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Climate Change Trends and Instances of Socio-economic Effects in Nepal / Keshav Prasad Sharma

Kathmandu: Jalsrot Vikas Sasnstha (JVS), 2010

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Land Tenure and Agrarian Reforms in Nepal: A Study Report / Suresh Dhakal & Study Team Leader

Kathmandu: Community Self Reliance Centre (CSRC), 2011

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Microfinance Concepts, Systems, Perceptions and Impact (A Review of SGSY Operations in India) / Soumitra Sarkar, Samirendra Nath Dhar

New Delhi: Readworthy Publications (P) Ltd., 2011

x 366p.; 22cm.

Includes Bibliographical References and Index

9789350180129

1. Rural poor-Employment-Government policy-India-Jalpaiguri(District)
2. Self-employed-Government policy-India-Jalpaiguri(District)
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Finding Delhi: loss and Renewal in the Megacity / Bharati Chaturvedi (ed)  
New Delhi: Penguin Books India, 2010  
Xxxvi, 171p.: 22cm.  
9780670084838  
\$ 10.00

[This Volume brings together voices that offer a kaleidoscopic view of the morphing, knotted city even as it is simultaneously experienced. Fourteen full-and part-time residents of Delhi, ranging from urban planners to informant-sector workers, write about issues as urgent and diverse as pubic transport, the state of the yamuna, women and the megacity, housing rights for the poor, recycling and recyclersm shopping malls and the officially sanctioned campaign against street vendors and the homeless ahead of the 2010 commonwealth games.

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Friendly Fires, Humpty Dumpty Disorder, and Other Essays: Reflections on Economy and Governance in Bangladesh / Akbar Ali Khan  
Dhaka: The University Press Limited, 2010  
xxii. 283p. ; 22cm.  
ISBN-13: 9789848815090 (HB)  
\$ 19.95

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Farmers' Associations in Cambodia: Internal Functions and External Relations / Ngin Chanrith  
Chiang Mai: The Regional Center for Social Science and Sustainable Development, 2010  
57p. ; 26cm.  
\$ 12.00

This research report looks at the development of Farmers' Associations (FAs) in Cambodia, which have been formed by Cambodian rice farmers in response to a need to develop shared power when negotiating with external parties such as companies and the Government.

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Thailand in Figures 2010 – 2011  
15th Edition  
Nonthaburi, Thailand: Alpha Research Co. Ltd., 2011  
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9786169021193 (Vol.1.)  
9786167526003 (Vol.2.)  
1. Thailand – statistics  
2. Thailand – province description  
\$ 170.00(Set)

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The River of Life: Changing Ecosystems of the Mekong Region / Yos Santasombat  
Chiang Mai: Mekong Press, 2011  
xiii. 224p. ; 21cm.  
ISBN-13: 9786169005322  
\$ 29.75

In northern Thailand, Laos, and southern China, marginal fishing communities along the Mekong River and its tributaries are seeing the adverse effect of changing ecosystems on their fish stocks, local economies, lifestyles, and cultural practices. Transnational mega-projects are causing great environmental degradation and increased vulnerability to people's livelihoods. While depicting a stark future for less advantaged Mekong communities, this book sees reasons for hope in the communities' capacity to respond to these changes.

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Chiadzwa Diamonds: Bloody Diamonds? Or The Economic Recovery of Zimbabwe / Lovemore Kurotwi

Harare, Zimbabwe : RAE Holdings, 2010

98p.;

ISBN 9780797442115

\$ 24.00

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Arangkada Philippines 2010: A Business Perspective / John D. Forbes

Makati City: The American Chamber of Commerce of the Philippines, Inc., 2010

xlvii. 423p. ; 28cm.

Includes 1 CD-ROM

ISBN-13: 9789719499800

\$ 100.00

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The Buck Stops Here / Ashutosh Garg

New Delhi: Penguin books, 2010

Xviii, 308p, : 22cm.

9780670085033

\$ 14.25

[The Buck stops here is an engaging account of the entrepreneurial journey of the author while building guardian pharmacy, India's fastest growing pharmacy retail chain. As well as the bold transition he made from being a top manager for twenty-five years to an entrepreneur. Ashutosh Garg provides a fascinating insight into how he became "the Professional Entrepreneur" by implementing the best practices he learnt as a manager while building guardian as a strong organization.

Garg's life epitomizes the phrase, 'the Buck stops Here', made famous by former US President Harry S. Truman. At his first job as credit manager at ITC Maurya Sheraton, he shot off a 'pay up or else' reminder to a very important customer, since it was his responsibility to do so. It is another matter that he had to then camp outside the customer's house to prevent the postman from delivering the letter, or else he would have been fired from his job.]

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Penang Island : New Southern Road to Penang Hill and Strategic Tunnels : The Way Forward : Golden Triangle : 20 Years Ago till Today : Condominium Market / Ho Chin Soon

Malaysia : Ho Chin Soon, 2010

287p.

978-967-5718-03-8

\$ 30.00

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Complexity of FTA's : A Key Issue in Malaysian Trade Policy / Wan Khatina Nawawi ... [et. al.]

Malaysia : Khazanah Nasional Berhad, 2010

Xxiv, 320p.

Includes Index

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1. Free Trade – Malaysia

2. Trade Regulation – Malaysia

\$ 40.00

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China's Integration into the World Economy / John Whalley (Edited)

Singapore: World Scientific Publishing Co. Pte. Ltd., 2011

xviii. 391p. ; 23cm.

ISBN-13: 9789814304788 (HB)

\$ 120.00

This book discusses China's integration into the world economy, drawing on papers previously written by the editor. It focuses on strong trade growth, FDI inflows, innovation policy (including transfer of technology and intellectual property), the role of saving, and the accumulation of human capital. It also analyzes the quantitative significance of openness in driving China's growth.

While other books on China do not focus much on China's integration into the world economy, this book provides technically strong analyses of key contributing factors to China's growth performance. It also highlights innovation and education policies and their significance for the 11th five-year plan which aims to quadruple real income per capita between 2000 and 2020.

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Making Prints on Cement: The Cherie Hearts Success Story / William Koh

Singapore: Cengage Learning Asia Pte. Ltd., 2011

x. 128p. ; 23cm.

ISBN-13: 9789814319256

\$ 28.00

The book discusses how Sam and Gurchran's motivation and drive transformed Cherie Hearts into a childcare powerhouse. It also examines the importance of effective human resource management in a small-medium enterprise and how having the right organizational structure and culture is essential to support business growth.

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Socially Responsible & Sustainable: Corporate Social Responsibility in Singapore: Company Perspectives and Experiences / Evelyn S Wong (Edited)  
Singapore: Straits Times Press, 2011  
222p. ; 22cm.

Includes bibliographical references

ISBN-13: 9789814266734

1. Social responsibility of Business – Singapore – Case studies
2. Sustainable development – Singapore – Case studies

\$ 25.00

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Brand Singapore: How Nation Branding Built Asia's Leading Global City / Koh Buck Song  
Singapore: Marshall Cavendish Business, 2011  
205p. ; 20cm.

Includes bibliographical references and index

ISBN-13: 9789814328159

1. Place marketing – Singapore
2. National characteristics, Singaporean
3. Branding (Marketing) – Singapore

\$ 25.00

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The Cambodia Forum

Singapore: ISEAS Publishing, 2011

ix. 59p. ; 21cm.

ISBN-13: 9789814311380

1. Cambodia – Economic conditions – Congresses
2. Cambodia – Economic policy – Congresses

\$ 15.90

Cambodia was once in the news for all the wrong reasons: relentless bombing during the Vietnam War, genocide during the Khmer Rouge era, and the ghastly human dislocation, misery, and poverty that are the legacies of war and conflict. In recent years, however, Cambodia has emerged as one of ASEAN's stories of hope, a country determined to put its past behind it and take its place among the emerging successes of Southeast Asia. To capture the new mood, the Institute of Southeast Asian Studies (ISEAS) in Singapore and the Cambodian Institute for Cooperation and Peace (CICP) organized a one-day Cambodia Forum on 23 April 2010 at the Conrad Centennial, Singapore to examine the key sectors in Cambodia's developmental thrust. Cambodian leaders, policymakers, and academics looked at the role of governance in creating the thrust; the economic strategy needed to sustain that thrust; the role of investment and business policy; the human resources policy necessary for sustained economic growth; and the role of energy and the environment. Addressing a host of issues under these broad areas, the forum participants provided an insider's view of how Cambodia could leverage on its strengths to move into a new era. The Keynote Address also analyses the state of bilateral relations between Cambodia and Singapore.

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Development Experience of the Korean Economy / Keuk Je Sung (Edited)

Seoul: Kyung Hee University Press, 2010

512p. ; 25cm.

ISBN-13: 9788982223556

\$ 60.00

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Development and Education: A Critical Appraisal of the Korean Case / Bom Mo Chung

Seoul : SNUPress, 2010

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