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# Food Waste to Valuable Resources

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food waste to valuable resources applications and management compiles current information pertaining to food waste placing particular emphasis on the themes of food waste management biorefineries valuable specialty products and technoeconomic analysis following its introduction this book explores new valuable resource technologies the bioeconomy the technoeconomical evaluation of food waste based biorefineries and the policies and regulations related to a food waste based economy it is an ideal reference for researchers and industry professionals working in the areas of food waste valorization food science and technology food producers policymakers and ngos environmental technologists environmental engineers and students studying environmental engineering food science and more presents recent advances trends and challenges related to food waste valorization contains invaluable knowledge on of food waste management biorefineries valuable specialty products and technoeconomic analysis highlights modern advances and applications of food waste bioresources in various products recovery

# **Enemies and Allies: An Unforgettable Journey Inside the Fast-Moving & Immensely Turbulent Modern Middle East**

2021-09

one arab country after another is signing historic game changing peace trade investment and tourism deals with israel at the same time russia iran and turkey are forming a highly dangerous alliance that could threaten the western powers rosenberg explains the sometimes encouraging sometimes violent yet rapidly shifting landscape in israel and the arab muslim world he introduce readers to some of the most complex and controversial leaders in the world and explores the future of religion and peace in the middle east adapted from jacket

## ***Audit and Accounting Guide: Life and Health Insurance Entities 2018***

2018-10-26

this book helps simplify the complexities of insurance entity regulatory compliance whether performing audit engagements or management at an insurance entity the 2018 edition of this guide is a must have resource to keep abreast of recent regulatory changes related to the life and health insurance industry its products and regulatory issues and the related transaction cycles that an insurance entity is involved with new to the 2018 edition this edition covers recent regulatory updates related to the affordable care act and provides guidance for new standards that impact life and health insurance including revenue recognition financial instruments leases and more

## **The Oxford Handbook of Australian Politics**

2021-10-20

the oxford handbook of australian politics is a comprehensive collection that considers australia s distinctive politics both ancient and modern at all levels and across many themes it examines the factors that make australian politics unique and interesting while firmly placing these in the context of the nation s indigenous and imported heritage and global engagement the book presents an account of australian politics that recognizes and celebrates its inherent diversity by taking a thematic approach in six parts the first theme addresses australia s unique inheritances examining the development of its

political culture in relation to the arrival of british colonists and their conflicts with first nations peoples as well as the resulting geopolitics the second theme improvization focuses on australia s political institutions and how they have evolved place making is then considered to assess how geography distance indigenous presence and migration shape australian politics recurrent dilemmas centres on a range of complex political problems and their influence on contemporary political practice politics policy and public administration covers how australia has been a world leader in some respects and a laggard in others when dealing with important policy challenges the final theme studying australian politics introduces some key areas in the study of australian politics and identifies the strengths and shortcomings of the discipline the oxford handbook of australian politics is an opportunity for others to consider the nation s unique politics from the perspective of leading and emerging scholars and to gain a strong sense of its imperfections its enduring challenges and its strengths

## ***Sick-Note Britain***

2019-03-01

dr adrian massey has worked at the intersection of medicine and society for decades he argues compellingly that our hyper medicalized society has falsely

equated sickness with illness and sickness with unfitness to work whereas sickness is primarily a social problem requiring social not medical solutions sick note Britain lays bare Britain's gross error when doctors cannot fix anxiety or chronic pain workplace attendance is still treated as a matter for arbitration by our strained primary care service what is needed is a tailored employer employee contractual solution but obstacles block this approach excessively complex employment law constraining both sides an outdated benefits system that overburdens doctors and traumatizes the vulnerable and a workplace culture that is too inflexible to keep sick employees in work this is a blistering condemnation of a sham system that works for nobody and an urgent call to rethink how we manage sickness for the sake of our economy our wellbeing and our health service

## **American Missionaries in Iran during the 1960s and 1970s**

2020-09-22

this work explores the interaction of american protestant missionaries with iranians during the 1960s and 1970s it focuses on the missionary activities of four american protestant groups presbyterians assemblies of god

international missions and southern baptists it argues that american missionaries predisposition toward their own culture confused their message of the gospel and added to the negative perception of christianity among iranians this bias was seen primarily in the american missionaries desire to modernize iran through education and healthcare and between the missionaries relationship with iranian christians iranian attitudes towards missionary involvement in these areas are investigated as is the changing american missionary strategy from a traditional method where missionaries had the final say on most matters related to american and iranian christian interaction to the beginnings of an indigenous system where a partnership developed between the missionary and the iranian christian

## **The Sustainable Development Goals**

2019-12-09

in 2015 the united nations launched the sustainable development goals sdgs to define and coordinate global priorities and aspirations up to 2030 in response to the economic social and environmental challenges faced by the planet many governments across the world signed up to these goals united nations secretary general ban ki moon noted at the outset that business would be a vital partner in achieving the sdgs this easy to digest book provides a



critical evaluation of how a range of multinational companies from across different commercial sectors are currently addressing the sdgs and the challenges they are facing in contributing to them the private sector has thus been set the challenge of responding positively in support of the sdgs whilst at the same time acting in the shorter term interests of its stakeholders using a wealth of illustrative materials drawn from company reports and other sources this book looks at the response of 80 companies and organisations from eight different industry sectors it examines the different approaches taken discusses how far the sdgs are actively supported and reviews how progress is being assessed against related targets and objectives in addition to an analysis of each industry sector the book provides a summary overview of all industry sectors studied identifying the most and least supported sdgs overall this book will be of interest to the fast growing body of academics studying and researching sustainability as well as to industry managers and public sector operators involved in sustainability management and reporting it provides detailed commentary and insights and identifies both key themes from the research and critical issues for the successful implementation of the sdgs in the period up to 2030

# ***Crimmigration in Australia***

2019-10-10

this multidisciplinary book introduces readers to original perspectives on crimmigration that foster holistic contextual and critical appreciation of the concept in australia and its individual consequences and broader effects this collection draws together contributions from nationally and internationally respected legal scholars and social scientists united by common and overlapping interests who identify critique and reimagine crimmigration law and practice in australia and thereby advance understanding of this important field of inquiry specifically crimmigration is addressed and analysed from a variety of standpoints including criminal law justice administrative law justice immigration law international law sociology of law legal history feminist theory settler colonialism and political sociology the book aims to explore the historical antecedents of contemporary crimmigration and continuities with the past in australia reveal the forces driving crimmigration and explain its relationship to border securitisation in australia identify and examine the different facets of crimmigration comprising the substantive overlaps between criminal and immigration law crimmigration processes investigative techniques surveillance strategies and law enforcement agents institutions and practices uncover the impacts of

crimmigration law and practice upon the human rights and interests of non citizens and their families analyse crimmigration from assorted critical standpoints including settler colonialism race and feminist perspectives by focusing upon these issues the book provides an interconnected collection of chapters with a cohesive narrative notwithstanding that contributors approach the themes and specific issues from different theoretical and critical standpoints and employ a range of research methods

## **The Routledge Handbook of English-Medium Instruction in Higher Education**

2024-03-21

this handbook discusses the theoretical and disciplinary background to the study of english medium instruction emi in higher education worldwide it highlights issues relating to emi pedagogy varying motivations for emi education and the delivery of emi in diverse contexts across the world the spread of english as a teaching medium and the lingua franca of the academic world has been the subject of various debates in recent years on the perceived hegemony of the english language and the domain loss of non english languages in academic communication encompassing a wide range of

contributions to the field of emi the chapters of this handbook are arranged in four distinct parts part i provides an overview of english medium instruction in higher education worldwide part ii focusses on emi in europe part iii on emi in the middle east north africa and sub saharan africa and part iv on emi in the asian region the overall scope and level of expertise of this handbook provides an unrivalled overview of this field of education it serves as an essential reference for many courses dealing with applied linguistics english language education multilingualism sociolinguistics and related subjects at many levels of education including master s and phd level studies this handbook serves as a valuable edition for university libraries across the world and an essential read for many faculty undergraduate and postgraduate students educators and policymakers

## ***Concussion in Professional Team Sports: Time for a Harmonised Approach?***

2021-03-20

the risk of athletes sustaining concussion while participating in professional team sports raises two serious concerns both nationally and internationally first concussion in sport carries a public health risk given

that injured athletes may have to deal with significant long term medical complications with some of the worst cases resulting in chronic traumatic encephalopathy cte secondly sports governing bodies are now exposed to the risk of financial and reputational damage as a consequence of legal proceedings being filed against them a good example of this among many other recent examples is the case of the united states of america s national football league nfl the governing body for american football which in 2015 committed to pay us 1 billion to settle the class action filed by its former professional players this book examines how to most efficiently reduce these public health and legal risks and proposes a harmonised solution across sports and legal systems

## **Handbook of Research on Science Teacher Education**

2022-04-26

this groundbreaking handbook offers a contemporary and thorough review of research relating directly to the preparation induction and career long professional learning of k 12 science teachers through critical and concise chapters this volume provides essential insights into science teacher education that range from their learning as individuals to the programs that cultivate their knowledge and practices each chapter is a current review of

research that depicts the area and then points to empirically based conclusions or suggestions for science teacher educators or educational researchers issues associated with equity are embedded within each chapter drawing on the work of over one hundred contributors from across the globe this handbook has 35 chapters that cover established emergent diverse and pioneering areas of research including research methods and methodologies in science teacher education including discussions of the purpose of science teacher education research and equitable perspectives formal and informal teacher education programs that span from early childhood educators to the complexity of preparation to the role of informal settings such as museums continuous professional learning of science teachers that supports building cultural responsiveness and teacher leadership core topics in science teacher education that focus on teacher knowledge educative curricula and working with all students and emerging areas in science teacher education such as stem education global education and identity development this comprehensive in depth text will be central to the work of science teacher educators researchers in the field of science education and all those who work closely with science teachers

# ***Routledge Handbook of Middle East Politics***

2020-03-31

drawing on various perspectives and analysis the handbook problematizes middle east politics through an interdisciplinary prism seeking a melioristic account of the field thematically organized the chapters address political social and historical questions by showcasing both theoretical and empirical insights all of which are represented in a style that ease readers into sophisticated induction in the middle east it positions the didactic at the centre of inquiry contributions by forty four scholars both veterans and newcomers rethink knowledge frames conceptual categories and fieldwork praxis substantive themes include secularity and religion gender democracy authoritarianism and new borderline politics of the middle east like any field of knowledge the middle east is constituted by texts authors and readers but also by the cultural spatial and temporal contexts within which diverse intellectual inflections help construct write speak academic meaning knowing and practice by denaturalizing notions of singularity of authorship or scholarship the handbook plants a dialogic interplay animated by multi vocality multi modality and multi disciplinarity targeting graduate students and young scholars of political and social sciences the handbook is significant for understanding how the middle east is written and re written

read and re read epistemology methodology and for how it comes to exist  
ontology

## **Fraternal Enemies**

2020-02-01

relations between israel and the gulf states are not anything new in the immediate aftermath of the 1993 oslo accords both qatar and oman established low level yet open diplomatic ties with israel in 2010 ha aretz reported that the former israeli foreign minister tzipi livni was on friendly terms with shaykh abdullah ibn zayed her counterpart from the uae despite the absence of formal diplomatic ties between the two states the shared suspicion towards the regional designs of iran that undoubtedly underpinned these ties even extended it was alleged to a secret dialogue between israel and saudi arabia led by the late meir dagan the former head of mossad cooperation between israel and saudi arabia in thwarting iran s regional ambitions also casts light on washington s lack of strategic leadership which had previously been the totem around which israel and the gulf states had based regional security strategies jones and guzansky contend that at the very least ties between israel and many of its gulf counterparts are now more vibrant than hitherto realized they constitute a tacit security regime which while based on hard



power interests does not preclude competition in other areas ultimately these relations are helping shape a new regional order in the middle east

## **Predictive Policing and Artificial Intelligence**

2021-02-25

this edited text draws together the insights of numerous worldwide eminent academics to evaluate the condition of predictive policing and artificial intelligence ai as interlocked policy areas predictive and ai technologies are growing in prominence and at an unprecedented rate powerful digital crime mapping tools are being used to identify crime hotspots in real time as pattern matching and search algorithms are sorting through huge police databases populated by growing volumes of data in an effort to identify people liable to experience or commit crime places likely to host it and variables associated with its solvability facial and vehicle recognition cameras are locating criminals as they move while police services develop strategies informed by machine learning and other kinds of predictive analytics many of these innovations are features of modern policing in the uk the us and australia among other jurisdictions ai promises to reduce unnecessary labour speed up various forms of police work encourage police forces to more efficiently apportion their resources and enable police

officers to prevent crime and protect people from a variety of future harms however the promises of predictive and ai technologies and innovations do not always match reality they often have significant weaknesses come at a considerable cost and require challenging trade off s to be made focusing on the uk the us and australia this book explores themes of choice architecture decision making human rights accountability and the rule of law as well as future uses of ai and predictive technologies in various policing contexts the text contributes to ongoing debates on the benefits and biases of predictive algorithms big data sets machine learning systems and broader policing strategies and challenges written in a clear and direct style this book will appeal to students and scholars of policing criminology crime science sociology computer science cognitive psychology and all those interested in the emergence of ai as a feature of contemporary policing

## **Russia Rising**

2021-07-01

the war in syria has put russia at the centre of middle eastern politics moscow s return to the region following a prolonged period of absence has enhanced its geopolitical status at a time it has emerged as a rival to the west yet contrary to the media hype vladimir putin is not set to become the

new power broker in this strategically important part of the world co authored by a team of prominent scholars and analysts from the eu us russia and the middle east this book explores russia s role in the middle east and north africa the diverse drivers shaping its policy and the response from local players chapters map out the history of russian involvement before and after the collapse of the soviet union the impact on key issues such as security and defence regional conflicts arms trade and energy as well as relations influential states and country clusters such as iran the gulf turkey israel egypt and the maghreb it also looks at how the middle east impacts on russia s relations with the west the book offers a balanced assessment of russian influence highlighting both the political diplomatic and commercial gains made thanks to putin s decision in september 2015 to intervene militarily in syria and the constraints preventing moscow from replacing the united states as a regional hegemon

## **Buddhism and Intelligent Technology**

2021-01-28

machine learning big data and ai are reshaping the human experience and forcing us to develop a new ethical intelligence peter hershock offers a new way to think about attention personal presence and ethics as intelligent

technology shatters previously foundational certainties and opens entirely new spaces of opportunity rather than turning exclusively to cognitive science and contemporary ethical theories hershock shows how classical confucian and socratic philosophies help to make visible what a history of choices about remaking ourselves through control biased technology has rendered invisible but it is in buddhist thought and practice that hershock finds the tools for valuing and training our attention resisting the colonization of consciousness and engendering a more equitable and diversity enhancing human technology world relationship focusing on who we need to be present as to avoid a future in which machines prevent us from either making or learning from our own mistakes hershock offers a constructive response to the unprecedented perils of intelligent technology and seamlessly blends ancient and contemporary philosophies to envision how to realize its equally unprecedented promises

## **Decentering Health and Care Networks**

2020-07-07

networks have become a prominent template for public service governance often seen as an alternative to hierarchies and contracts networks cross institutionalized organizational or sectoral boundaries to promote

collaboration and the sharing of resources when addressing complex problems nowhere is this more the case than in the field of health services modernization and improvement comprising unique empirical contributions drawn primarily from the experience of the uk national health service nhs this edited collection develops a decentred analysis of health and care networks contributors look beyond particular structures or patterns of governance and focus instead on the interpretation of the meaningful practices of policy actors as they encounter and enact policy instruments and structures the approach offers a distinct form of analysis that deepens and enriches more traditional public policy accounts of network governance it recognizes the influence of local history highlights the influence of dominant economic technical and corporate narratives and acknowledges the continued influence of biomedical knowledge and professional expertise offering practical insight for current and future service leaders about the challenges of implementing managing and working within networks this book draws out key messages for practitioners and researchers alike

## ***Intellectual Property Law***

2019-05-09

a uniquely practical approach to intellectual property law unfold the problem

reveal the law apply to life using this new and innovative textbook students are given a problem scenario to unfold as they do this they will learn to understand the key questions and issues surrounding each area of intellectual property law as each problem is explored clear explanations reveal the central legal concepts underpinning the relevant topic further illustrations and references to the problem apply the law enabling students to see for themselves how the law interacts with everyday life and business and giving them a deep and practical understanding online resources a range of additional online resources are provided online including guidance on how to approach the questions contained in the book regular updates on legal developments links to useful websites and examples of relevant documents

## **Podcasting in a Platform Age**

2024-01-25

podcasting in a platform age explores the transition underway in podcasting by considering how the influx of legacy and new media interest in the medium is injecting professional and corporate logics into what had been largely an amateur media form many of the most high profile podcasts today however are produced by highly skilled media professionals some of whom are employees of media corporations legacy radio and new media platform giants like google

apple amazon and spotify are also making big and expensive moves in the medium by acquiring content producers and hosting platforms this book focuses on three major aspects of this transformation formalization professionalization and monetization through a close read of online and press discourse analysis of podcasts themselves participant observations at podcast trade shows and conventions and interviews with industry professionals and individual podcasters john sullivan outlines how the efforts of industry players to transform podcasting into a profitable medium are beginning to challenge the very definition of podcasting itself

## **Wylie on Irish Landlord and Tenant Law**

2022-07-04

this fourth edition comprehensively deals with all aspects of landlord and tenant law both commercial and residential it provides essential guidance for all practitioners who advise on this area of law the book covers everything from the basics such as explaining the nature of the relationship between landlord and tenant to more complex matters such as when disputes arise and the controversial subjects of rent reviews and guarantees in this new edition the following is covered in detail for the first time legislation residential tenancies amendment act 2015 planning and development housing and residential

tenancies act 2016 landlord and tenant ground rents amendment act 2019  
housing standards for rented houses regulations 2017 court procedure circuit  
court rules jurisdiction 2017 district court residential tenancies rules 2018  
district court enforcement of orders rules 2020 the fourth edition also  
analyses recent cases on many aspects of the law including agreements for  
leases notices to quit application of european convention on human rights  
operation of residential tenancies acts forfeiture repairing obligations  
construction of leases set off against rent new tenancy rights keep open  
clauses user covenants and restraint of trade role and jurisdiction of  
experts tenant insolvency and examinership turnover rents surrender by  
operation of law ejectment proceedings renunciations quiet enjoyment and  
derogation from grant circuit court jurisdiction acquisition of the freehold  
and withholding consent to assignment wylie on irish landlord and tenant law  
has long been recognised as the definitive work on this area of law this  
title is included in bloomsbury professional s irish property law online  
service

## **China's Energy Security and Relations With Petrostates**

2021-07-26



this book examines the development of bilateral energy relations between china and the two oil rich countries kazakhstan and russia challenging conventional assumptions about energy politics and china s global quest for oil this book examines the interplay of politics and sociocultural contexts it shows how energy resources become ideas and how these ideas are mobilized in the realm of international relations china s relations with kazakhstan and russia are simultaneously enabled and constrained by the discursive politics of oil it is argued that to build collaborative and constructive energy relations with china its partners in kazakhstan russia and elsewhere must consider not only the material realities of china s energy industry and the institutional settings of china s energy policy but also the multiple symbolic meanings that energy resources and particularly oil acquire in china china s energy security and relations with petrostates offers a nuanced understanding of china s bilateral energy relations with kazakhstan and russia raising essential questions about the social logic of international energy politics it will appeal to students and scholars of international relations energy security chinese and post soviet studies along with researchers working in the fields of energy policy and environmental sustainability

# Flexible Work

2020-03-27

flexible work designing our healthier future lives examines flexible working through the lens of social science in particular using psychological perspective to address not only what forms of flexible working there are and how they are evolving but also their prospect in the future of work bringing together views from thought leaders and underpinned by research evidence this book addresses two of the most fundamental business challenges for large and medium organisations mental health and productivity calling for the bridging of science and policy to design flexible working for our future healthier lives growing from these foundations this book explains the latest landscape in flexible working looking at employee psychological health and productivity including showing up for work sick perspectives are provided from around the world on leadership line management over attachment with technology commuting skill based inequality and control over working time readers are offered insights into the relevance of flexible working for a diverse workforce invisible disabilities disabilities older workers and blended families throughout the book offers suggestions for shaping future policy practice and research each chapter concludes with recommendations making this essential reading for students academics human resource practitioners policy

influencers policymakers and professionals interested in flexible work

## **World Investment Report 2019**

2019-08-09

the 2019 edition of the world investment report focuses on special economic zones sezs which are widely used across most developing and many developed economies although the performance of many zones remains below expectations the rate of establishment of new zones is accelerating as governments increasingly compete for internationally mobile industrial activity policymakers face not only the traditional challenges to making sezs succeed including the need for strategic focus sound governance models and effective investment promotion tools but also new challenges brought about by the sustainable development imperative the new industrial revolution and changing patterns of international production the report explores the place of sezs in today s global investment landscape and provides guidance for policymakers on how to make sezs work for sustainable development it presents international investment trends and prospects at global regional and national levels as well as the evolution of international production and global value chains it analyses the latest developments in new policy measures for investment promotion facilitation and regulation around the world as well as updates on

investment treaties their reform and investment dispute settlement cases

## ***Forensic Interventions for Therapy and Rehabilitation***

2021-12-22

forensic interventions for therapy and rehabilitation case studies and analysis provides an up to date overview of the latest therapeutic ideas being used for forensic service users and prisoners in both custodial and community settings the field of forensic work is increasingly being recognised for its importance both in terms of the value of the work in reducing reoffending and in terms of the salience given to it by the media the public and politically this text reflects current policy and practice and furthermore considers the therapeutic encounter from a broad perspective which incorporates individual group and systemic interventions forensic interventions for therapy and rehabilitation includes chapters on a range of therapeutic models issues pertinent to specific groups of people with criminal convictions and discussion on the various contexts in which interventions take place forensic interventions for therapy and rehabilitation is essential reading for all students of forensic or clinical

psychology as well as practitioners in the field

## **Beaten Down, Worked Up**

2019-08-06

a page turning book that spans a century of worker strikes engrossing character driven panoramic the new york times book review we live in an era of soaring corporate profits and anemic wage gains one in which low paid jobs and blighted blue collar communities have become a common feature of our nation s landscape behind these trends lies a little discussed problem the decades long decline in worker power award winning journalist and author steven greenhouse guides us through the key episodes and trends in history that are essential to understanding some of our nation s most pressing problems including increased income inequality declining social mobility and the concentration of political power in the hands of the wealthy few he exposes the modern labor landscape with the stories of dozens of american workers from gm employees to uber drivers to underpaid schoolteachers their fight to take power back is crucial for america s future and greenhouse proposes concrete feasible ways in which workers collective power can be and is being rekindled and reimagined in the twenty first century beaten down worked up is a stirring and essential look at labor in america poised as it

is between the tumultuous struggles of the past and the vital hopeful struggles ahead a pbs newshour now read this book club pick

## Minority Rule

2024-04-23

a riveting account of the decades long effort by reactionary white conservatives to undermine democracy and entrench their power and the movement to stop them the mob that stormed the capitol on january 6 2021 represented an extreme form of the central danger facing american democracy today a blatant disregard for the will of the majority but this crisis didn't begin or end with donald trump's attempt to overturn the 2020 election through voter suppression election subversion gerrymandering dark money the takeover of the courts and the whitewashing of history reactionary white conservatives have strategically entrenched power in the face of a massive demographic and political shift ari berman charts these efforts with sweeping historical research and incisive on the ground reporting chronicling how a wide range of antidemocratic tactics interact with profound structural inequalities in institutions like the electoral college the senate and the supreme court to threaten the survival of representative government in america the will of the people wrote thomas jefferson in 1801 is the only

legitimate foundation of any government but that foundation is crumbling some counter majoritarian measures were deliberately built into the constitution which was designed in part to benefit a small propertied upper class but they have metastasized to a degree that the founding fathers could never have anticipated undermining the very notion of a government of the people by the people and for the people chilling and revelatory minority rule exposes the long history of the conflict between white supremacy and multiracial democracy that has reached a fever pitch today while also telling the inspiring story of resistance to these regressive efforts

## **Official Gazette of the United States Patent and Trademark Office**

2004

in recent decades there has been a groundbreaking evolution in technology every year technology not only advances but it also spreads throughout industries many fields such as law education business engineering and more have adopted these advanced technologies into their toolset these technologies have a vastly different effect ranging from these different industries the handbook of research on applying emerging technologies across

multiple disciplines examines how technologies impact many different areas of knowledge this book combines a solid theoretical approach with many practical applications of new technologies within many disciplines covering topics such as computer supported collaborative learning machine learning algorithms and blockchain this text is essential for technologists it specialists programmers computer scientists engineers managers administrators academicians students policymakers and researchers

## **Annual Report of the Railroad and Warehouse Commission of the State of Illinois**

1876

this book analyses problems of governance development and environment affecting contemporary pakistan issues that lie at the centre of federal and provincial policy deliberations formulation and implementation the book offers a comprehensive assessment of the policies or lack thereof authors from a variety of disciplines empirically and conceptually evaluate latest developments events and data regarding law and order economic under performance social intolerance and climate crisis the book offers varied perspectives on state sovereignty civil military relations spousal violence



rural development cpec nuclear governance and transboundary climate risk arguing that the conclusions should be adopted by the social political and economic stakeholders of pakistan as well as the region at the higher level of governability the book demonstrates that it would both boost national morale and inspire individuals to further investigate to come up with innovative solutions examining some of the most pressing and persistent problems pakistan and south asia is facing the book will be of interest to academics working in the fields of political science in particular south asian politics development studies and environmental studies

## **Handbook of Research on Applying Emerging Technologies Across Multiple Disciplines**

2022-04-08

this book explores the evolution of spanish feminism in the context of european feminisms and institutions from the 1960s to recent times beginning with sección femenina the official francoist women s organization feminism national identity and european integration in modern spain traces the interplay between spanish women s policy and international policymaking in some cases as with the sección femenina championed law of political rights

ley de derechos in 1961 spanish women s policy at least appeared more progressive than what western democracies offered notable at a time when spain was considered backward after franco s death in 1975 spain s democratic transition seemingly consolidated forward thinking women s policy with a constitution that guaranteed equality of the sexes in 1978 and with the creation of a national bureau charged with crafting women s policy the instituto de la mujer women s institute in 1983 yet feminists found themselves marginalized in spanish political decision making as kathryn l mahaney argues so successfully in this study mahaney reveals that women ultimately influenced domestic policy not by acting within national networks but by leveraging european connections particularly after spain joined the european economic community eec in 1986 the book shows that spanish feminists worked through the eec to gain international approval of policies that had met domestic opposition and did so by representing them as necessary litmus tests of nations democratic integrity their proposals were shaped by the specific context of spanish feminism but also by spanish debates about what rights democracies should grant women and what equality in a post fascist nation should encompass this ground breaking study explains that in turn these processes shaped both spain s and the european union s much prized self identities as democratic communities

## ***Perspectives on Contemporary Pakistan***

2020-06-09

this book presents the future directions of the digital economy post covid 19 era the chapters of this book cover contemporary topics on digital economy and digital initiatives undertaken by various organizations overall the book shares insights on how organizations can adapt and transform their processes structure and strategies to remain relevant and competitive in the new business and economic environment these insights also emerge from multidisciplinary discussions in various management domains such as consumer behaviour and marketing economics finance and accounting entrepreneurship and small business management environmental social and governance compliance future of work human resource management leadership inclusive workforce information systems and decision sciences international business and strategy and operations and supply chain management

## **Feminism, National Identity and European Integration in Modern Spain**

2024-04-18

sea otters and polar bears are carnivorous marine mammals that still resemble their terrestrial ancestors compared with cetacea whales and dolphins sirenia dugongs and manatees and pinnipedia seals sea lions and walrus they are less adapted for an aquatic life and the most recently evolved among marine mammals sea otters are amphibious but seldom come ashore and polar bears primarily occur on sea ice or along the shore when at sea both species spend most of their time swimming at the surface or making short shallow dives when foraging or pursuing prey indeed polar bears rarely pursue seals in water nevertheless polar bears are powerful swimmers and will stalk seals from the water as with many other large carnivores they are solitary hunters although sea otters are gregarious and form aggregations at sea called rafts they are primarily asocial except during mating the principal interaction among sea otters occurs between a female and offspring during the six month dependency period in large carnivores e g wolves and lions that feed on ungulates sociality and cooperation are favored because of the need to capture large prey and defend carcasses polar bears which are the largest terrestrial carnivore are solitary hunters of seals and are neither gregarious nor social males and females briefly associate during courtship and mating during this time males aggressively compete for females at other times males generally avoid each other except for aggregations of males that form while summering on land and females with cubs avoid males which are known for infanticide as with sea otters the interaction of polar bears outside of mating occurs

between a female and her offspring during the 2-3 year dependency period this interaction is critically important when altricial cubs are born in the winter den this book provides new insight into the ethology and behavioral ecology of sea otters and polar bears each chapter reviews the discoveries of previous studies and integrates recent research using new techniques and technology the authors also address historic and current anthropogenic challenges for their survival as climate change alters entire marine ecosystems

## ***Digital Economy Post COVID-19 Era***

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the israeli palestinian question has been at the heart of middle eastern politics for the last 80 years although the palestinian s land has been one of the main subjects of international politics since the beginning of the 20th century it was the unusual creation of the israeli state in 1948 that led to many regional crises since then the israeli state has been the instigator of many regional wars continuous expansionism discrimination and violation of international law and basic human rights millions of

palestinians were forced to leave their country and those who preferred to stay were deprived of their rights a special type of apartheid has been implemented by the israeli state all regional states and most global powers have been involved with this problem which is not only between the aggressive israeli nationalism and the defensive palestinian nationalism but also a conflict between the israeli state and the arab countries a civilizational dispute between a pro israeli coalition and muslim countries and a war that symbolizes the struggle between the oppressor and the oppressed a number of international organizations have passed different resolutions offering solutions to the problem among them is the islamic cooperation organization which was established following the many attacks against sacred places notably the city of al quds and al aqsa mosque in palestine the international community represented by the united nations un has been calling on the israeli state for decades to withdraw from the occupied palestinian territories and to abide by the international rules and principles as the un resolutions international law and international public opinion expect and palestinians also aspire for israel must withdraw from the occupied territories namely east jerusalem the west bank and the gaza strip and recognize an independent palestinian state as part of a two state solution however global powers especially the united states have not allowed the un to force the israeli state to move out from the occupied territories and to restore peace in the region in other words the palestinian people and muslim



nations have long witnessed the continuous israeli fait accompli the never ending palestinian suffering the weakness of the muslim middle eastern countries and the indifference of the global powers israel continues to violate not only the rights of self determination but also basic human rights for palestinians as one of the indications of this inhumane policy the gaza strip has been under continuous israeli blockade and attacks since 2006 israel has been attacking the gaza strip and the west bank intermittently to expand its territories in order to establish new illegal jewish settlements and squash any hope for palestinian statehood israel s large scale attacks against the gaza strip in 2008 2012 2014 2018 and 2019 have made conditions in palestine unlivable the latest attack in 2019 stopped with yet another cease fire however the fate of the most recent cease fire is not different from the previous ones israel has never fulfilled its promises and cynically considers the cease fire as a temporary process allowing time to prepare for a new wave of violence at a time when there is no will or strength in the arab world to resist against any anti palestinian and anti arab development the current israeli and u s government is trying to legalize the years of israeli atrocities crimes against humanity and violations of human rights most steps taken by these two governments contradict with and violate international norms and rules first the israeli parliament adopted a law that is known as the basic law or the nation state act in 2018 according to this law the right to exercise national self determination in the state of israel

is unique to the jewish people and thereby it denies palestinian people any national rights or existence second u s president donald trump s unilateral recognition of the united jerusalem as the capital of israel and the transfer of the u s embassy from tel aviv to jerusalem is a pivotal point in the history of the middle east for both regional and global actors this decision with significant implications for the middle eastern politics is not only about the transfer of the israeli capital from tel aviv to jerusalem but also about the halt of the middle eastern peace process furthermore it implicitly means that the u s supports the expulsion of palestinians from their homeland and the prevention of the establishment of a palestinian state in other words the u s has contradicted its traditional policy and has abandoned the long time advocated two state solution third contrary to basic rules of international law and a number of un resolutions the u s government announced that they do not consider the illegal israeli settlements in the occupied territories as inconsistent with international law the u s also stopped funding the united nations palestinian refugee agency unrwa and closed down the washington d c office of the palestinian liberation organization plo a body internationally recognized as the representative of the palestinian people with all these steps the u s government demonstrated that it fully and unconditionally supports the israeli state fourth trump has declared a so called middle east peace plan in january 28 2020 after meeting with israeli prime minister benjamin netanyahu and opposition leader benny gantz in

washington d c the u s government has ignored and violated all decisions made and resolutions passed by the un regarding the issue according to which the israeli state is an occupier of the palestinian land and violator of international rules and norms bearing in mind all these illegal steps it can be said that the u s shares the responsibility with israel for the violation of palestinian rights achieving peace between the israeli state and the palestinian people appears to be unachievable because the israeli side does not take any palestinian demands into consideration all steps taken so far have been unilateral and against the interests of the palestinians the deal of the century is no exception it is also a unilateral intervention to the question effectively it is a dictation to the palestinian israeli problem which ignores the realities on the ground the timing of the deal of the century has to do with the current situation in the arab world as a matter of fact today there is no political arab world since almost all heavyweight nationalist arab states are in chaos politically unstable or vulnerable the united arab emirates and saudi arabia who claim the leadership of the arab world are closely associated with the trump administration and the israeli state these two arab states and the current egyptian government support israel rather than the palestinians and blame palestinian political groups instead of the israeli state for the ongoing situation these states condemn the retaliatory actions conducted by the palestinians and remain silent about the inhumane treatment they suffer at the hands of the israeli war machine

consequently there is no strong arab state to defend the rights of palestinians for decades arab regimes have exploited the issue for domestic political legitimacy arab regimes who were afraid of their peoples tried to satisfy their demands by exaggerating the israeli threat nowadays it appears that their fear of external powers is greater which is why they capitulate to the demands of countries such as israel and the u s and accordingly use the palestinian issue in negotiations to their own benefit however trump s proclamation of the deal of the century caused fierce reaction from public opinion worldwide especially from the arab streets and muslim communities the trump administration miscalculated the civilian reaction this time it will be difficult to convince the arab public since it is much more aware than before about their regimes foreign policy behavior trump s declaration which contributed to the reunification of the arab and muslim peoples satisfies only radical christians and zionist jews as long as the blockade on the palestinian lands continues the region will be subject to new waves of violence considering the unstable international system ultra nationalist and xenophobic western politics chaotic regional atmosphere and israeli domestic politics it is not expected that the israeli government will ease the blockade and give some rights to the palestinians global powers such as the u s and the european union not only close their eyes to the israeli atrocities but also support its unequal and limitless violence even the un has begun to warn the two sides about the escalation of violence thus undervaluing the

israeli brutality by equating it with the small retaliatory actions of the palestinians therefore it can be said that there is currently no deterrent power in the world that is preventing israeli aggression only a significant change in the regional and global balance of power will bring considerable changes in israeli policies towards the region this new issue of insight turkey highlights different subjects regarding the israeli palestinian issue some of the leading and well known intellectuals and academicians from palestine israel turkey europe and the united states contributed to this issue focusing on different dimensions of the problem from a religious perspective more particularly in islam the status and significance of bayt al maqdis the city of al quds which is one of the main themes of the problem must be acknowledged ikrime saeed sabri's commentary explains the significance of bayt al maqdis by addressing the close bonds namely the bonds of creed worship civilization and culture and history which are firm ties that link muslims to bayt al maqdis and the land of palestine the resolution of the israeli palestinian conflict has faced many different obstacles since the united nations resolved to partition palestine into two separate states jewish and arab galilee golan addresses these obstacles between israel and palestine as well as possibilities for peace primarily the pragmatic 1988 plo decision to create a new state next to the state of israel in the west bank and gaza with a capital in east jerusalem she discusses the possibilities of achieving a political peaceful co existence in palestine and finds it quite

challenging the commentary written by victor kattan examines the legality of the israeli settlements and occupations in the west bank based on the perspective of international law and u s foreign policy he analyzes the motives of the international criminal court icc decision to initiate an investigation into the alleged war crimes committed in palestine by the israeli state which include israel s settlement activities in the west bank and east jerusalem is the two state solution to the israeli palestinian conflict achievable is the question that ian lusic seeks to answer in his opinion this solution is a pretty picture of the future that only good people can imagine meanwhile it remains just that a picture because there is a lack of effort to conduct negotiations between the israeli state and the palestinian people this lack of effort is mainly related to the nature of negotiations which have become highly provocative in recent years the influx of immigrant jewish communities from different countries to israel has disenfranchised the palestinians from their land although israel claims that it offers democratic rights for all its citizens in reality palestinians have nothing ran greenstein conceptualizes this situation by comparing the israeli policies with the practice of apartheid in south africa he identifies the policies practiced by israel as apartheid of a special type and a crime against humanity to reveal how the status of the original palestinian population has been ignored elia zureik highlights the israeli practices of governance in palestine and how the zionist movement and later the israeli

state have worked to kill the dream of the palestinian people for their own state this has been achieved through passing racially biased laws that discriminate against the native population and using violence when enforcing those laws especially after the israeli state codified its new citizenship law that defines israel as the state of the jewish people ayfer erdoğan and lourdes habash question the continuity of the u s policy making towards the israeli palestinian conflict especially under the trump administration the results show that there hasn t been a radical change throughout the administrations however the u s position in the conflict has become more transparent with a sharper pro israel tilt during the trump administration hamas has a dual role in the political and military struggle against the israeli state on one hand and fatah in palestinian politics on the other although hamas has had many achievements since its establishment in the late 1980s it has also failed in many aspects to understand why nasuh uslu and İbrahim karataş evaluate this dualist struggle of hamas in palestine the authors conclude that since hamas has been otherized by many international actors the palestinian authority pa and some international actors contributed more to this struggle however hamas is still expected to fulfill the needs of palestinians in addition to these eight articles focusing on the israeli palestinian issue there are some insightful pieces on a range of topics regarding turkey and international politics the transformation of international education with a turkey centric perspective strengthens turkey

s cultural diplomacy and soft power this transformation is led by different sub governmental and non governmental organizations one of the leading actors is the turkish maarif foundation in their commentary birol akgün and mehmet Özkan contextualize the foundation s foreign and domestic policy and outline a vision through evaluating activities over the past three years the principle of the more corrupt the country the less democratic it is likely to be can be measured in the balkan countries sabrina p ramet in her article addresses problems that the balkan countries are facing such as corruption unemployment and poverty with regard to the events of the gulf crisis farhan mujahid chak deconstructs the reasons and motives behind the quartet s blockade on qatar to do so he employs post colonialism variables assuming that the preponderance of the u s military power in the gulf cooperation council produces competing projects in the middle east he underlines three conflicting ideal types subservient resisting increasing and pivoting from engagement to resisting the american hegemony the article written by nur köprülü takes us back to the events of when the public protests engulfed most arab regimes in 2011 however she focuses on how the democratization processes in the mena region led to the empowerment of the islamist actors after decades of political exclusion hence within a domestic and regional context shaping the politics of islamist parties köprülü explores different trajectories of two countries in the region the inclusion of islamists in the case of tunisia and their exclusion in the case of jordan in the last piece



of this issue krizza janica mahinay analyzes the shift of the moro national liberation movement mnlf in the discourse on malaysia and the ramifications of this new discourse within the philippine state she elaborates this shift through the lens of power relations and foreign policy taking into account the struggle for legitimacy within the philippines through a wide range of commentaries and articles this issue of insight turkey aims to bring to its readers a comprehensive framework on the current situation of the israeli palestinian question whether there will be a deal to this problem remains a difficult question to be answered currently one thing is clear that the plan declared by the trump administration which was welcomed by israel and some of its arab allies such as the united arab emirates and saudi arabia assures the palestinian people the continuation of their century long ordeal

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