary Meggit

Hong Kong : Lexis Nexis, 2014

9789888300242

\$ 250.00

The principal aim of this book is to provide practitioners with a clear and up to date exposition of the rules and judicial decisions governing the conduct of civil litigation in Hong Kong.

The Civil Justice Reform has now been effective for more than 5 years and there are many judicial decisions reflecting judicial approaches and attitudes to the implementation of the new rules. The jury is, however, still out as to whether the Reforms have significantly achieved their objectives.

The authors have chronicled these developments by reference to the considerable amount of case law on the new rules and practice directions. The fifth edition includes the most significant new cases affecting both the new rules and rules unaffected by the Reforms.

In fact, there is a considerable body of important decisions continuously emanating from the courts which renders the task of the civil litigation practitioner ever more demanding.

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Equity and Trusts Law in Hong Kong - 3rd Edition / Lawrence Ma  
Hong Kong : Lexis Nexis, 2014  
9789888231584  
\$ 416.00

Be confident you are up to date after the Trustee Ordinance Reform with our latest edition of Equity & Trusts Law in Hong Kong.

Have the comprehensive content on hand to deal with an array of equity and trusts matters, through:

- Updates on legislation based on the recent Trustee Ordinance (Cap 29) amendments
- Comprehensive coverage beyond Hong Kong to include English and Australian references
- Hong Kong case law dates back to the colonial era
- Expert analysis of the underlying issues and complex legal concepts
- Clear, factual illustrations of the application of the law

Equity and Trusts Law in Hong Kong - 3rd Edition

The third edition of this well-known and respected text provides an updated and thorough account of the principles of equity and trusts in Hong Kong.

It covers all relevant Hong Kong case law beginning from the colonial era to the recent amendment to the Trustee Ordinance (Cap 29) giving effect to the Trustee Ordinance Reform 2013.

In addition, this book includes references to major English and Australian decisions in order to provide the reader with a better understanding of underlying issues or controversies.

This comprehensive book, with its updated text and clear factual illustrations of the application of the law, is useful for all concerned with equity and trusts in Hong Kong.

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Law of Tort in Hong Kong - 3rd Edition / DK Srivastava, Anna Lui, Charu Sharma, Sara Tsui  
Hong Kong : Lexis Nexis, 2014  
9789888231591  
\$ 335.00 / HB

The Law of Tort in Hong Kong, first edition, was one of the first local textbooks on tort

law. Now in its third edition, it still offers a unique local perspective on tort law, separate to the English common law, as referring to laws of England does not always offer answers to problems unique to Hong Kong. This book aims to explain the legal principles of the law of tort through the lens of and with particular reference to Hong Kong cases and legislation. Leading cases on the law of tort are analysed and relevant legislation examined. The authors also discuss Hong Kong socioeconomic developments and suggest options for law reform. Distinctive of other works from England or elsewhere in the Commonwealth, this book focuses on typical Hong Kong problems such as nuisance, trespass, occupiers' and owners' liability and liability of bank and financial advisers. This core text is of value and interest to lawyers, law lecturers and students.

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Hong Kong Tort Law: Texts, Cases and Ordinances /Dr Fozia Nazir Lone  
Hong Kong : Lexis Nexis, 2014  
9789888231607  
\$ 165.00 / PB

Hong Kong Tort Law: Texts, Cases and Ordinances engages its readers in the effective learning of the principles of tort law. It provides an in-depth discussion of significant concepts of tort law which include negligence, nuisance, employer's liability, occupier's liability, the Rylands v Fletcher rule, economic torts, defamation, trespass, defences, damages and remedies. This work considers the impact of case law from other common law jurisdictions such as the UK, US, and Australia, in Hong Kong. This work also introduces the reader to the subject from a social and policy-oriented context.

Throughout the text, questions of practical importance are raised to encourage critical thinking and to train the reader in the application of tort law. This book is the first in Hong Kong to incorporate 'discovery-based innovative teaching pedagogy' and utilises critical thinking exercises that stimulate active discussion and the consideration of real-world issues.

Case studies, explanations of principle-making and the exposition of recent case law further ensure that readers are clear about the current position of the law. Each chapter illustrates how ordinances are connected in the Hong Kong tort law system.

The book will benefit those seeking to approach the study of tort law.

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Judicial Review in Hong Kong - 2nd Edition / Richard Gordon QC, Johnny Mok SC  
Hong Kong : Lexis Nexis, 2014  
9789888147717  
\$ 295.00 / HB

Judicial Review in Hong Kong, Second Edition is a clear and comprehensive exposition of the law and practice relating to judicial review in Hong Kong. Written by two practising members of the Bar (an English Queen's Counsel and a Hong Kong Senior Counsel) it

takes account of the fast-moving changes that have taken place in Hong Kong and offers guidance on the practice of judicial review.

There have been a plethora of new decisions and, in particular, judicial review has seen an expansion due to judges applying the remedy to an increasing range of public bodies. The proliferation of constitutional challenges and developing principles relating to fundamental rights have also provoked reappraisal of the methods by which executive review is conducted as well as raising new and challenging issues for those practising and deciding cases in this field.

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A Guide to Hong Kong Conveyancing - 7th Edition / Judith Sihombing, Michael Wilkinson

Hong Kong : Lexis Nexis, 2014

9789888232437

\$ 265.00 / PB

This seventh edition contains an extensive and detailed description of developments in Hong Kong conveyancing. There is now a voluminous amount of local case law explaining and developing the subject, thereby requiring the conveyancing solicitor to keep abreast of significant decisions. The Court of Final Appeal has considered and decided on a number of important issues, and, at least in some areas, certainty has been achieved. However, points of contention remain. A Guide to Hong Kong Conveyancing aims to report, discuss and shed some light on these issues, as well as help facilitate the work of practitioners in all conveyancing transactions.

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Butterworths Securities Handbook - 4th Edition / Bernard Mak, Antonio M. Da Roza

Hong Kong : Lexis Nexis, 2013

9789888231669

\$ 416.00 / PB

Hong Kong Securities Handbook (Fourth Edition) is a detailed work of reference containing up to date materials on the Securities and Futures Ordinance (Cap 571), the landmark statute that consolidated and reformed pre-existing legislation regulating securities, futures and leveraged foreign exchange contracts, intermediaries and markets in Hong Kong.

This Handbook reproduces the text of the Ordinance as currently in force with details of the legislative history and forthcoming reforms. Each section of the Ordinance is augmented by detailed annotations and expert commentaries authored by Bernard Mak (barrister-at-law) and Antonio M Da Roza (barrister-at-law, Research Assistant Professor, University of Hong Kong).

This edition presents greatly expanded coverage of Hong Kong securities law in the form of annotations to the SFO Schedules and subsidiary legislation. Commentary in these sections is provided on a selective basis, but all priority content is analysed and interpretive materials published by the SFC, such as the most recent Codes, Guidelines



and Circulars, are referenced here in detail to assist readers in dealing with the regulator. Last but not least, the new edition analyzes the prospective reforms in context, with pending sections placed in their proposed places in the Ordinances and denoted by underline, and offers further discussion of the future of financial regulation in Hong Kong, referencing materials such as the forthcoming new Companies Ordinance (Cap 622) and the recently tabled Securities and Futures (Amendment) Bill 2013. Annotations are fully cross-referenced and supplemented by tables of cases, legislation and other sources referred to. This text is the most up-to-date reference guide for lawyers, in-house counsel, investors, intermediaries, compliance officers, issuers, media, regulators, academics, students and all those who are engaged or interested in the law responsible for regulating the securities and futures markets in Hong Kong.

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Hong Kong Civil Court Practice Desk Edition 2014 / WS Clarke  
Hong Kong : Lexis Nexis, 2014  
9789888232659  
\$ 333.00 / HB

Hong Kong Civil Court Practice Desk Edition 2014 is your reliable source for the most up-to-date information on practice and procedure in the High Court. It is a practitioner's reference work containing the Rules of the High Court with extensive commentary by a team of experts. The Desk Edition is a handy, portable and easy-to-read volume citable in court.

The 2014 Edition reflects the extensive amendment of the Companies Ordinance and subsidiary legislation which took effect in March 2014. Many of the High Court Rules are affected, from Order 23 on Security for Costs, to Order 102, the Order dedicated to proceedings under the Companies Ordinance. These amendments are all incorporated in Desk Edition 2014, along with updated and revised commentary on the affected provisions.

Many other recent developments are incorporated, from the latest cases to practice directions such as PD 20.3, which came into force in January 2014, dealing with Beddoe applications.

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Professional Conduct of Lawyers in Hong Kong / Michael Wilkinson & Michael Sandor  
Hong Kong : Lexis Nexis, 2014  
9789888231805  
\$ 98.50 / PB

The Professional Conduct of Lawyers in Hong Kong: Desk Edition 2014 has been expanded from its previous edition in recognition of the growth of discussion and material concerning professional practice through recent years. This text incorporates up-to-date analyses and information regarding practices and principles for solicitors, barristers, the judiciary, government lawyers, prosecutors, in-house counsel as well as foreign lawyers. Key features of previous editions have been retained and further



developed, including relevant decisions from Hong Kong and other jurisdictions, as well as detailed coverage of the Hong Kong's Guide to Professional Conduct and the Bar Code. Recent developments have led to new features in this book, which include discussions on Hong Kong's anti-money laundering and financing legislation, the granting of higher rights of audience to Hong Kong-qualified solicitors, limited liability partnerships, amendments to the Solicitor's Account Rules, the Solicitor's Guide and more.

This book serves as a guide to understand the high standards of conduct expected of all members of the legal profession. Professional responsibility in Hong Kong has evolved rapidly, and will continue to develop both locally and internationally. It is therefore imperative for practitioners and students to be alert to changes in this area of law.

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Butterworths Hong Kong Media & Communication Handbook / Hans Mahncke, Hugh Kam & Douglas Kwok  
Hong Kong : Lexis Nexis, 2014  
9789888232857  
\$ 200.00 / PB

Butterworths Hong Kong Media & Communication Handbook is a useful work of reference containing up-to-date materials on the Telecommunications Ordinance (Cap 106), Registration of Local Newspapers Ordinance (Cap 268), Broadcasting Ordinance (Cap 562) and Interception of Communication & Surveillance Ordinance (Cap 589).

This book provides section-by-section annotations covering significant judicial decisions, rules of court, definitions of words and phrases, discussions on practical aspects, contentious issues, and other authoritative materials.

This series has been cited with authority, in over one hundred court cases in the Hong Kong Court of First Instance, Court of Appeal and Court of Final Appeal. This handbook will be an invaluable source of information for practitioners, legal advisers, media, broadcasting agencies, students, and anyone interested in the laws governing media and communication in Hong Kong.

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Cyberlaw in Hong Kong - 3rd Edition / Paul Stephenson, Alisa Kwan  
Hong Kong : Lexis Nexis, 2014  
9789888232390  
\$ 230.00 / HB

Cyberlaw in Hong Kong is essential reading not only for lawyers, but anyone connected with the web. The third edition of this popular title includes the latest amendments to the Personal Data (Privacy) Ordinance (Cap 486), with the chapter completely rewritten and includes a chart setting out the complex criminal regime that has been implemented.

The Ordinance regulates the sale of personal data in direct marketing, creates a new offence for disclosing personal data without consent and imposes heavier penalties. A

discussion on the landmark decision of *Shi Tao v Privacy Commissioner for Personal Data* is also extensively discussed, among other cases. This book also includes the modifications to the Copyright Ordinance (Cap 528) and the largely amended Trade Descriptions Ordinance (Cap 362) that affects advertising law on the internet.

Defamation is another area of law that has seen an influx of cases in relation to the internet, especially in the UK, where the courts are recognising that messages on the internet are much more likely to 'go viral' than those sent through traditional media. There are also developments in the UK relating to the contentious area of 'metatags' and their relationship with trade mark law that are dealt with in this book, as those decisions will have great influence in Hong Kong. Cyberlaw also looks at China and the internet with the first-to-file principle of the trade mark law now overhauled. It also takes into account cybersquatting and how the courts are prepared to deal with the matter, even from foreign companies.

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Butterworths Hong Kong Criminal Law and Procedure Handbook / Lindy Course, Grace Tso  
Hong Kong : Lexis Nexis, 2014  
9789888232260  
\$ 335.00 / PB

This Criminal Law & Procedure Handbook aims to make available in a convenient and up-to-date form the consolidated text of the Crimes Ordinance (Cap 200), Criminal Procedure Ordinance (Cap 221), Dangerous Drugs Ordinance (Cap 134), Juvenile Offenders Ordinance (Cap 226), Summary Offences Ordinance (Cap 228) and an extract of relevant sections from the Magistrates Ordinance (Cap 227).

This Handbook provides section by section annotations covering significant judicial decisions, rules of court, definitions of words and phrases, discussions on practical aspects, contentious issues, and other authoritative materials.

The legislation printed is currently in force (taking into account all amendments and repeals) with cross-references to subsidiary legislation and to tables, fees and forms where necessary.

This Handbook will be an invaluable source of reference for lawyers, adjudicators, executors, administrators, government officers, academics, students and all those who are engaged or interested in criminal law and the related procedures in Hong Kong.

This series has been cited with authority, in over one hundred court cases in the Hong Kong Court of First Instance, Court of Appeal and Court of Final Appeal.

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Ho & Hall's Hong Kong Contract Law - 3rd Edition by Stephen Hall  
Hong Kong : Lexis Nexis, 2014  
9789888231423  
\$ 250.00 / PB

Hong Kong has been institutionally separated from the United Kingdom for less than two decades. As recently as 25 years ago, it would have been difficult to perceive any appreciable emergence of a distinctly local Hong Kong common law. There were, however, some relatively early signs that the Crown Colony's common law was adapting to Hong Kong conditions to better serve the local community. Professor Betty M Ho skilfully identified many of these earlier developments.

Since the publication of the second edition of this book almost 20 years ago, there has been an acceleration in the pace at which the common law in Hong Kong has developed distinctly local characteristics. The law of contract is no exception in this regard. The approaching end of British sovereignty had much to do with this development during the earlier part of the 1990s. Since the foundation of the Hong Kong SAR, a principal impetus has been the work of the new Court of Final Appeal which was established to replace the Privy Council as the highest court for the territory. The localisation of Hong Kong's highest court has contributed, and will almost certainly continue to contribute, significantly to the emergence of a Hong Kong common law.

This overdue third edition of Professor Ho's work on contract law builds on her legacy and makes a contribution to the further emergence of a Hong Kong common law of contract. For the legal practitioner, this book will serve as a reference tool, and for the student commencing legal studies it will provide a general introduction to the basic principles of Hong Kong contract law and serve as a basis for more advanced studies.  
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Butterworths Hong Kong Family Law Handbook - 2nd Edition / P.Y.Lo  
Hong Kong : Lexis Nexis, 2013  
9789888231331  
\$ 330.00 / PB

Butterworths Hong Kong Family Law Handbook (Second Edition) is a detailed work of reference containing up to date materials of 12 Ordinances, including an extract of the Law Amendment and Reform (Consolidation) Ordinance (Cap 23), the full text of the Guardianship of Minors Ordinance (Cap 13), Separation and Maintenance Orders Ordinance (Cap 16), Marriage Reform Ordinance (Cap 178), Matrimonial Causes Ordinance (Cap 179), Marriage Ordinance (Cap 181), Married Persons Status (Cap 182), Legitimacy Ordinance (Cap 184), Domestic Violence Ordinance (Cap 189), Matrimonial Proceedings and Property Ordinance (Cap 192), Adoption Ordinance (Cap 290), Parent and Child Ordinance (Cap 429) and other relevant subsidiary legislations governing the family law and practice in Hong Kong.

This Handbook reproduces the text of the Ordinances as currently in force, together with details on all amendments and repeals.

This Handbook also provides section by section annotations to the Ordinances. These annotations, which have been adopted from The Annotated Ordinances of Hong Kong series, are succinct and easy to read. They encompass significant judicial decisions and rules of court, as well as notes ranging from definitions of words and phrases to discussions on practical aspects and contentious issues relating to particular sections and other authoritative materials. Furthermore, the annotations are fully cross-referenced, and the Handbook comes with comprehensive tables of cases and legislation referred to.

This series has been cited, with authority, in over one hundred court cases in the Hong Kong Court of First Instance, Court of Appeal, and Court of Final Appeal. This Handbook will be an invaluable source of reference for family law practitioners, mediation co-ordinators, judicial officers, academics and all others who are engaged or interested in the administration of family law in Hong Kong.

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Butterworths Hong Kong Contract Law Handbook Third Edition/ Lindy Course, Agnes Chan, Alfred YF Sit, Elliot J Fung, Arthur Redisall Lee, Paul Stephenson  
Hong Kong : Lexis Nexis, 2013  
9789888231010  
\$ 330.00 / PB

Butterworths Hong Kong Contract Law Handbook (Third Edition) is a detailed work of reference containing a general introduction to the law of contract in Hong Kong and up-to-date annotated materials on the following:

- Sale of Goods Ordinance (Cap 26)
- Control of Exemption Clauses Ordinance (Cap 71)
- Misrepresentation Ordinance (Cap 284)
- Supply of Services (Implied Terms) Ordinance (Cap 457)
- Unconscionable Contracts Ordinance (Cap 458)
- Law Amendment and Reform (Consolidation) Ordinance (Cap 23) (ss 11, 13-18, 21 and 23)
- Limitation Ordinance (Cap 347) (s 4)
- Electronic Transactions Ordinance (Cap 553) (ss 17-19)

All relevant cases and legislation are succinctly discussed in this practical guide for legal practitioners and students. The enhancements within this third edition makes this handbook a more comprehensive guide and will also be an invaluable source of information for businesspersons, company directors, HR professionals, importer-exporters, and all those involved in the drafting of commercial agreements.

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Commercial Law in Hong Kong / Judith Sihombing  
Hong Kong : Lexis Nexis, 2013  
9789888231782  
\$ 335.00 / PB

This book deals with what every commercial lawyer must know. It is designed to assist you with the understanding of the fundamental contractual principles. It also explains various forms of transactions, including those from areas of general business dealings to areas of consumer finance. The book is also very practical. It enables readers to identify new forms of assets, to draft any form of security or quasi-security, and to apply common law and equitable principles to different types of transactions, particularly in relation to breach of contracts, and to remedies for breach.

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Private Equity in Hong Kong / Simon Luk  
Hong Kong : Lexis Nexis, 2013  
9789888231799  
\$ 215.00 / PB

Private Equity in Hong Kong provides its readers with an overview of the main issues, common procedures and documentation involved in each stage of a private equity investment. The term "private equity" usually refers to an equity investment in private companies that are not quoted on a stock exchange. However, Hong Kong in recent years has also witnessed an increasing interest of the private equity investors in participating in public companies' privatization and PIPE (private investment in public equity). There are a number of investment strategies including but not limited to venture capital, management and leveraged buyouts, management buy-ins, rescues, and expansion capital. Venture capital is the most common strategy adopted in Hong Kong.

Written by senior legal practitioners with established practice in this area, Private Equity in Hong Kong is structured with an aim to provide a step-by-step guide to enable an easy grasp of key concepts and to provide useful insight to investment strategy.

Sample transaction documents with explanatory notes are also included to assist readers to gain a thorough understanding in a systematic manner. This book is an indispensable guide to legal practitioners, business investors, students or to anyone at all who deals with this area of law.

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Hong Kong Administrative Law (2nd Edition) / Swati Jhaveri, Michael Ramsden, Anne Scully-Hill  
Hong Kong : Lexis Nexis, 2013  
9789888147700  
\$ 165.00 / PB

Hong Kong Administrative Law provides the most comprehensive and up to date commentary on this increasingly important area of law in Hong Kong.

This revised edition builds on the first edition with a revamp to its structure, making the text even more practical.

It also included discussion on the latest controversial and high profile cases, such as Fok Chun Wa v Hospital Authority, the case concerning the obstetric services in public hospitals for non-resident women from the Mainland; Vallejos and Domingo v Commissioner of Registration, the case concerning the foreign domestic helpers' right of abode; and W v Registrar of Marriages the case on same sex marriage of transsexuals.

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Butterworths Hong Kong Inland Revenue Handbook (2nd edition) / Lawrence Man  
Hong Kong : Lexis Nexis, 2013  
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This series has been cited with authority, in over one hundred court cases in the Hong Kong Court of First Instance, Court of Appeal and Court of Final Appeal. This handbook will be an invaluable source of information for practitioners, legal advisers, company secretaries, students and anyone interested in the laws governing companies in Hong Kong.

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