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A Balancing Act : A History of the Legal Resources Foundation in Zimbabwe 1985-2015 / Mary Ndlovu

Legal Resources Foundation, Zimbabwe 2016

xvi, 368p.

Includes of Index

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\$ 42.00 / PB

500 gm.

A Balancing Act: A History of the Legal Resources Foundation 1985-2015 examines the impulse, growth, development of an NGO which has steadfastly sought to bring law to the people of Zimbabwe over three turbulent decades. Through a study of its outreach, publication, advocacy and education programmes, the author, Mary Ndlovu implicitly explores the social, economic and political framework of society and the state that determined the LRF's trajectory.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=237987>

The Raging Storm : A Reporter's Inside Account of the Northern Uganda War 1986-2005 / C. Lamwaka (Ed) Ronald R. Atkinson

Fountain Publishers, Uganda 2016

xxviii, 464p.

Includes Index

9789970252213

\$ 54.00 / PB

902 gm.

The Raging Storm: A Reporter's Inside Account of the Northern Uganda War, 1986-2005 is a highly personal and inside account of the northern Uganda war by a young woman whose early encounter with the conflict was as an on-the-ground war correspondent. Caroline Lamwaka's experiences as a war-time journalist inform the narrative, the research and the broader perspective of an academically trained war and peace researcher. The book examines four phases of the northern Uganda war. These are: the war in Acholi, Lango and Teso; the peace efforts to end the war; the impact of the war; and coping with the impact of insurgency. Caroline Lamwaka joins other authentic voices examining the northern Uganda war

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Taming my Elephant / Tshiwa Trudie Amulungu

University of Namibia Press, Namibia 2016

308p.

9789991642185

\$ 38.00 / PB

400 gm.

In Oshiwambo, the elephant is likened to the most challenging situation that people can face. If an elephant appears in the morning, all planned activities are put on hold and the villagers join forces to deal with it. For Tshiwa Trudie Amulungu, the elephant showed up on many mornings and she had no choice but to tame it. Growing up in a traditional household in northern Namibia, and moving to a Catholic school, Amulungu's life started within a very ordered framework. Then one night in 1977 she crossed the border into Angola with her schoolmates and joined the liberation movement. Four months later she was studying at the UN Institute for Namibia in Lusaka Zambia, later going on to study in France. Amulungu recounts the cultural shocks and huge discoveries she made along her journey with honesty, emotion and humour. She draws the reader into her experiences through a close portrayal of life, friends and community in the different places where she lived and studied in exile. This is a compelling story of survival, longing for home, fear of the return, and overcoming adversity in strange environments. It is also a love story that brought two families and cultures together

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=237989>

My Camera, My Life: Sir Mohinder Dhillon (Set) / Gordon & David Kaiza
Mkuki Na Nyota Publishers Ltd., Tanzania 2016

3v. Boxed Set

9789987753604 (Set)

\$ 70.00 / HB

1300 gm.

The remarkable life-story of Mohinder Dhillon, a frontline news cameraman on the world stage, from his start as a budding photojournalist in Kenya. His story covers many of the seminal African and world events from the 1950s, documenting the changing face of an Africa liberated from colonial rule. His reporting covers many of the following internal conflicts including the Zanzibar Revolution of 1964, the Simba Rebellion in the Congo, the Siege of Stanleyville, the Aden War, the rise and fall of Idi Amin and the expulsion of the Asian minorities, and was on the frontline recording the fall of Ian Smith's Rhodesia and the birth of Zimbabwe. He was the official cameraman to Haile Selassie, and later recorded the Ethiopian famine in the 1980s, footage that shocked the world, raising millions of dollars in famine relief. After this golden age of television news, the waning of foreign interest in Africa, and rapidly advancing video technology, he focussed on making full-length television documentaries. In this period, he recorded the grim ecological impacts post the Vietnam war; and also undertook another news assignment to film the shattered, war-torn country of Afghanistan in the aftermath of the Soviet invasion. He recalls the horrific events of the 1988 US Embassy bombing in Nairobi and the 2013 terror attack on the city's Westgate Mall. Reflecting on the triumphs and tragedies of his life, his story is imbued with passion and gentle humour, a love of his adopted Kenya from his Sikh roots in the Punjab. It is a moving story of what it means to be human in the face of unspeakable suffering and violence

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=237991>

Civilizing the Chinese, Competing with the West : Study Societies in Late Qing
China / Chen Hon Fai

The Chinese University Press, Hong Kong 2017

270p.; 23cm.

9789629966348

\$ 45.00 / HB

This book uncovers the history of civil society activism in China through the development of late 19th century study societies in China against the context of the decline of the Qing government and its controlling power on ideological production, widespread social unrest by Western imperialist states.

The study societies in Shanghai, Beijing and Hunan were organized around the goal of promoting and defending the Confucian religion and represent a facet of the civil society that emerged in China in reaction to the import of Christianity and nationalist state formation.

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Lam Woo : Master Builder, Revolutionary, and Philanthropist / Moira M. W. Chan-Yeung

The Chinese University Press, Hong Kong 2016

216p.; 23cm.

9789629967840

\$ 49.00 / HB

Lam Woo was a highly successful Chinese building contractor based in Hong Kong in the early twentieth century. He exemplifies the marginal group of people who joined the Chinese diaspora because of poverty and political turmoil. Lam Woo belonged to the educated, westernized, Christian Chinese culture that supported the overthrow of the Qing dynasty.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=237956>

Brush, Seal and Abacus : Troubled Vitality in Late Ming China's Economic Heartland, 1500-1644 / Jie Zhao

The Chinese University Press, Hong Kong 2016

230p.; 23cm.

9789629967765

\$ 52.00 / HB

This book takes three social groups—literati, scholar-officials, and merchants—as the framework for discussing the political, socioeconomic, and cultural forces that coalesced and reinforced one another to influence and facilitate change in Ming China's lower Yangzi delta. It follows the region's political ties with the state and commercial links with external markets. The book evokes the richly textured life of Ming China's heartland in an age of commercial and cultural strength, which then descended into distress and despair

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=237957>

Wartime Macau : Under the Japanese Shadow / Geoffrey C. Gunn (Ed)

Hong Kong University Press, Hongkong 2016

x, 226p.

Includes Index ; Bibliography

9789888390519

\$ 50.00 / HB

474 gm.

It has intrigued many that, unlike Hong Kong, Macau avoided direct Japanese wartime occupation albeit being caught up in the vortex of the wider global conflict. Geoffrey Gunn and an international group of contributors come together in *Wartime Macau: Under the Japanese Shadow* to investigate how Macau escaped the fate of direct Japanese invasion and occupation. Exploring the broader diplomatic and strategic issues during that era, this volume reveals that the occupation of Macau was not in Japan's best interest because the Portuguese administration in Macau posed no threat to Japan's control over the China coast and acted as a listening post to monitor Allied activities.

Drawing upon archival materials in English, Japanese, Portuguese, and other languages, the contributors explain how, under the high duress of Japanese military agencies, the Portuguese administration coped with a tripling of its population and issues such as currency, food supply, disease, and survival. This volume presents contrasting views on wartime governance and shows how the different levels of Macau society survived the war.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=237958>

Reshaping the Boundaries : The Christian Intersection of China and the West in the Modern Era / Sang Gang (Ed)

Hong Kong University Press, Hongkong 2016

130p.

9789888390557

\$ 50.00 / HB

334 gm.

Reshaping the Boundaries: The Christian Intersection of China and the West in the Modern Era brings new material and new insight to deepen our understanding of the multilayered, two-way flow of words, beliefs, and experiences between the West and China from 1600 to 1900. The seven essays taken together illustrate the complex reality of boundary-crossing interactions between these cultures and document how hybrid ideas, images, and identities emerged in both China and the West. By focusing on "in-betweenness," these essays challenge the existing Eurocentric assumption of a simple one-way cultural flow, with Western missionaries transmitting and the Chinese receiving.

Led by Song Gang, the contributors to this volume cover many specific aspects of this cultural encounter that have received little or no scholarly attention: official decrees, memoirs, personal correspondences, news, rumors, musical instruments, and miracle stories. Grounded in multiple intellectual disciplines, including religious studies, history, arts, music, and Sinology, Reshaping the Boundaries explores how each of the major Christian traditions—Catholic, Protestant, and Eastern Orthodox—bridged the West and the East in unique ways.
<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=237960>

Hong Kong in the Cold War / Edited by Priscilla Roberts and John M. Carroll
Hong Kong University Press, Hongkong 2016

254p.
Includes Index
9789888208005
\$ 50.00 / HB
519 gm.

The Cold War was a distinct and crucial period in Hong Kong's evolution and in its relations with China and the rest of the world. Hong Kong was a window through which the West could monitor what was happening in China and an outlet that China could use to keep in touch with the outside world. Exploring the many complexities of Cold War politics from a global and interdisciplinary perspective, Hong Kong in the Cold War shows how Hong Kong attained and honed a pragmatic tradition that bridged the abyss between such opposite ideas as capitalism and communism, thus maintaining a compromise between China and the rest of the world.

The chapters are written by nine leading international scholars and address issues of diplomacy and politics, finance and economics, intelligence and propaganda, refugees and humanitarianism, tourism and popular culture, and their lasting impact on Hong Kong. Far from simply describing a historical period, these essays show that Hong Kong's unique Cold War experience may provide a viable blueprint for modern-day China to develop a similar model of good governance and may in fact hold the key to the successful implementation of the One Country Two Systems idea.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=231992>

Hong Kong Cantopop: A Concise History / Yiu-Wai Chu
Hong Kong University Press, Hongkong 2017

256p.; 23cm.
9789888390588
\$ 35.00 / PB

Cantopop was once the leading pop genre of pan-Chinese popular music around the world. In this pioneering study of Cantopop in English, Yiu-Wai Chu shows how the rise of Cantopop is related to the emergence of a Hong Kong identity and consciousness. Chu charts the fortune of this important genre of twentieth-century Chinese music from its humble, lower-class origins in the 1950s to its rise to a multimillion-dollar business in the mid-1990s. As the voice of Hong Kong, Cantopop has given generations of people born in the city a sense of belonging. It was only in the late 1990s, when transformations in the music industry, and more importantly, changes in the geopolitical situation of Hong Kong, that Cantopop showed signs of decline. As such, *Hong Kong Cantopop: A Concise History* is not only a brief history of Cantonese pop songs, but also of Hong Kong culture. The book concludes with a chapter on the eclipse of Cantopop by Mandapop (Mandarin popular music), and an analysis of the relevance of Cantopop to Hong Kong people in the age of a dominant China. Drawing extensively from Chinese-language sources, this work is a most informative introduction to Hong Kong popular music studies.

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Merchants of War and Peace: British Knowledge of China in the Making of the Opium War / Song-Chuan Chen

Hong Kong University Press, Hongkong 2017

240p.; 23cm.

9789888390564

\$ 50.00 / HB

488 gm.

Merchants of War and Peace challenges conventional arguments that the major driving forces of the First Opium War were the infamous opium smuggling trade, the defence of British national honour, and cultural conflicts between 'progressive' Britain and 'backward' China. Instead, it argues that the war was started by a group of British merchants in the Chinese port of Canton in the 1830s, known as the 'Warlike party'. Living in a period when British knowledge of China was growing rapidly, the Warlike party came to understand China's weakness and its members returned to London to lobby for intervention until war broke out in 1839.

However, the Warlike party did not get its way entirely. Another group of British merchants known in Canton as the 'Pacific party' opposed the war. In Britain, the anti-war movement gave the conflict its infamous name, the 'Opium War', which has stuck ever since. Using materials housed in the National Archives, UK, the First Historical Archives of China, the National Palace Museum, the British Library, SOAS Library, and Cambridge University Library, this meticulously researched and lucid volume is a new history of the cause of the First Opium War.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=237963>

Lat : My Life and Cartoons / Mohammad Nor Khalid & Syed Nadzri Syed Harun

Editions Didier Millet Sdn Bhd., Kuala Lumpur 2016

232p.

Includes Index

9789671061756

\$ 40.00 / HB

760 gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=238335>

Live to Last : An Intimate Memoir of a Legacy in the Making / (Author) Deborah Chan

Deborah Chan, Malaysia 2016

viii, 144p.

9789671445709

\$ 16.00 / PB

286 gm.

Memoirs

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=238336>

Finding Malaysia : Making Sense of an Eccentric Nation / Zairil Khir Johari
Strategic Information and Research Development Centre, Malaysia 2017

xx, 312p.

Includes Index ; Bibliography

9789670960517

\$ 20.00 / PB

492 gm.

- 1.National characteristics, Malaysian
- 2.Anecdotes – Malaysia
- 3.Nationalism – Malaysia – History
- 4.Malaysia – History – Anecdotes
- 5.Malaysia – Ethnic relations – History
- 6.Malaysia – Social conditions
- 7.Malaysia – Intellectual life

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=238337>

Golden Raub : The Life and times of William Bibby engineer, gold miner and
pioneer and the story of the Raub gold mine / (Author) Victor Bibby

Kuala Kubu Historical Society, Malaysia 2016

viii, 440p.

Includes Index ; Bibliography

9789671439524

\$ 40.00 / PB

780 gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=238338>

The Duke : A Hero's Hero at Sandakan Captain Lionel Matthews GC, MC /
(Author) David Matthews

Seaview Press, Australia 2008

xiii, 236p.

Includes Index ; Bibliography

9781740084864

\$ 50.00 / PB

474 gm.

- 1.Matthews, Lionel Colin, 1912-1944
- 2.Sandakan (Concentration camp)
- 3.Word War, 1939-1945 – Borneo – Prisoner and prison, Japanese
- 4.Prisoners of war – Australia – Biography
- 5.Prisoners of war – Sabah – Sandakan
- 6.Sandakan (Sabah: Concentration camp)

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=238339>

The Royal Letters of Baginda Omar : Sultan Terengganu Darul Iman IX, Marhum
Baginda (1806-1876) Volume 1 / Raimy Che-Ross

Yayasan DiRaja Sultan Mizan, Malaysia 2015

336p.

Includes Index ; Bibliography

9789671084441

\$ 100.00 / PB

916 gm.

- 1.Baginda Omar, Sultan Terengganu Iman IX, 1806-1876
- 2.Royal houses – Terengganu 1806-1876
- 3.Terengganu – Kings and rulers – Correspondence – 1806-1876
- 4.Terengganu – History – Sources – 1806-1876

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=238340>

Live Free in the Spirit of Serving - Penang Free School 1816-2016 / Tan Chung Lee

The Old Frees' Association, Singapore 2016

9789810942519

\$ 0.00 / HB

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=238025>

Masjid Sultan: A Lasting Legacy at the Heart of Singapore / Safinah Holding Pte Ltd

Sultan Mosque, Singapore 2015

9789810981785

\$ 0.00 / HB

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=238014>

Lee Kuan Yew : Through the Eyes of Chinese Scholars / (Authors) Chen-Ning Yang (et al.)

World Scientific Publishing Co. Pte. Ltd., Singapore 2017

xii, 204p.

9789813202313

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510 gm.

1. Lee Kuan Yew, 1923-2015
2. Singapore - history
3. Singapore - Politics and government

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=238406>

Lee Kuan Yew : Through the Eyes of Chinese Scholars (PB) / (Authors) Chen-Ning Yang (et al.)

World Scientific Publishing Co. Pte. Ltd., Singapore 2017

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9789813209374

\$ 24.00 / PB

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1. Lee Kuan Yew, 1923-2015
2. Singapore - history
3. Singapore - Politics and government

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=238407>

Days of Darkness, Days of Light : The Singapore Methodist Community's Stories of Experiences During the Japanese Occupation (1942-1945) /

The Methodist Church in Singapore, Singapore 2015

xxiv, 232p.

9789810963569

\$ 40.00 / PB

576 gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=238408>

Mochtar Riady : My Life Story / Mochtar Riady

John Wiley & Sons (Asia) Pte. Ltd., Singapore 2017

xxxviii, 330p.

Includes Index

9781119256366

\$ 40.00 / PB

784 gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=238409>

We Love Serangoon Gardens : Urban Sketchers Singapore / Mochtar Riady

Epigram Books, Singapore 2017

96p.

9789811700569

\$ 11.00 / PB

120 gm.

- 1.Singapore – Social life and customs – 20th century
- 2.Serangoon Gardens (Singapore) – History – 20th century

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=238410>

Singapore Chronicles: Energy / Tilak K Doshi; Lin Fangjun

Straits Times Press Pte. Ltd., Singapore 2016

108p.

Includes Bibliographical References and Index

9789814747318

\$ 12.00 / HB

152 gm.

Starting with a condensed history of the beginnings of Singapore's oil industry since 1870, this book describes how Singapore emerged by the early 1980s as the "East of Suez" hub for oil refining, petrochemicals manufacturing and trading, and an important supplier of offshore vessels, equipment and services for the oil and gas industries in

Southeast Asia and beyond. By then, it had also consolidated its position as the oil price discovery centre for the Asia-Pacific time zone, attaining an importance to global oil markets comparable to New York and London. Critical policy issues facing government planners in energy security, energy efficiency and environmental sustainability are also discussed to inform the reader of the key issues related to the story of oil in Singapore.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=238022>

Singapore Chronicles: Governance / Ho, Peter (et.al)

Straits Times Press Pte. Ltd., Singapore 2016

136p.

Includes Bibliographical References and Index

9789814747196

\$ 12.00 / HB

188 gm.

- 1.Public Administration – Singapore
- 2.Political Culture – Singapore

Good governance is at the heart of Singapore's development, forged in the furnace of the early challenges that Singapore faced after Independence, and shaped by its leaders to reflect their long-term vision. This book chronicles key aspects of Singapore's governance – such as incorruptibility, pragmatism and meritocracy – and demonstrates how institutions, policies and strategies combined to play a critical role in Singapore's transformation from a Third to a First World nation. It offers references for readers to understand the origins of Singapore's public policy and principles of governance.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=238023>

Singapore Chronicles: Emergency / Ramakrishna, Kumar

Straits Times Press Pte. Ltd., Singapore 2016

108p.
Includes Bibliographical References and Index
9789814747097
\$ 12.00 / HB
154 gm.

- 1.Communism – Singapore – History – 20th Century
- 2.Singapore – History – 20th Century

This book examines the origins of the Communist Party of Malaya (CPM) in the inter-War years and its subsequent development against the wider backdrop of the Cold War. The chameleon-like CPM, in its determined quest to set up a Communist Republic of Malaya and Singapore, mounted a violent rural insurgency in Malaya and later shifted to urban subversion of the burgeoning anti-colonial left-wing movement in Singapore itself. It was a gambit that almost succeeded. Contemporary Singapore's emphasis on law and order cannot be understood without reference to its long twilight struggle with the CPM, a fateful conflict that ended only in 1989.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=238019>

Singapore Chronicles : Food / Sylvia Tan
Institute of Policy Studies, Singapore 2016
100p.
Includes Bibliographical References and Index
9789814747431
\$ 12.00 / PB
148 gm.
1.Food – Singapore
2.Food – Singapore – History
3.Singapore – Social Life and Customs

Singapore's reputation as a food paradise reflects its position at the intersection of four culinary cultures: Chinese, Malay, Indian and European. This book discusses these influences and traces changes in cooking practices and eating habits that have produced a sophisticated and cosmopolitan city known for the variety of the dining experiences it offers. These range from fish-head curry and laksa lemak to chilli crab, raw fish salad and mee goreng. Dishes such as these attest to a unique culinary heritage which lives on in both high-end restaurants and the hawker centres that dot the gastronomic map of Singapore.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=238411>

Singapore Chronicles: Opposition / Ibrahim, Zuraidah
Straits Times Press Pte. Ltd., Singapore 2016
104p.
Includes Bibliographical References and Index
9789814747189
\$ 12.00 / PB
148 gm.
1.Opposition (Political Science) – Singapore
2.Singapore – Politics and Government

In the 2015 General Election, which coincided with the 50th year of Singapore's Independence, six seats went to the opposition. This formed just about 7 per cent of all elected seats, but still represented a remarkable achievement after the whittled-down opposition presence in Parliament from 1965 to 2011. This primer traces the eventful history of Singapore's opposition parties from post-World War II days to the present. It tells the story of these parties, which is one filled with personalities, setbacks and ideals. It also examines the opposition movement's challenges and prospects – in particular, its potential growth trajectories and the shape of Singapore's political system in the future.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=238021>

Singapore Chronicles: Demography / Yap Mui Teng

Straits Times Press Pte. Ltd., Singapore 2016

104p.

Includes Bibliographical References and Index

9789814747295

\$ 12.00 / PB

150 gm.

- 1.Singapore – Population
- 2.Demography – Singapore

Singapore's population is a veritable mix of nationalities, ethnic groups, languages and religious affiliations. Its unique trajectory of size and composition is mapped out by various phases of migration. There also has been a demographic transition from high birth and death rates in the post-World War II years to the very low birth and death rates today. This book traces the trends and developments in Singapore's population from the pre-Independence period, when there was relatively little control over migration and fertility; through the period of population control from Independence to the 1980s; to the more expansionary years from the mid-1980s until recently.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=238024>

Singapore Chronicles : Water / Tan Gee Paw

Institute of Policy Studies, Singapore 2016

100p.

Includes Bibliographical References and Index

9789814747301

\$ 12.00 / PB

150 gm.

- 1.Water-supply – Government Policy – Singapore
- 2.Water-supply-Singapore –Management
- 3.Waterworks – Singapore – Management

Water is more than a basic human necessity in Singapore. Its supply was a strategic collaboration between two British colonies and, later, formed the core of the two independent nations' strategic relationship. This book traces the story of how Singapore was almost totally dependent on the Malay Peninsula to quench its daily thirst and how it has now become almost self-sufficient. Water is also a catalyst for a nation's economic development, and lies at the heart of a city's living environment. This book details the transformation of the water landscape made possible by judicious long-term planning alongside technology and policy innovation. It ends with a view of the nation's future opportunities, both economic and strategic, that have been created as a result of this transformation

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=238412>

Singapore Chronicles : Social Services / Ho Chi Tim, Ann Wee

Institute of Policy Studies, Singapore 2016

112p.

Includes Bibliographical References and Index

9789814747493

\$ 12.00 / PB

150 gm.

- 1.Social Service – Singapore
- 2.Social Service – Singapore – History
- 3.Singapore – Social Policy

This book presents a historical overview of personal social services in Singapore, known fundamentally as social welfare. The well-being of the Singapore nation is usually understood and presented in broad imperatives, such as defence and economy. In the colonial times, relatively less attention was paid to the significant everyday needs of Singaporeans at various stages in their lives, anticipated or otherwise. The post-colonial government had taken these matters seriously and over time addressed many issues of social welfare in a systematic and sustainable fashion. However, this is work in progress as social welfare is not a static concept and people are a static group.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=238413>

Singapore Chronicles: Gateways / Ho, David Kim Hin

Straits Times Press Pte. Ltd., Singapore 2016

104p.

Includes Bibliographical References and Index

9789814747264

\$ 12.00 / HB

150 gm.

- 1.Singapore – Commerce
- 2.Singapore – Economic Policy
- 3.Harbors – Economic Aspects – Singapore
- 4.Airports – Economic Aspects – Singapore
- 5.Freight and Freightage – Economic Aspects – Singapore

Singapore has leveraged on its strategic location and open economy to become a global maritime and logistics centre. In particular, the port has grown from being just a terminal for ships to berth in, to hosting a maritime industry. On the aviation front, Singapore has moved from a mere airfield in Kallang to Changi Airport, among the best in the world and connected to more than 200 cities. There is also a vibrant aerospace industry. However, intense challenges lie ahead. This book examines how Singapore needs to raise the bar to remain a strategic gateway to the region and the rest of the world.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=238020>

Singapore Chronicles: Language / Kuo, Eddie C Y

Straits Times Press Pte. Ltd., Singapore 2016

116p.

Includes Bibliographical References and Index

9789814747417

\$ 12.00 / PB

150 gm.

- 1.Singapore – Languages
- 2.Sociolinguistics – Singapore
- 3.Language Planning – Singapore

Understanding language use is particularly challenging in a cosmopolitan city-state such as Singapore, with its multi-ethnic society that recognises four official languages – English, Chinese, Malay and Tamil. This book reviews and discusses the changing language use patterns within Singapore society from Independence till today. It looks particularly at how they have been influenced by and, in turn, shape the state's language policies executed through education, language campaigns, mass media and so on. It also illustrates how language management by the Government is challenged by the emergence of colloquial forms such as Singlish, which is embraced by some citizens as uniquely Singaporean.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=238027>

Singapore Chronicles: Civil Society / Koh, Gillian; Debbie Soon

Straits Times Press Pte. Ltd., Singapore 2016

108p.
Includes Bibliographical References and Index
9789814747219
\$ 12.00 / PB
150 gm.
1.Civil Society – Singapore – History
2.Political Participation – Singapore
3.Political Culture – Singapore

This book documents the development of civil society in Singapore from the colonial era to the present day. It examines the relevance of the concept to Singapore and examines the working arrangement that state and civil society have arrived at. It discusses the legal and other mechanisms that shape the functioning of civil society, and explores key trends that will influence governability and the tenor of democracy in Singapore

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=238018>

Singapore Chronicles : Central Provident Fund / Chia Ngee Choon
Institute of Policy Studies, Singapore 2016

108p.
Includes Bibliographical References and Index
9789814747257
\$ 12.00 / PB
150 gm.
1.Central Provident Fund of Singapore
2.Social Security – Singapore
3.Employees' deposits – Singapore

Since its inception in 1953, the Central Provident Fund (CPF), the mandatory savings scheme, has evolved to meet Singaporeans' housing and investment aspirations as well as retirement needs while Singapore progressed from Third World to First. The story of the CPF reflects the economic history and social development of Singapore. CPF policies are aligned with national objectives – economic growth, macroeconomic stability, asset-building and savings for health and retirement. The CPF's intricate connection with housing financing has made Singapore's social protection system a unique social innovation in the world. With an ageing population, the CPF will continue to explore more ways to stay relevant to retirement and other needs. As the choice architect, the CPF Board needs to anticipate behavioural responses and manage the expectations of its members.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=238414>

Singapore Chronicles: Environment / Kenneth Er, Leong Chee Chiew, Khoo Teng Chye, Joseph Hui

Straits Times Press Pte. Ltd., Singapore 2016
120p.
Includes Bibliographical References and Index
9789814747325
\$ 12.00 / PB
150 gm.
1.Environmental Policy – Singapore
2.Pollution – Singapore
3.Environmental Protection – Singapore
4.Sustainable Development – Singapore – Management

This book documents Singapore's journey towards greater environmental sustainability, biodiversity, and public cleanliness. It draws on the experiences of two government institutions: the National Parks Board and the National Environment Agency. It assesses Singapore's record in achieving for its residents a higher quality of life, greater environmental sustainability, and an aesthetically pleasant place in which to live and to work.

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