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Architecture

Shophouse/Townhouse : Asian Perspectives / (Eds) Wong Yunn Chii & Johannes Widodo

Singapore: Department of Architecture, 2016

9789810910655

\$ 32.00 / PB

864gm.

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Art

Photography in Southeast Asia : A Survey / Zhuang Wubin

Singapore: NUS Press, 2016

524p.

Includes Index ; Bibliography

9789814722124

\$ 42.00 / HB

1250gm.

Photography in Southeast Asia: A Survey is a comprehensive attempt to map the emergence and trajectories of photographic practices in Southeast Asia. The narrative begins in the colonial era, at the point when the transfer of photographic technology occurred between visiting practitioners and local photographers. With individual chapters dedicated to the countries of Brunei,

Cambodia, Indonesia, Laos, Malaysia, Myanmar, Singapore, Thailand, The Philippines and Vietnam, the bulk of the book spans the post-WWII era to the contemporary, focusing on practitioners who operate with agency and autonomy. The relationship between art and photography, which has been defined very narrowly over the decades, is re-examined in the process. Photography also offers an entry point into the cultural and social practices of the region, and a prism into the personal desires and creative decisions of its practitioners.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=235539>

Eating Together : The Design of Sharing Food in a Commercial World / Justin Zhuang & Sheere Ng

Singapore: In Plain Words, 2016

57p.

9789810995126

\$ 25.00 / PB

136gm.

Based on the Eating Together: The Design of Sharing Food in a Connected World exhibition commissioned by FoodCine.ma held from 11-21 May 2016, Lower Gallery Objectifs – Centre for Photography and Film Singapore

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=235540>

National Gallery Singapore : Art Spaces / (Author) Pauline Ang

UK/Singapore: Scala Arts & Heritage Publishers Ltd & National Gallery

Singapore, 2016

64p.

9781857599879

\$ 10.00 / PB

96gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=235541>

Iskandar Jalil : Kembara Tanah Liat (Clay Travels) : Pots talk among themselves in silent conversation / (Eds) Low Sze Wee & Seng Yu Jin (Foreword) Eugene Tan

Singapore: National Gallery Singapore, 2016

364p.

9789811101908

1. Iskandar Jalil, 1940 – Exhibitions
2. Pottery, Singapore – Exhibitions
3. Potters – Singapore – Exhibitions
4. Art Southeast Asian – 20th century – Exhibitions

\$ 65.00 / PB

1640gm.

An Exhibition organized by National Gallery Singapore

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=235542>

Artist and Empire : (En)Countering Colonial Legacies / (Ed) Low Sze Wee

Singapore: National Gallery Singapore, 2016

164p.

9789811106088

1. Art, British – Themes, motives-Exhibitions
2. Art, Colonia – Great Britain – Exhibitions
3. Colonies in art – Exhibitions
4. Great Britain – Colonies – In Art – Exhibitions
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6. Art, Southeast Asian -- Exhibitions

\$ 40.00 / HB

880gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=235543>

Economics/Development Studies

Is a New Entrepreneurial Generation Emerging in Indonesia / Gwenael Njoto-Fellard & Kathleen Azali

Singapore: ISEAS Publishing (ISEAS-Yusof Ishak Institute), 2016

32p.

ISSN: 0219-3213 ; 9789814762465

Trends in Southeast Asia Series, 2016 No. 13

1. Entrepreneurship – Indonesia

2. Small business – Indonesia

\$ 9.00 / PB

82gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=235545>

From Traders to Innovators: Science and Technology in Singapore since 1965 / Goh Chor Boon

Singapore : ISEAS - Yusof Ishak Institute, 2016

232p.

978-981-4695-78-7

\$ 24.90 / PB

Today, more than ever, the state of a country's science and technology is a critical factor for economic competitiveness and long-term growth. This book traces the development of science and technology policies and initiatives in Singapore since 1965. Developed as a trading entrepôt by the British, science and technology were never strongly emphasized, right up to the 1970s.

However, the need to stay ahead of economic competitiveness motivated the Singapore Government to initiate its national science and technology policy from the 1980s — moving Singapore from a low-skilled, low-technology economy to a high-skilled, high-technology one. Today, the drive for Singapore to become a hotbed for technological start-ups and R&D activities, supported by strong government funding and cutting-edge facilities, seems promising. Are the aspirations of nurturing a Silicon Valley—type culture in Singapore achievable? Are pragmatic, risk-averse Singaporeans ready for the mindset change? Can a nation of traders and service-brokers become a nation of technological innovators and entrepreneurs? This book attempts to provide the answers.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=235547>

The Veil of Circumstance: Technology, Values, Dehumanization and the Future of Economics and Politics / Jørgen Ørstrøm Møller
Singapore : ISEAS - Yusof Ishak Institute, 2016

298p.

9789814762557

\$ 35.90 /PB

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=235549>

Managing Globalization in the Asian Century: Essays in Honour of Prema-Chandra Athukorala / Hal Hill, Jayant Menon (Eds)

Singapore : ISEAS - Yusof Ishak Institute, 2016

537p.

9789814762274 (PB)

\$ 55.90 / PB

The global centre of gravity continues to shift to the Asia-Pacific, the most dynamic region in the world. These economies have generally grown faster for longer periods of time than any other major region in world history. Their embrace of globalization has been a central feature, and driver, of their dynamism. The management of Asia-Pacific economic integration and globalization is crucial not only for the countries themselves but also for the state of the global economy, including importantly latecomer developing economies who look to the region for analytical and development policy lessons. Twenty-seven leading international authorities in the field, drawn from nine countries, provide a comprehensive examination of the causes, consequences and challenges of globalization, in a volume that celebrates the distinguished career of Professor Prema-Chandra Athukorala.

Among the major issues examined are the region's distinctive approach to trade liberalization, the effects of economic growth on poverty reduction and the labour market, the special challenges of by-passed regions, the role of ideas in influencing policy making, the modalities of connecting to global production networks, and the importance of remittances in economic development. Several country case studies provide in-depth analyses of development processes and outcomes. These include episodes in economic development, the challenges faced by transition economies, the macroeconomics of adjusting to slower growth and rising debt in advanced economies, and the so-called middle-income trap phenomenon.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=235551>

Managing Globalization in the Asian Century: Essays in Honour of Prema-Chandra Athukorala / Hal Hill, Jayant Menon (Eds)

Singapore : ISEAS - Yusof Ishak Institute, 2016

537p.

9789814762304 (HB)

\$ 65.90 / HB

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History

A Tiger Remembers : The Way We Were in Singapore / Anne Wee
Singapore: NUS Press (Ridge Books), 2017

xxiv, 132p.

Includes Bibliographical references

9789814722377

1. Singapore – Anecdotes

2. Singapore – Social conditions – 20th century – Anecdotes

\$ 16.00 / PB

222gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=235556>

50 Years of Urban Planning in Singapore / (Ed) Heng Chye Kiang

Singapore: World Scientific Publishing Co. Pte. Ltd, 2016

xxvi, 322p.

Includes Bibliographical references

9789814656450 ; 9789814656467

World Scientific Series on Singapore's 50 Years of Nation-Building

1. City planning – Singapore – History

2. Urban policy – Singapore – History

\$ 62.00 / HB

786gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=235557>

Boundaries and Beyond: China's Maritime Southeast in Late Imperial Times
/Ng Chin-keong
Singapore : NUS Press, 2016
568 pages, 235mm x 156mm
9789814722018
\$ 50.00 / HB
600gm.

Using the concept of boundaries, physical and cultural, to understand the development of China's maritime southeast in late Imperial times, and its interactions across maritime East Asia and the broader Asian Seas, these linked essays by a senior scholar in the field challenge the usual readings of Chinese history from the centre. After an opening essay which positions China's southeastern coast within a broader view of maritime Asia, the first section of the book looks at boundaries, between "us" and "them", Chinese and other, during this period. The second section looks at the challenges to such rigid demarcations posed by the state and existed in the status quo. The third section discusses movements of people, goods and ideas across national borders and cultural boundaries, seeing tradition and innovation as two contesting forces in a constant state of interaction, compromise and reconciliation. This approach underpins a fresh understanding of China's boundaries and the distinctions that separate China from the rest of the world.

In developing this theme, Ng Chin-keong draws on many years of writing and research in Chinese and European archives. Of interest to students of migration, of Chinese history, and of the long term perspective on relations between China and its region, Ng's analysis provides a crucial background to the historical shared experience of the people in Asian maritime zones. The result is a novel way of approaching Chinese history, argued from the perspective of a fresh understanding of China's relations with neighbouring territories and the populations residing there, and of the nature of tradition and its persistence in the face of changing circumstances.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=223858>

Majulah Moments : 50 Years of National Day Parades / (Ed) Eunice Quek PC
(Curator) Joyce Fang

Singapore: Straits Time Press Pte Ltd, 2016

1v.

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Sayonara Singapura : The Japanese occupation of Singapore as seen through
the eyes of a journalist compelled to work for the Japanese anti-British
propaganda machine / (Author) Parapuram Joseph John

Singapore: Monsoon Books, 2016

224p.

9789814625357

\$ 22.00 / PB

170gm.

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Memories of a Nyonya / Queeny Chang

Singapore: Marshall Cavendish Editions (Marshall Cavendish International),
2016

224p.

9789814751575

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2. Malaysia – Biography
3. China – Biography

\$ 18.00 / PB

262gm.

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Early Kingdoms : Indonesian Archipelago & the Malay Peninsula / Paul Michel Munoz (Ed) Gregory Lee

Singapore: Editions Didier Millet Pte Ltd (edm), 2006 (Reprinted 2016)

392gm

Includes Index ; Bibliography

9789814610117

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660gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=235567>

Mdm Kwa : The Life of Mrs Lee Kuan Yew / Morgan Chua

Singapore: Epigram Books, 2016 (Published 2011 by Sang Kanchil Publications)

Second Edition

viii, 136p.

9789811700729

1. Kwa, Geok Choo, 1920-2010 – Caricatures and cartoons
2. Lee, Kuan Yew, 193-2015 – Caricatures and cartoons
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Literature

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Singapore: Celestial (Select Books Pte Ltd), 2016

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9789811114250

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Singapore: Epigram Books, 2016

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Singapore: Epigram Books, 2016

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Politics

Electoral Politics in Cambodia : Historical Trajectories and Current Challenges
/ Aurel Croissant

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Singapore/Malaysia: ISEAS-Yusof Ishak Institute (ISEAS Publishing) & SIRD, 2016

xx, 324p.

Includes Index ; Bibliography

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Learning Diplomacy : Cambodia, Laos, Myanmar and Vietnam Diplomats in ASEAN / Deepak Nair (Series Eds) Su-Ann Oh Ooi Kee Beng

Singapore: ISEAS Publishing (ISEAS-Yusof Ishak Institute), 2016

32p.

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