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# Anthropology

Ancient China: Studies in Early Civilization / Edited by David T.Roy; Tsuen-hsuin

Tsien

Hong Kong: The Chinese University Press, c1982

viii, 370 p. ; 22 cm. Includes Index. 962-201-144-6

\$ 25.00

[The articles represents major disciplines in ancient Chinese studies, including archaeology and anthropology; epigraphy, philology, and linguistics; intellectual history; and philosophy, art and literature. They are arranged roughly in chronological order, covering all important periods from pre-history to the Later Han dynasty in A.D.220. Students in Chinese studies will find this collection of scholarly papers a significant contribution to the understanding of Chinese culture in the ancient period.]

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Xuan Wu / Compiled by Wang Congren [Translated by Ren lingjuan, Ling Xiangming, Bao Zhong]

Hong Kong: Hai Feng Publishing Co., 1996

333 p. : ill. ; 18 cm.

962-238-238

The Series of the worship of four spiritual beings

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Phoenix / Compiled by Wang Congren [Translated by Li Guoqing]

Hong Kong: Hai Feng Publishing Co., 1996

294 p.: ill.; 19 cm.

962-238-236-3

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White Tiger / Compiled by Wang Congren [Translated by Li Shujuan]

Hong Kong: Hai Feng Publishing Co., 1996.

355 p. : ill. ; 18 cm.

962-238-237-1

The Series of the worship of four spiritual beings

\$ 12.00

# **Architecture**

Being Chinese in Architecture: Recent Works in China / Rocco Design

Hong Kong: MCCM Creations, 2004.

132 p.: ill.; 26 cm.

988-97610-2-5

\$ 60.00

[Contents:

Architecture Resolution -Easy Baniassad

A Conversation with Rocco Yim -Gutierrez + Portefaix

Project Information

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Food for Thought in Asian Architecture-Rocco Yim.]

Hong Kong Government House 1997-2005

Hong Kong: The University of Hong Kong [University Museum and Art Gallery],

c2005

206 p.: ill.; 35 cm.

962-8038-55-9

\$ 55.00

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Heritage and Urban Planning in Macao: Discourse(s) on the City

Review of culture: Revista de Cultura International Edition 3, July 2002

Macau: Instituto Cultural, 2002

182 p. : ill. ; 27 cm. ISSN : 1682-1106

\$ 35.00

### Contents

Macao Mixed Architecture and Urbanization / Carlos Marreiros Desenvolvimento Do Tecido Urbano Da Cidade De Macau

Discourse on the City: Identity Formatio and Urban Change in Contemporary Macao The Portuguese Chromosome: Reflections on the Formation of Macao's Identity in

the Sixteenth and Seventeenth Centuries

Quando O Tempo Rescende : A Obra De Jose Catela

A Passage through India: Jesuit Missionaries En Route To East Asia 1570-1700 The Western Missionaries and Macao During the Period of Emperor Kangxi

Education and Change in Macao's Portuguese Community

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Heritage and Urban Planning in Macao II: Visions for the City

Review of culture: Revista de Cultura International Edition 4, October 2002

Macau : Instituto Cultural 150 p. : ill. ; 27 cm. ISSN : 1682-1106

\$ 35.00

The Future of Macao's Past: An Epilogue

The Management of World Heritage Cities: Evolving Concepts, New Strategies Macao's Cultural Significance and Vision. Are they, or can they be, Compatible?

Approaches to Managing Urban Transformation for Historic Cities

Current Issues concerning Adaptative Re-use in the Conservation of Urban Cultural Heritage

Cultural Significance : The Identity of Macao Multiple Identities among the Malacca Portuguese

Portuguese Literary Voices from Macao

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#### **Business**

Small Business Management and Entrepreneurship in Hong Kong: A Case Study / Edited by Ali Farhoomand

Hong Kong: Hong Kong University Press, c2005.

xxvii, 296 p.; 26cm. 962-209-758-8

[Small and medium companies are the prime engine for economic growth in Hong Kong and to a large extent, in southern China. So-called "SMEs" account for 95 percent of companies in Hong Kong and employ about two-thirds of the workforce. The managers and entrepreneurs behind these companies contribute to all aspects of Hong Kong's development. Yet it is interesting to note that the management of small businesses is significantly different from that of multinational companies. Management experiences vary widely on account of the different skills, resources and environmental pressures that SMEs face. There is no doubt that the various facets of SME management warrant deeper study.

The University of Hong Kong's Asia Case Research Center (ACRC) -- with the backing of the Trade and Industry Department of the Hong Kong Government -- has undertaken the development of a series of case studies to showcase the challenges facing small businesses and entrepreneurs in Hong Kong, and some innovative approaches they adopted. The case studies are topically diverse, and span a range of managerial functions and sectors. This casebook is an anthology of 28 cases from the series. The cases are written with a strong management perspective to offer a practical and interesting look at how successful entrepreneur-managers in Hong Kong systematically generate innovations in the shape of successful new products, services, processes and technologies when faced with various organizational and environmental challenges. They constitute a comprehensive self-contained course of study; each case can also be considered on its own.]

British Business in China 2004: The Directory of Members of British Chambers of Commerce in China

Hong Kong: PPP Company Ltd, c2004. xl, 360 p.: ill.; 25 cm. Includes Index. 988-97524-3-3 \$ 110.00

# **History**

Woosung Road: The story of China's First Railway / Peter Crush Hong Kong: The Railway Tavern, 1999.
119 p.: ill.; 22 cm.
Includes Bibliography.
962-85532-1-6
\$ 15.00

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China / Text by Neil Leach [Photographs by Gutierrez + Portefaix]

Hong Kong: Map Book Publishers, 2004

128 p. : ill. ; 18 cm. 962-86040-9-0 \$ 15.00

[What does China really look like in the beginning of the 21<sup>st</sup> century? China paints decisive and contemporary portraits of the country through short, thematic segments that blend lively, highly visual text by Neil Leach, and sumptuously illustrated photographs by Gutierrez+Portefaix. The book portrays china as the new America, a country that is fast becoming not only the leading industrial nation, but also a dynamic centre of world culture.]

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Early Swiss-Chinese encounters The Basel Mission in Hong Kong / Tong Wing Sze Hong Kong : The University of Hong Kong [University Museum and Art Gallery],2005 80 p. : ill. ; 30 cm. Includes Bibliography. 962-8038-48-6 \$ 15.00

# [Contents:

Message Madeleine STRUB -JACCOUD : Director of Mission 21. Protestant Mission

Message Elder Joshua YAU: President of the Tsung Tsin Mission of Hong Kong

Foreword Francois BARRAS: Consulate General of Switzerland

Foreword YEUNG Chun Tong

Introduction Tong Wing Sze: Divinity School of Chung Chi College, CUHK

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The Life of Basel Missionaries and Their Appreciation of Chinese Culture

The Import of Western Culture by Basel Missionaries.

Swiss-Hong Kong Friendship

Selected Bibliography]

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Hedda Morrison's Hong Kong: Photographs and Impressions 1946-47 / Edward

Stokes

Hong Kong: Hong Kong University Press [Hong Kong Conservation Photography

Foundation], c2005.

xvii, 282 p.: ill.; 25 cm.

962-209-754-5

\$ 49.50

[In September 1946, when the photographer Hedda Morrison reached Hong Kong, it

remained little changed from decades earlier. Acclaimed for her images of China

taken in the 1930s and 1940s, Hedda Morrison delighted in recording the patterns of

everyday life. Now, captivated by Hong Kong and its people, she embraced the

colony's diversity. For six months, cameras in hand, Morrison roamed its districts,

streets coasts and valleys. This book presents the people and place she encountered.

Within years, much of what Hedda Morrison witnessed in 1946-47 would be swept

aside. Yet when she was there with colonial precincts, tenement streets, bustling

markets, itinerant hawkers, fisherfolk and rice farmers. In this book, Edward

Stokes's essays that portray the postwar years.

Hedda Morrison's photographs are the work of a masterful artistic photographer.

However, fewer than thirty of this book's reproductions have ever been seen before.

It was those images, first sighted in a 1946 government report, that led Edward

Stokes to begin searching for Morrison's original negatives -- which later were

discovered at the Harvard-Yenching Library of Harvard University. This is a unique record of a now vanished Hong Kong - the most complete pictorial account of how the colony looked during the decades from the early 1930s to the 1950s. Hedda Morrison's photographs will appeal to all who value documentary images, Asian History, and the ethnography of urban traders, crafts and rural Life.]

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**SHANGHAI**: A Century of Change in Photographs 1843-1949 / Lynn Pan with Xue Liyong and Qian Zognhao

9th Edition.

Hong Kong: Peace Book Co., Ltd., 2005.

150 p.: ill.; 25 cm.

962-238-498-6

\$ 50.00

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### **Journalism**

Jake's View / Jake van der kamp Quarry Place : SCMP Publishing Limited, c2004. 318 p.; 21 cm. 962-17-8850-1 \$ 16.00

[Jake's View is his selection of the hundred that he most enjoys writing since mid-2003,

Now grouped by general subject matter. Each of them is prefaced with a short commentary on the circumstances of the time and all the charts for which the column is so notes are included. The whole of this collection follows an introduction to his working life as a daily columnist-deadliness, sources, his preferred desk, his preferred software and the truth about his freedom of expression as a journalist.]

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# Linguistics

Among The Best: Stephen C. Soong Chinese Translation Studies awards 1999-2004 (Volume 2) / Edited by Eva Hung

Hong Kong: Research Center for Translation The Chinese University of Hong Kong, 2005.

224 p.; 22 cm. 962-7255-32-7

Translation Studies Research Series 5.

1. Translation and Interpreting - China

\$ 10.00

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Yes Prime Manipulator: How a Chinese Translation of British political Humour Came into Being / CHANG Nam Fung

Hong Kong: The Chinese University Press, c2005.

xxi, 274 p.; 22 cm.

Includes Bibliography and Index.

962-996-180-6

\$ 35.00

[This is an Analytical study of the author's Chinese translation of Yes Prime Manipulator (London: BBC Books, 1986), a work characterized by British political humour. Adopting a target –oriented approach, the book aims primarily to uncover the regularities that mark the relationship between function, process and product of the translated text. It find that the translation product has been overdeterminde by the interplay of a large number of factors besides the source text, namely, socio-political condition, literary and translation traditions, and the translator's poetics and ideology. The findings are brought to bear on a number of theories, especially the polysytem theory and other theories of the so-called "Manipulation School". An augmented version of the polysystem hypothesis proposed in an attempt to better accommodate investigations into the role of the translator together with other socio-cultural factors involved in the translation.]

### Literature

Martyrs' Shrine: The Story of the Reform Movement of 1898 in China / Lee Ao [Translated by Leo Ding, Tony Wen, and Wu-wu Young.] Hong Kong: Oxford University Press, c2000

xiv, 282 p.: ill.; 23 cm.

0-19-592438-x

\$ 39.50

[Lee Ao's novel Martyrs' Shrine: The Reform Movement of 1898 in China, based on the events of the "Hundred Days' Reforms" movement, has as its main characters several of the leading Chinese intellectual and political figures of the late nineteenth and early twentieth centuries-Kang Youwei, Ten Sitong, and Liang Qichao. A series of meeting between these and other characters at Fayuan the events in the novel and, as the novel progresses, the reader is swept up in their determined quest to overcome the obstacles to progress and modernization. With a plot that extends over forty years of Chinese history, Martyrs' Shrine is at the same time an ultimately pessimistic account of the possibilities for meaningful political change in China, and a hymn of praise to those who have fought against the odds to try to achieve it.]

The Emperor's Old Clothes / Jake van der Kamp Hong Kong: Chameleon press, c2004. 226 p.; 22 cm. 988-97061-1-3 \$ 18.00

[In The Emperor's Old Clothes, a senior civil servant tells a series of cautionary tales on the perils of big government in the Republic of Loranor, as its well-intentions emperor finds the road to Hell is paved with good intentions.]

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Chinese Women Writers: A Collection of Short Stories by Chinese Women Writers of the 1920s and 30s / Translated by Jennifer Anderson & Theresa Munford

Hong Kong: Joint Publishing Co., c1985

xx, 180 p.; 22 cm. 962-04-0359-2 \$ 20.00

[This is a collection of Chinese short stories written by women, about women. They Data from the 1920s and 1930s, an era of kaleidoscopic change and political chaos in Chinese society. Youth stood in the forefront of a revolution in ideas which challenged all that was rotton in the old society. Women were flinging open the door of the inner household and

demanding recognition as equal citizens of a China. In each These Stories the central figure is a women and it is through her eyes that the changing society of this time can be seen. The Women come from all spheres of life; from the countryside and from the city, old women and young, prostitutes, factory workers and intellectuals.]

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Culture, Identity, Commodity: Diasporic Chinese Literatures in English / Edited by Tseen Khoo and Kam Louie
Hong Kong: Hong Kong University Press, 2005
313p. Includes Index
962-209-760-x
\$ 39.50

This is a pioneering work focused on diasporic Chinese Literary production in English. It Provides broad-ranging, critically-engaged textual analysis that address the dynamic area of diasporic Chinese literary studies from American, Australian and Canadian Perspectives.

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An Oxford Anthology of Contemporary Chinese Drama / Edited by Martha P.Y.Cheung, Jane C.C.Lai Hong Kong: Oxford University Press (China) Ltd, c1997 xxvi, 873 p.; 25 cm. 0-19-586880-3 \$ 79.50

[This Collection of Fifteen plays aims to introduce Western readers to some of the finest Chinese Spoken drama produced in China, Taiwan, and Hong Kong over the last twenty years. The plays illustrate the distinct in the three areas and offer a record of

the socio-culture history of the Greater China region. Notes by the editors about the plays, performances, and playwrights place the work within their historical and artistic contests. The anthology is designed to represents a wide cross-section of living Chinese theatre, and the works range from socialist-realist, to comic, to the experimental and avant-garde. many of the plays combine traditions of Chinese drama-from Peking Opera and the martial arts-with Western ideas of plot and dialogue. Other draw on Chinese folklore, legends, and myths to play out contemporary themes and issues. Corruption in mainland China, the crisis of Maoist Communism, the Chinese diaspora, and the Chinese psyche are some of the themes explored in these plays.]

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# Official Publications

Hong Kong Energy Statistics – 2004 Annual Report

Hong Kong: Census and Statistical Department Hong Kong Special Administrative Region people's Republic of China, 2005.

37 p.: ill.; 29 cm.

\$ 10.00

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Report on 2003 Annual Survey of Transport and Related Services

Hong Kong: Census and Statistical Department Hong Kong Special Administrative Region people's Republic of China, 2005.

ii, 45 p.: ill.; 30 cm.

\$ 10.00

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Report on 2003 Annual Surveys of Storage, Communications, Banking, Financing, Insurance and Business Services

Hong Kong: Census and Statistical Department Hong Kong Special Administrative Region people's Republic of China, 2005.

iv, 78 p.: ill.; 30 cm.

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Report on 2003 Annual Survey of Wholesale, Retail and Import and Export Trades, Restaurants and Hotels

Hong Kong: Census and Statistical Department Hong Kong Special Administrative Region people's Republic of China, 2005.

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iii, 116 p.: ill.; 30 cm.
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\$ 10.00

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Report on 2003 Annual Survey of Building, Construction and Real Estate Sectors

Hong Kong: Census and Statistical Department Hong Kong Special Administrative Region people's Republic of China, 2005.

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iv, 50 p.: ill.; 30 cm.
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\$ 10.00

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Statistical Digest of the Services Sector –2005 Edition

Hong Kong: Census and Statistical Department Hong Kong Special Administrative Region people's Republic of China, 2005.

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xvi, 276 p.: ill.; 29 cm.
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\$ 29.50

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Report on Hong Kong Trade in Services Statistics for 2003 Hong Kong: Trade in Services Statistics Section, Census and Statistics Department iii, 67 p.; 30 cm. \$ 10.00

Social Data collected Via the General Household Survey: Special Topics Report No. 40 – Job-Changing of employed Persons

Hong Kong: Census and Statistics Department, General Household Survey Section (1), 2005

x, 61 p.; 30 cm.

\$ 10.00

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Social Data collected Via the General Household Survey: Special Topics Report No. 41 – Desire of economically inactive persons for taking up jobs if being offered suitable employment

Hong Kong: Census and Statistics Department, General Household Survey Section (1), 2005

xii, 67 p.; 30 cm.

\$.10.00

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Women and Men in Hong Kong-Key Statistics: 2005 Edition

Hong Kong : General Household Survey Section (2), Census and Statistics Department, 2005

xxii, 149 p.; 30 cm.

\$ 15.00

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# **Politics & International Affairs**

Broken Dragons: Crime and Corruption in today's China / Bruce Dalbrack Hong Kong: Inkstone Books, c2004.
167 p.; 23 cm.
962-86740-3-x
\$ 25.00

[China in the early 21<sup>st</sup> century is the world's fastest-growing economy, offering business and cultural opportunities unparalleled in modern history. Yet the glamour of pristine skyscrapers and the glitz of the newly rich and famous hides an uglier reality, one where the ethics of revolution have been forgotten, only money secures justice, officials often tolerate inhumane living and working conditions and countless lives are ruined.]

Asian Affairs Hong Kong: Asian Affairs, 2004. 96 p.; 24 cm. Quarterly Publication ISSN 1029-1903 US\$ 100.00 (Annual Subscription)

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Looking Back: President Mohammad Khatami

A Short Look at our History: Kazem Motamednejad The Fundamental Changes of the Iranian Society A Modern Society facing a pre-modern state Iran's view of the World

Global Issues

Foreign Policy in the Second Bush Administration / Barry Decker & Joey Long

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# Sociology

Aging Hong Kong-Issues Facing An Aging Society / Edited by Alex Yui-Huen kwan Hong Kong: Cosmos Books Ltd, 2002. 306 p.: ill.; 26 cm.

306 p. : ill. ; 26 cm 962993786-7 \$ 20.00

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Foreign Devils : expatriates in Hong Kong / May Holdworth (With Additional text by

Caroline Courtauld)

Hong Kong: Oxford University press, c2002

xiv, 298 p.; 23 cm. Includes Index. 0-19-592437-1 \$ 32.00

[Throughout Hong Kong's history, local people have dreaded, misunderstood, loved, and laughed at the foreigners in their midst. At first they found those strangers threatening and called them 'Foreign Devils', but today the term fan gweilo is more often uttered in a natural, ironic, or even an affectionate way. Based on interviews and memories, Foreign Devils presents a picture of the lives of expatriates in Hong Kong. Their recollections-candid, quizzical, touching, serious, and not so serious-are concerned as much with the great events and dramas of the day as with the delights and the place-the Governor Administrative Region no less than the single mother of adopted Chinese babies. They are all participants in the story of modern Hong Kong, Witch developed out the matchless synergy of Western enterprise and Chinese ingenuity. The Historical panorama would have been much less colorful without their commitment, talents, humor, and even, occasionally, their skullduggery.]

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Working with Youth-at-Risk in Hong Kong / Edited by Francis Wing-lin lee Hong Kong : Hong Kong University Press, c2005. xii, 146 p. ; 22 cm. Includes Index. 962-209-761-8 \$ 16.00

[According to the statistics from the Hong Kong Police, around 6000 juveniles (aged 7 to 15) were arrested each year in the last ten years. Although not all these young

people arrested were convicted as delinquents, the problem of youth-at-risk has drawn attention from the public and the government. Various Western and local theories have been offered to account for the problem. Some commonly recognized categories of atrisk youth are youth gangs, young substance abusers, school bullies, and cautioned juveniles. These young people are usually perceived as having an impulsive nature; they require welfare services rather than punishment as Criminals.

This volume is a collection of chapters covering various aspects of the youth problem. Besides examining the causes of the problem and the principles behind the solution, different and effective approaches in working with the various categories of at-risk youths are introduced. The overall aim is to help this group of young people to lead a healthy life and integrate into society as contributing members. The book contains both theory and practice, and is suitable for social work students and professionals.]

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Social Conflicts in Hong Kong 1996-2002 / Wan Po-san; Timothy Ka-ying Wong

Hong Kong: Hong Kong Institute of Asia-pacific Studies, 2005.

iv, 90 p.; 23 cm. 962-441-156-5

Occasional Paper No. 156 April 2005

\$ 8.00

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A Tale of Two Villages: The Story of Changing Village Life in the New Territories / Lee

Ho Yin; Lynne D.Distefano

Hong Kong: Oxford University Press (China) Ltd, c2002.

136 p.: ill.; 26 cm.

Includes Bibliography and Index.

0-19-592859-8

\$ 50.00

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Beyond The Metropolis: Villages in Hong Kong / Edited by P.H.Hase; Elizabeth Sinn

Hong Kong: Joint Publishing (H.K.) Company Limited, c1995

175. : ill. ; 35 cm.

962-04-1298-2

\$ 65.00

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Wo

Chapter Eight: Sha lo Tung

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