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Architecture

Evolution and Development of Mosque Architecture in Sindh / Shaikh Khurshid Hasan

Islamabad: National Institute of Historical and Cultural Research, Centre of Excellence, Quaid-i-Azam University, 2017 xviii. 282p.

Includes Index; Bibliography

9789694151168

- 1. Mosques—Pakistan—Sindh
- 2. Islamic architecture—Pakistan—Sindh.

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956gm.

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Biography

Hazrat Shahidullah Faridi : A Mystical Sufi Voyage From London to Karachi / Sakamina Ajam & Sikander Ajam Pakistan: Talifaat-E-Shahidi, 2018 356p. 9789699512025 \$ 40.00 / PB 516gm.

This book chronicles the spiritual voyage of JG Lennard born to the moneyed British upper class in 1915 who, after his conversion to Islam, travelled the world extensively in search of genuine Sufi guide. Eventually finding a Sufi saint in pre-partition India, in the south central state of Hyderabad, Deccan. He was initiated into the Christi Sabri order by his Sheikh and mentor Hazrat Zauqi Shah Sahib RA, a Sufi Saint and a prolific writer.

This work focuses on his eventful quest for God and discovering the greater purpose of life, and finally the essence of his legacy the teachings of true Sufism.

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In Conversation With Legends: History in Session / Khurram Sohail Afrah Jamal Karachi: Paramount Books (Pvt.) Limited, 2017 xii. 420p.

9789696373216 \$ 40.00 / HB 690gm.

"This gallery of fifty distinctive individuals symbolizes the richness and the range of our country's vast human resources, several of whom could obviously not be included, perhaps for reasons of space and time. While there may be a difference in their respective ages, Khurram Sohail — the older one! — and Afrah Jamal are exceptional examples of the talent, sensibilities and skills in a youthful Pakistani generation that is helping shape the future of a unique nation in the 21st century." — Senator (r) Javed Jabbar

"I felt like Khurram was a man forever in pursuit of God, testing the limits of his passion." — Abida Parveen

"Khurram Sohail is someone who provides nuanced character studies. Who has a keen eye and an intuitive approach; and whose professionalism and dedication set him apart." — Intizar Husain "Khurram is capable of crossing the threshold of madness for the sake of his craft." — Sania Saeed

"I have no doubt that the reader will find his interviews of a wide range of eminent personalities enjoyable. It is not easy to elicit responses from such eminent people as Zia Mohyeddin, Talat Hussain, Kamal Ahmad Rizvi, Anwar Maqsood and others. Khurram has not overlooked literature, fine arts, musicians, journalists or that saintly soul, Abdul Sattar Edhi. A job well done Khurram Sohail." — Naeem Bukhari http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=463771

To Light a Candle and Keep it Burning: Reminiscences and Reflections of Dr. Ruth Pfau / Ruth Pfau (Translators) John Rodden & M. Salim Karachi: Paramount Books (Pvt.) Limited, 2017 xii, 238p.

9789696373537 \$ 24.00 / HB 418gm.

This is my story, the story of a German who has up to now lived for more than forty years in Pakistan, and has been very happy in her work, and with her patients, friends and co-workers and who loves the laughter and the sadness and the courage of the people, the beauty and the threatening grandeur of the country, and has suffered a lot witnessing the injustice and the violence and disregard for the dignity of the weak and the poor, and tried and struggled to add her small contribution to the fight against the evil and to strengthen the many many good and brave initiatives. But of course I have seen it with the eyes of a Westerner. And as this book is a kind of an account of my life, there will be many passages strange to my Muslim friends. However, this may not necessarily be a negative point because this mutual inter-cultural enrichment, which characterizes the Leprosy Programme of Pakistan, has only been possible because we have shared, listened to and clarified our ways of thinking, making this cross fertilization possible. — Ruth Pfau http://www.marvmartin.com/web?pid=463772

Chemage: Learn + Earn + Return, 1943 To 2018: The Memoirs of An Extraordinary Pakistani Engineer / Engineer SH. Ghulam Abbas Cyclewala

Karachi: Chemage, 2018 xx, 264p.

9789692331005 \$ 40.00 / HB 522gm.

In his autobiography, the author traces not only his personal life, but also the evolution of the chemical industry in Pakistan. Graduating with a degree in chemical engineering in 1968, he mentions introducing chemicals and processing practices that led to the development of everyday objects now found in almost every home in the country. From working in Libya in the 1970s, to moving to Russia and then coming back home, this is an entertaining account of a life well lived. http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=463782

My Dawn Years : Exploring Social Issues / Zubeda Mustafa (Foreword) Zohra Yusuf

Karachi: Paramount Books (Pvt.) Limited, 2018

xvi, 228p. Includes Index

9789696374046

\$30.00 / HB

456gm.

My DAWN Years Exploring Social Issues

"A trail-blazer, Zubeida Mustafa has the courage of a journalist, the perfectionism of a researcher and an ability to see Pakistan through the lens of disadvantaged classes. In this fascinating memoir she tells us of her struggles to put social issues — education, health and social security — high on the national agenda. It also traces Dawn's travel through technological revolutions in the print media, its efforts to bring out new features, such as Books & Authors, a sterling contribution to journalism and literature both. Further we learn about Dawn's travails during the long spells of authoritarian rule, as it strove to deliver sane counsel to the state and the people, and to survive to fight for another day. A must read for journalists, their defenders and their victims both." – I.A. Rehman Human rights activist and columnist

"My DAWN Years is simultaneously Zubeida Mustafa's inspiring autobiography; an insider's perspective on Dawn's evolution; a ringside view of Pakistan's tumultuous decades; an activist's account of the struggle for women's rights and socio-economic development. It is a brave woman's chronicle, demonstrating honesty and grit. She stands tall in an illustrious line of fearless journalists, writing with the courage of their convictions." – Tahira Abdullah

Development worker, researcher and rights activist http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=463783

If Born Again / Talat Rahim Karachi: Paramount Books (Pvt.) Limited, 2018 xviii, 262p. 9789696374633 \$ 30.00 / HB 474gm.

A truly engrossing book whose premise is a hypothetical question, the title of the book — If Born Again. The first book of its kind, which attempts to bring together high achievers and inspiring people from India and Pakistan — the two great nations, struggling to achieve a lasting relationship of trust and peace, even after a long period of seven decades. Fluttering through their childhood fantasies, relating anecdotes from their eventful lives, this book has some truly remarkable quotes from those interviewed.

Highly imaginative questions put to these personalities, famous in their own world of human domain that they represent, has resulted in

responses, which are really very distinctive and heartfelt. The narratives which emerge, if taken together, lead to one message conveyed by all — the message of love and harmony.

All the twenty-two outstanding individuals interviewed are bonded by the cord of humanity. The arc of history favours those that courageously stand steadfast against the darkness of enmity to welcome a new dawn of friendship. This book serves to contribute in that great endeavour to build bridges across man-made chasms of separation and despair. http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=463784

Economics

China Pakistan Economic Corridor: Demands, Dividends and Directions / Saeed Shafqat & Saba Shahid
Lahore: Centre for Public Policy and Governance, 2018
160p.
9789699661044
\$ 30.00 / PB
240gm.

The monograph looks at the socioeconomic and political implications of the CPEC for Pakistan and attempts to provide a novel academic perspective to an area of study that has long been dominated by journalistic, news-like articles. The research gives insight into some of the most pertinent challenges of governance the CPEC raises but also highlights the diverse set of opportunities the mega-project has to offer. It advocates for urgent policy reform in the management of CPEC projects in order to prioritize the potential of local economies and pushes for a human development based approach in the design and implementation process. The monograph's unique selling point is its objective analysis of the CPEC that will hopefully provide readers multiple perspectives on a highly contentious yet highly relevant policy issue.

http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=463785

Transforming Villages: How Grassroots Democracy Can End Rural Poverty at a Rapid Pace / Javed Ahmed Malik Islamabad: International Institute for Research and Dialogue, International Islamic University, Islamabad, 2018 viii, 256p.

Includes Index: Bibliography

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9789697576296 \$ 30.00 / PB 270gm.

The problem; the consequence; key elements of an indigenous ground up democratic model; citizens as accountability agents; transforming villages at a rapid pace: A new approach.

http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=463786

Education

Socio-Political Features of Educational Landscape in Pakistan / Dr. Zahid Munir Amir

Lahore: Institute of Islamic Centre, 2018

136p.

English & Arabic Text

- 1. Education -- Pakistan.
- 2. Education -- Curricular -- Pakistan.
- 3. Islamic education -- Pakistan.

\$18.00 / HB

216gm.

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History

Emergence of Libraries During the Ancient and Medieval Ages / Prof. Dr.

Muhammad Fazil Khan

Lahore: Allied Book Company, 2017

306p.

Includes Index

9789698133269

\$ 30.00 / HB

562gm.

http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=463788

A Documentary History of Islamic Education in Pakistan, Vol. I, 1947-

1970 / (Ed) Mumtaz Ahmad (et al.)

Islamabad: Emel Publication, 2016

xii, 344p.; 16x24cm.

Includes Index

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- 1. Education Pakistan
- 2. Islam Education Pakistan
- 3. History Pakistan

\$40.00 / HB

652gm.

"Leafing through the history of Pakistan since its inception in 1947, the demand for replacing the education system inherited from the Britiush with an Islamic system of education has been made by various social, religious and political quarters. In response, the successive governments in Pakistan established various commissions and committees to prepare guidelines for chalking out how Islamic education could be incorporated in the nation's general education within the broader objectives of a "true Islamic society and the stat"...A chronological approach adopted in these volumes would facilitate students and researchers to track down the historical evolution of the policy process as well as similarities and differences, if any, in the approaches of successive governments."

http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=224471

A Documentary History of Islamic Education in Pakistan, Vol. II, 1971-2012 / (Eds) Mumtaz Ahmad & Husnul Amin (et al.) Islamabad: Iqbal International Institute for Research and Dialogue, International Islamic University, Islamabad, 2016 xii, 221p.; 16x24cm.

Includes Index 9789697576012 \$ 40.00 / PB 386gm.

"Leafing through the history of Pakistan since its inception in 1947, the demand for replacing the education system inherited from the Britiush with an Islamic system of education has been made by various social, religious and political quarters. In response, the successive governments in Pakistan established various commissions and committees to prepare guidelines for chalking out how Islamic education could be incorporated in the nation's general education within the broader objectives of a "true Islamic society and the stat"...A chronological approach adopted in these volumes would facilitate students and researchers to track down the historical evolution of the policy process as well as similarities and differences, if any, in the approaches of successive governments" http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=463790

The Pakistan Anti-Hero: History of Pakistani Nationalism Through the Lives of Iconoclasts / Nadeem Farooq Paracha

Lahore: Vanguard (V) Books, 2017

viii, 396p.

9789694026053 \$ 45.00 / HB

482gm.

In The Pakistan Anti-Hero, Paracha further explores the political and social evolution of Pakistan's polity which he first investigated in his best-selling debut, End of the Past. He expands this investigation by closely tracking the country's social and political trajectory through the lives of 'anti-heroes' – or those men and women whose place in history has transcended model heroic characteristics. From digging deeper into the psyches and histories of well-known men and women, to looking closer at the lives of those who have only briefly been explored, Paracha surveys the lives of scholars, ideologues, sportsmen, authors, politicians, militants, actors and even some obscure personalities that he met as a young man and then as a journalist. He cuts through the mainstream historical accounts of certain famous as well as notorious figures to study them in a more detached and yet empathetic manner to gain a starker understanding of a nation which has continued to develop through multiple existential crisis.

http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=463791

Jasmine and Journeys : The Life Quest of a South Asian Woman / Najma Shamsi

Karachi: Paramount Books (Pvt.) Ltd., 2017 xxii, 442p. 9789696372516 \$ 30.00 / HB 544gm.

"History, poetry, and autobiography merge in this beautifully written and moving account that takes us on a journey from South Asia to Canada, from Mohammed bin Qasim to Justin Trudeau. It is a simple but powerfully written saga of a family struggling with the great issues of our times — diaspora, migration and prejudice — characterized by joy, heartbreak, hope and courage. The book carries the waft of the jasmine flower and is a gift that every reader should cherish." – Professor Akbar Ahmed Ibn Khaldun Chair of Islamic Studies, American University, Washington, DC

http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=463792

Looking Back: How Pakistan Became An Asian Tiger By 2050 / Nadeem

Ul Haque

Karachi: KITAB (Pvt.) Limited, 2017

226p.

9780995903012 \$ 20.00 / PB 212gm.

By 2050, Pakistan had achieved a miracle. It had transformed itself from a poverty-ridden, malnourished, corrupt and aid dependent country in 2015 to qualifying for High Income category by the World Bank and the top decile in both the Competitiveness index and Social Progress Index by 2050. Where once travel advisories warned people from visiting, it is now key destination for foreign investors, students, research and even tourism. Once a basket case seeking aid, now it has a large sovereign wealth fund. Once homeland of hordes on unemployed youth and an exporter of cheap labor today Pakistan is a center of higher learning, research and the 7th largest patent recipient in the world.

How did this transformation take place? Was it good policy or good luck? Was this process driven by external aid or domestic pressures? What can we learn from this experience?

Eminent economist Nadeem Ul Haque creates a fictitious narrative in this book to comment on the practice of public policy in Pakistan and how it can shape future change.

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East Pakistan Separation: Myth and Reality / Khan Hussan Zia Lahore: Khan Hussan Zia, 2017 124p.

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- 2. Bangladesh -- History -- Revolution, 1971.
- 3. Politics and government.

\$35.00 / HB

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Christian's Role in Pakistan Movement / Raja Nathaniel Gill Lahore: Nigarshat Publishers, 2017 186p.

Includes Bibliography 9789694795645

- 1. Pakistan movement
- 2. Christians—Political activity—India—History—20th century
- 3. India—Politics and government—1919-1947

\$ 25.00 / HB

302gm.

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Law

Global Legal Systems and Constitutional Libretto in Pakistan, 2018 / Naeel Ullah Khan

Lahore: Manzoor Law Book House, 2017

x, 304p.

Includes Index \$ 30.00 / HB 586gm.

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Vulnerabilities of Judicial Review in Public Policy Implementation in Pakistan / Kashif Mahmood Tariq

Lahore: Manzoor Law Book House, 2016

192p.

\$30.00 / HB

382gm.

"This work is about factors that seem to affect the role of judiciary in Pakistan's governance. It mainly focuses on prerogative writ jurisdictions of high courts and original jurisdiction of Supreme Court to enforce fundamental rights and to provide adequate remedies against the ultra vires public actions. It attempts to locate reasons which hinder judiciary to ensure rule of law for good governance, tending to restrict judicial review to effectively review public policies and actions. The study discusses in some details that governments both democratic and non-democratic, have been conscious and often tried to counter the power of judicial review through amendments in constitutional history of the country."

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The Constitution History of Pakistan with Leading Constitutional Cases: Amendment and Case Laws Up To Date / Muhammad Manzoor Mehdi Lahore: Insight Law Book Publishers, 2018 308p.

\$ 40.00 / HB

456gm.

http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=463799

Legal Response to Custodial Death and Torture / Kashif Mahmood Tariq Lahore: Manzoor Law Book House, 2017 xiv, 192p.
Includes Bibliography

\$ 25.00 / HB

Rights of the Child in Islam: Theory, Mechanisms, Practices and Convention on the Rights of the Child / Muhammad Munir Islamabad: International Institute for Research and Dialogue, International Islamic University, Islamabad, 2017 xvi, 270p.
Includes Index; Bibliography 9789697576081
\$ 30.00 / HB
518gm.

This work attempts to discuss the rights of the child in Islam to caring, fostering and suckling. The work also highlights child's rights to be loved, right to life, health and education. Some other rights of the child such as the right to play, recreational activities, privacy, and decision making and respecting their views are also discussed in detail. The book describes rights of all children including orphans, step children and illegitimate children; In addition, the book presents duties of children towards their parents and parents towards their children under Islamic law. It depicts a comprehensive picture of some other aspects relating to child's right such as relations between children and their peers and impacts of neglecting child. The work also addresses the question whether there is any basis under Islamic law for female genital mutilation or FGM. It also takes into account several questions such as; what are the principles of Islamic law for child rearing; how should parents be responsible and accountable for ignoring their children; what is the role of the state in child protection; and what are the duties of a Muslim state in child protection?

http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=463802

Law and Development : An Alternative Indicator for the Measurement of Development / Sharafat A. Chaudhry

Islamabad: Iqbal International Institute for Research and Dialogue, International Islamic University, Islamabad, 2018

xxx, 176p.

Includes Index ; Bibliography 9789697576265 \$ 25.00 / PB 206gm.

Existing literature and scholastic views; international law and development; domestic law and development; research methodology; data analysis and discussion.

http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=463803

Linguistics

Revisiting Second Language Materials : A Pakistani Perspective / Dr. Asma Aftab
Karachi: Paramount Books (Pvt.) Ltd., 2017
416p.
9789696372912
\$ 40.00 / HB
600gm.

Language materials are tools (such as texts, activities and complete textbooks) utilized for language learning; in fact, the degree of language acquisition is largely dependent on the types of materials used in the classrooms. Thus language materials have been an important focus of literature in the past two decades. "Many of the books published are 'how to' books... but they are not based on research studies into materials" (Garton and Graves, 2014: 1). In contrast, this book presents a fresh outlook about the field of second language materials by illustrating and applying the theoretical assumptions in research involving comprehensive analysis of the ESL textbook scenario in Pakistan for the first time. The opening chapters encapsulate the concepts focusing on materials and other related areas and specify the practices deemed to be effective for second language learning. The main chapters discuss the findings highlighted through a recent study critically investigating the different educational aspects (primarily the textbooks) which have influenced the English language teaching context in Pakistan. This book is relevant for practitioners and students associated with the fields of ELT, TEFL, TESOL, applied linguistics, and education as well as

educational policy makers, English language teachers, and English language textbook writers in Pakistan and abroad.

http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=463806

Official Publications

The Pakistan National Bibliography 2014 / (Ed) Abdul Raziq Islamabad: Government of Pakistan, Department of Libraries, National Library of Pakistan, 2015

x, 102p.; 24cm.

ISSN: 1019-0678; 9789698014483

1. Bibliography, National - Pakistan

\$ 70.00 / HB 438gm.

http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=463808

The Pakistan National Bibliography 2015 / (Ed) Zaheer Hussain Rajar Islamabad: Government of Pakistan, Department of Libraries, National Library of Pakistan, 2016

viii,, 104p.; 24cm.

ISSN: 1019-0678; 9789698014490

1. Bibliography, National - Pakistan

\$ 70.00 / HB

http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=463809

Politics/International Relations

Pakistan Security Report : Special report 2017, Vol. 10, Spring 2018 (Jan-June) No. 1 / Khaled Ahmed (et al.)

PIPS Research Journal Conflict and Peace Studies

Islamabad: Pak Institute for Peace Studies (PIPS), 2018

288p.

ISSN: 2072-0408; 9789699370274

\$ 45.00/ PB 476gm.

Despite a 16% decline in terrorist attacks in 2017, Tehreek-e-Taliban Pakistan and its associated groups remained the most potent threat; they were followed by nationalist-insurgent groups, especially Balochistan Liberation Army and Balochistan Liberation Front. What has been quite alarming is the increasing footprints of Daesh, especially in Balochistan and northern Sindh, carrying out the deadliest attacks. These realities

require concerted effort and a revision of the National Action Plan, country's counter-terror plan for yet ambiguity remains about who is responsible for NAP. It will be much better that parliament provides oversight to not only NAP, help revise it in light of new realities, but also lay down criteria for mainstreaming militants – which drew debate in 2017. These are some of the major findings of the Pakistan Security Report 2017.

http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=463810

Pak-Saudi Relations / Prof. Dr. Ahmad Yousif A. Al-Draiweesh Islamabad: Iqbal International Institute for Research and Dialogue, International Islamic University, Islamabad, 2016 xii, 166p.

Includes Bibliographical reference 9789694083582

- 1. Pakistan -- Relations -- Saudi Arabia.
- 2. Saudi Arabia -- Relations -- Pakistan.
- 3. International relations.

\$30.00 / HB

722gm.

http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=463812

Doctrine of Necessity Militarism and Politics in Pakistan: A Primer for Students of Law and Politics / Dr. Zahid Mahmood Lahore: Manzoor Law Book House, 2017 288p.

Includes Bibliography

- 1. Law -- Pakistan.
- 2. Law -- Political aspects -- Pakistan.
- 3. Pakistan -- Politics and government.

\$35.00 / HB

566gm.

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Pakistan Movement : New Dimensions 1935-1948 / Dr. Riaz Ahmad Islamabad: Alvi Publishers, 2017

xiv, 508p.

Includes Index; Bibliography

9789692324502

- 1. Pakistan movement.
- 2. India -- Politics and government -- 1919-1947.
- 3. Politics and government.

\$65.00 / HB

802gm.

A new book by prominent historian, Prof. Dr. Riaz Ahmad has been published, titled 'Pakistan Movement: New Dimensions 1935-1948'. The author has highlighted milestones of Pakistan Movement relating to the period 1935-1948 with focus on struggle of Quaid-i-Azam Mohammad Ali Jinnah for the rights of the Muslims of South Asia. The most salient aspect of this book is that it is based on thorough research by the author who based his work on source materials. The author studied the basic sources for his book not only in Pakistan but also from India and Britain. In that way the book is an authentic document of the critical phase of Pakistan Movement. The book is highly useful for the academics as well as students of Pakistan Movement. The 500 page book offers a details account of events relating to Pakistan Movement in quite interesting manner. Prof. Dr. Riaz Ahmad, Tamgha-i-Imtiaz and Aizaz-i-Fazeelat, is a scholar of national and international repute with over 40 years of teaching and research experience.

http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=463815

 $Escalation\ Patterns\ in\ South\ Asia: Future\ of\ Credible\ Minimum$

Deterrence / Muhammad Sharreh Qazi Lahore: Peace Publications, 2017

x, 208p.

9789699988578

- 1. Nuclear arms control -- South Asia.
- 2. Nuclear weapons -- South Asia.
- 3. Nuclear weapons -- Government policy -- South Asia.
- 4. Deterrence (Strategy)
- 5. South Asia -- Military policy.

\$40.00 / HB

464gm.

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The Blind Eye: U.S. Non-Proliferation Policy Towards Pakistan from Ford

to Clinton / Rabia Akhtar

Lahore: University of Lahore, 2018

iv, 346p.

Includes Index 9789697813001 \$ 50.00 / HB

554gm.

The book studies the United States non-proliferation policy towards Pakistan under five administrations – Ford, Carter, Reagan, Clinton and Bush and it concludes that U.S. failure to prevent Pakistan from achieving and testing its nuclear weapons capability was not a policy failure per se but an enforcement failure

http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=463819

Nuclear Pakistan Seeking Security and Stability / (Ed) Nadeem Salik Lahore: University of Lahore, Printing Press, 2018 xxii, 274p.
Includes Index 9789697813001
CISS Security Series \$ 40.00 / HB 476gm.

The book brings to the reader a comprehensive account of the various aspects of Pakistan's nuclear program; ranging from doctrinal and legislative aspects to that of the technological and peaceful side. The chapters in the book, authored by scholars from diverse academic and policy background, provide in a simple and easy to read language a Pakistani account of the development of its civilian as well as nuclear weapons program, doctrinal aspects and dismisses the misplaced notions of being the fastest nuclear weapons program of the world.

http://www.marvmartin.com/web?pid=463826

Political Leadership, Military Interventions and Democratization in Turkey and Pakistan / Irsa Shafiq

Islamabad: Iqbal International Institute for Research and Dialogue, International Islamic University, Islamabad, 2018

x, 284p. Includes Index 9789697576166 \$ 30.00 / PB 374gm.

The quest for democratization in civil-military nexus; theoretical perspectives on civil-military relations; paradigmatic shift in civil-military pattern- a case study of Turkey; the unequal equation of democratization & bonapartism- a case study of Pakistan; Turkish lessons for Pakistan's ordeal; conclusion.

http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=463821

The Challenge of Transforming FATA: The Role of Governance / Arif Mahmood Khan – Lt. Col. (R).

Islamabad: Iqbal International Institute for Research and Dialogue, International Islamic University, Islamabad, 2018

xvi, 222p. 9789697576135 \$ 30.00 / PB

294gm.

Historic perspective; governance challenges and economic review; prevailing security environment; analysis, conclusions and recommendations.

http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=463822

Indifference in the Times of Extremism : Articles written in the Past, Present and of the Future / Mahmood Shaam Karachi: Paramount Books (Pvt.) Ltd., 2017 xii,304p. 9789696373063 \$ 30.00 / HB 504gm.

A line borrowed from the different articles written over many years construct a collage and a mosaic of ideas that the book presents: It is a pity we suffer from the very diseases the Father of the Nation had pointed out in the very first year of our existence. Our society badly suffers from a deep-rooted structural imbalance. This imbalance has been manifested time and again but no serious effort has been made to repair this manufacturing defect. We need to examine whether individuals here were responsible for their sad plight or society failed to create opportunities and the right environment for the individual to exist. Our society exhibits a general trend to follow the herd. Fresh ideas, bold initiatives and new thoughts have stopped emerging. This denial of self-hood, disrespect for individuality and humiliation by the state, the government and society drives individuals to nothingness, indifference and makes them feel there is no purpose to their lives. Creativity is a must for the growth of individuals and the society.

We have turned into a society of imitators, impostors and mimics. Our attitude as individuals or as a group at the national level is casual and encourages ad-hoc thinking. We want to live for the moment; we have no confidence in the moments yet to come.

Political parties formulate broad-based alliances for temporary interests and gains. They increase their strength and influence, but for the same

reason they weaken from within. Different powers are at play in Pakistan. Every power has to play its role in its sphere, but if there is a vacuum lies in some part of society, the other part is likely to stretch itself to fill the vacuum.

Pakistan was still only three years old, and danger was being felt that some elements were undermining the s tate in the name of religion. Today, this disease is 55 years old and acute. Terrorism has been at its extremes in the past few years. This juncture of history is teeming with disputes, crisis and clashes but at the same time it offers countless opportunities. History tells us that such decisive crossroads have appeared before also but instead of seeing the objective, we were swept away in a flood of emotions. To dwell on the past or discuss it is an exercise in futility. Our destiny should be very different from the ongoing events. We must decide our destiny, determine our goals and devise means that will lead us towards them.

We should be active and united to stop these forces of darkness. The wheels of history always trundle forward. Time is very short. Think - shake your conscience out of its slumber.

http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=463823

Nation Building Paradoxes in India and Pakistan : A Diplomat's views of systemic and good governance challenges and opportunities / Syed Hasan Javed

Karachi: Paramount Books (Pvt.) Ltd., 2018 xvi, 208p. 9789696374091 \$ 35.00 / HB 418gm.

The governing political elites in South Asia have failed to establish an 'inclusive society', at a time of profound global transformation and power shift. Even more unfortunate, Pakistan and India are bracing for yet another 'lost era' with their third generation gearing up for conflict. The chances of 'sleepwalking' into another conflict will always remain there. May be this time, both countries will walk into it, with their eyes wide open, but helpless. The ordinary people in South Asia have remained condemned to hope by those, who should have instead provided 'solutions' to them. India's protracted struggle for geo-political domination, massive arms imports, resumption of threats and coercive diplomacy are 'bad omen' for South Asia's future.

The continuation of misery, poverty, extremism, intolerance and hate in South Asia is not only baffling, but is a matter of serious concern to all of its inhabitants, and the international community at large. In his book,

Ambassador Hasan Javed examines the factors contributing to malaise in South Asia, the enormous systemic/good governance challenges, as well as the opportunities.

http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=463825

Existential Question for Pakistan : Policy and Governance / Iftikhar

Ahmad

Pakistan: Mener La Mode (MLM) Publishing, 2017

256p.

Includes Bibliography 9789692318705

- 1. Social science Developing and Emerging Countries
- 2. Political science Terrorism Conflict resolving
- 3. Cooperation for peace and development
- 4. Challenges Pakistan faces
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