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Anthropology

Traditional health practices in Sri Lanka / Machiko Higuchi Amsterdam : VU University Press, c2002 218 p. : ill. ; 25 cm. Sri Lankan Studies 9 90-5383-741-8 \$ 19.50

[Sri Lanka represents one of those increasingly rare instances in which a system of traditional medicine has managed to survive despite its stepmother status, first under colonial rule, then under national governments, the indigenous system of medicine endures, serving about 50 per cent of the health care needs of the Sri Lankan population.

A lively introduction to traditional, age-old health practices in Sri Lanka, this volume examines the factors and processes by which people make choices between modern and traditional medicine.]

The Lion and the Sword : An ethnological study of Sri Lanka – Vol. 2 / Asiff Hussein Sri Lanka : Asiff Hussein, c2008 293 p. ; 23 cm. 978-955-97262-3-4 \$ 24.00

[The work titled The lion and the Sword. Volume 2 is the second of its series and is by far the most comprehensive work so far on the country's caste system. It is the culmination of much research, inquiry and field studies on the various caste groups inhabiting the island, settlements, occupations and family names of the country's different caste groups.]

Society, state and religion in premodern Sri Lanka / Amaradasa Liyanagamage

Colombo: Social Scientists' Association, c2008 xlvii, 327 p.; 23 cm. Includes maps. 978-955-9044-46-X

\$ 25.00

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Art

Sri Lanka Sculpture – Buddha / Nandana Chutiwongs (et.al)

Sri Lanka: Central Culture fund of Sri Lanka, c2007

112 p.: ill.; 46 cm.

Includes plates and bibliography.

CCF Publication No. 419

955-613-207-4

\$ 150.00

Pearls / Simryn Gill

Colombo: Raking leaves, c2008

201 p. : ill. ; 26 cm. 978-0-95566740-4

\$ 40.00

Pearls is a photographic record of Gill's ongoing bead-making project, in which she makes books into bead necklaces.

The One Year drawing project: May 2005-October 2007 / Edited by Sharmini Pereira Colombo: Raking leaves, c2008

v. : ill. ; 27 cm. 978-0-9556674-1-1

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[The book brings together the exchange that ensued between the four artists in response, and as a consequence, to the initial four drawings. It includes all 208 drawings from the project, presented in sequence and in their entirety. As a book, the project documents an exchange of view-points-artistic and ideological-sustained during a period of violent conflict in Sri Lanka. A chronology, complied by the artists, recalls the background of events against which this project infolded.]

Sigiriya: Kassapa's homage to beauty / Siri Gunasinghe

Colombo: Vijitha yapa publications, c2008

112 p.: ill.; 26 cm.

Includes bibliography and index.

978-955-665-003-7

\$ 35.00

[This fascinating royal residence has been thought of as a fortress providing Kassapa refuge from his vengeful brother (did Kassapa suffer from 'fatriphobia'), as a monastry and also as a replica of the heavenly abode of the god of wealth; all these thoughts underscore Sigiriya's propensity to overwhelm the seeker for meaning. Whatever Sigiriya is not, it is undoubtedly a great seat of joy both for its creator and the likes of him. Sigiriya's concern is beauty, both natural and man made.]

Economics

Growth, distribution and poverty alleviation / Patrica J. Alailima Sri Lanka: Kandy books, 2007 110 p.; 23 cm. Includes bibliography. 978-955-1076-10-9 1. Economics \$ 18.00

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124 p.; 22 cm.

Includes table and bibliography.

978-955-1086-13-8

\$ 20.00

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Colombo: Hector Kobbekaduwa Agrarian Research and Training Institute, c2007

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Sri Lanka: Small and medium enterprises developers, 2007

136 p. : ill. ; 22 cm.

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'Situation Essays' on insurance in Sri Lanka : (the most authoritative and comparative update against theoretical and practical experiences) / Wimal Wickramasinghe

Nugegoda: Dr. Wimal Wickramasinghe, c2008

xxiv, 689 p.; 25 cm. 978-955-50402-0-4

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[This book on insurance in Sri Lanka is unarguably the most authoritative and comparative update (up to end-October 2007) analyzed against a theoretical and practical perspective.

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Nugegoda: C.A. Sarathchandra, c2008

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v.: ill.; 46 cm.

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[1956 election was a revolution that overthrew the political and social power of a small, almost invincible, elite and its allies. The submerged majority led by the Mahajana Eksath Peramuna emerged into the sun to establish popular front government.]

N.U. Jayawardena: The first five decades / Kumari Jayawardena Sri Lanka: N.U. Jayawardena Charitable Trust, c2008 199 p.: ill.; 26 cm. Includes bibliography, photography, and Index 978-955-1772-10-9 \$ 60.00

[The book also examines formative experiences in NU's life, such as his education at St. Aloysius' College, external London degree in Economics, his work on the 1934 Banking Commission and his studies in Business Administration at the London School of Economics. It also takes a look at the role NU played, behind the scenes, the shaping some of Sri Lanka's key financial institutions.]

Remembered Vignettes: Recollections of the life of a medical student in Ceylon of the early 1960's. / Philip G. Veerasingam

Sri Lanka: Bay own press, c2008

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xii, 163 p.; 21 cm.
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Through deep waters / Priyantha de Silva Sri Lanka: Priyantha de Silva, c2008 229 p.; 24 cm. 978-955-50906-0-5 \$ 14.00

[Through deep waters' unfolds the eventful years spent by a Sri Lankan sailing over the seven seas of the world. He captures vividly the thrills, joys and the agony of meeting interacting and parting with many a soul from different continents, during his extraordinary journeys round the globe.]

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[The story step by step unravels his ancestry in masterful manner keeping the reader at edge. In the process of his discovery he is exposed, as is the reader, to every aspect of the geography, history, and the culture of the country. As he travels around the country Andrew Geoge savors the marvels of historic cities, religious places of worship and the life style of every segment of the society.

Konappu Bandara / P.S.W. Goonawardena Colombo: Godage Book Emporium, 2007 376 p.; 22 cm. 955-20-9185-3 \$ 22.00

[In this book P.S.W. Goonawardena tries to inspire Patriotism in the minds of adolescents by narrating the story of King Wimaladarmasuriya Senkadagalanuwara. It was Konappu Bandara alias Wimaladarmasuriya, assuming the role of saviour who re-established the Sinhalese Royal Dynasty in the hill country, which was on the verge of collapse with the demise of king Rajasinghe of Sitawaka.]

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Uragoda

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Includes references and index.

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Sri Lanka: Wimal Wickramasinghe, c2008

444 p.; 23 cm. 978-955-50402-1-1 \$ 30.00

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Mission to Oslo / Mahinda Weerasinghe Sri Lanka: Vijitha Yapa Publications, c2008 237 p.; 21 cm. 978-955-665-010-5

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Development and conflict in Sri Lanka - 2nd Edition / Kumar Rupesinghe Colombo: Colombo: Foundation for Co-Existence, 2008 xii, 451 p.; 22 cm. Includes references. 978-955-1358-10-5 \$ 32.00

My belly is White / Austin Fernanado Colombo: Vijitha Yapa Publications, c2008 xv, 927 p. : ill. ; 21 cm. 978-955-665-016-7 \$ 49.50

Recollections of the author of his role in the ethnic conflict in Sri Lanka.

In the shadow of a people's president / Evans Cooray Colombo: Vijitha Yapa Publications, c2008 xxx, 433 p.; 23 cm. 978-955-665-015-0 \$ 25.00

[It is well-known fact that evans worked dedicatedly to build the Premadasa image working very closely and faithfully with R. Premadasa as the Press Officer of the Ministry of Local Government, and then as the Press Secretary of the Prime Minister and the President. His experience of working for several years in the editorial staff in four leading English and Sinhala newspapers before joining the Department of Information was of immense help to him in his task.

Truthfully speaking: war, peace and human rights / Ketheshwaran Loganathan Sri Lanka: Point Pedro Institute of Development, c2007 121 p.; 24 cm.

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[This report contains a summary of the discussions at these five workshops, conducted over a period of two years. It brings together a rich collection of views from diverse stakeholder and conflicting debates around the reformation of the Sri Lankan state.1

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Colombo: Foundation for Co-Existence, 2008

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Hector Abhayavardhana : Selected writings Colombo: Social scientists' Association, c2008

xiv, 398 p.; 23 cm. 978-955-1772-18-5 1. Political writings

\$ 29.50

[The collection of Hector Abhayavardhana's selected forms an important contribution to the history of the Left Movement and politics in Sri Lanka and India. Hector Abhayavardhana's life was an eventful one. Born in 1919, he was educated at St. Thomas' College, and graduated from the University of Ceylon, where he became a Marxist and an active supporter of the Lanka Sama Samaja Party (L.S.S.P.) in the late 1930s. .]

Early Warning: Selected Works from 1985-1996 / Kumar Rupesinghe

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A guide to current constitutional issues in Sri Lanka / Ruana Rajepakse

Sri Lanka: Citizens' Trust, c2008

168 p.; 23 cm.

978-955-1965-00-6

\$ 24.00

This book is designed to provide the lawyer and the general reader with an analysis of the main issues that have arisen from Sri Lanka's long - running debate about constitutional reform. It includes both law and recent political history, and aims to provoke thought and help the reader to ask the right questions.]

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Colombo: National peace council of Sri Lanka, c2006

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