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Globalization and the State: Volume II 2008-10-31 this book analyzes the issues surrounding globalization and explores the prospects of the global economy as well as the potential vulnerabilities issues covered include trade agreements poverty and inequality financial globalization the environment international economic law and threats to the future of globalization

Globalization and the State: Volume II 2008-10-31 international economic and financial policy iefp involves the analysis of national government policy measures which are intended to influence external trade investment intellectual property rights ipr and migration 6 iefp can be seen as synonymous with the idea of globalization the power of the state to intervene in markets is a key determinant of the existence of globalization its speed and nature what an individual argues about globalization is ultimately an argument of the preference for a specific view on the intervention of the state in the economy this book focuses on iefp by systematically relating it to theories of the state as well as exploring in detail the role of international financial institutions and private institutions in globalization and the instruments used there is also discussion of international trade looking at the static gains from international trade and analyzing distortions and their remedies there are also important contributions to the debate on trade opening and how it can affect employment and wages this book represents an indispensable guide to the role of the state in globalization and iefp and is essential for all interested in the global economy theories of the state international trade and international finance

Financial Environment and Business Development 2016-08-16 this volume focuses on the latest findings concerning financial environment research and the effects on business major topics addressed range from finance driven globalization contagion risk transmission financial sustainability and bank efficiency to oil price shocks and spot prices research further topics include family business business valuation public sector development and business organization in the globalized environment this book features selected peer reviewed articles from the 16th ebes conference in istanbul where over 270 papers were presented by 478 researchers from 56 countries

OECD Insights Economic Globalisation Origins and consequences 2013-04-11 this publication reviews the major turning points in the history of economic integration and in particular the pace at which it has accelerated since the 1990s it also considers its impact in four crucial areas namely employment development the environment and financial stability

Monetary Policy Strategy in a Global Environment 2009 since the mid 1980s the world economy has gone through profound transformations of which the sources and effects are probably not yet completely understood the process of continuous integration in trade production and financial markets across countries and economic regions which is what is generally defined as globalisation affects directly the conduct of monetary policy in a variety of respects the aim of this paper is to present an overview of the structural implications of globalization for the domestic economies of developed countries and to deduce from these implications lessons for the conduct of monetary policy and in particular the assessment of risks to price stability charts and tables

Globalization and the Environment 2013-04-24 globalization and the environment critically explores the actors politics and processes that govern the relationship between globalization and the environment taking key aspects of globalisation in turn trade production and finance the book highlights the relations of power at work that determine whether globalization is managed in a sustainable way and on whose behalf each chapter looks in turn at the political ecology of these central pillars of the global economy reviewing evidence of its impact on diverse ecologies and societies its governance the political structures institutions and policy making processes in place to manage this relationship and finally efforts to contest and challenge these prevailing approaches the book makes sense of the relationship between globalisation and the environment using a range of theoretical tools from different disciplines this helps to place the debate about the compatibility between globalisation and sustainability in an explicitly political and historical context in which it is possible to appreciate the nature of interests and power relations that privilege some ways of responding to environmental problems over others in a context of globalisation

Financial globalization : unequal blessings 2002 de la torre levy yeyati and schmukler present a framework to analyze financial globalization they argue that financial globalization needs to take into account the relation between money particularly in its role as store of value asset and factor price flexibility and contractual and regulatory institutions countries that have the blessed trinity international currency flexible exchange rate regime and

sound contractual and regulatory environment can integrate successfully into the world financial markets but developing countries normally display the unblessed trinity weak currency fear of floating and weak institutional framework the authors define and discuss two alternative avenues a dollar trinity and a peso trinity for developing countries to safely embrace international financial integration while the blessed trinity remains beyond reach this paper a product of the office of the chief economist latin america and the caribbean region and the investment climate team development research group is part of a larger effort in the bank to assess the implications of financial globalization for emerging economies

The International Business Environment 2012-01-19 the international business environment second edition prepares students for the realities of global twenty first century business building on the success of the previous edition it employs a wide range of examples from bric and civets economies and offers chapters on csr the ecological environment and corporate social responsibility authors leslie hamilton and philip webster discuss the process of globalization the global economy and the impact of that economy on international business organizations using a pestle framework they analyze the economic political legal financial technological socio cultural and ecological environments clearly outlining the factors that affect the everyday business of organizations adopting a truly international approach this full color visually engaging text features a wealth of examples and case studies each chapter begins and ends with a one page case study and fifty additional mini cases address such compelling issues as civil unrest in north africa the japanese earthquake and tsunami wikileaks and google in china organizations including bp dell domino s pizza apple and procter gamble are featured throughout the book a companion website offers numerous resources for students and instructors

Global Business 2019-08-01 the global business an economic social and environmental perspective is the 2nd edition of the book titled foundations of international business published by information age publishing inc in 2015 we have approached the 2nd edition from a forward looking perspective by incorporating economic social and environmental issues which have strong links to stakeholders and are guided by the triple bottom line tbl concept a tbl approach emphasizes the importance of profit people and planet or ppp the triple bottom line concept is highlighted throughout each chapter successful multinational enterprises mnes are increasingly linking the company s profit maximization goal the economic or profit maximization components to the social well being of the community and corporate social responsibility initiatives of the firm the social or people components as well as the environmental consideration of scarce resources climate change and sustainability the environmental or planet component this approach enables readers to assess global business opportunities and risks in a comprehensive and integral manner we also have made important modifications in terms of content organization of this book as described below

Emerging Markets and Financial Globalization 2006-03-16 the frequency and virulence of recent financial crises have led to calls for reform of the current international financial architecture in an effort to learn more about today s international financial environment the authors turn to an earlier era of financial globalization between 1870 and 1913 by examining data on sovereign bonds issued by borrowing developing countries in this earlier period and in the present day the authors are able to identify the characteristics of successful borrowers in the two periods they are then able to show that global crises or contagion are a feature of the 1990s which was hardly known in the previous era of globalization finally the authors draw lessons for today from archival data on mechanisms used by british investors in the 19th century to address sovereign defaults using new qualitative and quantitative data the authors skilfully apply a variety of approaches in order to better understand how problems of volatility and debt crises are dealt with in international financial markets

Understanding Globalization 2016-01-14 understanding globalization introduces students to the concept of globalization providing an essential history overview of key themes and theories and a wealth of engaging examples the fifth edition has been completely revised to connect with students today opening with a discussion of the far reaching causes and effects of the recent financial crisis and including new material on global migration patterns isis and more while maintaining the book s accessible and student friendly style the book begins by examining the roots of the recent global financial crisis looking at the roles of inflation the housing crisis wall street policy makers and more it also explores the varying impact of globalization from democratization and equality in some countries to destabilization and inequality in others the fifth edition of understanding globalization is a compelling and current introduction to the myriad influences of globalization in our lives

The Globalization of Cost-Benefit Analysis in Environmental Policy 2013-01-07 cost benefit analysis the formal estimating and weighing of the costs and benefits of policy alternatives is a standard tool for governments in advanced economies through decades of research and innovation institutions have developed in the united states european union and other developed countries that examine and weigh policy alternatives as an aid to governmental decisionmaking lawmakers in the advanced economies have used cost benefit analysis to evaluate core environmental and public health questions such as urban air pollution control water quality and occupational safety yet despite its broad adoption in the industrialized world most developing and emerging countries have not yet incorporated cost benefit analysis into their policymaking process because these countries face significant limitations on financial resources and have less ability to shoulder inefficient rules it is extremely important for their officials to determine which policies maximize net benefits for their societies the globalization of cost benefit analysis in environmental policy examines how cost benefit analysis can help developing and emerging countries confront the next generation of environmental and public health challenges analysis in the book examines the growing reach of cost benefit analysis presents relevant case studies where cost benefit analysis has been incorporated in the americas africa middle east and asia and includes a discussion on the conceptual and institutional issues that must be addressed when adopting cost benefit analysis in developing and emerging countries in part because governments in developing and emerging countries have not extensively used cost benefit analysis there has been only limited research and discussion of the practice and its potential most work that has been done is on the domestic or regional level and has not been widely shared or distributed within the international academic or policy community by providing both theoretical and practical discussion of this important new tool this book makes a valuable contribution to the fields of environmental policy development studies and environmental law

Financial Globalization and Fiscal Performance in Emerging Markets 2005-11-01 in recent years financial globalization and benign global market conditions have helped emerging markets in their external financing and budgetary positions this paper examines three related issues i the importance of the impact of the benign financial environment on fiscal performance ii the likely fiscal impact of a reversal in this environment and iii the potential contribution of fiscal reforms to maintaining favorable market access the results suggest that the benefits from the benign environment have been substantial and that the potential reversal of the favorable external conditions underlines the need for further fiscal reforms

Monetary Policy Strategy in a Global Environment 2015 this paper discusses the structural implications of real and financial globalisation with the aim of drawing lessons for the conduct of monetary policy and in particular for the assessment of risks to price stability the first conclusion of the paper is that globalisation may have played only a limited role in reducing inflation and output volatility in developed economies central banks should remain focused on their mandate to preserve price stability however the globalisation of financial markets over the last 25 years has had major implications for the conduct of monetary policy four elements characterise the new financial landscape the decline in the "home bias" the increase in the size of international financial transactions relative to transactions in goods and services the increase in the number of countries adopting inflation targeting and currency peg monetary regimes and the transformation of financial market microstructure the paper argues that in this new environment monetary policy should systematically incorporate financial analysis into its assessment of the risks to price stability monetary policy should "lean against the wind" of asset price bubbles that could burst at a high cost and hinder the maintenance of macroeconomic and financial stability further in view of the interlinkages among financial markets worldwide macro financial surveillance at the international level needs to be strengthened and monetary policymakers need to cooperate and exchange information on a wider scale and at a deeper level with financial supervisors finally the paper reviews the rationale for a central bank to act in concert with other central banks as the ultimate provider of liquidity to financial markets in situations of extreme instability and market malfunctioning a sudden and sharp liquidity drought in the market should be tackled with appropriate measures that could even go beyond the extraordinary refinancing of monetary and financial institutions in these circumstances the central bank should clearly communicate that the aim of its liquidity provision measures is to support the proper functioning of financial markets and that they do not indicate a change in the monetary policy stance "separation principle"

International Business 2013-12-30 globalization has been a major factor behind the improvement of the market changes all over the world in

today's scenario it is not possible for business to avoid the influence of internationalization of each country's economy the globalization of the world's markets and the growth of new emerging markets hence it has become very important to not only emphasize on international business but also study the affect of globalization in international business the main features of the book are global perspective on long term change in the world economy interaction between countries regulatory systems and business firms rapid growth of regional free trade blocks trend towards the acceptance of free market system among developing countries dynamics of international trade and investment role of multilateral regulatory bodies in the globalized world global environment affecting the process of globalization examples and cases are more from asia a chapter on technological environment managing intellectual property as a chapter importance of environment and sustainability role of global financial institutions

The Globalization Conundrum—Dark Clouds behind the Silver Lining 2018-09-10 this book brings together experts from four continents asia north america europe africa and from varied disciplines to discuss a spectrum of problems created by globalization such as the economic and financial environmental legal cultural socio economic and social media impacts the book not only examines the problems from a number of different perspectives but also considers the impact of globalization in emerging nations around the world due to the very nature of these problems the approaches adopted are both qualitative and quantitative it includes quantitative research on quantum finance and the financial crisis and also discussions on qualitative problems such as cultural imperialism and neoliberalism of interest to economic researchers and management professionals the book is also a valuable resource for social media researchers environment scientists and non technical readers concerned with socio political issues this single volume offers a holistic view and therefore a more complete picture of the problems posed by globalization

Globalization, Gating, and Risk Finance 2018-01-16 an in depth guide to global and risk finance based on financial models and data based issues that confront global financial managers globalization gating and risk finance offers perspectives on global risk finance in a world with economies in transition developed from lectures and research projects investigating the consequences of globalization and strategic approaches to fundamental economics and finance it provides an approach based on financial models and data it includes many case study problems the book departs from the traditional macroeconomic and financial approaches to global and strategic risk finance where economic power and geopolitical issues are intermingled to create complex and forward looking financial systems chapter coverage includes globalization economies in collision data measurements and global finance global finance utility financial consumption and asset pricing macroeconomics foreign exchange and global finance foreign exchange models and prices asia financial environment and risks financial currency pricing swaps derivatives and complete markets credit risk and international debt globalization and trade a changing world and compliance and financial regulation provides a framework for global financial and inclusive models some of which are not commonly covered in other books considers risk management utility and utility based multi agent financial theories presents a theoretical framework to assist with a variety of problems ranging from derivatives and fx pricing to bond default to trade and strategic regulation provides detailed explanations and mathematical proofs to aid the readers understanding globalization gating and risk finance is appropriate as a text for graduate students of global finance general finance financial engineering and international economics and for practitioners

The Geography of Finance 2007-05-03 the geography of finance tackles crucial issues regarding the emerging global market for corporate governance the authors describe and explain the transformation of european corporate governance in the light of the imperatives driving global financial markets using an innovative analytical framework the authors chart the response of corporate managers to the interest of global portfolio managers in transparent and accountable modes of corporate governance in doing so the authors provide an innovative perspective on a rapidly changing environment and a challenge to those who ignore the gathering momentum of global financial markets

Technology, Globalization, and Sustainable Development 2018-08-06 technology globalization and sustainable development offers a unified transdisciplinary approach for transforming the industrial state in order to promote sustainable development the authors present a deep analysis of the ways that industrial states both developed and developing are currently unsustainable and how economic and social welfare are related to the environment to public health and safety and to earning capacity and meaningful and rewarding employment the authors offer multipurpose solutions

to the sustainability challenge that integrate industrial development employment technology environment national and international law trade finance and public and worker health and safety the authors present a compelling wake up call that warns of the collision course set between the current paths of continued growth and inevitable unsustainability in the world today offering clear examples and real solutions this textbook illustrates how the driving forces that are currently promoting unsustainability can be refocused and redesigned to reverse course and improve the state of the world this book is essential reading for those teaching and studying sustainable development and the critical roles of the economy employment and the environment

Paths to a Green World, second edition 2011-03-11 a new edition of a book that takes a comprehensive look at the ways economic processes affect global environmental outcomes this comprehensive and accessible book fills the need for a political economy view of global environmental politics focusing on the ways international economic processes affect environmental outcomes it examines the main actors and forces shaping global environmental management particularly in the developing world moving beyond the usual emphasis on international agreements and institutions it strives to capture not only academic theoretical debates but also views on politics economics and the environment within the halls of global conferences on the streets during antiglobalization protests and in the boardrooms of international agencies nongovernmental organizations and industry associations the book maps out an original typology of four contrasting worldviews of environmental change those of market liberals institutionalists bioenvironmentalists and social greens and uses them as a framework to examine the links between the global political economy and ecological change this typology provides a common language for students instructors and scholars to discuss the issues across the classical social science divisions the second edition of this popular text has been thoroughly revised and updated to reflect recent events including the food crisis of 2007 2008 the financial meltdown of 2008 and the copenhagen climate conference of 2009 topics covered include the environmental implications of globalization wealth poverty and consumption global trade transnational corporations and multilateral and private finance

Energy and Environmental Strategies in the Era of Globalization 2019-05-21 this book provides readers with cutting edge techniques that can be applied to energy and environmental economics further it highlights the effects that both globalization and economic growth have on the environment in addition to offering a broader perspective on the relationship between environmental pollution energy consumption and economic growth the book studies the relationship between economic growth and environmental damage by drawing on the theoretical hypothesis of the environmental kuznets curve the book presents new econometric techniques and innovative approaches to the study of the energy economy accordingly it can be used to help analyse the current state of the energy economy the environment and globalization and can serve as a theoretical reference manual for doctoral students and academics seeking new analytical techniques

International Political Economy and Globalization 2008 the second edition of international political economy and globalization is completely revised and updated to include new material on trade monetary and environmental issues it provides a comprehensive treatment of major developments in the global economy and is suitable for adoption as a primer in undergraduate courses in international political economy the author takes a stand that is supportive of globalization in principle while acknowledging that there are many areas of inequity that disadvantage developing countries this is explored in chapters that deal with trade debt crises and the environment students will find that the material is presented in a readable format that does not presuppose prior familiarity with economics

Financial Globalization 2004 this paper presents a framework to analyze financial globalization it argues that financial globalization needs to take into account the relation between money particularly in its role as store of value asset and factor price flexibility and contractual and regulatory institutions countries that have the blessed trinity international currency flexible exchange rate regime and sound contractual and regulatory environment can integrate successfully into the imperfect world financial markets but developing countries normally display the unblessed trinity weak currency fear of floating and weak institutional framework the paper defines and discusses two alternative avenues a dollar trinity and a peso trinity for developing countries to safely embrace international financial integration while the blessed trinity remains beyond reach

Financial Globalization and the Emerging Market Economy 2004-01-22 the whirlwind of financial globalization has descended upon emerging

market economies and rapid change has brought both benefits and problems upon a dynamic group of nations this book examines the impact of ever increasing financial globalization on emerging market economies both in the former communist countries of eastern europe and the developi

Designing a Sustainable Financial System 2018-01-22 this edited collection brings together leading theoretical and applied research with the intent to design a sustainable global financial future the contributors argue that our world cannot move toward sustainability address climate change reverse environmental degradation and improve human well being without aligning the financial system with sustainable development goals like those outlined by the united nations such a system would a be environmentally and socially responsible b align with planetary boundaries c manage natural resources sustainably d avoid doing more harm than good and e be resilient and adaptable to changing conditions the overarching theme in this collection of chapters is a response to the worldwide supranational sustainable finance discussions about how we can transition to a new socio ecological system where finance human well being and planetary health are recognized as being highly intertwined

Financial Globalization and Monetary Policy 2007-07 what does financial globalization imply for the design of monetary policy does the case for price stability change in an environment of large cross country gross asset holdings this paper is concerned with the effects of monetary policy under endogenous international portfolio choice and incomplete markets with endogenous portfolios monetary policy takes on new importance due to its impact on the distribution of returns on nominal assets surprisingly we find an even stronger case for price stability in this environment even without nominal rigidities price stability has a welfare benefit by enhancing the risk sharing capacity of nominal bond returns

Globalization, Income Distribution and Sustainable Development 2022-05-25 globalization income distribution and sustainable development a theoretical and empirical investigation focuses on the impact of globalization on income distribution in a wider perspective and exploring the impact of globalization on sustainable development in a range of countries across the globe

Rules for the Global Economy 2016-06-28 rules for the global economy is a timely examination of the conditions under which international rules of globalization come into existence enabling world economic and financial systems to function and stabilize horst siebert a leading figure in international economics explains that these institutional arrangements such as the ones that govern banking emerge when countries fail to solve economic problems on their own and cede part of their sovereignty to an international order siebert demonstrates that the rules result from a trial and error process and usually after a crisis in order to prevent pointless transaction costs and risks using an accessible and nonmathematical approach siebert links the rules to four areas international trade relations factor movements financial flows and the environment he looks at the international division of labor in the trade of goods and services flow of capital diffusion of technology migration of people including labor and human capital protection of the global environment and stability of the monetary financial system he discusses the role of ethical norms and human rights in defining international regulations and argues that the benefits of any rules system should be direct and visible comprehensively supporting rules based interactions among international players the book considers future issues of the global rules system

Development & Growth: Economic Impacts of Globalization 2017-04-14 the growth paradigm or the economic growth generally been presented as a positive limitless and good for social problems the term was hardly touched in pre capitalism by any academic research with the rise of capitalism and industrial revolution it became an important tool to measure production quantitatively and qualitatively industrialisation also encouraged the expansion of trade and gradual breakdown of the pre capitalist order in 18th century in britain the spread of market had facilitated the specialisation encouraging division of labour whilst for the classical political economists adam smith david ricardo and thomas malthus economic growth is self reinforcing marx pointed out importance of forces and relations of production and significance of social classes within it marx 1863 smith ricardo and malthus were writing at a time when capitalist development was expanding fast and growth was a central in the process the gradual impact of the west on the rest of world became part of a wider process of change in the world economy european capital increased its domination of the world trade through expansionist commercial policies wallerstein 1979 the economic growth encouraged commerce the necessity to export and other technological changes formed part of the reason for the decline of feudalism this transition from feudalism to capitalism began in the west and soon made an impact on the rest of the world t farhang morady hakan kapucu Ömer yalçınkaya development growth economic impacts of globalization 12

in 1932 simon kuznets the us economist identified gross domestic product gdp to measure the national output of a country within a period it has continued to be an important indicator to measure economic growth but it has also been under considerable criticisms for example gdp treats resources as income without excluding depletion or depreciation of the resources moreover gdp has been criticised for disregarding income distribution despite all the criticism gdp has been the most significant indicator of growth and development with the post war ii reconstruction of devastated countries and in order to kick start the world economy the state in both developed and developing countries became the important agency to facilitate economic growth the establishment of the bretton woods institutions the keynesian model of government intervention and the us implementation of new deal facilitated growth this was deliberate strategy to reconstruct and create networks of international cooperation this was pointed out by president truman in 1949 a program of development based on the concepts of democratic fair dealing all countries including our own will greatly benefit from a constructive program for the better use of the world's human and natural resources truman 1949 this meant the reinforcement and need to distribute the benefits of capitalist form of development more widely against the planned economy sustained by the soviet union the economist such as joseph schumpeter pointed to the possibility that capitalist growth if it is sustained could abolish poverty schumpeter 1954 pp66 68 whilst development meant rapid industrialisation gdp became a key policy objective for the policy makers and governments around the world not just in the soviet union but the western capitalist world to set targets for their growth rate the end of the cold war in the 1980s for some meant triumph of neoliberal capitalism the others talked of trade liberalization free movement of capital and the development of information technology facilitating the relocation of businesses across the world ohmae 1995 friedman suggested that globalization is the inevitable integration of markets nation states and technologies enabling individuals corporations and nation states to reach around the world farther faster deeper and cheaper than ever before friedman 1999 development growth economic impact of globalization edited by farhang morady hakan kapucu Ömer yalçinkaya 13 francis fukuyama 1992 suggested the new era as the end of history through which the liberal idea triumphed leading to a new global hegemony for fukuyama the only route to modernity growth and development is the neo liberal democratic path under global capitalism this optimism was not shared by all academics as globalization produced poor growth and polarization of wealth what collier terms the bottom one billion 2008 as a result there has been major criticism of the world bank and the international monetary funds in the second half of the 1990s especially with the asian financial and economic crises the response from these institutions has been vigorous they continued to believe that liberalization deregulation and privatization represent the best way forward for growth and development with 2008 world recession the world economy has faced a new challenge the emergence of powerful economies such as china india and brazil helped the world economy to grow at least for now however the unevenness of the world economy continues to cause difficulties especially the us as they feeling the threat of their competitors such as china germany and even india the victory of donald trump as the s president has represented an ideological shift from free trade advocator of global capitalism to a mixture of right wing populism before and after the presidential election he called for the revival of the american economy which has been under considerable pressure since 2008 world recession in order to prove growth rate trump has a huge challenge ahead not least to deal with the competition from south east asian economies especially china it remains to be seen whether the new us administration will continue with their populist rhetoric in this book economic impacts of globalization growth development several academicians provide different analysis of economic growth and economic development the scientific ethics and responsibility of the works in the book belong to the authors writers the book comprises of 15 chapters focusing on economic growth and economic development in the era of globalisation by taking different angles they demonstrate different problems and solutions

Financial Environment and Business Development 2016 this book reviews the key conceptions and economic theories of poverty explains poverty environment nexus and finally offers innovative socio economic and scientific geospatial solutions for the 21st century the book makes it possible for our readers to understand poverty thorough a concise review of the major theoretical economic frameworks measures of poverty and points out the need to understand rural urban dichotomy of poverty we find the theories and measures to be less than perfect and therefore point out the need to treat these measures and theories as convenient tools lacking perfect accuracy and utmost scientific reliability it follows then that the

supposedly knowledgeably crafted poverty reduction and environmental preservation solutions are inherently imperfect the economic solutions proposed in this book transcend extant humdrum macroeconomic and policy measures targeting poverty and environmental issues we point to a new paradigm in which private sector and other stakeholders can create new and inclusive markets where value is co created and shared above all this book offers timely state of the art geospatial solutions targeting the most pressing global problems of water e g the use of the gravity recovery and climate experiment grace missions to estimate changes in stored water in the water poverty environment nexus pollution agriculture and disaster management where geospatial techniques are applied under strong environmental impact assessment regulatory regimes this book provides a good summary of economic theories of poverty as well as a vivid depiction of the state of environmental degradation in the world people often work separately on different issues that are in fact closely intertwined the principle of holism is that the whole is greater than the sum of its parts and i believe that this joint venture of two experts on poverty and environment has produced something more than a sum of two separate monographs on the issues various points raised in this volume are worth heeding when we think of formulation and implementation of a truly effective post mdgs development agenda yoichi mine professor of human security and african area study graduate school of global studies doshisha university japan

Globalized Poverty and Environment 2014-07-08 globalization has become the focus for a wide range of protests against various features of the world economy this paper aims to give a concise summary of the economic dimensions of globalization while leaving to one side other aspects such as cultural environmental or political ones that are beyond the scope of the imf periods of increased globalization have tended to be associated with technological innovations that reduce transportation and communications costs and with generally rising standards of living moreover countries that have embraced openness to the rest of the world have done better than those that have not nevertheless globalization may also be associated with increased inequality and volatility which may justify strengthening domestic safety nets and financial supervision and regulation and enhancing international economic policy coordination the imf helps to ensure economic gains from globalization by encouraging trade liberalization reducing countries vulnerability to crises lending to them when they are in difficulty and assisting them in putting in place structural reforms that help reduce poverty

Globalization Facts and Figures 2001-11-01 over the last three decades the world economy has grown strongly on the back of globalization supported by the policies of free trade open markets and privatisation support has also grown for the concept of sustainability meeting the needs of the present without compromising the ability of future generations to meet their own needs but as the earth s systems come under increasing strain the inherent conflict between sustainability and globalization has been exposed green outcomes in a real world examines the shift in thinking required to reconcile these two important areas of policy in this ground breaking book peter mcmanners has coined the term proximization to define a new policy framework the principles of proximization are sustainability subsidiarity primacy of the state and market economics and the application of these familiar concepts towards a sustainable globalised world is novel and different the author argues that adherence to the principles of proximization will return world society to a stable natural order and will mean changes global commodity flows will reduce and barriers to migration will increase national governments will demand more control over their finances leading to restrictions on capital flows indeed peter believes that an element of selfish determination is needed the new world order will be sustainable by design global organisations such as the un national governments and global corporations will have to understand and apply a different paradigm the arguments in this book do not reflect the idealism or even naivety of some of the green movement this book is about hard edged reality presented by an author with huge experience and a deep understanding of the business perspective it will appeal to a wide range of professionals involved in setting policy and future direction for businesses governments and non governmental bodies as well as to those with an academic interest in business economics social and environmental issues and public policy

Green Outcomes in the Real World 2016-04-15 this publication reviews the major turning points in the history of economic integration and in particular the pace at which it has accelerated since the 1990s it also considers its impact in four crucial areas namely employment development the environment and financial stability

OECD Insights Economic Globalisation Origins and consequences 2013-05-10 the global environment of business provides students with a truly

international perspective that integrates both market industry structure and nonmarket i e political forces analysis concisely in a way not found in other texts the following key issues are emphasized industry structure management must strategize to deal with the bargaining strength of customers suppliers and competitors on a country by country basis low cost labour and outsourcing are changing the nature of the firm dramatically macroeconomic forces management must formulate country strategies in light of each country s income levels and growth rates foreign exchange rates inflation rates interest rates and unemployment rates political forces regulations financial incentives tax regimes investment restrictions and trade agreements differ widely from country to country societal forces ethics labour and environmental practices differ from country to country in addition specific consumer preferences and demographic trends must play a role in national strategies technological forces strategies must correspond to each country s technological infrastructure and the pace and direction of technological change

The Global Environment of Business 2010-05-06 this book examines the extent to which there are trade impediments to the transfer and adoption of environmental goods and services and how can these be addressed by global trade negotiations

Environmental Goods and Services The Benefits of Further Global Trade Liberalisation 2001-07-24 globalization is irreversible and irresistible tony blair this book gives the lie to that claim economic globalization has never been an inevitable part of human history it is eminently reversible and hugely resistible greg buckman argues there are two broad approaches within the anti globalization movement one perhaps the most widely supported and influential strand today calls the fair trade and back to bretton woods school this argues for immediate reforms of the world s trading system capital markets and global institutions notably the world bank imf and wto the other the localization school takes a more root and branch position and argues for the abolition of these institutions and outright reversal of globalization buckman explains the details of each school s outlook and proposals their weaknesses where they disagree their common ground and where they might come together in campaigns this book gives the lie to the claim that globalization is irreversible and irresistible greg buckman argues there are two broad approaches within the anti globalization movement explaining the details of each school s outlook their weaknesses where they disagree their common ground and where they might come together in campaigns

Globalization 2008-02-29 new challenges for future sustainability and wellbeing is a collection of studies about sustainability and related challenges such as income wealth the environment education and regional equality that influence the pace of economic development and affects the well being of people and organisations all over the world

New Challenges for Future Sustainability and Wellbeing 2021-05-21 throughout history humans have sought to enhance their wellbeing across various domains though the spectrum of factors responsible for wellbeing has widened considerably and advances have been realized in scientific technological fields significant failures have been encountered in establishing peaceful relations among various communities and the natural environment has been degraded inconsiderately by humans since the industrial revolution this book identifies the key factors that influence changes in wellbeing both positively and negatively within a framework of socio economic globalization instantaneous interconnectedness and rising environmental risks these clusters of progress comprise essentially the following seven areas bolstering peace and security respecting universal fundamental values satisfying personal and social basic needs expanding knowledge and managerial technological skills promoting arts and culture husbanding natural resources and protecting the environment and concerting actions for the global common good the term progress is used here to mean an all embracing sustainable advancement towards desirable goals be they material or non material offering higher levels of wellbeing to individuals and to society at large compared to previous or current conditions in unravelling the progress conundrum the author draws on his own original research and field work experiences which dovetail with those of other scholars by complementing their findings and or by offering different appraisals the author adopts an inter disciplinary approach that overcomes the silo like compartmentalization of fields of study the said approach enables us to reach a better understanding of the complex reality of progress or regression in various domains

The Evolution of Economic Wellbeing 2018-12-19 commercial culture and the western consumer model has globalized while gaps in wealth food security and social provision continue to grow this book provides a critique of the orthodoxy of economic growth in a world of finite natural resources

and a blueprint for a new economic architecture
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