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**Anthropology**

The Ethnic groups in Lao P.D.R. / Sponsored by Canada Fund for Local Initiatives  
Laos : Department of Ethnic, 2005  
v. ill. ; 27 cm.  
In Lao and English.  
\$ 32.00

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The Lao – Tai Language Family [8 Ethnic Groups]  
The Mon – Khmer Language Family [32 Ethnic Groups]  
The Chine – Tibet Language Family [7 Ethnic Groups]  
The Hmong – Iu Mien Language Family [2 Ethnic Groups]]

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Houses and Villages of The Kado : The Longhouses in Salavan of Southern Laos  
Laos : Institute for Cultural Research, Ministry of Information and Culture and Japan  
: Faculty of Architecture and building Engineering, Department of Engineering,  
Shibaura Institute of Technology, c2005  
v. ill. ; 29 cm.  
In Lao and English.  
\$ 25.00

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**Architecture**

Luang Phabang : An Architectural Journey  
Vientiane : Ateliers de la Peninsule Co. Ltd., c2004  
119 p. : ill. ; 21 cm.  
Includes Bibliography  
0-9747847-1-0  
\$ 65.00

[This book is an invitation to discover Luang Phabang's architectural heritage. The documents and research produced for the nomination file to UNESCO, have been

further complemented by contributions from heritage experts. It focuses on the city's unique urban blend of traditional stilted houses, brick and mortar French colonial edifices and street front shophouses. Exquisite drawings detail the characters of the buildings and superb photographs record Luang Phabang's unique ambiance.]

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## **Economics**

Ethnic Groups, Gender, and Poverty Eradication : Case Study from a Khmou Lue community in Oudomxay Province  
Vientiane: The World Bank, 2005  
44 p. : ill. ; 30 cm.  
\$ 20.00

[Table of Content  
Introduction  
Background and Rationale for the Study  
Lao PDR and Ethnic Minorities  
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Luang Prabang Artisanal Gold Mining and Sociological Survey, Lao PDR : Final Report for UNIDO "Removal of Barriers to the Introduction of Cleaner Artisanal Gold Mining and Extraction Technologies"  
Vientiane : Earth Systems Lao, 2003  
iv, 74 p. : ill. ; 30 cm.  
Includes Maps  
\$ 25.00

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Lao PDR Country Economic Memorandum: Realizing the Development Potential of Lao PDR  
Vientiane : East Asia and Pacific Region, The World Bank, 2004  
100 p. : ill. ; 28 cm.  
Includes Bibliography  
Report No. 30188-LA  
Includes Summary Overview  
\$ 35.00

[Table of Contents  
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Report on The Lao Handicraft Industry  
Vientiane : The Lao Handicraft Group (LHG), 2003  
23 p. : ill. ; 30 cm.  
\$ 10.00

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### **Environment**

Medicinal Plants found in Houaiyang Reserved Forests and Xiengda Village /  
Somsanith Bouamanivong, Onvilay Souriya ; Edited by Bounhong Southavong  
Vientiane: Traditional Medicine Research Center, 2005  
viii, 60 p. : ill. ; 26 cm.  
Includes Bibliography  
\$ 19.00

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Proceedings of the 6<sup>th</sup> Technical Symposium on Mekong Fisheries – Pakse, Lao PDR,  
26<sup>th</sup> – 28<sup>th</sup> November 2003 / Edited by T.J. Burnhill and M.M. Hewitt  
Vientiane : Mekong River Commission, 2004  
vi, 193 p. : ill. ; 30 cm.  
ISSN : 1681-7613  
MRC Conference Series No.5  
\$ 30.00

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Proceeding of the Second International symposium on the Management of Large  
River for Fisheries Volume 1 & 2: Sustaining Livelihood and Biodiversity in the New  
Millennium 11-14 February 2003, Phnom Penh, Kingdom of Cambodia / Edited by  
Robin L. Welcomme and T.Petr  
Bangkok : Food and Agriculture Organization of the united nations & the Mekong  
River Commission, c2004  
2 v. : ill. ; 29 cm.  
ISBN : 974-7946-64-5 (Vol.1.)  
ISBN : 974-7946-65-3 (Vol.2.)  
\$ 80.00 (Set)

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### **Law**

Law on Local Administration of the Lao PDR  
Laos : Public Administration and Civil service authority prime minister's office  
32 p. : 21 cm.  
Lao People's democratic republic peace independence democracy unity prosperity  
\$ 15.00

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### **Official Publications**

Strategic Vision Integrated Watershed Management Approach for Sustainable Upland  
Development and Poverty Alleviation in Lao PDR  
Vientiane: Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry, with the assistance of the Danida  
National Capacity Building Project, c2003

52 p. : ill. ; 30 cm.  
\$ 20.00

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Report of In-Depth Analysis on Mortality Differentials in Lao PDR – UNFPA Project  
LAO / 02 / P07 : Strengthening the Data Base for Population and Development  
Planning / Prepared by Samaychanh Boupha, Bounthavy Sisouphanthong, Phonesaly  
Souksavath, Thirakha Chanthalanouvong, Somchanh Phengxay.  
Vientiane : Committee for Planning and Investment, National Statistics Center –  
UNFPA, Lao People's Democratic Republic, 2004  
III, 19 p. : ill. ; 30 cm.  
Includes Bibliography and a Map.  
\$ 15.00

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Official Gazette : Special Issue II-State Budget Revenue – Expenditure  
Implementation of FY 2001-2002 and State Budget Revenue-Expenditure Plan for FY  
2002-2003 of all Provinces, Vientiane Municipality and Special Zone  
Vientiane : Lao People's Democratic Republic, 2003  
159 p. ; 30 cm.  
\$ 65.00

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Country Report on Women in the Lao PDR  
Beijing : National Preparation Committee for the 4<sup>th</sup> World Conference on Women,  
1995  
43 p. ; 27 cm.  
Includes a Map  
\$ 20.00

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Annual Report 2004 – Lao National Unexploded Ordnance Programme (UXO Lao) /  
Written, Edited, Designed & Photographed by Bounpheng SISAWATH  
Vientiane : National Programme Director, UXO Lao, 2005  
39 p. : ill. ; 21 cm.  
Includes Maps  
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National Growth and Poverty Eradication Strategy (NGPES)  
Vientiane : Lao People's Democratic Republic, 2004  
152 p. : ill. ; 30 cm.  
Includes Maps  
\$ 45.00

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Agricultural Statistics Year Book 2004  
Vientiane: Department of Planning, Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry, 2005  
67 p. : ill. ; 30 cm.  
Includes a Map  
\$ 30.00

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Lao PDR Statistics 1975-2005  
Vientiane: Committee for Planning and Investment, National Statistics Centre, 2005  
IV, 124 p. : ill. ; 30 cm.  
Includes Maps  
\$ 25.00

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