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Benjamin's Library

2011-12-15

in *Benjamin's Library* Jane O. Newman offers for the first time in any language a reading of Walter Benjamin's notoriously opaque work *Origin of the German Tragic Drama* that systematically attends to its place in discussions of the Baroque in Benjamin's day taking into account the literary and cultural contexts of Benjamin's work. Newman recovers Benjamin's relationship to the ideologically loaded readings of the literature and political theory of the seventeenth-century Baroque that abounded in Germany during the political and economic crises of the Weimar years to date the significance of the Baroque for *Origin of the German Tragic Drama*. Has been glossed over by students of Benjamin most of whom have neither read it in this context nor engaged with the often incongruous debates about the period that filled both academic and popular texts in the years leading up to and following World War I. Armed with extraordinary historical, bibliographical, philological, and orthographic research, Newman shows the extent to which Benjamin participated in these debates by reconstructing the literal and figurative history of sixteenth and seventeenth-century books that Benjamin analyzes and the literary, art, historical, and art-theoretical and political-theological discussions of the Baroque with which he was familiar. In so doing, she challenges the exceptionalist, even hagiographic approaches that have become common in Benjamin studies. The result is a deeply learned book that will infuse much-needed life into the study of one of the most influential thinkers of the twentieth century.

Who Gets What from Government

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This title is part of UC Press's Voices Revived program, which commemorates University of California Press's mission to seek out and cultivate the brightest minds and give them voice, reach, and impact. Drawing on a backlist dating to 1893, Voices Revived makes high-quality, peer-reviewed scholarship accessible once again using print-on-demand technology. This title was originally published in 1983.

What Government Can Do

2002-04-15

At the same time, Page and Simmons show how even more could be and should be accomplished. *Book Jacket*

Benjamin's Birthday Party

2008

In this study, Beatrice Hanssen unlocks the philosophical and ethical dimensions of the *Tragedy of the Tragic*, showing how its thematics persisted well into the later writings of the thirties. By introducing the materialistic category of natural history in the origin of German tragic drama, Benjamin not only criticized idealistic conceptions of history writing but also expressed an ethico-theological call for another kind of history, one no longer anthropocentric in nature. This profound critique of historical thinking, Hanssen shows, went hand in hand with a radical de-limitation of the human subject informed by his interest in questions about ethics, the law, and justice through an analysis of the seemingly innocuous figures of stones, animals, and angels that are scattered throughout his writings. Hanssen reconstructs the often neglected ethical dimension of his historical thought. In the course of doing so, she not only places Benjamin's work in the context of contemporaries such as Adorno, Cohen, Lukács, Kafka, Kraus, and Heidegger but also demonstrates the persistence of Benjaminian themes in contemporary philosophy and critical theory.

Walter Benjamin's Other History

2000-12-04

What is the alt right and how will it affect America? Donald Trump's election as president in 2016 suddenly brought to prominence a political movement that few in political circles or the mainstream media had paid much attention to. The so-called alt right, Steven Bannon, Trump's campaign manager, was a leading figure in the movement, and the election results seemed to give it a real opportunity to gain some political power. But what is the alt right: is it a movement, a theory, a trend, or just an unorganized group of people far outside of what used to be the political mainstream in America? Or could it be all of these things? Why has it suddenly emerged into prominence? What impact is it having on American politics today, and what are the prospects for the alt

right in the future through careful research and analysis the rise of the alt right addresses these and other questions tracing the movement s history from the founding of modern conservatism in postwar america to the current trump era although the alt right might seem to be just the latest extremist group to arise in the united states one likely to take its place in the graveyard of its many predecessors thomas j main analyzes evidence that the alt right is having a greater influence on the american political mainstream than did past extremist tendencies the rise of the alt right is thus an important study for anyone interested in the future of american politics and public life

The Rise of the Alt-Right

2018-07-31

public division is not new in fact it is the lifeblood of politics and political representatives have constructed divisions throughout history to mobilize constituencies since the turn of the twenty first century the idea of a divided united states has become commonplace in the wake of the 2020 election some commentators warned that the american public was the most divided it has been since the civil war political scientists political theorists and public intellectuals have suggested that uninformed misinformed and disinformed voters are at the root of this division some are simply unwilling to accept facts or science which makes them easy targets for elite manipulation it also creates a grass roots political culture that discourages cross partisan collaboration in washington yet manipulation of voters is not as grave a threat to democracy in america as many scholars and pundits make it out to be the greater threat comes from a picture that partisans use to rally their supporters that of an america sorted into opposing camps so deeply rooted that they cannot be shaken loose and remade making constituencies proposes a new theory of representation as mobilization to argue that divisions like these are not inherent in society but created and political representatives of all kinds forge and deploy them to cultivate constituencies

House Documents

1873

do we get the best presidential candidates to run and elect the presidents we deserve as a nation if not why not could it have something to do with the quality of campaigns in american politics today noted presidential scholar bruce buchanan puts the 1996 presidential election campaign in context with the campaigns of 1988 and 1992 making the case that good campaigns especially those with issue oriented media coverage and positive campaign advertisements do make a difference in the quality and quantity of citizen participation policy input and output and overall good governance perfect for college courses on campaigns and elections and on the presidency this book looks ahead to future election campaigns with a hope for creating a nation of citizen owners and lovers of the political process not to mention candidates and media coverage worthy of citizen involvement and attention

The American Biographical Dictionary

1857

greenberg edward s and page benjamin i struggle for democracy the coursecompass edition 5th edition this edition seamlessly integrates the online course management capabilities and web activities of greenberg s coursecompass website with the book the greenberg coursecompass website features pre loaded text specific content including two types of highly engaging web activities explorations and longmanparticipate com exercises icons in the margins of the textbook direct readers to these activities on the greenberg coursecompass website tying the book and the website together for those interested in american government

Making Constituencies

2021-11-12

a look into the covert influence billionaires wield in american politics and the actions citizens can take to hold them more accountable in 2016 when millions of americans voted for donald trump many believed his claims that personal wealth would free him from wealthy donors and allow him to drain the swamp but then trump appointed several billionaires and multimillionaires to high level positions and pursued billionaire friendly policies such as cutting corporate income taxes why the change from his fiery campaign rhetoric and promises to the working class this should not be surprising argue benjamin i page jason seawright and matthew j lacombe as the gap between the wealthiest and the rest of us has widened the few who hold one billion dollars

or more in net worth have begun to play a more and more active part in politics with serious consequences for democracy in the united states page seawright and lacombe argue that while political contributions offer a window onto billionaires influence especially on economic policy they do not present a full picture of policy preferences and political actions that is because on some of the most important issues including taxation immigration and social security billionaires have chosen to engage in stealth politics they try hard to influence public policy making large contributions to political parties and policy focused causes leading policy advocacy organizations holding political fundraisers and bundling others contributions all while rarely talking about public policy to the media this means that their influence is not only unequal but also largely unaccountable to and unchallengeable by the american people stealth politics makes it difficult for ordinary citizens to know what billionaires are doing or mobilize against it the book closes with remedies citizens can pursue if they wish to make wealthy americans more politically accountable such as public financing of political campaigns and easier voting procedures and notes the broader types of reforms such as a more progressive income tax system that would be needed to increase political equality and reinvigorate majoritarian democracy in the united states praise for billionaires and stealth politics incredibly important the authors provide for the first time a clear sense of the politics and political activity of the top one hundred billionaires in america matching what billionaires have said with what they ve done and showing the troubling transparency gap that is critical to the evolution of policy billionaires and stealth politics is a key addition to understanding our current political reality focused on it most significant lever lawrence lessig author of america compromised the wealth held by american billionaires exceeds the gross domestic product of dozens of countries they exercise tremendous influence over society the economy and politics yet their impact is not well understood page seawright and lacombe have given us a compelling and original piece of work on an important topic darrell m west brookings institution

Renewing Presidential Politics

1996

if you re as worried about the effects of trump s election as i am then this brave and surprising book is for you reza aslan 1 new york times bestselling author democracy is being destroyed by an ancient evil and modernity is in denial in tyranny of greed timothy k kuhner reveals the united states to be a government by and for the wealthy with trump the spirit of infinite greed at its helm taking readers on a tour through evolutionary biology psychology and biblical sources kuhner explores how democracy emerged from religious and revolutionary awakenings he argues that to overcome trump s regime and establish real democracy we must reconnect with that radical heritage our political tradition demands a revolution against corruption many books are announcing the downfall of american democracy but tyranny of greed operates on another level it s an original and powerful work of art tapping into a deeper awareness kuhner helps us recognize this dark time for what it really is an opportunity for rebirth yes i feel shaken but also awakened the more people who read this book the more transformative our national conversation will become frances moore lappé bestselling author of diet for a small planet explosive penetrating and utterly compelling kuhner charts the death spiral of american democracy as it collapses into the black hole of the religion of money never before in human history have noble ideals been corrupted so deeply with the connivance of so many this book lays tyranny bare for all to see as a mirror for the human soul philip goodchild author of theology of money

The Struggle for Democracy

2002

jawaharlal nehru was plato s philosopher king who discovered an india that remains an undiscovered possibility nehru and the spirit of india is a critical and nuanced perusal of his intellectual and political legacy from the politics of friendship between nehru and sheikh abdullah nehru s defense of secularism in the constituent assembly debates to what propelled nehru to curb free speech in the first amendment manash firaq bhattacharjee draws from political history to illuminate fierce debates in india today kashmir the caa and hate speech be it contemporary events like the miracle of ganesha drinking milk and the use of vedic astrology in chandrayaan 2 or the agonising suicide of a doctor the author examines the fractured nature of indian modernity which nehru had suggestively called a garb bhattacharjee bolsters nehru s view that india is enriched by the encounter of cultures and that we must not discard the past but engage with it as a second generation refugee bhattacharjee argues for a minoritarian approach to national politics breaking ideological and disciplinary protocols he compels us to learn from the insights of poets and thinkers lucidly written this provocative book offers an original perspective on nehru and indian history

Billionaires and Stealth Politics

2018-12-21

walter benjamin's antifascist education is the first comprehensive analysis of educational themes across the entirety of the critical theorist's diverse writings starting with benjamin's early reflections on teaching and learning tyson e lewis argues that the aesthetic and cultural forms to which benjamin so often turned namely radio broadcasts children's theatrical productions collections cityscapes public cinemas and word games swell with educational potentialities what emerges from lewis's reading is a constellational curriculum composed of minor practices such as poor teaching absentminded learning and nondurational studying this curriculum carries political significance offering an antidote to past and present forms of fascist manipulation hardness and coldness walter benjamin's antifascist education is a testimony to benjamin's belief that everyone is an educator and everyone needs to be educated and everything is education

From Boyhood to Manhood Life of Benjamin Franklin

1889-01-01

public opinion public policy and smoking tracks americans changing attitudes about cigarette smoking over the last century with data from more than five thousand public and privately conducted polls this book carefully examines how americans came to understand the health risks of smoking how the tobacco industry sought to reframe smoking and how public opinion support for tobacco control affected lawsuits elections and public policies this book tests several well known linkage models that connect public opinion with public policy it shows that conventional wisdom about public opinion and tobacco control policy is often mistaken this book offers the first in depth look at american public opinion and cigarette smoking during the last century

Tyranny of Greed

2020-08-11

walter benjamin and the corpus of autobiography is not merely the most extensive and insightful treatment of benjamin's autobiographical writings

Nehru and the Spirit of India

2022-07-11

with world affairs so troubled what kind of foreign policy should the united states pursue benjamin page and marshall bouton look for answers in a surprising place among the american people drawing on a series of national surveys conducted between 1974 and 2004 page and bouton reveal that contrary to conventional wisdom americans generally hold durable coherent and sensible opinions about foreign policy nonetheless their opinions often stand in opposition to those of policymakers usually because of different interests and values rather than superior wisdom among the elite the foreign policy disconnect argues that these gaps between leaders and the public are harmful and that by using public opinion as a guideline policymakers could craft a more effective sustainable and democratic foreign policy page and bouton support this argument by painting a uniquely comprehensive portrait of the military diplomatic and economic foreign policies americans favor they show for example that protecting american jobs is just as important to the public as security from attack a goal the current administration seems to pursue single mindedly and contrary to some officials unilateral tendencies the public consistently and overwhelmingly favors cooperative multilateral policy and participation in international treaties moreover americans foreign policy opinions are seldom divided along the usual lines majorities of virtually all social ideological and partisan groups seek a policy that pursues the goals of security and justice through cooperative means written in a clear and engaging style the foreign policy disconnect calls in an original voice for a more democratic approach to creating such a policy

Walter Benjamin's Antifascist Education

2020-02-01

there is no such thing as history you see it's a dream perhaps even a dream of a dream walter benjamin is dead one of the most radiant minds of the twentieth century has been snatched away by death in a small town on the border between spain and france his thousand page manuscript carried the length of france during his flight from the nazis has vanished with him never to be recovered jay parini's extraordinary work traces

benjamin s steps back through time from the salons of berlin to the winding roads of catalonia a tale of escape and pursuit benjamin s crossing dramatises one of the most moving peripheral episodes of the holocaust and above all it is a love story

Public Opinion, Public Policy, and Smoking

2016-07-25

celebrates the three hundredth birthday of the versatile and profoundly influential founding father through essays and images and accompanies the benjamin franklin tercentenary traveling exhibition

Walter Benjamin and the Corpus of Autobiography

2000

america faces daunting problems stagnant wages high health care costs neglected schools deteriorating public services how did we get here through decades of dysfunctional government in democracy in america veteran political observers benjamin i page and martin gilens marshal an unprecedented array of evidence to show that while other countries have responded to a rapidly changing economy by helping people who ve been left behind the united states has failed to do so instead we have actually exacerbated inequality enriching corporations and the wealthy while leaving ordinary citizens to fend for themselves what s the solution more democracy more opportunities for citizens to shape what their government does to repair our democracy page and gilens argue we must change the way we choose candidates and conduct our elections reform our governing institutions and curb the power of money in politics by doing so we can reduce polarization and gridlock address pressing challenges and enact policies that truly reflect the interests of average americans updated with new information this book lays out a set of proposals that would boost citizen participation curb the power of money and democratize the house and senate

The Foreign Policy Disconnect

2008-09-15

presents a portrait of benjamin franklin as a scientist inventor diplomat writer business strategist and statesman while tracing his life as one of america s founding fathers

Benjamin's Crossing

2021-08-05

ideal for scholars graduate and undergraduate students of democratic theory and political behavior while engaging for policy makers and concerned citizens politics with the people develops and tests a new model of politics directly representative democracy connecting citizens and officials to improve representative government

Benjamin Franklin

2005

uniquely critically interrogates the concept of civilization by asking whether it is still valid in the globalized world economy of the twenty first century includes case studies on the arab world islam china and japan

Democracy in America?

2020-04-02

minorities and representation in american politics is the first book of its kind to examine underrepresented minorities with a framework based on four types of representation descriptive formalistic symbolic and substantive through this lens author rebekah herrick looks at race ethnic gender and sexual minorities not in isolation but synthesized within every chapter this enables readers to better recognize both the similarities and differences of groups underrepresentation herrick also applies her unique and constructive approach to intergroup cooperation and intersectionality highlighting the impact that groups can have on one another

Register of the Commission and Warrant Officers of the Navy of the United States, Including Officers of the Marine Corps

1918

this is a thematically unified survey of current and significant issues affecting interest group politics and scholarship in the usa petracca has drawn together interest group scholars and practitioners to write 16 original essays dedicated to making the best and newest research accessible to students at all levels the mix of perspectives and approaches aims to offer a stimulating analysis of contemporary american interest group activity

Legislative branch appropriations for 1980

1979

since achieving independence from spain and establishing its first constitution in 1824 mexico has experienced numerous political upheavals the country s long and turbulent journey toward democratic representative government has been marked by a tension between centralized autocratic governments historically depicted as a legacy of colonial institutions and federalist structures the years since mexico s independence have seen a major violent social revolution years of authoritarian rule and finally in the past two decades the introduction of a fair and democratic electoral process over the course of the thirty one essays in the oxford handbook of mexican politics some of the world s leading scholars of mexico will provide a comprehensive view of the remarkable transformation of the nation s political system to a democratic model in turn they will assess the most influential institutions actors policies and issues in its current evolution toward democratic consolidation following an introduction by roderic ai camp sections will explore the current state of mexico s political development transformative political institutions the changing roles of the military big business organized labor and the national political elite new political actors including the news media indigenous movements women and drug traffickers electoral politics demographics and political attitudes and policy issues

Register of Reserve Officers

1966

this book offers a model to bridge the differences between political theorists and social scientists focusing on deliberative practices

Official Register of the United States

1892

relations between china and russia have evolved dramatically since their first diplomatic contact particularly during the twentieth century during the past decade china and russia have made efforts to strengthen bilateral ties and improve cooperation on a number of diplomatic fronts the people s republic of china and the russian federation maintain exceptionally close and friendly relations strong geopolitical and regional cooperation and significant levels of trade in the future of china russia relations scholars from around the world explore the current state of the relationship between the two powers and assess the prospects for future cooperation and possible tensions in the new century the contributors examine russian and chinese perspectives on a wide range of issues including security political relationships economic interactions and defense ties this collection explores the energy courtship between the two nations and analyzes their interests and policies regarding central asia the korean peninsula and taiwan

Benjamin Franklin

2003-07

the first comprehensive examination of black americans attitudes toward the supreme court

The Early Records of the Town of Providence, V. I-XXI ...

1894

policy analysis in the united states gathers a group of original contributions by scholars and leading practitioners of public policy analysis originating in the united states the field of public policy analysis has affected nations around the world and been enhanced by contributions of scholars and practitioners in other regions but it remains most highly developed and practiced in education and government here this volume explores the nature of policy analysis in different sectors and at different levels of government as well as by nongovernmental actors such as unions businesses ngos and the media

Politics with the People

2018-09-06

this book challenges whether the protection and privilege of religious belief and identity should be prioritized over any other right by studying the effects of constitutional promises of religious freedom and establishment clauses the author finds that constitutions provide national religious protection especially when the legal system is more sophisticated

Globalization and Civilizations

2002

Minorities and Representation in American Politics

2016-01-29

The Politics Of Interests

2018-02-19

Labor Literature

1977

Mass and Elite Views on Nuclear Security: General public

2000

The Oxford Handbook of Mexican Politics

2012-01-13

Deliberative Democracy between Theory and Practice

2015-11-19

Peace and Disarmament

2008-11-20

Legacy and Legitimacy

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Policy Analysis in the United States

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