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Anthropology & Archaeology

Chaukhandi Tombs : Funerary Art in Sind and Baluchistan / Salome Zajadacz-Hastenrath
Karachi : Oxford University Press, 2003
175p.; 24cm.
019579771x
\$ 25.00

The Chaukhandi Tombs is among the largest and best-preserved necropolis in the world. Being unique in the whole Islamic world and evolving purely from local traditions, these tombs render a most original and independent contribution to Islamic sepulchral architecture and ornamental sculpture. This book contains the first systematic study and analyses of group funerary structures, comprising some fifty cemeteries of varying size, with approximately 2000 monuments. It is the first book devoted exclusively to this subject; the author's own fieldwork and documentation having made the work authoritative. The author has used the style-critical method to delineate the particular features of Chaukhandi as well as to trace the features that link it to the architectural tradition of Gujrat and Western India.

Beyond the Gorges of the Indus : Archaeology before Excavation /Karl Jettmar
Karachi : Oxford University Press, 2001
268p. ; 22cm.
0195779797
\$ 30.00

Beyond the Gorges of the Indus is the archaeological history of what is now known as the Trans-Himalayan Zone. Karl Jettmar has based his book on the numerous expeditions which he undertook in the area. The meanings of the landmarks, the artefacts and the inscriptions are based in detail. The Dard River, the Upper Gilgit Valley, Baltistan, the Tarim Basin, Tangir and Darel are some of the locations in which excavations were carried out. The book gives an insight into the solutions confirmed by the discovery of the petroglyphs in the Indus Valley, near Chilas with 30,000 images, and more than 4,000 inscriptions.

Buner : The Forgotten Part of Ancient Uddiyana / Muhammad Habibullah Khan Khattak
Karachi : Muhammad Habibullah Khan Khattak, c1997
118 p. ; 21 cm.
Includes Bibliography

\$ 10.00

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Foreword By MR. Niaz Rasool,
Director General of Archaeology
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Gandhara Sculptures In Lahore Museum / Humera Alam
Lahore : Lahore Museum, 1998
85 p. ; 24 cm.
\$ 15.00

Third South Asian Archaeological Congress, Islamabad /Ahmad Nabi Khan (Ed)
Karachi : Department of Archaeology and Museums, c1998
290 p. ; 26 cm.
\$ 40.00

The Soomras / Mahar Abdul Haq Sumra,
Pakistan : Beacon Books (In Collaboration with Upper Sindh Soomra Association),
1992
288 p. ; 24 cm.
Includes Bibliography
\$ 30.00

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Chapter 2. Emergence of 'Life' and man's Efforts for its sustenance
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Lahore Museum Heritage / Anjum Rehmani
Lahore : Anjum Rehmani, 1994
325 p. ; 23 cm.
Includes Bibliography
\$ 30.00

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Lahore Museum-then and Now / B. A. Kureshi
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Conservation and Repair of three Burmese Umbrellas in the Lahore Museum /
Waseem Ahmad

Art

"Official" Chronicle of Mayo School of Art : Formative Years Under J L Kipling (1874-
94) / Edited by Nadeem Omar Tarar [et.al]
Lahore : National College of Arts, 2003
175 p. : ill. ; 27 cm.
Includes Bibliography and Index.

969-8623-00-0
\$ 75.00

[Based on the annual progress reports, correspondence, proceedings, and debates in official circles, "Official" chronicle of Mayo School of Art, Formative Years under Lockwood Kipling [1874-94] is an attempt to make public the policy and programme of the British initiative to introduce art education in the Punjab. It also documents some of the finest specimens of craftwork produced at the Mayo School under the tutelage of JL Kipling that elicited a request by Queen Victoria for her chambers at Osborne to be decorated by Punjab craftsmen. The Appendices include policy debates on the role of art education in the development of the province, with Lord Baden-Powell and JL Kipling arguing for a school of design at one end, and Sir Richard Temple and Locke making a case for fine art at the other. The question being debated by British educators and administrators at the time were whether India should follow in the footsteps of Europe in its aesthetic education or if it should improve upon its own design sensibility geared towards manufacture and industry. Another problem for the British was whether the Mayo School was to follow in the footsteps of other such schools established in Calcutta, Madras, and Bombay, or if the Punjab, with the largest number of artisan class employed in its feudal agrarian economy, needed another kind of educational strategy.]

The Art of the Mussulmans in Spain / Shahid Suhrawardy
Karachi : Oxford University Press, 2005
202p.; 22cm.
0195797949
\$ 22.00

This book covers in rich detail a period of Islamic history not accessible to most scholars of Islamic Art. It discusses the influences on the Muslims which were brought to bear on the artefacts and architecture of Spain during the period of the Moorish Kingdoms in Spain. Shahid Suhrawardy writes not only of the political history but weaves in the social mores prevalent at the time. Along with detailed descriptions of ivories, laces and other objects found in the Islamic collections of many of the European museums of that time, he also gives a picture of the people, their aspirations, and constraints.

Communication & Journalism

History of Radio Pakistan /Nihal Ahmad
Karachi : Oxford University Press, 2005
321p.; 22cm.
0195978706
\$ 28.00

This book traces the history of Radio Pakistan from its inception, and provides a detailed and comprehensive account of Pakistan's first ever nationwide radio service. The author has examined all aspects of radio in Pakistan, including programming, engineering, news and current affairs coverage, as well as its administration and finance.

A brief history of broadcasting in general and a chronology of significant events covered by Radio Pakistan, are included for ready reference.

A History of Radio Pakistan highlights the role played by the organization in the development of the literary genre, particularly drama and music, with a special focus on classical music and promotion of local dialects, cultures, customs and traditions. The book also portrays Radio Pakistan as a trendsetter and as an instrument of change through its promotion of education and mass literacy campaigns, especially in the rural areas of the country.

Media, Religion, and Politics in Pakistan /Rai Shakil Akhtar
Karachi : Oxford University Press, 2000
300p.; 22cm.
0195791746
\$ 27.50

This book is a study of media texts in the Pakistani context, discussing the role and place of media in the country's social, political, religious, and historical contexts. It argues that the attitude developed under parasitic landlordism defines the role and scope of media, religion, politics, and social relations in Pakistani society. This book will provide politicians, academics, and students of political science, mass communications and discourse analysis with an invaluable commentary on a period which continues to determine the course of Pakistan's future. It will also be of interest to the lay reader eager to find out the role of the media in Pakistan.

A Profile in Courage : The Newslines Editorials of Razia Bhatti, 1989-1996
Karachi : Oxford University Press, 2000
145p.; 22cm.
0195793323
\$ 18.00

Razia Bhatti's Newslines editorials are a chronicle of our times. Written with verve and passion, they present a record of the Pakistani people during a turbulent period in their history. From state-sponsored terrorism to the rise of sectarianism, from dacoit power to violence against women and children, they take up the burning issues of the time. With only its sixth issue, Newslines won the Asia Pacific award for the Best Written Editorial and Related Stories. Every reader of the magazine turned first to Razia's 'Ed's Notes', for the comments they made, with great courage and clarity. Introduced by Zahid Hussain, Editor of Newslines, and a Foreword written by I. A. Rehman, this volume brings together the Newslines editorials of Razia Bhatti, written over a period of seven years, a treasure trove of information and insight.

Economics

Islam and the Economy of Pakistan : A Critical Analysis of Traditional Interpretation /
Izzud-Din Pal
Karachi : Oxford University Press, 2006
169p.; 22cm.
019547001x
\$ 30.00

Pakistan is faced with many serious challenges that affect the shaping of its destiny as a Muslim nation and a South Asian country. This book seeks to examine two

interrelated issues that lend a new dimension to its identity. One, the national structure inherited by Pakistan which became the foundation of the new country, and two, the emergence of traditionalist Islam and its effects on the economic and social life of the people. Questions such as 'Is Pakistan an ideological state, and is there a particular sectarian point of view that dominates the debate on theology?' are raised and critically examined in this study. The author also discusses orthodox views on the sacred laws of Islam in order to establish the context for the topic. To elaborate further, he focuses on issues such as riba, zakat, distributive justice, and public finance in Islam. The role of foreign trade in Pakistan as a South Asian country is examined as well.

Orangi Pilot Project : Reminiscences and Reflections /Akhtar Hameed Khan
Karachi : Oxford University Press, 2005
220p.; 22cm.
0195979869
\$ 18.00

Orangi Pilot Project: Reminiscences and Reflections is a collection of the articles and papers of Dr Akhtar Hameed Khan, the recipient of a number of national and international awards for his pioneering work in community development among the poor. Among his contributions, he is best-known for the brilliantly successful Orangi Pilot Project, Karachi, and the replication of the project in other areas that is helping whole communities to overcome problems relating to sanitation, housing, health, education, and employment.

Human Development in South Asia 2004 : The Health Challenge /Mahbub ul Haq
Human Development Centre
Karachi : Oxford University Press, 2005
282p.; 28cm.
0195471121
\$ 26.00

The Report underlines the imperative of focusing on a human-centred economic growth policy in South Asia that is based on improved health and education. Without raising the productivity of the majority of population, economic growth can neither be sustainable nor equitable. Despite South Asia's significant progress in improving the health and education of its population, the region still has some of the worst health indicators in the world. The Report argues that South Asia's strategy of economic growth needs to be reoriented in order to address the needs and concerns of the majority of its people. This is a unique perspective as most analysts tend to be concerned with the growth of per capita output and not the number of people in poverty, nor the number of children and women dying due to preventable causes.

Basic Education in Rural Pakistan : A Comparative Institutional Analysis of Government, Private and NGO Schools / Shahrukh Rafi Khan
Karachi : Oxford University Press, 2005
195p.; 22cm.
0195470028
\$ 30.00

Hazardous Home-based Sub-contracted Work : A Study of Multiple Tiered Exploitation /Shahrukh Rafi Khan, Saba Gul Khattak, and Sajid Kazmi
Karachi : Oxford University Press, 2005

230p.; 22cm.
0195978382
\$ 28.00

A growing proportion of the work force in Pakistan's urban centres—especially in cities like Karachi—is being absorbed into home-based, sub-contracted work. However, there is little rigorous research on the subject.

The research conducted for this book indicates that this section of the work force is highly exploited. Wages are low, the hours long and irregular, and the work repetitive and often hazardous. There is a concentration of women and children, particularly girls, in the work force.

Relying upon empirical data, this book adds to the conceptual and empirical base of the limited knowledge available to date. It focuses, on the national level, on micro and macro issues and on linking home-based work to the global value chain. At the micro level, the authors look at various issues, particularly the health and economic aspects of home-based work, while at the macro level they locate home-based work in the broader labour market and link it to structural adjustment.

From Exxon to Engro / Shaukat Raza Mirza
Karachi : Oxford University Press, 2005
226p.; 22cm.
0195977084
\$ 26.00

This book was written with the aim of providing some insights into the process of the buy-out of Exxon Chemical Pakistan Ltd. The buy-out was unique and very different from most management or employee buy-outs in the world in that it involved the rank and file of the company's employees, and was undertaken concurrently with a major expansion effort involving substantial capital expenditure. Readers are gripped by corporate drama as the story of the buy-out unfolds. Shaukat Mirza's primary role is central, as he relates the discussions, the decisions and the challenges he faced on the route to ultimate success. He talks about the individuals involved and the constraints he encountered, as well as personal joys and disappointments. This is not only a book about Pakistan's first employee buy-out. It is also a book about one person's endeavour to make his vision a reality—the man who spearheaded the buy-out—Shaukat Raza Mirza, and a corporation whose name has become synonymous with quality and excellence—Engro Chemical Pakistan Ltd. Shaukat Raza Mirza began his career with Esso Eastern in 1962. After a series of assignments in the United States, Pakistan and Hong Kong, he was appointed President and Chief Executive Officer of Exxon Chemical Pakistan Ltd. (ECPL) in 1988, and elected Chairman of the Board of Directors of the company. In 1991, Shaukat Mirza successfully led an employee buy-out of Exxon equity in the company in partnership with international and local financial institutions. The company was renamed Engro Chemical Pakistan Ltd. He retired in July 1997 as President and CEO of ECPL. In February 2000, he was appointed Managing Director, Pakistan State Oil Company Ltd. He was also actively involved in several national and international institutions as well as government committees, and was a member of the Commonwealth Business Council, set up in February 1998.

Environment

Kala Bagh dam and Sindh : A View Point / Muhammad Idris Rajput
Karachi : Sindh Graduates Association (SGA), 2005
xv, 139 p. ; 22 cm.
\$ 18.00

Indus flow downstream Kotri Barrage Need or Wastage? / Edited by Sikander Brohi
Karachi : Shaheed Zulfikar Ali Bhutto Institute of Science and Technology (SZABIST),
Center for Information and Research, c2003
xv, 140 p. ; 22 cm.
Includes Index.
\$ 15.00

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History

Cultural heritage of the Mughals / Edited by Massarrat Abid
Lahore : Pakistan Study Centre, University of the Punjab, c2005
350 p. ; 22 cm.
969-425-095-1
\$ 22.00

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 Seven Great Jalal-ud-Dins / Mumtaz Ali Toor
 Islamabad : Shakila Soofia Publications, c1985
 153 p. ; 22 cm.
 \$ 10.00

[This work is a comprehensive and useful account of the Seven Great Jalal-ud-Dins. It is not only a departure from the static descriptions that typify most historical studies but also unique in its coverage of an epoch which is currently the subject of renewed interest in Western countries. The Seven Great Jalal-us-Dins provides and enlightened approach to the Muslim era and emphasises a point of view overlooked by researchers.]

Roller-Coaster : My Early Years / Rao Rashid
 Lahore : Jumhoori Publications, c2005
 311 p. ; 22 cm.
 969-8455-20-5

Autobiography
 \$ 25.00

Sher Shah Suri : A Fresh Perspective / Basheer Ahmad Khan Matta
 New Delhi : Oxford University Press, c2005
 x, 254 p. ; 23 cm.
 Includes Bibliography and Index.
 0-19-597882-X
 \$ 18.00

[This is an account of Sher Shah Suri – a man of surpassing personal excellence, a great military commander, an exemplary ruler and the greatest leader ever produced by the Afghans. This book seeks to examine and evaluate his performance in all these capacities: to explore the pith and essence of the great man and determine his place in the currents of Indian history, as well as in the independent steam of Afghan history. At his death in 1545, Sher Shah left behind an empire stretching from the

Indus to the Bay of Bengal. However, Sher Shah's place in history rests not on his military exploits alone, but on the exemplary efficiency of his rule, the many far-reaching improvements that he effected in all spheres of government, and the splendid measures that he instituted for the good of the general public.]

Decade of the Dacoits / Imdad Hussain Sahito
Karachi : Oxford University Press, 2006
212p.; 22cm.
0195978625
\$ 24.00

The word dacoit translates roughly as 'highwayman' and is a particularly feared phenomenon in some parts of Pakistan and India, most especially in the Pakistani province of Sindh. The dacoits of Sindh are infamous for their daring raids to loot, plunder, murder and kidnap, and disappear swiftly into the jungle hideouts of their forest habitats. During the ten-year period from 1984 to 1994, the dacoits of Sindh became all-powerful, especially in the towns and rural areas of the province. The police, even the army, could not contain them. This book traces the history of the dacoits of Sindh. It investigates the origins of the phenomenon, and examines the forces that gave impetus to the problem, and even succoured the dacoits in terrorizing the local population with impunity.

Colonial Reports on Pakistan's Frontier Tribal Areas /Edited by Robert Nichols
Karachi : Oxford University Press, 2006
107p.; 24cm.
0195470818
\$ 20.00

This short volume reprints two, one-hundred-year-old colonial reports on FATA regions, one on Wana and one on the Adam Khel Afridi homelands located near Peshawar. For generations, governments have tried to understand and control FATA regions. These reports suggest the difficulty that state builders with centralizing ambitions have always had in prevailing against semi-independent communities yet to be fully integrated into wider political, economic and administrative systems.

Biographical Notes on Eminent Muslim Scientists of South-Asia in the 14th Century Hijra – Volume – II (d.1891-1991 A.D.) / Karimullah, A.R. Ghani
Islamabad : Pakistan Association for History and Philosophy of Science, c1999
84 p. ; 22 cm.
\$ 15.00

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Chapter 5: Salim M. Abdul Ali (1896-1987)
Chapter 6: Scientometric Analysis of research output of 9 eminent Muslim Scientists.]

Bahr Al-Asrar Fi Ma'Rifat Il-Akhyar / Mahumud B. Amir Wali Balkhi – Vol. I
Karachi : Pakistan Historical Society, 1996
vii, 168 p. ; 25 cm.
Includes Bibliography and Index.
Annotated English Translation of Portions Related to South Asia – Publication No. 84
\$ 20.00

[Bahr al-Asrar fi Ma'rafat il-Akhyar, vol. I, Part II comprises an annotated and edited English translation of portions dealing with South Asia in the encyclopaedic work of Mahuud b. Amir Wali Balkhi who visited South Asia and traveled extensively from Kabul to Rajmahal and Dhaka in the east and upto Ceylon in the South in the first decade of Shahjahan's reign. It's a unique, rare and still an published source for the socio-economic and political study of the Mughul India during the seventeenth century.]

Men of Steel : 6 Armoured Division in the 1965 War /Major General Abrar Husain
Karachi : Oxford University Press, 2005
174p.; 28cm.
9698125191
\$ 25.00

This book is an account of the 1965 war between Pakistan and India, based on the war despatches of Major General Abrar Husain, General Officer Commanding 6 Armoured Division. The author compiled the despatches soon after cease-fire in six parts. In part 1 the General has covered the state of the incomplete, semi-trained eight months old Division in 1965. In part 2 the politico-military scenario and the crises and conflicts Pakistan had faced throughout 1965 have been described. Account of the Division's operations in September 1965 has been covered in part 3. The invaluable close air support provided in crucial moments by the fighter pilots of Pakistan Air Force and the Army Aviation has been covered in part 4. Logistic support for the vast battlefield is covered in part 5, and some statistics, never published before, have been included in part 6. The Foreword has been written by General Pervez Musharraf, President and Chief of Army Staff.

Sindh: Ways and Days : Shikar and Other Memories /Pir Ali Muhammad Rashdi
Karachi : Oxford University Press, 2003
170p.; 22cm.
019579768x
\$ 26.00

The present volume embodies broadly the sporting experiences of Pir Ali Muhammad Rashdi, concentrating the narrative around the province of Sindh, Pakistan, as the author is a Sindhi. This book covers his wanderings in the wilds, villages, and remote regions of the country in pursuit of game. He has tried to concentrate on the central theme of Shikar, pointing out a number of excellent hunting spots in Sindh and India. He has described methods of hunting; has given his impressions about the ways and habits of various game animals; recorded his observations on the actual performance in the field, of various popular firearms. The author has also taken the opportunity to familiarize readers with the places and peoples which had borne the brunt of the political and social upheavals in the Indian subcontinent.

Cricket: A Bridge of Peace /Shaharyar M. Khan
Karachi : Oxford University Press, 2005

248p.; 22cm.
0195978366
\$ 28.00

This book was written when the author was the manager of the Pakistan cricket team during its tour of India in 1999 and the World Cup in South Africa in 2003. The author has focussed on the role of cricket as a bridge of peace within a tortured society—South Africa—and between hostile neighbours—Pakistan and India. It also chronicles the matches on the two tours, drawing cricketing conclusions from Pakistan's success in India and its failure at the World Cup. As an experienced diplomat and cricket enthusiast, Shaharyar Khan is eminently qualified to analyze the role of cricket in politics and diplomacy, and its moulding influence in public attitudes.

In December 2003, Shaharyar Khan was appointed Chairman of the Pakistan Cricket Board. During March and April 2004 the momentous series between Pakistan and India took place, and in an epilogue to this book the author chronicles the events of that series. His conclusion now is the same as then; that cricket does act as a bridge of peace.

Uchchh : History and Architecture / Ahmad Nabi Khan
Second Ed. [1st ed. 1980]
Islamabad : National Institute of Historical and Cultural Research, c2001
xxii, 148 p. : ill. ; 26 cm.
Includes Bibliography and Index.
969-415-054-X
NIHCR Publication No. 101
\$ 20.00

[Among the several ancient cities of Pakistan. Uchchh stands out more prominently whose birth, adolescence and climax is identified with religious fever and spiritual piety. It was echoed in the hymns of the Hindu Vedas sung in veneration of Ushas, the beautiful young goddess of Dawn who ushered with the Sun god from the East every morning to announce the day dawn: Soon thousands of sacred bells rung, in chorus chills from her abodes, the shadowy temples located in far and near corners of the city. Unchchh is a corrupted form of Ushas, the say! Also Uchchh is associated with the visitation of Alexander the Macedonian. He is known to have founded an Alexandra around here in the name of his beloved Queen. This is a romantic story yet to be testified by sober history, or by the spade of archaeology. Later still Unchchh was found under the sway of a petty chief, Buddhist or Brahman (?) under the powerful yoke of the Ra'is of Sindh. It would have been spotted by the Arab army under Muhammad Bin Qasim and later, formed part of Arab Emirate of Banu Sama or of the Isma'ilis. However, no mention of it is found in the annals of early Islam. And then suddenly the all forgotten Uchchh springs up as a metropolis of the Kingdom of Nasir u'd-Din Qubacha whose rule lasted for well over twenty-two years. Although he had to face and thwart onslaughts of Mongols. Khwarazimas and lastly of his own father-in-law. The twilight of power and prosperity ended turning our historic Uchchh a land of dust and runs. However, saints and religious luminaries made it a centre of spiritual excellence. The great unique services of Jahaniyan Jahngasht are too well known. He trained and sent from here his devoted disciples to the nook and corner of the subcontinent to propagate Islam. The efforts succeeded in bringing thousands to the fold. While Qubacha, and elite of his court built numerous religious and secular edifices to adorn the city, the saints and their

admires created mosques, Khanqahs, madrasas and tombs. They were significant examples of brick-cum-wood architecture clad with colourful tiling, evincing all-abiding influence of Central Asian art, but possessing their own characteristics. The present work attempts at covering these aspects in details, based on original or authoritative sources. The description of architectural monuments accompanies monochrome and polychrome photographic plates as well as line drawings of plans, elevations and sections of more prominent undertakings.]

Georgian Saga : From the Caucasus to the Indus /Meherafroze Mirza Habib
Karachi : Oxford University Press, 2005
190p.; 22cm.
019597848x
\$ 28.00

The book provides an insight into the lives of Mirza Khusro Beg, a scion of a princely family of Georgia, who was adopted by Mir Karam Ali Khan Talpur, and Fareedun, also from Georgia, whose paths fatefully crossed thousands of miles away, in distant Sindh. The author traces the historical background that led to the author's ancestors' migration from Georgia in the early 1800s to Sindh, and recreates the era of domestic feudal revolts, the rapidly changing montage of conquerors and the imposition of foreign rule by rival imperial powers in Georgia. The second half of the book focuses on Khusro's life as a young man, and his relationship with the Mirs of Sindh, and continues with the family history until the twentieth century.

M. A. Jinnah : Views and Reviews /M. Reza Kazimi
Karachi : Oxford University Press, 2005
276p.; 22cm.
0195979796
\$ 32.00

The collection of articles presented in this volume are essays and articles on Mohammad Ali Jinnah, Pakistan's founding father, by some of the most distinguished scholars of South Asian history both in the national context and internationally. This book also includes important studies that are being made available in Pakistan for the very first time.

Controversy on the role of M. A. Jinnah in securing Pakistan has dominated discourse on the Partition of British India and is the subject of fierce debate in India today. A major theme of the articles in this collection, therefore, is whether Jinnah's role vis-à-vis Partition was proactive or reactive.

The study of Jinnah's career as conditioned by the system of British Imperialist control, written by David Page, is conducive to an evolutionary vision of the Quaid-i-Azam. Stanley Wolpert's article focusing on Jinnah's role as a Congressman is crucial to the better understanding of the political course he was to eventually adopt. Ayesha Jalal, author of one of the most influential books on Jinnah ever written, presents what is known as the Revisionist Theory of Partition where she depicts Jinnah's motivation in 'strategic' terms. Other eminent authors such as Ian Talbot, Francis Robinson, Andrew Roberts, and others write objective and in-depth articles, providing new interpretations of great historical importance, as well as new material in the backdrop of extensive and acclaimed studies of the history and politics of South Asia.

Back to the Pavilion / M. Attiqur Rahman

Karachi : Oxford University Press, 2005
246p.; 22cm.
0195978617
\$ 25.00

Back to the Pavilion is a highly readable account of the life of an outstanding military leader of our time. General Attiqur Rahman's biography portrays a man adept at the use of the pen as well as the sword, a fine fighter and an efficient administrator during his tenure as Governor and Martial Law Administrator.

Attiqur Rahman presents an unusual, but refreshingly independent outlook—creative, critical, and by today's standards, even daring. The book reflects his ability to hold and to pronounce upon opinions unfavourable to authority when they seem justified in the public interest. Notwithstanding the many defects, deficiencies and regularities that he noted in the system, he abided obsessively by the set rules and was not prepared to look beyond them. No doubt a habit ingrained in the army's psyche.

All in all, the book portrays a man who held out the hand of friendship to all and had malice for none—a man who was a fine example of courage, modesty and self-denial.

Pathan Odyssey / Mohammad Aslam Khan Khattak
Karachi : Oxford University Press, 2004
288p.; 22cm.
0195977181
\$ 26.00

This is the story of Mohammad Aslam Khan Khattak, born in 1908 in Chitral, then part of India and now the North West Frontier Province of Pakistan. He became a governor, minister, ambassador, politician and businessman in his long and active life. While at Oxford University in the late 1920s, he helped build the momentum for an independent Muslim state—Pakistan. He is the son of a well-known specialist on tribal affairs who was a strong believer and supporter of Islam, and who served the British Raj as an effective administrator, always bearing in mind the needs of his people and the preservation of their culture and way of life. Aslam Khattak carried on the family tradition during more than a half-century of service to his country, both during the waning of the Raj and for the newly independent nation of Pakistan.

A Judge Speaks Out / Chief Justice Ajmal Mian
Karachi : Oxford University Press, 2004
392p.; 22cm.
0195799844
\$ 30.00

A Judge Speaks Out provides some interesting anecdotes and poignant moments from Chief Justice Ajmal Mian's life: his youth, his migration at Partition from Delhi to Karachi in 1947 and the acclimatization of his family there, to his subsequent entry into the legal profession in 1957. Milestones in his career are also given due recognition. One significant event discussed in the book is the development of conflict between Chief Justice Sajjad Ali Shah and Prime Minister Nawaz Sharif, followed by the storming of the Supreme Court of Pakistan.

Landmark judgments that affect society and the culture of jurisprudence are discussed in detail. Describing some highly critical events in the history of our

judiciary, Chief Justice Ajmal Mian shares with the reader his legal perspective on this to help dispel the mist of confusion surrounding the role of Judiciary in this country. Issues such as the separation of a Judiciary from Executive; the Eighth Constitutional Amendment; the Judges' Case; Contempt of Court proceedings against the Prime Minister and others; Imposition of Emergency; Anti-Terrorist Act; Military Courts; Making Fundamental Rights applicable to the people of Northern Areas; and Freezing of Foreign Exchange Accounts complete this comprehensive account.

Memoirs of a Rebel Princess /Abida Sultaan
Karachi : Oxford University Press, 2004
376p.; 22cm.
0195799585
\$ 25.00

Born in Bhopal in 1913, Princess Abida Sultaan was a unique and extraordinary personality. Unique because she remains the only ruler or heir of a major Indian princely state to have migrated from India to Pakistan—sacrificing a life of comfort and security in pursuit of her ideals. Extraordinary because she was a woman of remarkable qualities and paradoxes. Her autobiography spans the glittering era of the princely states, the end of the British Raj, and the emergence of Pakistan as a sovereign state. As heir apparent, she helped her father in administering the state and also witnessed, first hand, the gradual demise of the princely states as the British Raj ended. The centerpiece of the book is her agonizing decision to leave her family and roots that stretched back fourteen generations to migrate to Pakistan with her only son, Shaharyar Mohammed Khan. This autobiography challenges the portrayal of Muslim women as silent, secluded, and oppressed. Princess Abida Sultaan's memoirs will help in removing widespread misconceptions concerning the status of women in Islam.

The Frontier Policy of the Delhi Sultans / Agha Hussain Hamadani
Islamabad : National Institute of Historical and Cultural Research, c1986
xix, 220 p. ; 24 cm.
Includes Bibliography and Index.
969-415-003-5
Historical Studies (Medieval Muslim India) Series; 7
\$ 25.00

[Substantially a Ph.D. thesis submitted at the Quaid-i-Azam University, Islamabad, the present work, as its title suggests, focusses on the frontier policy of the Delhi Sultans and traces the ups and downs it underwent during the reign of different rulers, together with the various contributory factors for the periodical adjustments. The study is based on original source material and to make the narrative intelligible the author has added several useful maps showing the routes followed by the Mongol hordes in their incursions into India, as well as the fortifications built by the Sultans to meet this formidable challenges.]

The Rajputs : History, Clans, Culture and Nobility – Vol. I & II / Rana Muhammad Sarwar Khan
Lahore : Rana Muhammad Sarwar Kahn Trust, c2005
2v. ; 27 cm.
\$ 125.00 (Set)

[The word Rajput is a corruption of rajaputra (rajputra) (rajaking.putra-son) meaning son of a king. The work occurs in the Rigveda, Yajurvedic, Kathak Samhita and the Aitrareya Brahmana of the Rigveda. It is used as a synonym for Rajanaya, which implies a man of the warrior race or a Kshatriya. It will not be difficult to prove that earlier texts which show that the word Rajputs is not a new word coined in about the 9th century. A.D. but an old, a very old word and that it was usually used in very honourable sense. The word is used so far back as the Mahabharat. The Rajputs are celebrated, renowned, exalted, eminent and most distinguished of all the nations of Indo-Pakistan continent. In spite of repeatedly passing through the acute periods of ascension, rising and decline, still alive and very much in existence as a nation known as bravest of the braves. The tales of undaunted heroism and the inflexible fortitude of the brave Rajputs have left a lasting impression on the minds of the successive generations of the Indo-Pakistan. It may be objected that the word Rajaputra occurs in Panini (Indian Grammarian) about 450 B.C. where a sense somewhat different from Rajanya is intended to be conveyed by it.]

History of the Muslims of Indo-Pakistan Sub-Continent (1707-1806)- Vol. 1 / Sh. Abdur Rashid
2nd ed. [1st ed. 1978]
Lahore : Research Society of Pakistan, 1997
v. ; 23 cm.
Includes Index.
969-425-016-1
Publication No. 52
\$ 15.00

[Contents:
Introduction
Chapter 1: The political scene at the opening of the eighteenth century
Chapter 2: The successors of Alamgir (Bahadur Shah I to Muhammad Shah) 1707—1748
Chapter 3: Farrukh Siyar (1713-19), Rafi-ud-Darajat and Rafi-ud-Daula
Chapter 4: Muhammad Shah : 1719-1748
Chapter 5: Mughul empire after Muhammad Shah, 1748-1806
Chapter 6: Bengal, Bihar and Orissa : 1707-1757
Chapter 7: Siraj-ud-Daulah
Chapter 8: Kashmir-The Punjab-Kabul
Chapter 9: Sindh and Baluchistan
Chapter 10: Haiderabad
Chapter 11: Successors of Nizamul Mulk The Afghans in Northern India Appendix 1
Ghazi-ud-Din Imad-ul-Mulk
Chapter 12: The Rohilas
Chapter 13: The Muslim kingdom of Mysore Appendix / Mir Sadiq
Chapter 14: The last days of the Mughuls (1748-1799) Appendix
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Pre-Independence Indian Muslim Mindset / Ghulam Kibria
Karachi : City Press Bookshop, c2001
250 p. ; 23 cm.
969-8380-44-2
\$ 15.00

Muslims Under Congress Rule 1937-1939 : A Documentary Record – Vol. 1 / Edited with Noted by K.K. Aziz
Islamabad : National Commission on Historical and Cultural Research, c1978
xv, 567 p. ; 23 cm.
Documentary Series ; 3
\$ 25.00

[Contents:

Part 1: The background
Part 2: Reaction to the government of India Act, 1935
Part 3: The general election
Part 4: The congress demand for eliminating the statutory safeguards
Part 5: The congress rules
Part 6: Muslims reaction to congress rule
Part 7: Congress-Muslim correspondence
Part 8: The deliverance
Part 9: Muslim sufferings: Muslim evidence.]

Muslims Under Congress Rule 1937-1939 : A Documentary Record – Vol. II / Edited with Noted by K.K. Aziz
Islamabad : National Commission on Historical and Cultural Research, c1979
x, 347 p. ; 23 cm.
Includes Bibliography.
Documentary Series ; 3
\$ 30.00

[Contents:

Part X: Muslim sufferings: Non-Muslim Indian evidence
Part XI: Muslim sufferings: British evidence
Part XII: The impact of congress rule on the Muslims.]

Lands of Pakistan : Perspectives, Historical and Cultural / N.A. Baloch
Islamabad : El-Mashriqi Foundation, 1995
xii, 301 p. ; 23 cm.
Includes Bibliography.
\$ 15.00

[Contents:

I. South Asian subcontinent before Islam
II. Early Islam in south Asia/Far East
III. First foundation of political power: Conquest of Sindh
IV. Al-Sindh province of the Caliphate
V. Local Arab emirates
VI. Ghaznawid sultans and establishment of kingdom of Lahore
VII. Ghurid sultans and foundation of Delhi sultanate
VIII. Sultanate of Makran
IX. Sultanates of Uch. Multan and Sindh
X. Taxila and Margala range centered region
XI. Baloch migrations to the subcontinent and their principalities
XII. A rare decree of Emeror babur
XIII. The first translation of holy Quran in the Sindh-Hind Subcontinent
XIV. Beruni and his experiment at Nandana, district Jhelum

XV. Amir Khusrau's discourse on principles of music.]

Ruttie Jinnah : The Story, Told and Untold / Khwaja Razi Haider
Karachi : Pakistan Study Centre, c2004
194 p. ; 23 cm.
Includes Bibliography and Index.
969-8791-91-9
\$ 18.00

[It is, of course, a pity that (Stanley) Wolpert had failed to do justice to both Ruttie and Dina (in his book Jinnah of Pakistan) but I am happy to report that a recent book, Ruttie Jinnah (in Urdu) by Khawaja Razi Haider, Deputy Director, Quaid-I-Academy, attempts to fill in the gap in good measure. Since books published in Urdu do not get the attention they normally deserve, this work has been somewhat ignored by the English-reading Public (Daily Dawn, Karachi, 26 February 1999). The daughters of a Parsee business magnate, Ruttie Dinshaw Petit was the only woman to capture the heart of Mohammad Ali Jinnah, the most successful lawyer of that time in Bombay. She revered his wisdom and logic; he was enamoured by her exceptional intellect. In the face of her parents' severe opposition, she remained resolute to marry him. As soon as she came of age, Ruttie embraced Islam and entered into matrimony with Jinnah. Despite Jinnah's unfaltering dedication and love for Ruttie, the marriage was not a bed of roses. Perhaps his professional responsibilities and political commitments did not afford him enough time to spend with his beloved wife and this was much for her to bear. Her youthful heart bled with loneliness until she died of a consuming illness, still young and charming. The present research work reveals for the first time, irrefutable facts in substantial detail about the relationship between the founder of Pakistan and his wife. Based on primary sources, authentic records, visits to the places where the events took place, and meetings with some of the people involved, this monumental work on Jinnah's private life has been penned by Khwaja Razi, Haider, who specializes in research on Quaid-i-Azam Jinnah and other prominent figures of the Pakistan movement.]

London Muslim League (1908-1928) : An Historical Study / Muhammad Yusuf Abbasi
Islamabad : National Institute of Historical and Cultural Research, c1988
xiii, 426 p. ; 24 cm.
Includes Bibliography and Index.
969-415-008-6
Historical Studies (Muslim India) Series ; 8
\$ 40.00

[The London Muslim League emerged as an articulate lobby of the All India Muslim League in London, and played a crucial role in shaping Muslim policies at home. The league was architect of separate Muslim representation. When it came to converting Minto's pledge into a statute of Parliament, Morley's and Minto's perceptions of separate Muslim representation converged on the Joint electorates scheme favoured by the Indian National Congress. Thanks to persistent opposition of the London Muslim League, Morley and Minto were prevented from nullifying Muslim demand through political subterfuges. As an upholder of human freedom the League deplored the ruthless exploitation and persecution of Indians in South Africa and British East Africa. Syed Ameer Ali, president of the London Muslim League, dispatched many medical missions to Tripoli (Libya) and the Balkans to alleviate the sufferings of war-

worn Turks and Arabs. The Russian intervention in Iran evoked a sharp protest from the League. Similarly it stood forth as the bold champion of Turkish territorial integrity and independence. The League's Pan-Islamism was not a distant dream but a highly pragmatic expression of Muslim fraternity.]

Sultan Mahmud of Ghazna / Compiled by Anwar H. Siddiqui, Z.A. Qureshi
Islamabad : Society of Asian Civilizations Pakistan, 2001
v. ; 22 cm.
Millenium Celebrations-2000
\$ 18.00

[Contents:

Editor's Note / Dr. Anwar Hussain Siddiqui, Z.A. Qureshi
Preface / Prof. Emeritus Dr. A.H. Dani
Ghaznavid state / Prof. A.H. Dani
The administration of Sultan Mahmud of Ghazna / Navid Zafar
Sultan Mahmud Ghaznavi, Was he an ideal ruler? / Muhammad Saleem Akhter
Sultan Mahmud Ghaznavi / Dr. Nasim Hasan Shah
Mahmud of Ghazna is Sindh / Shaikh Khurshid Shah
Sultan Mahmud Ghaznavi in Multan / Mastoor Fatima
Sultan Mahmud of Ghazni and al-Mansurah / Shahid Ahmad Rajput
Mahmud Ghaznavi and Mysticism / Dr. Laeeq Babree
Mahmud's patronage of scholars / Dr. Ansar Zahid Khan
The legacy of Sultan Mahmud of Ghazna / Dr. Affan Seljuq.]

Muslim League Session 1940 and The Lahore Resolution (Documents) / Compiled by
Ikram Ali Malik
Islamabad : National Institute of Historical and Cultural Research, c1990
xxxviii, 365 p. ; 23 cm.
969-415-022-1
\$ 15.00

Political History and Institutions of the Early Turkish Empire of Delhi (1206-1290
A.D.) / Muhammad Aziz Ahmad
Revised ed. [1st ed. 1949]
Lahore : Research Society of Pakistan, 1987
417 p. ; 23 cm.
Includes Bibliography and Index.
969-425-069-2
Publication No. 70
\$ 25.00

Circumstances Leading to the First Afghan War / Afzal Iqbal
2nd ed. [1st ed.1975]
Lahore : Research Society of Pakistan, 1976
ii, 95 p. ; 24 cm.
Includes Bibliography.
Publication No. 37
\$ 15.00

[Contents:

Chapter 1: Circumstances leading to the annexation of Peshawar

Chapter 2: Burnes' Mission to Kabul
Chapter 3: Macnaughten's Mission to Lahore and Ludhiana
Chapter 4: Ratification of the tripartite treaty
Chapter 5: Reflections.]

The Encyclopedia of Pakistan /Editors-in-Chief: Hafeez Malik, Yuri V. Gankovsky
Karachi : Oxford University Press, 2005
430p.; 28cm.
0195977351
\$ 75.00

Accessible, informative, and easy to use, The Encyclopedia of Pakistan is a single volume compendium of information about Pakistan. A distinctive group of scholars and writers have contributed clear, concise, in-depth and scholarly entries on all aspects of the country, including feature essays on topics rarely touched upon. This book contains more than 1,000 entries in addition to fifteen feature essays which shed light on indigenous topics otherwise thought to be alien to Pakistan, like Dance, Puppetry, Visual Arts, etc. Also, topics are chosen which although rare, serve general interest readers, like Pakistani Stamps, Currency, Jewellery, Tourism etc. The Encyclopedia of Pakistan is a book designed not just as a reference work, but as a guide to a whole new experience, the true experience of Pakistan.

Studies in the History of Indo-Pakistan Subcontinent / Yar Muhammad Khan
Lahore : Research Society of Pakistan, 1991
viii, 332 p. ; 23 cm.
Includes Index.
969-425-075-7
Publication No. 78
\$ 15.00

[Contents:

Preface

Letters of Hajjaj Bin Yusuf to Muhammad bin Qasim

State and religion during the Turkish empire of Delhi

The political relations of Baha-ud-Din Zakariya with the Sultans of Delhi

The political relations of the Turkish sultans of Indo-Pakistan Subcontinent with the Mongols in the 13th century

Relations of the sultans of Delhi with Foreign rulers

The use of artillery during the sultanate period

The attitude of Muslim kings towards Hindu's in Islamic India

War speeches of Muslim commanders in Medieval India

The great Indian Famine of 1631-32

The three royal Farans regarding Miyan Shaikh Darwish and his descendants

Muslim Urban society under the Mughuls (1556-1707)

Political relations of the Mughuls with the rulers of Northern Pakistan

An analysis of Aurangzeb Alamgirs's Attitude towards Qutb Shah

Aurangzeb and Shari at

The will of Aurangzeb Alamgir

Maulana Muhammad 'Ali jauhar and the All parties Muslim conference, (December, 31, 1928-January, 1, 1929)

Socio-economic condition of the Muslims in British India during 18th and 19th centuries

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Corrigenda.]

The Role of N.W.F.P. in The Freedom Struggle / Muhammad Anwar Khan
Lahore : Research Society of Pakistan, 2000
iii, 450 p. ; 23 cm.
969-425-089-7
Publication No. 90
\$ 25.00

[The creation of N.W.F.P. which according to the author of the present work, was a geo-political necessity with the British rulers of India, and was destined to play a significant role in the forthcoming freedom struggle of the subcontinent. Its strides in the fold of All India National Congress have been highlighted by writers, yet the goal-oriented efforts of the Pathans for a Muslim homeland remained unattended. The freedom struggle of the people of the Frontier for Pakistan is a story of love and devotion of the people for the land, ideology and the culture they adhered to. Dr. Mohammad Anwar Khan, a professor of history and central Asian studies and the former vice-chancellor of the university of Peshawar, who has lived through these eventful years, has limelighted the labour and efforts of the frontier province. The Muslim league, the author asserts, sprouted out in the Frontier against all odds, attained political stature of its own, was subjected to highhandedness of its own "Boniface" yet survived to see the Frontier forming part of the new Muslim state of South Asia. According to the author, the information and data on this phase of the freedom story, has been collected from scattered files, records of the archive houses in Pakistan and abroad, besides life accounts of the men connected with these events.]

Landmarks of the Pakistan Movement / S.M. Burke
Lahore : Research Society of Pakistan, 2001
xx, 491 p. ; 23 cm.
Includes Bibliography and Index.
969-425-092-7
Publication No. 93
\$ 35.00

[The book starts with an account of the war independence of 1857 in which the Muslims met a crushing defeat at the hands of the British. The severity, however, cooled down on account of the sagacious policy of Syed Ahmad Khan, who wished the Muslims to know grim realities and move with the times. Gradually the Muslims formed their own political party known as the "All India Muslim League" which in course of time was enriched by the sagacity and genius of Muhammad Ali Jinnah who became saviour and beloved leader of the Indian Muslims. His party started a mass movement and ultimately succeeded in gaining freedom from the British and laid the foundation of a new country, Pakistan. The present work is an important document on the history of Pakistan. The myth of Hindu-Muslim unity had been exploded as early as the 10 century A.D. by the great Muslim historian and thinker Abu Rayhan al-Biruni who was also a scholar of Sanskrit and spent many years in India.]

Freedom Struggle in Kashmir / Mir Abdul Aziz
Lahore : Research Society of Pakistan, 2000
xii, 561 p. ; 23 cm.
Includes Bibliography and Index.

969-425-090-0
Publication No. 91
\$ 45.00

[Kashmir has been a burning subject since 1947. A great deal of literature has been produced on it since then. The present work, however, is different from the rest since it has been produced by a son of the soil who is a gifted with logic as with profound conviction.]

The Altaf Gauhar Papers : Documents Towards the Making of the Constitution of 1962 / Edited by Amanullah Memon
Lahore : Sang-E-Meel Publications, 2003
824 p. ; 23 cm.
969-35-1493-9
1. History - Constitution
\$ 40.00

The Departed Melody (Memories) / Raja Tridiv Roy
Islamabad : PPA Publications, 2003
456 p. ; 26 cm.
969-8587-10-1
\$ 20.00

[I sensed an exceptional ecstasy when Brig, Iqbal Shafi, the President of Sir Syed Memorial society Islamabad, told me that his benevolent friend his excellency Raja Tridiv Roy intended to get his book published, and I had to accomplish the assignment. Without any delay, I wished to have an appointment with Raja Sahib. During the meeting with him at his residence, "Chakma House" E-7, Islamabad, I expressed my sentiments that to publish his book or not was another subject but I has been in spirits to meet him in person. I also articulated my cordial feeling of being his ardent admirer by dint of his courageous acts and being a man of principle. It is a prevailing actuality that not only me but every Pakistani who possesses even a scanty knowledge of the recent history and has some political awareness, feels affection for Raja Tridiv Roy, as a national leader. They pay him great homage and honour from the core of their hearts. The reason behind is his principled stand at the juncture of the bifurcation of Pakistan.]

History of the Pathans : Vol.1 – The Sarabani Pathans / Haroon Rashid, SI(M)
Islamabad : Brig (R) Haroon Rahid, SI(M), 2002
xi, 477 p. : ill. ; 30 cm.
\$ 90.00

[From Preface :

This work includes ten volumes as follows :-

Volume 1 : The Sarabani Pathans

Volume 2 : The Sarabani Pathans

Volume 3 : The Ghurghushtis, Beitanis and the Matti Tribes

Volume 4 : The Karani Pathans

Volume 5 : The Karani Pathans

Volume 6 : The Pashto speaking Non-Pathans (the Pakhtuns located in the Pathan territory but genetically of non-pathan origin

Volume 7 : The Non-Pashto speaking Pathans (who reside outside Pathan traditional territory but genetically are Pathans)

Volume 8 : The Non-Pashto speaking Pathans
Volume 9 : The Pathans and the Kashmir War of 1947-49
Volume 10 : The Pathan shaheeds of Indo-Pak wars with a brief family history.]

Ancient Cities of The Indus Valley Civilization / Jonathan Mark Kenoyer [Dedicated to the memory of Geroge F. Dales, Jr. (1927-1992) and Walter A. Fairservis, Jr. (1927-1994)
4th ed. [1st ed. 1998]
Karachi : Oxford University Press, 2004
260 p. : ill. ; 27 cm.
Includes Bibliography and Index.
0-19-577940-1
\$ 25.00

[Ancient cities of the Indus Valley civilization presents a refreshingly new perspective on the earliest cities of Pakistan and western India (2600-1900 BC). Through a careful examination of the most recent archaeological discoveries from excavations in both Pakistan and India, the author provides a stimulating discussion on the nature of the early cities and their inhabitants. This detailed study of the Indus architecture and civic organization also takes into account the distinctive crafts and technological developments that accompanied the emergence of urbanism. Indus trade and economy as well as political and religious organizations are illuminated through comparisons with other contemporaneous civilizations in Mesopotamia and Central Asia and through ethnoarchaeological studies in later cultures of South Asia. The book is written as an introductory text on the Indus civilization along with a catalogue section that illustrates some of the important objects recovered during the most recent excavations at Harappa, as well as earlier finds from excavations in the 1920s and 1930s. The abundant maps and line drawings, along with illustrations in color and black and white, make this an optional teaching tool for high school and college teachers.]

Haji Sir Abdullah Haroon: A Biography /Daulat Haroon Hidayatullah
Karachi : Oxford University Press, 2006
355p.; 21cm.
0195978226
\$ 29.50

The book is a biography of a politically active, influential and affluent business magnate who played an important part in the creation of Pakistan and was a close friend of the Quaid-i-Azam Muhammad Ali Jinnah. Written by his daughter, the book defines his involvement in public life and politics in Sindh. The author also relates various anecdotes from Sir Abdullah Haroon's life, his childhood and youth amid humble beginnings, and his rise to fame and fortune. The biography includes selected quotes from Abdullah Haroon's communications, speeches, statements and other documents that throw light on an eventful and historic period for South Asia—the struggle for independence.

Law

The Dispensation of Justice in Pakistan / Edited by Mohammad Yasin and Tariq Banuri

Karachi : Oxford University Press, 2003
240p.; 22cm.
019579799x
\$ 19.50

This book is based on substantive research and includes papers contributed by prominent legal scholars. It looks at the role of the judiciary in society and discusses different problems encountered in the course of administering justice in Pakistan. The issues addressed include alternative dispute resolution mechanisms, public interest litigation, and certain historical aspects of justice. It presents suggestions, measures and remedies to improve the present system of justice and shows how alternative dispute resolution mechanisms can solve some of the problems faced by litigants. Further, it shows how the superior courts can provide appropriate justice in public and individual interests, and makes a comparative study of the legal systems of the USA, UK, India, and other countries. The appendices and annexures contain a wealth of data that can be of great help to researchers. Academics in the field of judicial training will find this book very useful.

Essays and Addresses On Constitution, Law And Pakistan Legal System / Nasim Hasan Shah
Lahore : Research Society of Pakistan, University of the Punjab, 1999
iii, 194 p. ; 21 cm.
Includes Bibliography and Index
Publication No. 89
269-425-988-9
\$ 13.00

Pakistan : A Study of its Constitutional History (1857-1975) / Justice (Retd) Masud Ahmad
2nd ed. [1st 1978]
Lahore : Research Society of Pakistan, University Of The Punjab, 1983
iv, 274 p. ; 23 cm.
Includes Bibliography and Index.
Publication No. 50
\$ 10.00

Indus Waters Treaty In Retrospect / Bashir A. Malik
Lahore : A.M. Shakoori, 2005
323 p. ; ill, 21 cm.
Includes Bibliography and Index.
\$ 25.00

Literature

Pakistani Literature : Vol.8-9, 2003-2004, No.2-1 (Special Issue – Writings from SAARC Countries) / Edited by Iftikhar Arif
Islamabad : The Pakistan Academy of Letters, c2003
359 p. ; 24 cm.
\$ 15.00

Hundred years of Iqbal Studies / Compiled by Waheed Ishrat
Islamabad : Pakistan Academy of Letters, c2003
viii, 786 p. ; 22 cm.

969-472-157-1
Pakistan Literature – Fiction Series.
\$ 30.00

Paradise of the Assassins : A Translation of Firdaus-e-Bareen /Abdul Halim Sharar,
Translated by Tariq Mahmud, Edited with Chronology and Notes by Amina Azfar
Karachi : Oxford University Press, 2005
132p.; 22cm.
0195977319
\$ 22.00

'The two lovers watched the approaching light with growing dread. In no time it was upon them, and they saw that the light came from fifteen or more large torches beneath which was a large group of women of elfin beauty. As soon they set eyes on the women, they cried "Fairies", and fainted.' And so Sharar's two fictitious characters find themselves on a fearsome page of historical truth. They walk into the clutches of the Assassins—people who can leap to their death at a sign from their masters, and believe that they are headed for paradise. Firdaus-e-Bareen, of which this book is a translation, is the best-known work of an outstanding Urdu writer. Yet, in 1899, when he finished writing it, Abdul Halim Sharar could hardly have guessed how interesting and relevant his novel would sound in the twenty-first century, more than a hundred years after he wrote it.

Real Men Keep Their Word :TALES FROM KABUL, AFGHANISTAN : A Selection Of Akram Osman's Dari Short Stories /Translated by Arley Loewen
Karachi : Oxford University Press, 2005
248p.; 22cm.
0195471148
\$ 25.00

'Sher had kept his vow. But, alas, in keeping his word, he lost the love of his life. He sacrificed that which was most dear to him in order to keep his word.' To this day, the story, 'Real Men Keep Their Word' resonates with what is considered to be authentic Afghan heroism.

During the last two decades of the twentieth century, Afghanistan has been thrown into such a deep military and political quagmire that much of its cultural heritage lies buried beneath the rubble of a devastated nation.

Yet, behind this dismal scenario, many Afghans carry fond memories of traditional Kabul culture, some of which has been preserved in the short stories written by Dr Akram Osman in the 1970s and '80s.

His stories bring to life the popular folk culture of urban Kabul during the mid-twentieth century. While some of the stories drip with nostalgic heroism, the reader can easily identify with characters who struggle with personal identity in light of a changing society or laugh at the farcical pretensions of those who try to 'climb the social ladder'.

Culture and Identity : Selected English Writings of Faiz /Compiled and edited by Sheema Majeed
Karachi : Oxford University Press, 2005
282p.; 22cm.
0195979958
\$ 28.00

This book is the first compilation of the English writings of Faiz Ahmed Faiz, Pakistan's premier poet and author, to be published. Apart from many volumes of poetry beginning with Naqsh-e-Faryadi in 1941, Faiz Ahmed Faiz wrote literary criticism and articles on culture in both Urdu and English. Some of his articles in this volume spell out the writer's well-known predilection for the progressive canons of literature. Articles on Amir Khusrau, Ghalib, Tolstoy, Iqbal, and Sadequain figure prominently in the collection as 'applied criticism'. This volume is not only invaluable for shedding light on the literary proclivities of Faiz but also stands on its own as a very candid and original exposition of Pakistani culture and thought.

Politics and Genre in "Hamlet" /Adrian A. Husain
Karachi : Oxford University Press, 2005
64p.; 20cm.
0195979095
\$ 20.00

Politics and Genre in "Hamlet" is a historicist study constituting a significant departure from the New Historicist or 'cultural' approach to Shakespeare. It examines the question of genre in relation to identity, time and power in the play against the backdrop of the Renaissance in Europe. It looks at identity as a typically Renaissance phenomenon: a theatrical construct alternating between the Machiavellian and Castiglionesque. The 'new' political time is analyzed in the terms of an uneasy interval which, having arrived imperceptibly, somehow qualifies inescapably as history. Power, of which rhetoric is seen to perform a crucial function in Hamlet, is considered against a Foucauldian perspective of mobile power relations. State power on stage is, according to this study, as much a mysterious ubiquity as an atopia. Pivotal to Politics and Genre in "Hamlet" is what is viewed here as the cause of Hamlet's 'delay'. This is taken as generic and phenomenological, hinging on an intrinsic divergence between the atelic and recessive neoplatonic protagonist and the covert Aristotelian teleologies of the court at Elsinore. The discussion also takes in the existential, Picoesque concept of freedom to support the argument that Hamlet's is a genre in transition. One of the special achievements of Politics and Genre in "Hamlet" is that its focus on many of the classic issues of Shakespeare's play enables it to keep both the critical tradition of Hamlet and the dramatic process constantly in view.

Performing Arts

Sufi Music of India and Pakistan : Sound, Context, and Meaning in Qawwali /Regula Burckhardt Qureshi
Karachi : Oxford University Press, 2006
286p.; 25cm.
With CD-ROM
0195979109
\$ 35.00

In this exceptional study of Qawwali, Muslim devotional music, Regula Burckhardt Qureshi asks the following: What accounts for the flexibility of the music's structure? How are the rules of performance established, and when can they change? What is

the impact of the ritual? In answering these questions, she argues that Qawwali music is context-sensitive—that the music will vary with audience participation. Qureshi's 'context-sensitive musical grammar' allows her to study setting, audience, and performance as elements of the music. Qureshi's detailed analysis highlights the interdependency of society, music, and religion. Sufi Music of India and Pakistan is an innovative analysis of ethnomusicological theory and method.

The book is accompanied by a CD-ROM containing sixty minutes of Qawwali music.

Politics

Dying to Kill us : Suicide Bombers, Martyr Operation and Terrorism in Pakistan /
Musa Khan Jalalzai

Lahore : Al-Abbas International, c2005

199 p. ; 23 cm.

\$ 25.00

[Contents:

1. Terrorism, concept and philosophy
 2. Pakistan and the war on terrorism, Religious extremism and internal security : Threats violence and religious fanaticism
 3. Terrorism and sectarian violence in Pakistan
 4. Dying to kill brother, sectarian terrorism in Pakistan
 5. Suicide bombers or human missiles
 6. Dying to kill US, suicide terrorism and Islam
 7. International conventions and other treaties relating terrorism
 8. Important events of terrorism, 2000-2005
 9. Notes to chapters.]
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Kashmir in Comparative Perspective : Democracy and Violent Separatism in India
/Sten Widmalm

Karachi : Oxford University Press, 2006

254p.; 22cm.

0195470052

\$ 30.00

Kashmir in Comparative Perspective investigates the factors that led to the breakdown of democracy and the rise of violent separatism in Jammu and Kashmir in the 1980s. Using unique material including interviews with representatives of the Government of India, the ISI in Pakistan, and separatist leaders in Jammu and Kashmir, the author argues that the emergence of incompatible identities should be regarded as an outcome of a preceding and distinctly political conflict, which was the result of disputes between the elites in Jammu and Kashmir and the central government in Jammu and Kashmir during the 1980s. Comparisons with developments in other states in India, namely West Bengal and Tamil Nadu, suggest that it is a mistake to see an ethnic factor as the main cause of the conflict in Jammu and Kashmir.

Captive Princess : Zebunissa, Daughter of Emperor Aurangzeb /Annie Krieger
Krynicky

Karachi : Oxford University Press, 2005

236p.; 24cm.

0195798376

\$ 28.00

The heroine of this book, Zebunissa, has remained almost completely ignored by chroniclers and historians. In the prime of her life, her father, the Emperor Aurangzeb incarcerated his favourite daughter Zebunissa, in the fortress prison of Salimgarh, where she languished for twenty years until her death. Everything about her life seems shrouded in mystery, and historians have tried in vain to penetrate the obscurity of her life. Only her poems give us an indication of her character. She seems to have been a very humane person, with weaknesses, passions, and an indomitable pride, but dressed in black veils for which she was noted. This book responds to the need for studies of notable Islamic women that not only sheds light on the condition and culture of their lives—their constraints, pleasures, powers, and activities within the women's palaces—but also provides other perspectives of the Muslim process of rule such as the internal dynamics of the political, economic, and religious struggles at court.

Jihad, Hindutva and the Taliban : South Asia at the Crossroads /Iftikhar H. Malik
Karachi : Oxford University Press, 2005
336p.; 22cm.
0195977904
\$ 28.00

Tracing the historical origins of the ideology of Jihad since the classical Islamic era, the book deliberates the more recent typologies of resistance during colonial and contemporary times. The intricate relationship in Afghanistan between the erstwhile Mujahideen and Western powers during the Cold War and its break-up following 9/11 has been examined in detail. The salience of Hindutva in India and demands for a Sunni state in Pakistan, simultaneous with similar espousals in Bangladesh, Nepal, Bhutan and Sri Lanka, reveal unique regional congruities on ideological issues. Issues of contested statehood and national identity have assumed an added significance, which this book addresses within a changed regional and global political context. Other than ideology and pluralism, the book also investigates problems of governance.

East Pakistan: The Endgame : An Onlooker's Journal, 1969–1971 /Brigadier Abdul Rahman Siddiqi
Karachi : Oxford University Press, 2004
276p.; 22cm.
0195799933
\$ 25.00

The East Pakistan tragedy was not just a failure of the military establishment of the day but also the abysmal collapse of civil society in West Pakistan. As chief of Inter-Services Public Relations (ISPR) and press advisor to the president and chief martial law administrator at that time, the author had the unique advantage of observing the tragedy as it unfolded. As the ISPR chief, he interacted with the national press and a cross-section of public and political leadership in both the wings. In his description and appraisal of the various dramatis personae, he acts as an impartial observer. Apart from the fresh light the book sheds on the traumatic episode, the simplicity and candour of the narrative adds much to its readability. Thus, the book may well contribute towards the much-needed bridge-building between Pakistan and Bangladesh.

Terrorism and Global Power Systems / Shahwar Junaid
Karachi : Oxford University Press, 2005
226p.; 22cm.
0195977882
\$ 26.00

This book discusses the origins of terrorism and the use of violence as a tool for political, social, and economic change by various forces within society and throughout the world. The author draws upon historical trends as well as rising terrorist activity in the world since 1980. She also examines global power systems, including international security systems to understand how terrorism operates in the current environment. The book also addresses the excesses of power and injustices against groups of people all over the world. It sheds light on methods used to control these people and block the establishment of systems that can lead to peaceful political change.

Life after Partition : Migration, Community and Strife in Sindh 1947–1962 /Sarah Ansari
Karachi : Oxford University Press, 2005
245p.; 22cm.
019597834x
\$ 28.00

Life after Partition examines the sensitive issues of community and identity in the context of post-1947 Sindh and the demographic upheavals that Partition triggered off in the region.

The book pursues questions of integration and accommodation and traces the ways in which local Sindhis and migrants from India interacted in the years after 1947. The author concentrates particularly on developments taking place in Karachi, home to a large proportion of the new arrivals in Sindh by the early 1950s.

Karachi had always been more 'cosmopolitan' than the rest of the province, housing a rich mixture of Sindhi, Baloch and Gujarati-speaking communities. Now, however, the ethnic balance of the city was completely transformed due to the influx of hundreds of thousands of Urdu-speaking Muslim migrants from India.

The difficulties of how to accommodate these migrants highlights the problems that endured for many of the years following Partition. As Life after Partition demonstrates, relations between communities in Sindh during this period underlined the challenges that faced Pakistan as a whole, particularly in relation to establishing a workable political culture in which its different people could share, and with which they could identify.

Pakistan at the Millennium /Edited by Charles Kennedy, Kathleen McNeil, Carl Ernst, and David Gilmartin
Karachi : Oxford University Press, 2003
380p. 22cm.
0195797760
\$ 30.00

Since Pakistan went nuclear in May 1998, the country has been the focus of world attention and this volume has brought together the writings of academic experts who have scrutinized the various facets and factors that make up Pakistan both as a state and society. It would be hard to find a more comprehensive and perceptive critique of Pakistan's nuclear policy than Rodney Jones's study. A probe into history, which has become strikingly relevant, is Robert Nichols' account of the 1897 tribal revolt in the territory bordering Afghanistan. Equally fascinating, from the other end of the spectrum, are Regula Qureshi's study of the musical arts of Pakistan and Marcella Sirhandi's survey of painting. Pakistan's problems of nation-building are discussed by Ian Talbot who has previously studied the role of provinces in the Pakistan Movement, and on the religious side formal and traditional aspects of Islam in Pakistan are analysed by Katherine Pratt Ewing.

We've Learnt Nothing from History : Pakistan: Politics and Military Power /M. Asghar Khan
Karachi : Oxford University Press, 2005
314p.; 22cm.
0195978838
\$ 26.00

In this book, Air Marshal (Retired) M. Asghar Khan presents an insider's view of Pakistan's struggle for democracy from the 1960s to the present.

The book expounds on the early entry of Pakistan's armed forces into the country's politics and the author's opposition to military rule that began in 1968 with the movement for the restoration of democracy. This movement resulted in the ouster of President Muhammad Ayub Khan in 1969 after eleven years of military rule.

The author describes his continued opposition to autocratic and dictatorial rule, especially General Yahya Khan's policy of brutal suppression through military action in East Pakistan. He also recounts his strong criticism of the General's refusal to hand over power to Sheikh Mujibur Rehman and the Awami League, winners of the first-ever free and fair general elections held in Pakistan.

The author recalls Zulfikar Ali Bhutto's rise to political power during the 1970s, and General Ziaul Haq's dogmatic and iron-fisted military rule during the 1980s, and elaborates on some pertinent features of Pakistan's domestic and international situation.

The book concludes with the author's assessment of General Pervez Musharraf's five years in power consequent upon the re-entry of the armed forces in the country's politics in 1999, after a brief and tumultuous interlude with democracy.

The Pakistan People's Party : Rise to Power /Philip E. Jones
Karachi : Oxford University Press, 2003
558p.; 22cm.
0195799666
\$ 32.00

The best chance for a political leader to permanently curb the power of Pakistan's military-bureaucratic oligarchy occurred in December 1971, when Zulfikar Ali Bhutto was named President and Chief Martial Law Administrator. Two unprecedented developments of enormous consequence had occurred in Pakistan. First, in the 1970 elections Bhutto had led his Pakistan People's Party to victory in the country's key province, Punjab. Second, in having lost East Pakistan (now Bangladesh) and a war

with India, the military was completely discredited. The book's argument subscribes to the belief that the People's Party was a transitional political organization, in that it reflected both the passing age of elite politics and the new age of mass politics. The election victory of the PPP in the Punjab represented the breakthrough of the mass public into the political sphere, and signaled a fundamental and irreversible alteration in the relationship between the ruler and the ruled. The book includes a social and political analysis of the 1970 elections using polling station level data for Punjab, several appendices covering the election results of 1970, and two hitherto unpublished interviews with Zulfikar Ali Bhutto, one of which was conducted by the author just before Zia's coup.

A Testament of Sindh : Ethnic and Religious Extremism: A Perspective /M. S. Korejo
Karachi : Oxford University Press, 2002
300p.; 22cm.
0195797604
\$ 30.00

This book is an attempt to seriously and frankly comment on the current situation of Sindh, which became the victim of an ethnic conflagration when the children of the Muhajirs, or immigrants from India at the time of Partition, decided to agitate for their rights which they felt had been inexcusably withheld from them. Before the eyes of the perplexed Sindhis, the MQM burst forth with its list of claims and demands that led to the worst social and ethnic conflict ever witnessed in Sindh. Mr Korejo brings his own perspective to bear on this scenario, giving his analysis of who was responsible for the ethnic conflict and the religious militarism. But, in addition, he also delineates ways to bring back harmony to the province. His views might be controversial but are a much-needed criticism of what is happening in and to Sindh.

A Journey to Disillusionment /Sherbaz Khan Mazari
Karachi : Oxford University Press, 2002
646p. 22cm.
0195797698
\$ 26.00

Though primarily the memoirs of a leading Opposition figure, this book is also in part, a history of Pakistan. Starting from Mazari's early years in opposition to the Ayub government, and moving through the Bhutto and Zia periods, the book makes interesting revelations about the leading political players, and the events of those turbulent times.

Islam and Democracy in Pakistan / Edited by Muhammad Aslam Syed
Islamabad : National Institute of Historical and Cultural Research, c1995
vi, 309 p. ; 21 cm.
Includes Index.
969-415-041-8
Historical Studies (Pakistan) Series: 13
NIHCR Publication No. 90
1. Pakistan-Politics and government
2. Islam and Democracy
3. Islam and politics
4. Religion and politics.

\$ 10.00

Bureaucratic Elites and Political Developments in Pakistan (1947-58) / Huma Naz
Islamabad : National Institute of Pakistan Studies, [Quaid-I-Azam University],
c1990

165 p. ; 21 cm.

Includes Bibliography.

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Chapter 3: Politicization of the Bureaucratic elites (1947-54)

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Summary and conclusions

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Muslim Politics in Sindh (1938-1947) / Muhammad Qasim Soomro

Pakistan : Pakistan Study Centre, [University of Sindh], 1989

xi, 193 p. ; 21 cm.

Includes Bibliography and Index.

\$ 15.00

Subversion in East Pakistan / A.M.K. Maswani

Lahore : Amir Publication

xvi, 304 p. ; 20 cm.

Includes Index.

\$ 15.00

Political, Organizational and Military Leadership in Pakistan / Tanvir Akhtar

Islamabad : National Institute of Historical and Cultural Research, [Centre of
excellence, Quaid-I-Azam University], c2004

127 p. ; 24 cm.

Includes Bibliography and Index.

969-415-063-9

NIHCR Publication No. 113

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[This book has dealt with the issue of political, organizational and military leadership in a comprehensive manner. In most of the works, these three kinds of leadership are dealt with separately, but in this work they have been dealt with exhaustively in psychological perspective. The theoretical and methodological framework has also been provided. The data has been collected in the field work. The results along with their interpretations have been conclusively examined and discussed in this study. Fluctuations and changes in the roles of these three leadership profiles have also been discussed in an interesting manner.]

Silent Killer : Drug-Trafficking in Pakistan Afghanistan and Central Asia / Musa Khan Jalalzai
Lahore : Institute of Advance and Strategic Studies Lahore, c2005
303 p. ; 25 cm.
\$ 25.00

Religion – Islam

History and Philosophy of Muslim contributions To Science And Technology / M.M. Qurashi and S.S.H. Rizvi
Islamabad : Pakistan Academy Of Sciences, 1996
188 p. ; 21 cm.
\$ 15.00

Islam in South Asia / Waheed-uz-Zaman and M. Saleem Akhtar
Islamabad : National Institute of Historical and Cultural Research, c1993
viii, 603 p. 24 cm.
Includes Bibliography and Index.
969-415-036-1
Historical Studies (Muslim India) Series: 11
NIHCR Publication No. 83
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1. The Advent of Islam / N.A. Baloch
 2. The Rise and Expansion of Muslim Power / Hussain Khan
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 4. Growth and Development of Muslim Community / Sheikh Abdur Rashid
 5. The Impact of Islam on Hindu Culture/ A. H. Dani
 6. Development of Education / Syed Altaf Ali Brelvi
 7. Political and Economic Institutions / A. H. Dani
 8. Languages and Literatures / Muhammad Siddiq Shibli
 9. Architecture / Ahmad Nabi Khan
 10. Shah Wali Allah / Mahmood Ghazi
 11. Islamic Modernism / Muhammad Aslam Syed
 12. Allamah Muhammad Iqbal: Religious and Political Ideas / Mirza Muhammad Munawwar.]
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Islamization And Minorities In Pakistan / Musa Khan Jalalzai
Lahore : Jumhoori Publications, c2005
354 p. ; 21cm.
969-8455-14-0
\$ 30.00

The Social Shari'ah of Islam / Javed Ahmad Ghamidi
Lahore : Institute of Islamic Sciences, c2004
105 p. ; 21 cm.

969-8799-05-0
\$ 15.00

[What are the guiding principles in human and social relationships? This question is as old as the advent of man on the face of this earth. Divine books have answered this question in detail so that man is able to create a healthy society on this earth suited to his natural urges and talents. This answer stands enshrined permanently in the Qur' an which now represents the final guidance of the Almighty to man regarding this social sphere of life and indeed all the other spheres of life in which man's intellect can falter or is deficient.]

Islam And The Challenges of Modernity : An Agenda for the Twenty First Century / Shaukat Ali
Islamabad : National Institute of Historical and Cultural Research, Publication Officer, c2004
467 p. ; 24 cm.
Includes Bibliography and Index.
969-425-074-4
\$ 25.00

[Dr. Shaukat Ali was a renowned scholar and a prolific writer. Many of his books were published in the USA and Pakistan. We may expect that this work will be in refreshing contrast to some of the material on this vital subject, which presents a falsified version of Islam.

On the subject of Islam and the West, or Islam and the Challenge of modernity, several books have been published representing various shades of opinion. Some try to reinterpret Islam in the light of western values and others vice versa. But in this work, Dr. Shaukat Ali adopts an entirely different approach, the need of the times, which is to explore Islamic values from an indigenous standpoint. His view is that it is neither the West, Nor the challenge of modernity, that threatens Islamic principles, but it is something inherent in Islam itself that enables it to adjust to the changes wrought by modern challenges. Following in the tradition of Allama Mohammad Iqbal, poet-philosopher of Pakistan, an effort to meet modern challenges may be treated not as an effort of getting closer to western life, but as an effort to get closer to western life, but as an effort to get closer to the original spirit of Islam as manifest in the times of the Holy Prophet Muhammad (PHUH). This very approach has been carried yet further by Dr. Shaukat Ali.

In view of the critical nature and complexity of the relationship between Islam and modernity it is in the fitness of things to clarify the meaning and definition of modernity. This volume would help us to understand the need of modernization and the kind of challenges that are being encountered by Muslim communities which constitute nearly one fifth of humanity. Hence, the work can also be of great value for researchers, teachers and readers.]

Sociology

Taboo! : The Hidden Culture of a Red Light Area / Fouzia Saeed [Foreword by I.A. Rehman
Karachi : Oxford University Press, c2002
xxx, 324 p. ; 21 cm.
Includes Bibliography and Index.
0-19-579796-5
\$ 18.00

[This book takes you on a journey of discovery into the famous red light district of Shahi Mohalla in Lahore. The author tells her story through the lives of people linked to the Shahi Mohalla: the prostitutes with their pimps, managers and customers, as well as the musicians and others. Through their stories, the book also highlights the contributions that these people have made to the world of the performing arts in Pakistan. Pakistani society has created and reinforced many myths to explain why prostitution has nothing to do with 'nice people'. These myths put all the blame on 'immoral' women who are responsible for tricking 'honest' men into sinful acts. Our society has also strongly discouraged anyone from questioning these myths. By exposing our myths about prostitution, the book helps eradicate a blind spot in our understanding of power relations experienced by all women throughout our society.]

Figure the Popular and the Political in Pakistan / Farida Batool
Lahore : ASR Publication, c2004
xiii, 137 p. : ill. ; 23 cm.
Includes Bibliography.
969-8217-45-2
\$ 25.00

[This book further explores the trajectory of the figure in relation to folk-urban male cinema-board painters and 'trained' artists (male and female). The representation of the figure, especially the female as a sensual object of desire in a puritanical society where no significant reaction has been recorded by zealots, indicates the low status given to cinema hoardings, the artists were targeted and patronized to conform to the prescribed 'Islamic' cultural identity of Pakistan. While the cinema artists painted the figure to cater to Pakistani male fantasies, the trained artists employed the figure to subvert the authority of the state. The book further analyzes the traditional dance form, giddha, in which women express their body and sexuality. By mimicking male sexuality through the use of the duppatta, the giddha dances unconsciously subvert male authority. An informed critique of the nationalist discourse is employed here to understand the position of women and its representation in the cultural formation of Pakistan. In its concluding chapter, the book links together all these case studies, and extends the question of cultural identity and its construction in Pakistani society.]

Denizens of Alien Worlds : A Study of Education, Inequality and Polarization in Pakistan /Tariq Rahman
Karachi : Oxford University Press, 2004
226p.; 22cm.
0195978633
\$ 25.00

The alien worlds described in this book are the three major streams of school education in Pakistan: Islamic seminaries (madrassas), Urdu-medium schools and elitist English-medium schools. The streams represent socio-economic inequality as they cater to the different socio-economic classes in the country. Moreover, the students of these three systems of education have widely divergent views about war and militancy (regarding Kashmir), tolerance (of religious minorities) and gender equality, with the madrassa and the elitist English school students being at the opposite ends of the spectrum. Such divergent views suggest that Pakistani society is polarized and that this could be potentially alarming in an uncertain post-9/11 world. The book provides new material and suggestions for the improvement of all

educational institutions, including higher education, so as to create a society that values knowledge, justice, and harmony.

Social Welfare in Pakistan /Shireen Rehmatullah
Karachi : Oxford University Press,2003
491p.; 22cm.
0195796322
\$ 32.00

As a pioneer social worker, Shireen Rehmatullah has seen social work in Pakistan being transformed from a moral concept and local charity into a scientific programme covering the whole country. Being immersed in social work in all its phases and in all its branches, she narrates how the political demands during different regimes forced the programme to change its course from a dynamic human development activity to a remedial charity-oriented one. The book gives a detailed account of old and new concepts in the development of social welfare programmes. Issues of social policy, administration, planning, education, legislation, urban community development, medical help, women's liberation, child welfare, the disabled, and the growth of NGOs have been discussed thoughtfully. This book is inspiring enough to motivate new workers to develop indigenous methods of solving social problems based on Pakistan's culture and values, self-respect and self-reliance.

The Post-Colonial State and Social Transformation in India and Pakistan /Edited by S. M. Naseem and Khalid Nadvi
Karachi : Oxford University Press, 2002
500p.; 22cm.
0195796365
\$ 33.00

The book consists of sixteen chapters related to the themes which have been the central focus of well-known social scientist, Professor Hamza Alavi's work on social and economic issues in post-colonial South Asia. These include, in the context of his analysis of post-colonial societies, the role of the state, conflict and coalition among economic and social groups, the character of economic reforms, the role of religion and the status of women. Although some of the essays are of an abstract nature, most concentrate on contemporary problems facing South Asia, particularly Pakistan. The book contains contributions by academics, researchers and social activists from such varied disciplines as philosophy and economics. The volume will serve to stimulate debate on the current economic and social issues of South Asia, particularly Pakistan. These essays will set the tone for the development of a healthy tradition among social scientists of questioning orthodox perceptions based on reasoned and well-researched debate.

Language, Ideology and Power : Language-learning among the Muslims of Pakistan and North India /Tariq Rahman
Karachi : Oxford University Press, 2002
690p.; 5b/w drawings, 22cm.
0195796446
\$ 30.00

This is the first book-length study of the history of language teaching and learning among South Asian Muslims. It looks at language teaching policies and texts, analysing how they support certain ideologies and, consequently, certain power

structures. It argues that, in most cases, people learn language to empower themselves, thereby enabling them to take up powerful jobs.

Power and Civil Society in Pakistan /Edited by Anita M. Weiss and S. Zulfiqar Gilani
Karachi : Oxford University Press, 2001
206p.; 22cm.
0195794141
\$ 28.00

Pakistani society finds itself in a morass because of the mad scramble for power in almost all sectors. This has resulted in extreme structural distortions. The attainment of power is both a means of domination and a recourse to survival. Unequal power relations are historically entrenched and their perpetuation is deepening the crisis. Two experts conduct a dialogue between eminent scholars and social activists, from which emerges the issues underpinning the re-negotiation of power in Pakistan.

Managing NGOs in Developing Countries Volume One : Frameworks and Cases /
Series Editor: Zafar Iqbal
Qureshi
Karachi : Oxford University Press, 2005
271p.; 24cm.
0195471431
\$ 28.00

In this volume there are well-researched management case studies that are drawn from real life issues in non-government organizations. These have been documented by the faculty of Lahore University of Management Sciences (LUMS) during their consultancy research and by the participants of training programs at the LUMS-McGill Social Enterprise Development Centre (SEDC) through active participation with the NGOs. The case studies are designed to develop professionals to build and enhance the capacity of the social sector.

This volume focuses on concepts and frameworks of major management disciplines: Managing People and Organizations, Marketing, Finance and Control, Operations Management and Managing Change. The Asia/Pakistan specific contents of this teaching material are geared to the needs of NGO personnel, academics, students, consultants, management developers and policy makers in developing countries and donor funding agencies.

Managing NGOs in Developing Countries Volume Two : Management Cases from
Pakistan /Series Editor: Zafar Iqbal Qureshi
Karachi : Oxford University Press, 2005
220p.; 24cm.
0195471482
\$ 28.00

This volume has well-researched management case studies that are drawn from real life issues in non-government organizations. Participants who have been active in the NGOs have written the majority of the case studies included in this volume. The case studies were written under the supervision of the LUMS MBA faculty during the Training of Trainers Program that aimed to develop a core of Master Trainers for training NGO/CBO and district social sector managers. The other cases included in

this volume are management issues that have been documented by the faculty of LUMS during their consultancy research.

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Women's Studies

The Performance of Emotion Among Paxtun Women /Benedicte Grima

Karachi : Oxford University Press, 2004

240p.; 22cm.

0195978811

\$ 25.00

Sharing tales of misfortune is a common practice among women in many cultures. Among the Paxtun women of Afghanistan and Pakistan, articulating one's despondency (gham) is part of a ritual which serves to establish and maintain relationships. Moreover, it also qualifies her to be a woman of honour. Grima draws a parallel between this ritual and the infamous male practice of 'honour killing'. Her research is based on narratives encompassing Paxtun women's life histories, misfortunes, and ailments as well as the contexts in which these stories are normally recounted. Her access to different levels of Paxtun society enables her to express the diverse ways in which this ritual is performed throughout their culture.

Woman versus Man : Socio-Legal Gender Inequality in Pakistan / Rashida Patel

Karachi : Oxford University Press, 2003

270p.; 22cm.

0195798953

\$ 23.00

The book is set against a backdrop of the everyday cycle of happiness and sorrow experienced by the common people of Pakistan in particular its women. The laws and legal confrontation between the sexes have been ably portrayed. The author discusses gender disputes, economic disparities, legal and social inequities. The culture of violence and crimes against women is illustrated with real cases. Quotations from the Quran are used to illustrate the just and equitable spirit of Islamic laws, but along with this the author discusses the ways in which these laws have been misinterpreted and distorted. Recommendations and remedies with a road map for change in the economic, social and legal environment of the country add to the value of the book. Eminently readable and containing several case studies and real life examples the book is essential reading for all thinking women in Pakistan.

Women in Nursing in Islamic Societies / Edited by Nancy Bryant

Karachi : Oxford University Press, 2003

420p.; 22cm.

0195798880

\$ 28.00

The volume makes a significant contribution to understanding nursing from the perspective of Islamic society. It also presents nursing in a broad social context while simultaneously presenting country-specific examples through well-written country vignettes from Iraq, Lebanon, Malaysia, Saudi Arabia and Bangladesh. The editor of this volume spent significant time working in Islamic countries. This experience helped her understand the tremendous need for nurses in Islamic societies. However, she also learned about the reluctance of young Muslim women to join this profession for reasons ranging from poor remuneration and working conditions to traditional and cultural constraints including its low status and image. Among other issues contributors discuss are: nursing education, midwifery and violence against nurses.

Between Chaddor and the Market : Female Office Workers in Lahore /Jasmin Mirza
Karachi : Oxford University Press, 2002
372p.; 22cm.
0195796233
\$ 26.00

Women from the conservative lower-middle class are entering offices in urban Pakistan, driven there by economic conditions and changing demand patterns. This book analyses this new phenomenon and puts it in perspective by providing a background discussion of the life of lower-middle-class women in Pakistani society. It shows that women are seizing the new opportunities that are coming their way. More and more women from the lower-middle class are opting for a market-oriented education, and are using many strategies to make their work routine a part of their everyday lives. This is resulting in new concepts of female employment among lower-middle-class families. Diversified gender images regarding women, in their everyday lives as well as in the workplace, are taking shape in the public mind.

Walls Within Walls : Life Histories of Working Women in the Old City of Lahore
/Anita M. Weiss
Karachi : Oxford University Press, 2002
218p.; 24cm.
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\$ 30.00

This book provides a rich description of sociocultural issues affecting the lives of working women residents of Lahore's Walled City. The author reveals here the interplay between Islamic religious ideals and traditionally embedded orientations, and how women respond to practical economic needs. The new Introduction sets the present context within which women are continuing to struggle to have their productive contributions recognized along with how women have organized to make their voices heard in Pakistan.

The Emergence of Feminism among Indian Muslim Women, 1920-1947 /Azra Asghar Ali
Karachi : Oxford University Press, 2000
380p.; 22cm.
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\$ 25.00

This book seeks to highlight the efforts of different agencies viz. the government, Christian missionaries, social reformers and the women themselves in bringing about

the emancipation of Muslim women in India. It focuses on the various kinds of 'spaces' in which Muslim women were increasingly able to participate in the public sphere, created largely by changes emanating from the impact of the colonial state. It also details the struggle of women to win the right to vote. Through the use of the term 'feminism', this study acknowledges its growing popularity in the Indian subcontinent during the period under discussion, albeit among the growing Indian middle classes. This is an original work based on archival source material.
