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Temple Architecture : A Classical Approach with special reference to Karnataka /
Aparna Co. Sa

Karnataka historical Research Society, Dharwad, India 2018

xxii, 512p.; ill.; photos; 21cm.

Includes Bibliography

\$ 20.00 / null

600 gm.

This is a source book for the study of Temple Architecture with a classical approach, unlike the western. Structural aspect of the temple, with all its details, is produced here completely, though the illustrations are limited to Karnataka temples. Each and every part of the temple-its nomenclature, features, types, along with the historical development of parts-all are explained here.

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The Balyans : Ottoman Architecture and Balyan Archive / Buke Uras (Ed) N. Muge
Cengizkan (Translator) Tugce Selin Tagmat

Korpus Kultur ve Sanat Yayincilik, Istanbul, Turkey 2021

352p.

9786055495671

\$ 200.00 / HB

2430 gm.

The Balyans is a prominent family of architects who designed and built architectural works for the Ottoman sultans for three generations and achieved a unique interpretation of the Ottoman local architectural language, thereby shaping the architectural taste and preferences of the palace and marking the last century of İstanbul as an imperial capital. The Balyan architectural practice, participated by various family members, especially Krikor (1764-1831), his son Garabed (1800-1866) and grandsons Nigoğos (1826-1858), Sarkis (1831-1899) and Hagop (1838-1875), was formed by their personal histories, as well as the professional knowledge passed down through generations. The Balyans, who designed many important buildings such as Dolmabahçe Palace, never wrote down texts revealing their architectural thoughts. In the absence of such texts, which would have helped us in understanding their design philosophy, the Balyan architecture was evaluated only in the light of their constructed buildings. For the first time, journalist and author Viscount Alfred de Caston (1821-1882) wrote the detailed biographies of the family members based on their constructed works in his article published in *Revue de Constantinople* in 1875 and defined the methodology to be followed for the Balyan historiography for the years to come. In addition to Caston's approach, this book aims to provide an insight into the history of Balyan practice with a detailed review of unconstructed projects from the Balyan Archive, which was preserved with great care by architect Levon Güreğyan (1869-1950) and later on by his family for more than a century up to the present time. The Balyan archive, with its unique and precious content reflecting the design process of the imperial constructions, was taken as a primary source, not only for the "drawing" but also for the "drafter". In the Balyan Archive, drawings of Beylerbeyi, Çırağan and Fer'iye palaces, projects for the extension of the Büyük Mâbeyn Kiosk of Yıldız Palace and the organization of the Dining Hall at Şale Kiosk where the mother-of-pearl inlay doors from Çırağan Palace were used, a renovation proposal for Bâb-ı Ali (Sublime Porte), a plan of the Esma Sultan Mansion in Kabataş, Galatasaray High School, an important plan for the Ottoman museum history about the repository of old weapon collections at Hagia Irene (Aya İrini), projects for industrial facilities such as Dolmabahçe Gasworks and Imperial Fez Factory (Feshane Fabrika-i Hümâyunu), and probably most important of all, drawings from the design process of the Aziziye Mosque, a little-known masterpiece of Sarkis and Hagop Balyan, which was the only selâtin mosque commissioned by an Ottoman sultan to be built with four minarets after centuries, were identified and reintroduced into the Ottoman architectural history.

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Age-Friendly Neighbourhood Planning and Design Guidelines : A Singapore Case Study / Dr Belinda Yuen (et al.)

World Scientific Publishing Co. Pte Ltd., Singapore 2021

350p.;

9789811243417

\$ 60.00 / HB

Age-Friendly Neighbourhood Planning and Design Guidelines: A Singapore Case Study provides evidence-based research and examples of existing good practices on health-enabling, age-friendly neighbourhood provision. These relate to the planning and design of outdoor spaces and enabling opportunities for active, healthy ageing. Importantly, our research prioritises the need to engage with older people when creating neighbourhood environments that contribute to healthy ageing in place.

The book and its supplementary toolkits touches on 3 main stages of age-friendly neighbourhood project — planning (environmental audit), implementation (planning and design guidelines) and evaluation of progress made (post-implementation review). We hope that these materials will contribute to the ongoing discourse of how to (re)envision urban neighbourhoods to enhance health and quality of life as people age. Needless to say, they do not supersede but support existing guidelines or regulations to improve everyday neighbourhood environment for healthy ageing in place.

Co-creation with older people is a central tenet of our research on ageing urbanism at the Lee Kuan Yew Centre for Innovative Cities. The Lee Li Ming Programme in Ageing Urbanism conducts applied research on built environment and health of ageing population, arguing for a more integrated environmental, social and spatial approach to identify the connection between the built environment, health and quality of life that can inform the design for age-friendly neighbourhoods and communities.

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Structural Performance : A Visual Record of Strengthened Vintage Masonry Buildings After the Christchurch Earthquakes to Inform a Better Future / Dmytro Dizhur

Dmytro Dizhur, Auckland, New Zealand 2021

168p.

9780473564322

\$ 90.00 / HB

1200 gm.

This book marks the 10th anniversary of the 2011 Christchurch earthquake, which transformed this New Zealand city.

It provides first-hand insights into the types of damage that occurred to numerous masonry buildings during the 2010-2011 earthquake sequence, illustrates the historical significance of various buildings and showcases earthquake-strengthening techniques that worked and others that didn't. The observations in this book are an essential guide to help preserve much-loved historic buildings in the future, ultimately saving lives in New Zealand and globally.

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Tokyo : LIXIL Publishing 2021

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Mikami Architects Architecture--Japan--Illustrated Works

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Hispanic Philippine Churches : An Architectural Study / Benito J. Legarda Jr. (Ed)
Jonathan Best

Ortigas Foundation, Inc, Pasig, Metro Manila, Philippines. 2020

72p.;

9789719491958

\$ 55.00 / HB

650 gm.

In his final book, the late historian Benito Legarda Jr tried to bring to light what makes our Spanish-era churches truly Filipino.

Distinguished economist, historian and scholar Benito Legarda Jr had devoted his writing career in promoting Filipino culture and history. He served as deputy governor of Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas, among many others. The prolific historian focused his essays and articles on the Spanish colonial galleon trade, the Philippines's 19th-century economy and the Second World War in Manila, which he had witnessed and experienced during his teenage years.

With his passing last year at the age of 94, the Ortigas Foundation Library decided to publish his architectural study from the '60s about Hispanic Philippine churches. Complemented with modern photographs from the Ortigas Foundation's extensive collection, Hispanic Philippine Churches: An Architectural Study was finally published.

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Masjid Ubudiah Kuala Kangsar : Architecture and History = Ubudiah Mosque
Kuala Kangsar : Senibina dan Sejarah / AR. Haji Mior Zawari Bin Haji Hassan

Hotel D'Village, Karai, Perak, Malaysia 2021

86p.; 21x21cm.

\$ 25.00 / null

320 gm.

Mungkin ramai yang tidak mengetahui, bahawa Masjid Ubudiah, Bukit Chandan, Kuala Kangsar telah diubahsuai dari reka bentuk asalnya pada tahun 1991 dengan tujuan untuk penambahan ruang solat. Secara amnya, Masjid Ubudiah tidak perlu diperkenalkan lagi kerana rekabentuk senibinanya telah meletakkan masjid berkenaan di kebanyakan peta-peta serta buku-buku pelancongan Malaysia. Pengubahsuaian ini telah mendapat perkenan Yang Teramat Mulia Baginda Sultan Perak yang ke-34 iaitu Almarhum Sultan Azlan Shah, dengan syarat tidak meruntuhkan struktur asal dan struktur tambahan tidak menonjol dari rekabentuk asal.

Buku dwibahasa ini (Bahasa Melayu/Inggeris) amat sesuai untuk rujukan semua! Koleksi wajib bagi perpustakaan-perpustakaan serta pencinta senibina dan sejarah.

Perhaps many are still unaware that the iconic Ubudiah Mosque, in Bukit Chandan, Kuala Kangsar has been renovated from its original design in 1991 with the aim of adding additional prayer space. Needing little introduction, the Ubudiah Mosque is well known throughout Malaysia and internationally due to its architectural design. The renovation was approved by the 34th Sultan of Perak, Almarhum Sultan Azlan Shah, on condition that it did not alter or overshadow the original structure in any way.

This bilingual book (Malay/English) is suitable as a reference work for all. It will make an essential addition for libraries as well as lovers of architecture and history.

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Muslim Architecture of Bihar Vol-I Patna and Biharsharif : 12th Cent. to 19th Cent. / Abha Rani

B R Publishing Corporation, Delhi 2020

xii, 100p.; ill.; 24cm.

Includes Bibliography

9789388789608

\$ 19.00 / HB

450 gm.

The present work is a valuable contribution to the study of Muslim architecture in Bihar. It is divided into four volumes dealing with medieval towns of Bihar. The present one deals with "Patna and Biharsharif - 12th to 19th century AD". In this volume, Dr. Abha Rani's work has critically analysed the design and execution of most of these buildings of Patna and Biharsharif. She has also described their decorative pattern and architectural excellence.

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