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Economics/Development Studies

Cambodia's Economic Transformation / Caroline Hughes and Kheang Un (Editors)
Copenhagen, Denmark: NIAS Press, 2011

x. 371p. ; 23cm.

ISBN-13: 9788776940836

1. Cambodia – Economic conditions – 21st century
2. Cambodia – Economic policy
3. Economic development – Social aspects – Cambodia
4. Poor – Cambodia
5. Distribution justice – Cambodia
6. Cambodia – Politics and government – 1979-

NIAS Studies in Asian Topics, no. 49

\$ 34.90 / PB

588 gm.

From 2002, Cambodia underwent a dramatic economic transformation driven mainly by external factors. This involved the disappearance of forests and the decline of logging, the inflow of Chinese investment and the rise of indigenous capital, and the increased significance of remittances from garment workers and labour migrants. The impact of government policies on land registration and concessions transformed relations of production and, with them, the socio-economic and political environment. This book examines the political economy of the Cambodian boom, analysing the changing structure of the economy, the relationship between state and market, and outcomes for the poor. It situates Cambodian experience within key debates on the political economy of Eastern Asia, scrutinizing the relationship between class formation, governance and resource distribution.

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Southeast Asian Agriculture and Development Primer Series : Cambodia / Touch Visalsok & Ker Monthivuth

Philippines: SEARCA, 2010

x. 56p. ; 23cm.

ISSN: 1813-2316

\$ 8.00 / PB

144 gm.

The primer of Cambodia starts by describing agriculture and its significant contributions in boosting the country's overall economy. It features the primary agricultural commodities produced for the import and export market and shows market trends. Government interventions and policy reforms that have had a profound impact on development efforts

are also discussed. The last two sections of the primer deal with important facets, namely, public investment and research and development, which if addressed judiciously, have the potential to boost agriculture.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=142906>

History

Strolling Around Phnom Penh / Jean-Michel Filippi

Cambodia: KAM Editions, 2012

150p. ; 22cm.

\$ 40.00 / PB

324 gm.

Since Phnom Penh is conspicuous in its absence of tourist guidebooks and visitors usually spend about two days to see Wat Phnom, the Royal Palace, the National Museum and the Tuol Slaeng (S 21) Museum, the need for a new much richer way of glimpsing history was recognized and has been created. This book was written to offer a striking alternative: seven strolls through time and space, in the rich, colorful and dramatic history of Phnom Penh where history, anthropology, politics and anecdotes come together with rich glimpse into the past.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=142908>

Mom & Angkar's Kid : "We Dare to Smash Our Parents for Angkar" / Chhay Sophal

Phnom Penh: Chhay Sophal, 2012

vii. 150p. ; 21cm.

ISBN-13: 9789996368028

\$ 24.00 / PB

168 gm.

The book describes the author's experiencing with other teenagers living in the Mobile Child Unit in Democratic Kampuchea's 'killing fields' regime. The book reveals the darken time when the author and his generation faced with hard labour without adequate food and health care, death threats, tortures, and murders. What described in the book is for the young generation's awareness of Cambodia's nightmare, and could be an additional memoir for the Khmer Rouge Tribunal to consider the serious child rights violation, a part of crimes against humanity, in the inner Democratic Kampuchea regime in 1975-1979.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=142909>

Banknotes of Cambodia 2012 Edition : An Illustrated Price Guide for Collectors / Geoffrey P. Oldham

Third Edition

Auckland, New Zealand: Milimem Books, 2012

40p. ; 21cm.

ISBN-10: 0473066335

\$ 25.00 / PB

58 gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=142911>

Official Publications

Statistical Yearbook of Cambodia 2011
Phnom Penh: National Institute of Statistics, 2012
351p. ; 30cm.
Bilingual English & Khmer language
\$ 90.00 / PB
1380 gm.
<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=142445>

Politics

Civil War Termination and the Source of Total Peace in Cambodia : Win-Win Policy of Samdech Techo HUN SEN in International Context / Nem Sowath
Phnom Penh: Reahoo, 2012
xvi. 419p. ; 21cm.
ISBN-13: 9789995064204
\$ 35.00/ PB
422 gm.

What has been written in this book is the military aspect of the war termination process under the Win-Win Policy. The book accurately describes the roles of the Royal Cambodian Armed Forces as good executors as well as competent subordinate of the government in successfully implementing the Win-Win Policy formulated and led by Samdech Techo Hun Sen. The books also describes the visions of the Royal Cambodian Armed Forces in an environment of total peace brought about by the Win-Win Policy as well as analyzing the merits and special characteristics of the Win-Win Policy in the international context.
<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=142912>
