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Singapore Women's Charter 2011 the chapters in this book are an assembly of commentaries by a distinguished team of specialists on the social impact of the singapore women s charter on women and men the women s charter is the main legislation protecting women s rights in the context of the family in singapore highlights of this book include the reasons for the significance of legislation to protect women s rights in marriage how the legislation came about case studies from southeast asia how the singapore women s charter evolved and became established how the charter goes beyond protecting women s rights by reinforcing men s and women s obligations and duties in a marital partnership how the charter has come to be perceived by men and women especially in its enforcement in the context of divorce and the social repercussions of the charter on the family in its application there has been ongoing discussion on the implications of the charter on the lives of singaporean women and men for some years since its implementation the purpose of this book is to enrich our understanding of this legislation further its objectives efficacy and shortfalls

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Divorce in Singapore 1983 our lives to live putting a woman's face to change in singapore explores and documents how women s roles choices and voices in singapore have changed in the last 50 years how women from all sectors of society have helped to shape the singapore we know today the 31 chapters some with a more academic slant others with a distinctly personal tone reflect the rich diversity and depth of women's contributions to singapore s evolution in the last half century and also point to the problematical areas that still need attention the perspectives in this book are provided by three generations of women and they put a human face the woman's face to the tremendous changes in singapore society over the past 50 years the authors include some of singapore's most accomplished women in many different fields speaker of parliament halimah yacob political scientist and diplomat chan heng chee global women's activist noeleen heyzer sociologist and politician aline wong food ambassador violet oon sports legend pat chan law lecturer and playwright eleanor wong and novelist meira chand contents fifty years of change and struggle for equality aline wong women and an age friendly singapore angelique chan a home schooling in financial fitness audrey chin preparing our children for the future carmee lim my life to live chan heng chee my choices choo wai hong where will women be in 50 years chye shu wen the coming out of the political singaporean constance singam in direction and agood woman eleanor wong street smarts and social enterprise elim chew women in labour evelyn's wong nurturing nature geh min cooking for their country gretchen liu we must have women in parliament halimah yacob singapore style jennifer schoon the

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Singapore Women 1993 lawyers may have a tendency to treat marriage as a strict legal agreement between two parties with certain legal rules and terms that must be followed though in some ways akin to a contract the institution of marriage goes far beyond contractual obligations it encompasses social financial and emotional bonds between both parties the law may seem daunting for many non legally trained individuals this unique book written from the perspective of singapore law provides an insight into the impact the law will have on him or her it simplifies the labyrinth of legislation and case law to allay fears encourage an understanding of what marriage entails and flag out possible difficulties the reader may face during the course of his or her relationship the guide will also showcase the rights and responsibilities that result from a marriage *Our Lives to Live* 2015-05-05 her story presents a kaleidoscope of views on women by women this is a priceless treasury of essays covering a broad spectrum of topics which impact women from mothering and careers to

finance and sexuality the authors reflect the diversity and vibrancy of women in singapore today representing a wide range of backgrounds and personal values together they encompass five decades in age and offer a composite portrait of women in singapore in the 21st century marking the 25th anniversary of the singapore council of women s organizations this publication is both informative and thought provoking and sets the stage for further discussion and exploration of women s concerns and aspirations

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The Singapore Council of Women and the Women's Movement 1999-01-01 this book examines the contemporary feminist movement in singapore it provides a fascinating analysis of the meanings that singaporean women attach to the label feminist as well as the ways in which feminist activists negotiate their complex relationship with the singaporean state

Interethnic Marriage in Singapore 1974 corinna lim is the institute of policy studies 8th s r nathan fellow for the study of singapore this book is an edited collection of her three ips nathan lectures delivered in april and may 2021 and includes highlights of her question and answer segments with our virtual audience ms lim examines the most pressing concerns facing women in singapore contributing her insights to the national gender equality review she analyses why gender equality in the workplace and home has not advanced more despite singapore s promising start in the 1960s with the introduction of the women s charter and gender neutral education she looks at what singapore should do to accelerate gender equality and tackles the issues of masculine norms that are harmful support for family caregiving and comprehensive sex education in singapore the ips nathan lecture series was launched in 2014 as part of the s r nathan fellowship for the study of singapore it seeks to advance public understanding and discussion of issues of critical national interest for singapore

The 3 Paradoxes 1999 to celebrate singapore s fiftieth anniversary for its independence from malaysia in 2015 35 students academics and activists came together to discuss and write about pioneering singaporean human rights activists and their under reported stories in singapore the city state is known for its remarkable economic success while having strict laws on individual freedom in the name of national security public order and racial harmony singapore s tough stance on human rights however does not negate the long and persistent existence of a human rights society that is little known to the world until today this volume composed of nine distinctive chapters records a history of human rights activists their campaigns main contentions with the government survival strategies and other untold stories in singapore s first 50 years of state building

The Muslim Matrimonial Court in Singapore 2021-01-07 the premise for the book is karen s personal observation of the state of gender inequality which still exists between men and women in singapore a country which has achieved the status of a first world economy karen further explores the dire state of gender inequality in singapore in her book from her first job with a large electronics conglomerate karen witnessed the apparent inequality between men and women in the workplace from her observation it seems extremely difficult to break the gender impediment between men and women in the workplace and even at home karen notices that most female senior managers have to content with working in more auxiliary departments such as administration accounting and human resource as for the strategic positions in procurement business development sales strategic

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planning and legal departments most if not all of these positions are likely to be helmed by male employees furthermore men are expected to excel in their career but if a woman focuses her time on building her career her aspirations are viewed negatively by society because traditionalists still believe that women should take care of the household whilst the men should bring home the bacon this book which has been simmering for the past two years encompasses a series of interviews with strong and successful women who have been able overcome the gender barrier and achieve work life balance karen hopes that extraordinary women singapore will inspire men and women to work together towards achieving greater work life balance and strive to break the invisible brick wall of gender inequality

Family and Population Changes in Singapore 2018-04-17 this thematic volume in the series studies in private international law asia outlines the general choice of law and recognition rules relating to family matters of 15 asian jurisdictions mainland china hong kong taiwan japan south korea singapore malaysia vietnam cambodia myanmar the philippines indonesia thailand sri lanka and india the book examines pressing questions and proposes ways in which their systems may be reformed a concluding chapter considers the extent to which asian cross border family law systems can and should be harmonised the book provides a comprehensive analysis of cross border family law challenges including child surrogacy child abduction the recognition of same sex unions the recovery of maintenance and the regulation of intercountry adoption these are among the matters now testing asian institutions of private international law and acting as forces for their modernisation with contributions by leading asian private international law experts the book proposes necessary reforms for each of the jurisdictions analysed as well as for asia as a whole

I Want To Marry You But...: A Marriage Guide For The Young Adult 2017-01-17 this book analyses the equal citizenship claims of women and sexual and gender diverse people across several asian jurisdictions the volume examines the rich diversity of constitutional responses to sex gender and sexuality in the region from a comparative perspective leading comparative constitutional law scholars identify opportunity structures to explain the uneven advancement of gender equality through constitutional litigation and consider a combination of variables which shape the diverging trajectories of the jurisdictions in this study the authors also embed the relevant constitutional and legal developments in their historical political and social contexts this deep contextual understanding of the relationship between sex gender sexuality and constitutionalism greatly enriches the analysis the case studies reflect a variety of constitutional structures institutional designs and contextual dynamics which may advance or impede developments with respect to sex gender and sexuality as a whole the chapters further an understanding of the constitutional domain as a fruitful site for advancing gender equality and the rights of sexual and gender diverse people the jurisdictions covered represent all asian sub regions including east asia japan taiwan hong kong and south korea south east asia malaysia singapore philippines and indonesia and south asia india nepal pakistan and sri lanka the introductory framework chapter situates these insights from the region within the broader global context of the evolution of gender constitutionalism

Family in Singapore 1994 women in asia tradition modernity and globalisation surveys the transformation in the status of women since 1970 in a diverse range of nations malaysia china indonesia singapore the philippines india taiwan vietnam hong kong korea japan and burma within these 13 national case studies the book presents new arguments about being women being asian and being modern in contemporary asia recent social changes in women s place in society are untangled in recognition that not all change is progress and that not all modernity enhances women s status the authors suggest that the improvements in women s status within the asian region vary dramatically according to the manner in which women interact with the particular economic and ideological forces in each nation each contributor has focussed on a particular country in their area of expertise they present innovative arguments relating to the problem of being women in asia during a period of dramatic social and political changes each national case study explores key social and economic markers of women s status such as employment rates wage differentials literacy rates and participation in politics or business the effects of population control programs legislation on domestic violence and female infanticide and women s role in the family and the workforce are also discussed the book poses questions as to how women have negotiated these shifts and in the process created a modern asian woman specialists from a variety of disciplines including history anthropology sociology demography gender studies and psychology grapple with the complexities and ambivalences presented by the multiple faces of the modern asian woman complete with a list of recommended readings and a web site with links to electronic resources the book will be of particular interest to undergraduate students of asian studies and women s studies as well as scholars and postgraduate students interested in comparative women s studies

You and the Law 1989 the sound of memories recordings from the oral history centre singapore features the happy funny poignant and bittersweet but always heartwarming and unforgettable stories memories and anecdotes of singaporeans from all walks of life distilled from almost 5 000 interviews that the national archives of singapore s oral history centre has collected since 1979 these recordings describe the experiences of everyman from tycoons and tailors to chief executive officers and chief cooks relive the significant moments that have unfolded in singapore s history through the eyes of people who personally bore witness to these events their recollections are vividly captured in chapters on communities schooldays popular pastimes the japanese occupation food national tragedies medicine economy women the performing arts and sports

Her Story: Scwo's 25th Anniversary - Celebrating Womanhood 2005-02-24 analyzes courts in fourteen selected asian jurisdictions to provide the most up to date and comprehensive interdisciplinary book available Youths in Singapore 1981 this book demonstrates the great diversity in gender politics and women s strategies to negotiate and change gender relations individually or collectively a comprehensive volume of gender politics in china japan singapore the philippines thailand and malaysia it examines multiple aspects of gender politics in asia dress healing religious ordination ngo activism etc bringing interdisciplinary approaches of inquiry based on in depth empirical data pub desc

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