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Anthropology

Unsettling Discourses : The Theory and Practice of Indigenous Studies :
Proceedings of the 2013 International Seminar-Workshop on Indigenous
Studies / (Eds) Darius Letigio Martinez & Ma. Paula Luz Pamintuan-Riva
Baguio City: Cordillera Studies Center, University of Philippines Baguio &
Tebbttebba Foundation, 2014

xxii, 418p.

9789719272052

1. Indigenous peoples -- Philippines -- Congresses.
2. Ethnology -- Philippines -- Methodology -- Congresses.
3. Ethnology -- Methodology.
4. Indigenous peoples.
5. Philippines.

\$ 40.00 / PB

704gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=336089>

Saliksik Kondilyera : Papers on indigenous practice, ritual life and oral
tradition / (Ed) Delfin Tolentino, Jr.

Baguio City: Cordillera Studies Center, University of Philippines Baguio, 2017

viii, 220p.

9786219560528

\$ 30.00/ PB

354gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=336090>

Art

The Life and Works of Luis Ac-ac of Paete / Celestino Palma III (Ed) Jose Maria A. Carino

Pasig City: Reyes Publishing (for Celestino M. Palma III), 2017

292p.

9789715750486

Php3500.00 / HB

2940gm.

Book Details:

Master craftsman Luis Ac-ac comes from this tradition. Mr. Ac-ac is the town's proudest product and its modern-day hero. His art and legacy have been immortalized in two compelling platforms—a coffee table book entitled The Life and Works of Luis Ac-ac by Celestino Palma III (arguably the seminal text on the subject), and the Museo Ac-ac, which was just inaugurated on January 31, 2018. Both commemorate the life and times of the craftsman, and trace his “sculptural tree” or artistic lineage to the late 1770's, which was when Paete came into history as a carvers' town.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=336091>

Ephraim Samson : Portraits of Filipino Artists / Paul Blanco Zafaralla

Mandaluyong City: The Crucible Workshop, 2016

176p.

Includes Bibliography

9789719480921

\$ 120.00 / HB

1320gm.

68 visual artists are herein presented who, for three decades (1950s-1980s), have emerged as a revelation: Gifted with new ways of actualizing the workings of their human faculties' vis-à-vis concrete and abstract realities. Their works noted for variations in content and form, have enriched the treasure trove of Philippine art.

This book is the first of its kind in the literature on Philippines culture and the arts

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=336092>

Cookery

Naimas! The Food Heritage of Ilocos Sur / Deogracias Victor “DV” B. Savellano
& Heny Sison (Photographs) Neal Oshima

Quezon City: Sanicua Publications, 2015

301p.

9789719446736

1. Food Habits – Philippines – Ilocos Sur
2. Food – Social aspects – Philippines – Ilocos Sur
3. Cookery, Philippines

\$ 90.00 / HB

1350gm.

Naimas! The Food Heritage of Ilocos Sur seeks to preserve and promote the culinary traditions of Ilocos Sur. Naimas, an Ilocano term for delicious, features a collection of recipes and travel stories documented through a culinary journey in Ilocos Sur’s 32 towns and 2 cities.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=336094>

Ecology/Environment

Resilience and Sustainability : Fourteen Narratives / (Eds) Alexander G. Flor,
Alejandro N. Ciencia Jr., & Cecilia Fe L. Sta. Maria-Abalos

ICBRDS Conference 2015

Baguio City: Cordillera Studies Center, University of Philippines Baguio, 2016
x, 206p.

9789719272090

\$ 30.00 / PB

396gm

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=336095>

Economics/Development Studies

Business World Top 1000 Corporations in the Philippines , Volume 31, 2017 :
Build, Build, Build / (Ed-in-Chief) Roby Alampay
Quezon City: BusinessWorld Publishing Corporation, 2017
232p.

ISSN: 0118-5241 ; 9770118524002

- Infrastructure challenge: a huge gap or a black hole?
- Cash-rich banks unfazed by shift to ODA from PPP
- Will Mindanao have its own railway system soon?
- Clark seen as a better alternatives to Metro Manila

\$ 40.00 / PB

730gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=336099>

Women Who Stay : Seafaring and Subjectification in an Ilocos Town / Roderick
G. Galam

Quezon City: Ateneo De Manila University Press, 2018

xii, 238p. ; 22.86cm.

Includes Index

9789715508483

1. Housewives – Ilocos (Philippines) – Social conditions.
2. Migrant laborer’s spouses – Ilocos (Philippines) – Economic conditions
3. Housewives – Ilocos (Philippines) – Economic conditions
4. Emigration and immigration – Ilocos (Philippines) – Economic conditions
5. Women employees – Ilocos (Philippines)
6. Subjectivity (Sociology/Anthropology)

\$ 29.50 / PB

450gm.

Women Who Stay addresses the question of how women married to seafarers are shaped by migration and how they in turn shape migration. Looking at subjectivity as social becoming, it examines how Ilokano, Philippine, and global historical and economic processes have shaped the women’s lives and experiences. While offering a culturally nuanced account of how women in an Ilocos town have navigated the spaces and times of their lives, the book also engages with broader social issues and concepts making it of interest to scholars and students of gender, migration, family, subjectivity, and the global maritime industry.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=336100>

Mapping Sago : Anthropological, Biophysical and Economic Aspects / (Ed)

Myfel Joseph D. Paluga

Davao City: University of the Philippines Mindanao, 2016

xiv, 186p. ; 26cm.

Includes Index

ISSN: 2545-9090 ; 9786219560702

Banwa Monograph Series 1

- Sago palms -- Philippines.
- Sago palms -- Technological innovations -- Philippines.
- Sago palms -- Propagation -- Philippines.

\$ 30.00 / PB

328gm.

What is sago? More than the cassava-sourced tapioca pearls, sago can refer to a wide range of palm species used by inhabitants of Southeast Asia as sources of starch. Chief among these palms is what early naturalists call as the “true sago palm” (*Metroxylon sagu* Rottb.) which has become the object of many researches due to its potential for enterprise development.

Mapping Sago, the first volume in BANWA Monograph Series, brings together scholars from various disciplines in the social, natural, and applied sciences to try to answer some of the important questions in the area of “sago studies” in the Philippines: How do ordinary folks, in the past up to the present, use and process sago? How many sago stands do we have in the country, where can we find them, and how much starch can these yields? Is there market potential for sago?

Mapping Sago looks both backward and into our precolonial past and forward into the future to tease out the many ways we as human beings relate to this palm species whose story, surprisingly, is intimately intertwined with our own.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=336101>

The View From Taft : Perspective on Responsible Management / (Ed) MA. C. P.

Assumpta C. Marasigan

Manila: De La Salle University Publishing House, 2017

iv, 228p. ; 15cm.

9789715556538

1. Management
2. Organization
3. Business ethics

\$ 25.00 / PB

302gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=336102>

History

The Marcos Legacy : Clear, intense and objective narration and exposition of events / Cecilio T. Arillo, Ph.D

Paranaque City, Metro Manila: Brown Madonna Press, Inc., 2018

x, 452p.

Includes Index

9780692052655

\$ 30.00 / PB

Ferdinand Edralin Marco's Place in Philippine History is Secured.

The beneficiaries of the February 1986 accidental events of time, place and personalities, remarkable only for being unremarkable in constitutionalism, have fashioned and sustained a litany and barrage of adverse publicity to efface President Marcos from the tapestry of history. They pursued what notable poet and Senator of the College of Justice Sir Richard Maitland sharply observed: "The essential matter of history is not what happened but what people wrote or said about it." However, if we were to speak or write only about the bad of the dead, history would be even littered with more inaccuracies than it is now.

Marcos's achievements and contributions are a matter of record. To obliterate his achievements/contributions from the pages of history is to distort the past and mislead the future. Succeeding administrations have inordinately used laws and the media to destroy or consign Marcos to oblivion, notwithstanding his solid unprecedented achievements for the good of the nation and its people. Good deeds, especially those beneficial to the nation and the people, cannot be effaced or expunged. Good survives and triumphs in the end. FM's place in history is secure. The Marcos laws abound around and benefit us. They are embedded in our legal system and they continue to govern and guide the nation. Marcos's vision and foresight in lawmaking for governance are richly illustrated by the varied and numerous legal issuances.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=336103>

Dilao : Urban and Cultural History of Paco / Gerard Lico & Lorelei D.C. De Viana

Manila: National Commission for Culture and the Arts, 2017

142p.

9789718142325

\$ 25.00/ PB

276gm.

Paco is one of the oldest districts of Manila. Its genesis dates back from the middle of the 16th century when the Franciscan missionaries created the mission of Dilao in the sitio of Balete just across the moat outside the Walled City and near the estuary of the same name. The area was a marshland overgrown with plants with aromatic yellow roots called turmeric (*Curcuma longa*), or luyang dilaw, giving the town's appellation. Today, the old town of Dilao or Paco has grown to become a modern day district of Manila – from quiet suburban village to a busy bustling hub. Paco has not forgotten its past, though. In its urban core and peripheries are landmarks and sites that have been preserved, restored or rehabilitated, becoming a part of this district's rich history and heritage.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=336105>

Guns of the Katipunan : Looking Back 13 / Ambeth R. Ocampo

Mandaluyong City: Anvil Publishing, Inc., 2017

108p.

9786214202140

\$ 10.00 / PB

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=336106>

Integracion/Internacion : The Urbanization of Cebu in Archival Records of the Spanish Colonial Period / (Eds) J. Eleazar R. Bersales & Ino Manalo
Cebu & Manila: University of San Carlos Press & National Archives of the Philippines, 2017

256p. ; color illustrations, map ; 22.8x27.9cm.

In Spanish & English Text

9789715391153

1. Urbanization – Philippines – Cebu – History – Archival resources – Exhibitions
2. Cities and towns – Philippines – Cebu – History – Archival resources – Exhibitions
3. Cebu (Philippines) – Commerce – History - Exhibitions
4. Cebu (Philippines) – Social conditions – History – Exhibitions
5. Cebu (Philippines) – Religious aspect – History – Exhibitions
6. Cebu (Philippines) – Maps – Archival resources
7. Cebu (Philippines) – Economics Conditions – History – 1521-1898

\$ 70.00/ PB

1100gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=336108>

Letran : An Untold History, Volume One : 1620-1872 / Francisco R. Liongson IV
Gold Coast, Australia: Francisco R. Liongson IV, 2017

xx, 320p. ; illustrations, maps, portraits, facsimiles ; 25cm.

Includes Index ; Bibliographical references

9780648213208

- S. Juan de Letran College -- History.
- History.
- Reference, Information, Interdisciplinary subjects.
- Catholic schools -- Philippines -- Manila -- History.
- Filipinos -- Education (Secondary) -- History.
- Filipinos -- History.
- Philippines -- History.
- Australian

\$ 30.00 / PB

534gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=336109>

Ramon R. San Andreas / Maria Leny E. Felix (Gen. Ed) Paz Verdades M. Santos
Naga City: Ateneo de Naga University Press, 2017

24p.

9789719913566

Bansay Bikolnon Biography Series, No. 6

\$ 5.00 / PB

52gm.

Human Rights Defender, Champion of Peace.

"I met Atty. Ramon R. San Andres, Tio Amon to many, during the height of the people's struggle against the Marcos dictatorship in the early 1980s. It was a brief encounter but it left a deep and lasting impression on me, then a young activist. Beneath the fragile physique was a passionate human rights advocate and peace warrior. I saw a ray of hope in a time of despair." - Maria Leny E.

Felix

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=336110>

The Cordillera Valley of La Trinidad : In Time and Place : Early History 1572 –
1896 / James N. Paw

La Trinidad, Benguet: JN Paw, 2015

x, 144p. ; maps ; 23cm.

Includes Index ; Bibliography

9786219526203

1. La Trinidad (Philippines) -- History.
2. Philippines -- La Trinidad.

\$ 19.95/ PB

334gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=336111>

Dap-ay Discourse Uno : Activist Perspective of Cordillera History and Social Change / Benedict P. Solang (Ed) Luchie Maranan
Baguio City: Northern Media Information Network, 2017
xvi, 232p.
9786219581103
\$ 25.00 / PB
368gm.

Dap-ay Discourse Uno is a collection of papers on dynamic social change in the Cordillera, from the perspective of the Cordillera indigenous people as national minority asserting self- determination and as Filipinos aspiring for national democracy. It is a progressive activist's view of history and perspective of social change for the people in the Cordillera. It is also a story of local Igorot identity and worldview that advanced to national Filipino identity and consciousness.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=336114>

Barangay Dacudac : Dacudac, Tadian, Mountain Province : Its History and Present Realities / Orlando C. Madalla
Baguio City: Tebtebba Foundation, 2016
xvi, 64p.
\$ 12.00 / PB
134gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=336115>

The German and Austrian Navies in the Philippines, and Their Role in the Spanish–American War of 1898 : A Collection of Original Documents / (Eds) Volker Schult & Karl-Heinz Wionzek (Epilogue) Michael G. Price
Manila: National Historical Commission of the Philippines, 2017
viii, 192p.

Includes Index

9789715383103

1. Spanish-American War, 1898
2. Philippines – History – 1898

\$ 20.00 / PB

306gm.

History of the role of German and Austrian navies in the Spanish-American War of 1898 and the Philippine Revolution of 1898. A collection of original documents published by the National Historical Commission of the Philippines.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=336116>

Literature

A Curse for an Emperor / K.A. Montinola (Ed) Javier T. Delfin
Makati City: The Bookmark, Inc., 2017
288p.

9789715699280

1. Philippine fiction (English)
2. Blessing and Cursing – Fiction

\$ 25.00 / PB

418gm.

When a vain prince of Voile lands his family into trouble with the deities, it is up to his sensible eldest daughter Nada to soften the blow of the curse for her younger sisters. Nada doesn't mind too much—until it turns out that the curse ensures that whoever marries her expires shortly after the wedding. With a growing trail of dead husbands behind her, she accepts the chance to break the curse from a deity who probably shouldn't be trusted and finds herself sent to faraway land to marry its wicked Emperor. Nada has every intention of breaking the curse once and for all, but thanks to some ill-timed magic, and the Emperor's own irritating attitude, she may have just secured him as her eighth dead husband...

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=336118>

Hoy, Boy! A Festschrift for Delfin L. Tolentino, JR. / (Eds) Ben Tapang & Grace Celeste Subido

Baguio City: Cordillera Studies Center, University of Philippines Baguio, 2016
x, 382p. ; 24 cm.

English & Filipino Text

9786219560511

- Philippine literature.
- Art, Philippine.

\$ 40.00 / HB

732gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=336119>

Sampaguita and Gold Button / Tesuo "Leo" Orii

Makati City: Takion Inc. (Toshihiko Uriu), 2015

viii, 346p.

9786219566704

\$ 20.00 / PB

584gm.

"Sampaguita and Gold Button is a story that will call out laughter and the tears drag your heart through the extremes of joy and despair, before it leaves you breathless and hopeful of the myriad blessings and blessings-in-disguise just beyond the horizon.

This story does not end. It blends seamlessly into the present where you find yourself when you finally reach silence of the last blank page. It has a literary umami all its own: You end your journey sated, yet eager to revisit this world once again.

Open your heart, as well as your mind, and begin your journey. It is an experience like none other."

—Alma Anonas-Carpio

Judge, National Book Award (Philippines)

Member, Manila Critics Circle

Literary Editor, Philippines Graphic Magazine

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=336120>

Running With Ghosts and Other Poems / Merlie M. Alunan
Naga City: Ateneo de Naga University Press, 2017
xxxiv, 166p.
9789719913504

1. Philippine poetry (English)

\$ 18.00/ PB

388gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=336122>

Reading Inside Out : Interviews and Conversations / J. Hillis Miller (Ed) David
Jonathan Y. Bayot
Manila: De La Salle University Publishing House, 2017
320p. ; 23cm.

Includes Index ; Bibliography

Critical Voices Series

9789715556514

1. Criticism

2. Literature and society

3. Critics – Interviews

\$ 39.50 / PB

466gm.

This collection brings together eleven interviews with J. Hillis Miller, from 1987 to 2014, conducted by distinguished scholars and critics from China, England, Ireland, and the United States. The volume offers the readers a rich gallery of representations and interventions occasioned by a critic whose intellectual and moral presence has been instrumental in the dynamic (re)definitions of the discipline of literary studies for the past five decades. The interviews cover both his life and the development of his thought in poetics and pedagogics, in ethics, and politics as well. Reading Inside Out is the perfect companion to Miller's many books, a lucid introduction to his thought, and a comprehensive commentary on Miller's critical themes.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=336123>

Florante At Laura / Francisco Balagtas (Translator) Randy M. Bustamante
Makati City: The Bookmark, Inc., 2017
96p. ; 23x30cm.

English & Filipino Text

9789715698962

1. Filipino poetry
2. Baltazar, Francisco (Balagtas), 1788-1862, Florante at Laura

\$ 25.00 / PB

428gm.

Florante at Laura by Francisco Balagtas is considered as one of the masterpieces of Philippine literature. Balagtas wrote the epic during his imprisonment. He dedicated it to his sweetheart Maria Asuncion Rivera, whom he nicknamed "M.A.R." as reference to Selya in the dedication "Kay Celia." This wonderfully illustrated edition includes the Filipino text alongside Randy Bustamante's new verse translation.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=336124>

Politics

The ASEAN Drama : Half a Century and Still Unfolding / Sayeeda Bano (et al.)
(Ed) Edna E.A. Co & Carlos C. Tabunda, Jr.

Quezon City & Pasig City: University of the Philippines Center for Integrative
and Development Studies & Development Academy of the Philippines, Pasig
City, 2017

xi, 208p.

9789717421148

\$ 20.00 / PB

378gm.

The ASEAN Drama: Half a Century and Still Unfolding reflects a diversity in thinking about ASEAN, its character, the issues the regional association faces, as well as the many dilemmas it encounters. The book is a forthright scrutiny of ASEAN by academics and diplomatic practitioners. The chapters examine various dimensions of ASEAN, namely: economic performance using a particular methodology to gauge such performance of the member-countries; civil society engagement with ASEAN; the political power relations and dynamics with ASEAN; the so-called regional identity as a "caring and sharing community;" the ASEAN bureaucracy and secretariat; and the characterization and dilemmas of ASEAN as a regional association.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=336125>

The Quest for Federal Republic : The PDP Laban Model of Philippine Federalism 1.0 / (Ed) Jonathan E. Malaya
Pasay City, Metro Manila: PDP Laban Federalism Institute, 2017
326p.
\$ 30.00 / PB
612gm.

The book entitled "The Quest for a Federal Republic: The PDP-Laban Model of Philippine Federalism 1.0" contains articles, which discuss the shift to a federal system of government, a semi-presidential system of governance, the anti-political dynasty provisions, and the reforms in the political party system. It also contains the proposed constitution of the ruling party, PDP-Laban.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=336126>

The Moro Armed Struggle in the Philippines : The Nonviolent Autonomy Alternative / Macapado Abaton Muslim
Marawi City: The Office of the President and College of Public Affairs, Mindanao State University, 2017 (First Print 1994)
xx, 194p.

Includes Index ; Selected Bibliography

9789715480345

1. Muslims – Philippines
2. Muslims – Philippines – Politics and government
3. Philippines – History – Autonomy and independency movements

\$ 30.00 / HB

460gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=336127>

Sociology

Mining Ills : Poor Health and Inequities in the Philippines

Quezon City: IBON Foundation, Inc., 2017

xiv, 130p. ; color illustrations ; 28 cm.

9789719941750

- Miners -- Health and hygiene -- Philippines.
- Mineral industries -- Health aspects -- Philippines.
- Equality -- Health aspects -- Philippines.
- Philippines -- Social policy.

\$ 20.00/ PB

386gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=336129>
