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**Architecture**

McGillick, Paul  
Concrete metal glass :Hijjas Kasturi Associates : selected works 1977-2007  
/Paul McGillick.  
Singapore : Editions Didier Millet Sdn Bhd,c2006.  
187 p. :ill. (chiefly col.) ;30 cm.  
ISBN: 9814155284  
\$ 46.00

Hijjas Kasturi Associates has been one of the leading architectural practices in Malaysia for over thirty years, during which time many of the firm's designs have become national icons. The firm has been particularly sensitive to social and environmental concerns, and notably successful in the integration of art with technology.

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Lim, William Siew Wai  
Asian Alterity: With Special Reference to Architecture and Urbanism Through The Lens of Cultural Studies / William S. W. Lim ; forewords by Andrew Lee (et al.)  
Singapore: World Scientific Publishing Co. Pte., c2008  
540p. ; 26.5cm. Includes bibliographical references and index  
ISBN-13: 9789812771070 (box set)  
ISBN-10: 9812771077(box set)  
ISBN-13: 9789812707710 (pbk)  
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1. Architecture and society – Asia  
2. Urbanization – Asia  
3. City and town life – Asia – Cross – cultural studies  
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\$ 78.00 (pbk)  
\$ 125.00 (set Box)

*Asian Alterity* is an interdisciplinary theoretical analysis that vigorously contests the homogeneity of the mainstream Eurocentric values. Part I argues for the need for an alternate perspective to be introduced so as to understand the diversity of Asia's cultural differences at their varied development stages and to meet the complex challenges of the explosive urban expansion and disruptive changes in traditional cultures and lifestyles.

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## **Business**

Lai, Hock Meng Peter; Lim, Young Sain Joseph

Good Practices for Managing Charity Funds / Peter Lai Hock Meng and Joseph Lim Young Sain

Singapore: Institute of Southeast Asian Studies; Saw Centre for Financial Studies, c2007  
100p. ; cm

ISBN: 9789810573362

\$ 14.90

This book, a project of the Saw Centre for Financial Studies, is meant to provide the Board of Trustees and those responsible for managing charity funds an essential guide on the good practices in the investment management of such funds. It discusses the results of a survey conducted by the Saw Centre on the investment practices of Institutions of a Public Character in Singapore, and covers important principles of the prudent stewardship of charity funds which include understanding the fiduciary duties of investment committees; preparing the investment committee charter and investment policy statement; appointing custodian, independent investment consultants and fund managers; and monitoring the performance of fund managers.

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Tan, Chwee Huat and Lim Young Sain Joseph

Singapore and Hong Kong as Competing Financial Centres / Tan Chwee Huat and Joseph Lim Young Sain

Singapore: Institute of Southeast Asian Studies; Saw Centre for Financial Studies, c2007  
111p. ; cm

ISBN: 9789810593629

\$ 14.90

The strong growth enjoyed by the Asia-Pacific economies has given rise to the development of several financial centres in the region. Tokyo is regarded as the leading financial centre of East while Singapore and Hong Kong are in the race to become the next largest international financial centres. The changing fortunes and developments of the East Asian and South East Asian economies have created exciting opportunities as well as potential threats for Singapore and Hong Kong as financial centres.

This book, a project of Saw Centre for Financial Studies, presents a descriptive snapshot of the performance of five major financial markets in Singapore and Hong Kong, namely, the banking industry, equity market, fund management industry, debt markets and insurance industry. An overview of key reforms carried out by the respective authorities is also provided.

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Bijapurkar, Rama

Winning in the Indian Market: Understanding the Transformation of Consumer India / Rama Bijapurkar

Singapore: John Wiley & Sons (Asia) Pte., Ltd. C2008

226p. ; 23cm. includes reference and index.

ISBN: 9780470821992

\$ 19.95

Rama has done a great service by capturing her vast experience this book for the benefit of all-from CEOs to market and business development professionals. She has

developed a very strong case for learning India on its own terms before investing. This book is a critical read for anyone considering building a large franchise for themselves in India.

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## **Economics**

International Financial Instability: Global Banking and National Regulation / (eds.) Douglas D Evanoff, George G Kaufman; et al.  
Singapore: World Scientific Publishing Co. Pte., c2007  
479p. ; 23.5cm.  
ISBN-13: 9789812707635  
ISBN-10: 9812707638  
\$ 98.00

This book explores the potential and problems of bank safety and efficiency arising from the rapidly growing area of cross-border banking in the form of branches or subsidiaries with primarily only national prudential regulation. There are likely to be differences in the treatment of the same bank operating in different countries or of different banks from different home countries operating in the same country with respect to deposit insurance provisions, declaration of insolvency, resolution of insolvencies, and lender of last resort protection. The book identifies these protection problems and discusses possible solutions, such as greater cross-border cooperation, harmonization and organizations.

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Rajan, Ramkishen S.  
Asia in the Global Economy: Finance, Trade and Investment / Ramkishen S. Rajan, Sunil Rongala.  
Singapore: World Scientific Publishing Co. Pte., c2008  
260p.; 24.5cm.  
ISBN-13: 9789812705730  
ISBN-10: 9812705732

1. Finance—Asia
2. Asia—Foreign economic relations
3. Asia—Commerce
4. Asia—Economic conditions
5. International economic relations

\$ 48.00

This book consists of 20 short essays on different dimensions of international economic policy with specific (though not exclusive) focus on Asia. Topics covered include: exchange rate regimes and reserve buildup in Asia; global macroeconomic imbalances; financial sector liberalization; international capital flows to and from Asia; infrastructure financing in Asia; foreign direct investment (FDI) flows, production networks, manufacturing and outsourcing in Asia; the economic rise of China and India; and trade, financial and monetary regionalism in Asia. While the book covers important and often technical economic issues of contemporary policy relevance, it is written in a manner that is easily accessible to non-economists, including students of public policy, international affairs, international commerce and business, as well as policy-makers and interested observers.

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Bridges Over Water: Understanding Transboundary Water Conflict, Negotiation and Cooperation. World Scientific Series on Energy and Resource Economics – Vol. 3 / Ariel Dinar; Stephen McCaffrey; et al  
Singapore: World Scientific Publishing Co. Pte., c2007  
458p. ; 24.7cm.  
ISBN-13: 9789812568939  
ISBN-10: 981256893X  
\$ 78.00

*Bridges over Water* places the study of transboundary water conflicts, negotiation, and cooperation in the context of various disciplines (such as international relations, international law, international negotiations, and economics), analyzing them using various quantitative approaches, such as river basin modeling and game theory. Case studies of particular transboundary river basins, lakes and aquifers are also considered. This is the first textbook for a relatively recent yet rapidly expanding field of study.

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Dowling, J. Malcolm  
Future Perspectives on the Economic Development of Asia. Advanced Research in Asian Economic Studies: 5 / John Malcolm Dowling  
Singapore: World Scientific Publishing Co. Pte., c2008  
540p. ; 23cm. Includes bibliographical references and index  
ISBN-13: 9789812706096  
ISBN-10: 9812706097

1. Technological innovations—Economic aspects—Asia
2. Asia—Foreign economic relations
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4. Political corruption—Economic aspect—Asia
5. Sustainable development—Asia

\$ 95.00

The future growth and development of Asia — the most dynamic economic region in the world today — will have important implications for the rest of the global economy. This book offers a futuristic perspective of a wide array of developmental challenges and opportunities facing Asian economies over the next two decades. The future is approached from several different developmental paradigms including technological change and innovation, regional cooperation within Asia and between Asia and the West, poverty reduction, ethics and corruption, and environmental challenges. Future prospects for the two giant economies of China and India are also explored. By offering a comprehensive look at the medium-term future of Asia from such a wide range of different viewpoints, this fascinating book will interest economists, social scientists, politicians, international investment managers and the general public alike.

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Acharya, Amitav  
Asia Rising: Who is Leading? / Amitav Acharya  
Singapore: World Scientific Publishing Co. Pte., c2008  
191p. ; 21cm.  
ISBN-13: 97898127771339 (pbk)  
ISBN-10: 9812771336 (pbk)  
\$ 25.00

China, India and Japan are among the biggest players in the global economy today. However, Asia's future depends not just on its impressive growth rates or its immense natural resources and human talent; rather, it also hinges on the quality of leadership provided by the major nations and associations of Asia, and their ability to overcome persisting rivalries and respond to new transnational challenges.

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## **General**

Simmons, S. G.

Club Class in Asia Pacific: The Insider's Guide to Private Members' Clubs / S. G. Simmons

Singapore: Editions Didier Millet, c2007

168p. ; 24cm.

ISBN: 9789814217439

\$ 30.00

An insider's guide to elite private clubs in places as diverse as Bangkok, Brisbane and beyond. They are linked by history and character, and form a unique network based on worldwide reciprocity arrangements that grew directly from that history. Written from personal experience and observation, this book includes descriptions of the clubs, their facilities, architectural points of interest and idiosyncrasies. Private clubs, as the writer puts it, place comfort over luxury, and as such are very different from the usual run of business hotels. This book provides a fascinating look at this exclusive world.

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National Museum of Singapore Guide / (text) Lola Lenzi

Singapore: Editions Didier Millet, c2007

128p. ; 24cm. Includes references and index

ISBN: 9789814217477

\$ 17.50

One of Singapore's most distinctive colonial landmarks, the National Museum of Singapore houses architectural highlights such as the glass rotunda and its 360° video wall, the unsupported glass passageway, and the hypnotic swinging chandeliers. The museum is a jewel in Singapore's crown and this handy Guide explains all. Tracing the institution's profound transformations since it was established in 1887, curator and art correspondent Iola Lenzi reveals fascinating insights into its history, architecture and its role within Singapore's cultural landscape. Exploring the museum's History and Living Galleries, which encompass the Fashion, Food, Film and Photography Galleries, engaging text explains the design, purpose and star treasures they house. Over 120 vivid photographs by Jörg Sundermann help to capture the museum's timeless charm as it continues to inspire visitors with its innovative approach to national history.

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## **History**

Leininger, Vera

Auszug aus dem Ghetto : Rechtsstellung und Emanzipationsbemühungen der Juden in Prag in der ersten Hälfte des 19. Jahrhunderts / Vera Leininger.

Singapore : Kuda Api Press, c2006.

429, XLIX S. : Kt. ; 23cm, 900 gr.

ISBN: 9810569556  
In German – On the Ghetto Life in During World War II  
\$ 70.00

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Many Pathways One Mission: Fifty Years of Singapore Education / (Ed) Lim Lai Cheng  
Singapore: Ministry of Education, c2007  
198p.; 28cm.  
1st Edition  
ISBN: 9810588593  
\$ 35.00

This study of the 50 years of Singapore education since 1957 is indeed in innovative format! Detachable facsimiles of certificates, letters and other archival material, actual postage stamps and the report cards of well-known persons are included in the extensively illustrated volume, which is not a chronological history. Lively, illustrated vignettes and memories of the personalities and achievement of individual teachers and others who have played essential parts in the ups and downs of Singapore education convey the realities of its history. With timelines.

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Tan, Guan Heng  
100 Inspiring Rafflesians , 1823-2003 / Tan Guan Heng  
273p. ; 23cm.  
ISBN-13: 9789812779465 (hbk)  
ISBN-10: 9812779469 (hbk)  
ISBN-13: 9789812778918 (pbk)  
ISBN-10: 9812778918 (pbk)  
1. Raffles Institution (Singapore) – Alumni and alumnae-Biography  
\$ 28.00 (hbk)  
\$ 18.00 (pbk)

This enlightening book describes the lives and achievements of eminent Rafflesians from Raffles Institution, Raffles Girls' School and Raffles Junior College, many of whom have served in the Singapore public and community service in the highest positions. The biographies contain little known facts of interest, which have been embellished with personal anecdotes obtained from those interviewed.

The book also represents a brave undertaking by a visually handicapped person, who is himself a Rafflesian.

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Over Singapore 50 Years Ago: An Aerial View in the 1950's / Brenda Yeoh, Theresa Wong  
Singapore: Editions Didier Millet, c2007  
121 p. :ill., col. maps ;33 cm.  
ISBN: 9789814155069  
\$ 30.00

Sure to fascinate anyone who has ever wondered what Singapore was really like in the old days, Over Singapore: 50 Years Ago offers a detailed aerial view of the historical

centre of the city and many of the outlying areas, from Woodland to Sentosa, from the West Coast. Residents of Singapore, visitors, geographers and historians will all enjoy this vivid document of the face of Singapore as it was in the 1950s.

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Tan-Oehler, Shirley

Gritty Nithi: The Remarkable Life of Nithiah Nandan - Comrade & Champion / Shirley Tan-Oehler

Singapore: National Trades Union Congress

140p. ; 24cm.

ISBN: 9789810589271

\$ 35.00

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## Literature

Sherry, Sylvia

Street of the small night market / Sylvia Sherry

Singapore: Marshall Cavendish Editions, c2008

162p. ; 19cm.

ISBN-13: 9789812615749

ISBN-10: 9812615741

1. Chinatown (Singapore) – Fiction

\$ 8.00

The Street of the Small Night Market, A teeming little Chinatown alley. The strays of the city crammed into its tiny cubicles – hawkers, beggars, opium-smoking storytellers, streetwise kids out for a penny...and the everpresent Green Dragon Mountain Secret Society, always watching for one more victim to menace.

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Isa Kamari

One Earth / Isa Kamari ; translated from the original Malay, Satu Bumi

Singapore: Ethos Books, c2008

145p. ; 20.5cm.

ISBN: 9789810598822

\$ 13.00

One Earth, Originally titled Satu Bumi in Malay, is the first English translation of Isa's prolific works. It is a tragic love story of a young Chinese girl adopted by a Malay family. Spanning the period from the Japanese Occupation to the attainment of independence in Singapore, the novel bring up issues of self-identity, rights, principles and personal choices.

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Berc, Shelley

Light and its Shadow / Shelley Berc

Singapore: Ethos Books, c2008

344p. ; 20.5cm.

ISBN: 9789810598815

\$ 19.00

*Light and Its Shadow* is the riveting story of Olive and Spider, two women whose lives bridge the 20th century. Mysteries and intricacies from their personal histories

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intertwine with the culture at large - from the rise of consumerism, electricity, the atom bomb, and the Internet to the nature of light itself. The range is at once immense and intimate.

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Writing Asia : The Literatures in Englishes. Vol.1. From the Inside : Asia Pacific Literatures in Englishes / (Eds) Edwin Thumboo; Rex Ian Sayson  
Singapore : Ethos Books, c2007  
512p.; 24cm.  
ISBN-13 : 9789810593148 (pbk)  
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Oriental Literature (English)  
English Language – Social Aspects -- Asia  
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Half a century of English for educational, administrative, creative, and other purposes sees the language secure and thriving in virtually all former colonies of Great Britain. Even where there were strong tides of nationalism trying to swamp it, some with official or semi-official support, subsequent global economic, financial, and technical/scientific realities have generated a new and strong lease on life for English, turning it into World Englishes.

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Interlogue: Studies in Singapore Literature Volume 7: Edwin Thumboo : Creating a Nation through Poetry / Peter Nazareth  
Singapore : Ethos Books, 2008  
237p.; 23cm.  
ISBN: 9789810594244  
Singaporean Literature (English) – History and Criticism  
\$ 25.00

Interlogue is a series which bring into critical focus the works of Singapore writers in English. The series aims for stimulating insights presented in refreshing manner through sustained engagements with variety of approaches, themes and perspectives.

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Flint, Shamini  
Criminal Minds; Asian Crime Fiction / Shamini Flint  
Singapore: Heliconia Press, c2008.  
245 p.; 20cm  
ISBN-13: 9789810592332  
\$ 14.00

The Asian Crime Fiction series features contemporary crime fiction set against a uniquely Asian backdrop. From the pristine streets of Singapore to the back alleys of Kuala Lumpur, the unusual tensions lurking beneath the surface of Asian society explode into conflict and murder.

Racial and religious fault lines are exposed in a murder investigation that rips apart the fabric of Malaysian society exposes the deep divisions within.

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Fong, Kenny  
Spooky Tales: True Cases of Paranormal Investigation in Singapore / Kenny Fong



Singapore: Marshall Cavendish Editions, c2008

184p. ; 20cm.

ISBN-13: 9789812614940

ISBN-10: 981261494X

1. Ghost – Singapore
2. Parapsychology – Singapore

\$ 10.00

Spooky tales of ghost sightings and encounters with the spirit world! Read them here as the Singapore Paranormal Investigators (SPI) investigate the extraordinary and, at times, controversial of the paranormal to try and get the truth. Whether they are cultural myths, heritage mysteries, domestic haunting, army ghost tales or personal encounters, the cases are real and presented with real-life footage and photographs taken during the investigations.

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Visakay, Frank

Jasmine Fever: Confessions of a Jaded Expat in Thailand / Frank Visakay

Singapore: Monsoon Books Pte Ltd, c2007

207p. ; 20cm.

ISBN-13: 9789810589738

ISBN-10: 9810589735

\$ 16.00

When New York chef Frank Visakay traded in the sweaty heat of the restaurant kitchen for the glorious tropical heat of Thailand, he thought he had found paradise. Not only was the lifestyle laid back, the food delicious and the beers chilled, but he was even attracting the attention of beautiful Thai women.

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Goneng, Awang

Growing Up in Trengganu / Awang Goneg

Singapore: Monsoon Books Pte Ltd, c2007

336p. ; 20cm.

ISBN-13: 9789810586928

ISBN-10: 9810586922

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Rich discursive insights and anecdotes are drawn from Malaysia writer Wan A. Hulaimi's childhood spent in a kampong near Kuala Trengganu. It is a meandering journey of memories and observations which brings back traditions and personalities not to be found in much of today's Malaysia.

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Deegan, Brian

Remembering Josh: Bali, a father's story / Brian Deegan

Singapore: Monsoon Books Pte Ltd, c2008

262p ; 20cm.

ISBN: 9789810592127

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On 12 October 2002 Brian Deegan's son Joshua was killed in the terrorist explosion that ripped apart the Sari Club in Bali's Kuta Beach. Through grief and anger, this father has

gone on a journey no parent should have to take. He has confronted the ghosts of his son's death, challenged the government version of the truth and fought for the answer nobody wanted to give.

Raw and powerful, Remembering Josh cuts to the heart of love and honesty. Nobody reading this book will be left unaffected by it.

Brain Deegan is an Adelaide magistrate. He has become a very public face for the families affected by the Bali bombings.

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### **Literature - Travel writing**

Lim, David

Against Giants: The Life and Climbs of a Disabled Mountaineer / David Lim

Singapore: An Epigram Book, c2003

164p.; 23cm.

ISBN: 9789810497316

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Surviving a rare, potentially fatal nerve disorder. Near cremation by invisible, high-intensity flames. Inches away from house-sized boulders screaming down from above. Negotiating hungry, man-eating crevasses on glaciers. Imagine facing all these and much more, as a partially disabled man.

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### **Official**

Singapore Yearbook 2007 / Ministry of Information, Communications and the Arts

Singapore: Ministry of Information, Communications and the Arts, c2007

352p. ; 23.5cm. Includes index

ISSN: 0129766X

\$ 20.00

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Singapore Government Directory, January 2008

Singapore: Marshall Cavendish Business Information Pte Ltd. c2008

VIII. 1128p. ; 25cm. Includes reference and index

ISSN: 0129-3109

\$ 39.50

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Guide to the Investment Regimes of APEC Member Economies: APEC Investment Experts Group, Sixth Edition, August 2007

Singapore: APEC Secretariat

iv. 569p. ; 30cm

ISBN: 9789810589875

\$ 75.00

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Census of Manufacturing Activities 2006

Singapore : Department of Statistics, 2007

1v.

\$ 15.00

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Economic Survey of Singapore 2007 – Annual Edition

Singapore : Department of Statistics, 2008

1v.

\$ 35.00

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### **Politics & International Relations**

Globalization and Its Counter-Forces in Southeast Asia / (ed.) Terence Chong  
Singapore: Institute of Southeast Asian Studies, c2008  
416p. ; cm.  
ISBN-13: 9789812304889 (hbk)  
ISBN-13: 9789812304780 (pbk)  
\$ 49.90 (hbk)  
\$ 39.90 (pbk)

This volume is a collection of essays from a diverse group of scholars. Collectively, they present a multidimensional perspective of globalization in Southeast Asia. They delve into the political, economic, security, social, and cultural dimensions of globalization and local responses, offering evidence of complex interfacing between the global and the local, thus championing the need for a multidisciplinary approach to globalization studies. This volume depicts globalization as an uneven and, sometimes, undesired process, and resists the temptation for easy conclusions to the challenges facing the region today.

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Regional Outlook: Southeast Asia 2008-2009 / (ed.) Deepak Nair & Lee Poh Onn  
Singapore: Institute of Southeast Asian Studies, c2008  
160p. ; cm  
ISBN: 9789812307675  
\$ 21.90

Launched in 1992, Regional Outlook is an annual publication of the ISEAS, published every January. Designed for the busy executive, professional, diplomat, journalist, or interested observer, Regional Outlook aims to provide a succinct analysis of current political and economic trends shaping the region, and the outlook for the forthcoming two years. This forward-looking book contains focused political commentaries and economic forecasts on all ten countries in Southeast Asia, as well as a select number of topical pieces of significance to the region.

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Language, Nation and Development in Southeast Asia / (eds.) Lee Hock Guan & Leo Suryadinata  
Singapore: Institute of Southeast Asian Studies, c2008  
229p. ; cm.  
ISBN: 9789812304827  
\$ 39.90

Language policies in Southeast Asia have been shaped by the process of nation-building on the one hand and by political and economic considerations on the other. The early years of nation-building in Southeast Asia generated intensive language conflicts precisely because state policies privileged the idea of a monolingual nation and thus endeavoured to co-opt or even do away with troublesome ethnic identities.

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Acharya, Amitav

Singapore's Foreign Policy: The Search for Regional Order / Amitav Acharya.

Singapore: World Scientific Publishing Co. Pte., c2008

205p. ; 23cm. Includes bibliographical references and index

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### Religion – Islam

Choudhury, Masudul Alam

The Universal Paradigm and the Islamic World-System: Economy, Society, Ethics and Science / by Masudul Alam Choudhury.

Singapore: World Scientific Publishing Co. Pte., c2007

169p.; 23.5cm. Includes bibliographical references and index

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### Sciences

Lim, Hwa A.

Multiplicity Yours: Cloning, Stem Cell Research, and Regenerative Medicine

Singapore: World Scientific Publishing Co. Pte Ltd, c2006

412p. ; 23.5cm.

ISBN: 9812568654 (hbk)

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This is the first book of its kind, with advance praises from practicing experts, that treats reproduction, cloning, stem cell research and regenerative medicine in an integrative manner.

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### **Sociology**

Sinha, Vineeta

Harriet Martineau – Social Thinker and Methodologist: In Danger of Being Forgotten Once Again?. Working Papers No. 182 / Vineeta Sinha

Imprint: Singapore: National University of Singapore, Department of Sociology, c2007

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\$ 12.00

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Chua, Vincent

Social Networks and Labour Market Outcomes in the Meritocracy. Working Papers No. 183 / Vincent Chua

Imprint: Singapore: National University of Singapore, Department of Sociology, c2007

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Sahoo, Sarbeswar

Globalization and "The Politics of the Governed": Redefining Governance in Liberalized India. Working Papers No. 184 / Sarbeswar Sahoo

Imprint: Singapore: National University of Singapore, Department of Sociology, c2007

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Noorman Abdullah

Rave Encounters and the Meaningfulness of ATS Use: Realms of 'Alternative' Possibilities in Singapore. Working Paper No. 185 / Noorman Abdullah

Imprint: Singapore: National University of Singapore, Department of Sociology, c2007

31p. ; 30cm.

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Lee, Justin

Conditions for Progressive Research Programs in 'Qualitative' Sociology. Working Papers No. 186 / Justine Lee

Imprint: Singapore: National University of Singapore, Department of Sociology, c2007

37p. ; 30cm.

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ISSN: 01298186

\$ 12.00

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Ageing in Southeast and East Asia: Family, Social Protection and Policy Challenges /  
(ed.) Lee Hock Guan

Singapore: Institute of Southeast Asian Studies, c2008

264p. ; cm.

ISBN-13: 9789812307668 (hbk)

ISBN-13: 9789812307651 (pbk)

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Southeast and East Asian countries are undergoing varying stages of population ageing. The social, economic and political implications of population ageing will be enormous, and because of the fast speed of ageing in the region, the countries cannot afford the luxury of time for time for the gradual evolution of social and structural support systems and networks for the older population.

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