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with contributions from leading scholars this book examines the european union in a theoretically informed empirically grounded manner the book begins by exploring the evolving nature of the european polity and its capacity for change this is the fifth volume in the biannual series state of the european union produced under the auspices of the american european community studies association ecsa tibet exerts a powerful fascination far beyond its borders remoteness and the deeply pervasive character of tibetan buddhism have provided the setting for countless works of romace adventure and fantasy resistance and reform in tibet reveals the emergence of a distinctive modern tibetan society and the sophistication creativity and resourcefulness of its people s responses to chinese domination tibet today is neither a socialist idyll nor a regimented gulag but a rich mixture of traditonal and innovative strategies in an ancient nation s struggle for survival women reform and resistance documents the challenges faced by irish women from 1850 to 1950 and their complex reactions by investigating prisons and hospitals interrogating court records and memoirs and exploring the imaginative resistance women expressed through folk tales authors illuminate previously obscured experiences of irish women education and the arab spring resistance reform and democracy explores the current debate about education in the middle east and north africa post arab spring it draws from a variety of conceptual frameworks rooted in different disciplines and fields such as education religious and cultural studies political science and arab studies the book is in part a response to an increased demand since the arab spring by universities cultural institutions think tanks education officials policymakers and journalists for a richer deeper understanding of the role of education in post arab spring states and societies the book adds a unique and much needed perspective to this field its specific focus is on the arab context and its analysis is of issues of particular relevance to a changing world order the great mix of experiences of the contributors attests to the excellent quality of this promising work it is not infrequent to hear sweeping but general criticisms of all aspects of educational systems in the arab world everything from textbooks to teaching methodologies have come under scrutiny the authors of this collection seek to move the debate beyond generalities by providing detailed studies while informed by a sense of the inadequacy of existing systems they also provide an empirically rich analysis of existing systems nathan brown george washington university usa a massive urban renewal and public health campaign in the first decades of the nineteenth century transformed brazil s capital into a showcase of european architecture and public works the renovation of rio or civilization campaign as the government

called it widened streets modernized the port and improved sanitation lighting and public transportation these changes made life worse not better for the majority of the city s residents however the laboring poor could no longer afford to live in the downtown and the public health plan did not extend to the peripheral areas where they were being forced to move their resistance is the focus of teresa meade s study meade details how rio grew according to the requirements of international capital which financed planned and oversaw the renewal and how local movements resisted these powerful distant forces she also traces the popular rebellion that continued for more than twenty years after the renovation ended in 1909 illustrating that community protests are the major characteristic of political life in the modern era externally promoted institutional reform even when nominally accepted by developing country governments often fails to deliver lasting change diasporans immigrants who still feel a connection to their country of origin may offer an in between advantage for institutional reform which links problem understanding with potential solutions and encompasses vision impact operational and psycho social advantages individuals with entrepreneurial characteristics can catalyzing institutional reform diasporans may have particular advantages for entrepreneurship as they live both psychologically and materially between the place of origin they left and the new destination they have embraced their entrepreneurial characteristics may be accidental cultivated through the migration and diaspora experience or innate to individuals personalities this book articulates the diaspora institutional entrepreneur in between advantage proposes a model for understanding the characteristics and motivational influences of entrepreneurs generally and how they apply to diaspora entrepreneurs in particular and presents a staged model of institutional entrepreneur actions i test these frameworks through case narratives of social institutional reform in egypt economic institutional reform in ethiopia and political institutional reform in chad in addition to identifying policy implications this book makes important theoretical contributions in three areas first it builds on existing and emerging critiques of international development assistance that articulate prescriptions related to alternative theories of change second it fills an important gap in the literature by focusing squarely on the role of agency in institutional reform processes while still accounting for organizational systems and socio political contexts in doing so it integrates a more expansive view of entrepreneurism into extant understandings of institutional entrepreneurism and it sheds light on what happens in the frequently invoked black box of agency third it demonstrates the fallacy of many theoretical frameworks that seek to order institutional change processes into neatly definable linear stages informed by erik erikson s concept of the formation of ego identity this book which first appreared in 1961 is an analysis of the experiences of fifteen chinese citizens and twenty five westerners who underwent brainwashing by the communist chinese government robert lifton constructs these case histories

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this period his work covers the spectrum of political activity and thought from the whigs to the luddites and from burke via bentham to marx a free ebook version of this title is available through luminos university of california press s open access publishing program visit luminosoa org to learn more in the united states the exercise of police authority and the public s trust that police authority is used properly is a recurring concern contemporary prescriptions for police reform hold that the public would better trust the police and feel a greater obligation to comply and cooperate if police citizen interactions were marked by higher levels of procedural justice by police in this book robert e worden and sarah i mclean argue that the procedural justice model of reform is a mirage from a distance procedural justice seemingly offers a relief from strained police community relations but a closer look at police organizations and police citizen interactions shows that the relief offered by such reform is in fact illusory this book explores vietnamese popular television in the post reform era that is from 1986 focussing on the relationship between television and national imagination it locates vietnamese television in the experiences of everyday life and the prevailing network of power relations resulting from marketization and globalization and as such moves beyond the clichéd assumption of vietnamese media as a mere propagandist instrument of the party state with examples from a wide range of television genres the book demonstrates how vietnamese television enables novel conditions of cultural oppression as well as political engagement in the name of the nation in sharp contrast to the previous image of vietnam as a war torn land post reform television conjures into being a new sense of national belonging based on an implicit rejection of the socialist past hopes for peace and prosperity and anxieties about a globalized future this book highlights the richness of vietnam s current culture and identity characterized the book argues by fraternity without uniformity present day knowledge about public sector reforms in asia is quite scattered and seldom focuses on the challenges of leadership this book seeks to address this issue by presenting country cases that reflect the great diversity of the region coercive isomorphism is a prominent source of institutional change the literature to date has emphasized how actors that are powerful and legitimate for example a national government may coerce the adoption of reforms by dependent actors for example state governments and other organizations whose activities are governed by the federal government the authors observe that an actor s power alone may be sufficient to promote reform regardless of the actor s legitimacy but such reforms are more susceptible to subsequent change than those that emerge from processes not subject to the influence of external actors whose sway derives from their power alone they develop and test their arguments in the context of the worldwide electricity provision industry by analyzing countries adoption of reforms in response to conditional lending practices by multilateral organizations such as the world bank and the international monetary fund the authors find that reforms adopted in response to coercive pressures exerted

by these organizations encounter much greater resistance and that the incidence of financial and economic crises the absence of checks and balances in established political institutions and the inexperience of investor coalitions dramatically increase the predicted level of resistance world bank web site gender in the nineteenth century as now is an integral part of identity as a result gender along with race and class has long been a vital part of public discourse about social concerns and reform the fourteen essays in gender and victorian reform address the overt and subtle ways in which gender influenced social reform in victorian england in addition to investigating the more readily apparent instances of gender in the areas of suffrage women s education and marriage law reform the contributors to this collection examine the structure of charitable organizations the interpretation of language and literacy ideas of beauty and religion through the lens of gender and offer diverse approaches to victorian literature and culture some examine specific texts or single canonical authors others introduce the reader to little known authors and texts and still others focus on the culture of reform rather than specific literary texts essays are arranged into four parts with part i focusing on historical context and a revisioning of the historical romance part ii addresses more specifically the role of women in public life and in the professions the essays in part iii look even more specificallyat the connections among reform gender literacy and literary genre in eliot collins and gaskell the final four essays offer readings of the impact of gender ideology on beauty dress politics and religion taken as a whole the essays in this collection present a serious consideration of the role of gender in art and in public life that spans the victorian era reformist impulses are revealed in a number of victorian texts that are not generally read as overtly political in this way this collection thoughtfully focuses on the influence of gender on a wide range of social movements and moves the significance of gender beyond simply the content of victorian fiction and the identity of the authors and into the more fundamental connection of discourse to reform a masterful intellectual and religious history of late medieval and reformation europe christianity today a learned humane and expressive book gerald strauss renaissance quarterlythe seeds of the swift and sweeping religious movement that reshaped european thought in the 1500s were sown in the late middle ages in this book steven ozment traces the growth and dissemination of dissenting intellectual trends through three centuries to their explosive burgeoning in the reformations both protestant and catholic of the sixteenth century he elucidates with great clarity the complex philosophical and theological issues that inspired antagonistic schools traditions and movements from aquinas to calvin this masterly synthesis of the intellectual and religious history of the period illuminates the impact of late medieval ideas on early modern society this volume analyses citizenship in relation to recent changes in european welfare states it examines concrete changes in social rights and citizenship roles and offers normative investigations of citizenship this book is a poignant celebration of

grassroots empowerment as our contributors people who just a short time ago thought of themselves as ordinary citizens document their call to action when their children and their profession are on the line practicing teachers and parents who see the direct impact of education reform on young people and are looking for straightforward and accessible information to help them understand what is happening and acquire the tools for resistance will find direction in this text providing inspiration as well as practical guidance on how to become active in reclaiming education this book covers topics including the corporate takeover of education high stakes testing common core standards teacher preparation grassroots activist responses and much more this book includes papers presented at the first conference entitled network of reform and democratic change in the arab world which was jointly organized by al quds center for political studies and the konrad adenauer foundation in amman 8 10 december 2006 papers were presented by intellectuals and politicians who reside on various locations of the reform spectrum they addressed a wide range of reform concepts its priorities and mechanism the papers also tackle the reform experience and official civil arab and international initiatives they also identify the role of political islam in this process an update of one of the indispensable political and social histories of african americans since world war ii based on extensive original research this book provides a comprehensive overview of the current status of state enterprise reform in china chinese state enterprise reform considers the relationship between public ownership and public enterprises and the historical evolution of china s economic reform programme since 1978 including assessments of the contrast responsibility system which operated from the early 1980s to the early 1990s and the group company experiments which began in the 1990s it discusses the relations between workers managers and the state in post dengist china the implications of the reform programme for human resources management in state enterprises the nature of labour representation and organization under tate capitalism and the problems of surplus labour and reemployment one of america s most prominent historians and a noted feminist bring together the most important political writings and testimonials from african americans over three centuries new thinking about the management of public health services has stimulated a widespread movement for health sector reform across the world this book examines the feasibility and desirability of common reforms in low income countries based on in depth case studies in ghana zimbabwe sri lanka india and thailand and asks whether governments possess or can develop the capacities needed for these new and often complex roles the book challenges conventional reform wisdom and argues that reform approaches are needed that are more sensitive to the institutional characteristics of individual countries wrongful conviction and criminal justice reform is an important addition to the literature and teaching on innocence reform this book delves into wrongful convictions studies but expands upon them by offering potential

reforms that would alleviate the problem of wrongful convictions in the criminal justice system written to be accessible to students wrongful conviction and criminal justice reform is a main text for wrongful convictions courses or a secondary text for more general courses in criminal justice political science and law school innocence clinics reform identity and narratives of belonging focuses on the heraka a religious reform movement and its impact on the zeme a naga tribe in the north cachar hills of assam india drawing upon critical studies of religion cultural ethnic identity and nationalism archival research in both india and britain and fieldwork in assam the book initiates new grounds for understanding the evolving notions of reform and identity in the emergence of a heraka religion arkotong longkumer argues that reform and identity are dynamically inter related and linked to the revitalisation and negotiation of both tradition legitimising indigeneity and change legitimising reform the results have deepened yet challenged not only prevailing views of the western construction of the category religion but also understandings of how marginalised communities use collective historical imagination to inspire self identification through the discourse of religion in conclusion this book argues for a re evaluation of the way in which multi religious traditions interact to reshape identities and belongings the countries of central asia are increasingly the focus of intense international attention due to their geopolitical and economic importance as well as their unsettled transition processes the region faced enormous challenges when the soviet union disintegrated and this book focuses on the reforms of the institutional environment that have been largely neglected through an interdisciplinary approach the book explores key aspects of institution building as well as economic and political governance in central asia contributors from a variety of disciplines such as economics political economy political science sociology law and ethnology investigate the challenges of institutional transition in a non democratic region the book discusses how the lack of effective institution building as well as rule enforcement in the economic and political realms represents one of the key weaknesses and drawbacks of transition and goes on to look at how crafting market institutions will be of utmost importance in the years ahead making an important contribution to understanding of political economic developments in central asia this book is of interest to students and scholars of political economy comparative economics development studies and central asian studies distributed to some depository libraries in microfiche the first comprehensive book on rape since susan brownmiller s against our will and susan estrich s real rape this volume probes every aspect of rape law and the discrepancies between ideal law on the books and real law in action susan caringella canvasses the success and failure of reform in the united states as well as australia britain canada and new zealand and assesses alternative perspectives on rape reform making use of theoretical models court cases and statistical data she uniquely delineates a creative model for change while addressing the

discretion that undermines efforts at change this includes charging the accused and plea bargaining confronting a lack of transparency and accountability in implementing law and acquiring funding for such changes this is the first full scale study of interactions between italy s religious reform and english reformations which were notoriously liable to pick up other people s ideas the book is of fundamental importance for those whose work includes revisionist themes of ambiguity opportunism and interdependence in sixteenth century religious change anne overell adopts an inclusive approach retaining within the group of italian reformers those spirituali who left the church and those who remained within it and exploring commitment to reform whether humanist protestant or catholic in 1547 when the internationalist archbishop thomas cranmer invited foreigners to foster a bolder reformation the italians peter martyr vermigli and bernardino ochino were the first to arrive in england the generosity with which they were received caused comment all over europe handsome travel expenses prestigious jobs congregations which included the great and the good this was an entry con brio but the book also casts new light on our understanding of marian reformation led by cardinal reginald pole english by birth but once prominent among italy s spirituali when pole arrived to take his native country back to papal allegiance he brought with him like minded men and italian reform continued to be woven into english history as the tables turned again at the accession of elizabeth i there was further clamour to bring back italians yet elizabethans had grown cautious and the book s later chapters analyse the reasons why offering scholars a new perspective on tensions between national and international reformations exploring a nexus of contacts in england and in italy anne overell presents an intriguing connection sealed by the sufferings of exile and always tempered by political constraints here for the first time italian reform is shown as an enduring part of the elect nation s literature and myth die tiefe wirtschaftskrise in folge der corona pandemie stellt kubas sozialismus vor eine ungeahnte belastungsprobe die regierung in havanna hat eine grundlegende reform von wirtschaft institutionengefüge und sozialsystem auf die agenda gesetzt der band vereint beiträge führender internationaler experten und von der insel selbst die aus unterschiedlichen perspektiven die herausforderungen analysieren vor denen kuba heute steht co edited by acclaimed media scholar robert w mcchesney the book features chapters by bill moyers fcc commissioner michael copps rep bernie sanders and newspaper guild president linda foley among many others with the american political landscape dominated by the influence of big business the timing of the future of media could hardly be more precipitous endlessly pressured by lobbyists payrolled by corporate broadcasters congress is poised to reopen the 1996 telecommunications act which will reshape every facet of our media as we know it for decades to come winners and losers are about to be decided while at the same time new technologies are emerging which could truly revolutionize and democratize our media system and our culture from

cutting edge analysis to blueprints for action the future of media presents a diverse collection of voices from today s growing media reform movement women migrant workers in china s economic reform studies unmarried women migrant workers in china as international migrants in china s richest province they work in silk one of china s oldest and most symbolically charged industries through extensive interviews and a wide ranging interpretation of the secondary literature this book brings an interdisciplinary approach to its study of power and identity gender class and local identities matter in the factories and streets of a one industry town and municipal and factory leaders seek to rework these over shifting forces to build a low cost reliable labour force the women in question seek to rework these disadvantages by the same forces have other aspirations the church the councils and reform brings together leading authorities in the field of church history to reflect on the importance of the late medieval councils this is the first book in english to consider the lasting significance of the period from constance to trent 1414 1563 when several councils met to heal the great schism 1378 and reform the church this book examines how healthcare organisations shape adapt and resist developments in healthcare policy and practice this is an international text bringing together contributions from around the globe and covers a wide range of different discussions in relation to the policy practice gap

Risks, Reform, Resistance, and Revival

2000

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Resistance and Reform in Tibet

1996

tibet exerts a powerful fascination far beyond its borders remoteness and the deeply pervasive character of tibetan buddhism have provided the setting for countless works of romace adventure and fantasy resistance and reform in tibet reveals the emergence of a distinctive modern tibetan society and the sophistication creativity and resourcefulness of its people's responses to chinese domination tibet today is neither a socialist idyll nor a regimented gulag but a rich mixture of traditional and innovative strategies in an ancient nation's struggle for survival

Reform and Resistance in the International Order

1980-07-17

women reform and resistance documents the challenges faced by irish women from 1850 to 1950 and their complex reactions by investigating prisons and hospitals interrogating court records and memoirs and exploring the imaginative resistance women expressed through folk tales authors illuminate previously obscured experiences of irish women

Women, Reform, and Resistance in Ireland, 1850–1950

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education and the arab spring resistance reform and democracy explores the current debate about education in the middle east and north africa post arab spring it draws from a variety of conceptual frameworks rooted in different disciplines and fields such as education religious and cultural studies political science and arab studies the book is in part a response to an increased demand since the arab spring by universities cultural institutions think tanks education officials

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Education and the Arab Spring

2016-07-15

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"Civilizing" Rio

1997

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Institutional Reform and Diaspora Entrepreneurs

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Reform and Responsibility in the Remaking of the Swedish National Pension System

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The Promise of Welfare Reform

2006

what is administrative reform how is it differentiated from other kinds of social reform who are administrative reformers and how do they approach their task and who benefits and who suffers from it does a theory of administrative reform exist a survey of published research on administrative reform reveals that satisfactory answers to these questions are handicapped by methodological and theoretical shortcomings there are no common definitions no agreement over content no selected boundaries no clear links with the wide phenomenon of social reform no firm hypothesis tested by empirical findings and no continuous dialogue between practitioners and theorists this book is the first comprehensive and systematic treatment of the subject for professionals and students in the fields of public and private administration it carefully examines the diverse interdisciplinary literature on the subject and identifies and develops the most promising approaches towards a unified theory caiden shows how the study of administrative reform can contribute substantially to the development of administrative theory and constructs a working definition of the phenomenon of administrative reform distinguishing it from social change and from administrative change the practical use of this definition is tested by the analysis of various case histories of administrative cultures of different periods in history from which a common cycle of reform processes is discerned the author follows with a detailed examination of the processes themselves the book concludes with a discussion of the obstacles to reform and a review of the author s findings and conclusions

Administrative Reform

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Mirage of Police Reform

2017-05-12

this book explores vietnamese popular television in the post reform era that is from 1986 focussing on the relationship between television and national imagination it locates vietnamese television in the experiences of everyday life and the prevailing network of power relations

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Television in Post-Reform Vietnam

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present day knowledge about public sector reforms in asia is quite scattered and seldom focuses on the challenges of leadership this book seeks to address this issue by presenting country cases that reflect the great diversity of the region

Leadership and Public Sector Reform in Asia

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Sustaining Administrative Reform in China Through Path Dependence and Creation

2005

gender in the nineteenth century as now is an integral part of identity as a result gender along with race and class has long been a vital part of public discourse about social concerns and reform the fourteen essays in gender and victorian reform address the overt and subtle ways in which gender influenced social reform in victorian england in addition to investigating the more readily apparent instances of gender in the areas of suffrage women s education and marriage law reform the contributors to this collection examine the structure of charitable organizations the interpretation of language and literacy ideas of beauty and religion through the lens of gender and offer diverse approaches to victorian literature and culture some examine specific texts or single canonical authors others introduce the reader to little known authors and texts and still others focus on the culture of reform rather than specific literary texts essays are arranged into four parts with part i focusing on historical context and a revisioning of the historical romance part ii addresses more specifically the role of women in public life and in the professions the essays in part iii look even more specifically at the connections among reform gender literacy and literary genre in eliot collins and gaskell the final four essays offer readings of the impact of gender ideology on beauty dress politics and religion taken as a whole the essays in this collection present a serious consideration of the role of gender in art and in public life that spans the victorian era reformist impulses are revealed in a number of victorian texts that are not generally read as overtly political in this way this collection thoughtfully focuses on the influence of gender on a wide range of social movements and moves the significance of gender beyond simply the content of victorian fiction and the identity of the authors and into the more fundamental connection of discourse to reform

Resistance to Multilateral Influence on Reform

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a masterful intellectual and religious history of late medieval and reformation europe christianity today a learned humane and expressive book gerald strauss renaissance quarterlythe seeds of the swift and sweeping religious movement that reshaped european thought in the 1500s were sown in the late middle ages in this book steven ozment traces the growth and dissemination of dissenting intellectual trends through three centuries to their explosive burgeoning in the

reformations both protestant and catholic of the sixteenth century he elucidates with great clarity the complex philosophical and theological issues that inspired antagonistic schools traditions and movements from aquinas to calvin this masterly synthesis of the intellectual and religious history of the period illuminates the impact of late medieval ideas on early modern society

Gender and Victorian Reform

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this volume analyses citizenship in relation to recent changes in european welfare states it examines concrete changes in social rights and citizenship roles and offers normative investigations of citizenship

The Age of Reform 1250-1550

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Citizenship and Welfare State Reform in Europe

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this book includes papers presented at the first conference entitled network of reform and democratic change in the arab world which was jointly organized by all quds center for political studies and the konrad adenauer foundation in amman 8 10 december 2006 papers were presented by intellectuals and politicians who reside on various locations of the reform spectrum they addressed a wide range of reform concepts its priorities and mechanism the papers also tackle the reform experience and official civil arab and international initiatives they also identify the role of political islam in this process

Resisting Reform

2006-01-01

an update of one of the indispensable political and social histories of african americans since world war ii

Reform and change in the arab world

2009-09-28

based on extensive original research this book provides a comprehensive overview of the current status of state enterprise reform in china chinese state enterprise reform considers the relationship between public ownership and public enterprises and the historical evolution of china s economic reform programme since 1978 including assessments of the contrast responsibility system which operated from the early 1980s to the early 1990s and the group company experiments which began in the 1990s it discusses the relations between workers managers and the state in post dengist china the implications of the reform programme for human resources management in state enterprises the nature of labour representation and organization under tate capitalism and the problems of surplus labour and reemployment

Race, Reform, and Rebellion

2014-07-24

one of america s most prominent historians and a noted feminist bring together the most important political writings and testimonials from african americans over three centuries

Administrative Reform Comes of Age

2007-06-11

new thinking about the management of public health services has stimulated a widespread movement for health sector reform across the world this book examines the feasibility and desirability of common reforms in low income countries based on in depth case studies in ghana zimbabwe sri lanka india and thailand and asks whether governments possess or can develop the capacities needed for these new and often complex roles the book challenges conventional reform wisdom and argues that reform approaches are needed that are more sensitive to the institutional characteristics of individual countries

China's State Enterprise Reform

2009

wrongful conviction and criminal justice reform is an important addition to the literature and teaching on innocence reform this book delves into wrongful convictions studies but expands upon them by offering potential reforms that would alleviate the problem of wrongful convictions in the criminal justice system written to be accessible to students wrongful conviction and criminal justice reform is a main text for wrongful convictions courses or a secondary text for more general courses in criminal justice political science and law school innocence clinics

Let Nobody Turn Us Around

2000-11-30

reform identity and narratives of belonging focuses on the heraka a religious reform movement and its impact on the zeme a naga tribe in the north cachar hills of assam india drawing upon critical studies of religion cultural ethnic identity and nationalism archival research in both india and britain and fieldwork in assam the book initiates new grounds for understanding the evolving notions of reform and identity in the emergence of a heraka religion arkotong longkumer argues that reform and identity are dynamically inter related and linked to the revitalisation and negotiation of both tradition legitimising indigeneity and change legitimising reform the results have deepened yet challenged not only prevailing views of the western construction of the category religion but also understandings of how marginalised communities use collective historical imagination to inspire self identification through the discourse of religion in conclusion this book argues for a re evaluation of the way in which multi religious traditions interact to reshape identities and belongings

The Challenge of Health Sector Reform

2013-10-30

the countries of central asia are increasingly the focus of intense international attention due to their geopolitical and economic importance as well as their unsettled transition processes the region faced enormous challenges when the soviet union disintegrated and this book focuses on the reforms of the institutional environment that have been largely neglected through an interdisciplinary approach the book explores key aspects of institution building as well as economic and political governance in central asia contributors from a variety of disciplines such

as economics political economy political science sociology law and ethnology investigate the challenges of institutional transition in a non democratic region the book discusses how the lack of effective institution building as well as rule enforcement in the economic and political realms represents one of the key weaknesses and drawbacks of transition and goes on to look at how crafting market institutions will be of utmost importance in the years ahead making an important contribution to understanding of political economic developments in central asia this book is of interest to students and scholars of political economy comparative economics development studies and central asian studies

Wrongful Conviction and Criminal Justice Reform

2010-03-04

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Reform, Identity and Narratives of Belonging

2013

the first comprehensive book on rape since susan brownmiller s against our will and susan estrich s real rape this volume probes every aspect of rape law and the discrepancies between ideal law on the books and real law in action susan caringella canvasses the success and failure of reform in the united states as well as australia britain canada and new zealand and assesses alternative perspectives on rape reform making use of theoretical models court cases and statistical data she uniquely delineates a creative model for change while addressing the discretion that undermines efforts at change this includes charging the accused and plea bargaining confronting a lack of transparency and accountability in implementing law and acquiring funding for such changes

Institutional Reform in Central Asia

1994

this is the first full scale study of interactions between italy s religious reform and english reformations which were notoriously liable to pick up other people s ideas the book is of fundamental importance for those whose work includes revisionist themes of ambiguity opportunism and interdependence in sixteenth century religious change anne overell adopts an inclusive approach retaining within the group of italian reformers those spirituali who left the

church and those who remained within it and exploring commitment to reform whether humanist protestant or catholic in 1547 when the internationalist archbishop thomas cranmer invited foreigners to foster a bolder reformation the italians peter martyr vermigli and bernardino ochino were the first to arrive in england the generosity with which they were received caused comment all over europe handsome travel expenses prestigious jobs congregations which included the great and the good this was an entry con brio but the book also casts new light on our understanding of marian reformation led by cardinal reginald pole english by birth but once prominent among italy s spirituali when pole arrived to take his native country back to papal allegiance he brought with him like minded men and italian reform continued to be woven into english history as the tables turned again at the accession of elizabeth i there was further clamour to bring back italians yet elizabethans had grown cautious and the book s later chapters analyse the reasons why offering scholars a new perspective on tensions between national and international reformations exploring a nexus of contacts in england and in italy anne overell presents an intriguing connection sealed by the sufferings of exile and always tempered by political constraints here for the first time italian reform is shown as an enduring part of the elect nation s literature and myth

Review of the Administration's Pesticide Reform Proposal

2009

die tiefe wirtschaftskrise in folge der corona pandemie stellt kubas sozialismus vor eine ungeahnte belastungsprobe die regierung in havanna hat eine grundlegende reform von wirtschaft institutionengefüge und sozialsystem auf die agenda gesetzt der band vereint beiträge führender internationaler experten und von der insel selbst die aus unterschiedlichen perspektiven die herausforderungen analysieren vor denen kuba heute steht

Addressing Rape Reform in Law and Practice

2016-05-06

co edited by acclaimed media scholar robert w mcchesney the book features chapters by bill moyers fcc commissioner michael copps rep bernie sanders and newspaper guild president linda foley among many others with the american political landscape dominated by the influence of big business the timing of the future of media could hardly be more precipitous endlessly pressured by lobbyists payrolled by corporate broadcasters congress is poised to reopen the 1996 telecommunications act which will reshape every facet of our media as we know it for decades to

come winners and losers are about to be decided while at the same time new technologies are emerging which could truly revolutionize and democratize our media system and our culture from cutting edge analysis to blueprints for action the future of media presents a diverse collection of voices from today s growing media reform movement

Italian Reform and English Reformations, c.1535-c.1585

2021-09-06

women migrant workers in china's economic reform studies unmarried women migrant workers in china as international migrants in china's richest province they work in silk one of china's oldest and most symbolically charged industries through extensive interviews and a wide ranging interpretation of the secondary literature this book brings an interdisciplinary approach to its study of power and identity gender class and local identities matter in the factories and streets of a one industry town and municipal and factory leaders seek to rework these over shifting forces to build a low cost reliable labour force the women in question seek to rework these disadvantages by the same forces have other aspirations

Social Policies and Institutional Reform in Post-COVID Cuba

2011-01-04

the church the councils and reform brings together leading authorities in the field of church history to reflect on the importance of the late medieval councils this is the first book in english to consider the lasting significance of the period from constance to trent 1414 1563 when several councils met to heal the great schism 1378 and reform the church

The Future of Media

2000-09-19

this book examines how healthcare organisations shape adapt and resist developments in healthcare policy and practice this is an international text bringing together contributions from around the globe and covers a wide range of different discussions in relation to the policy practice gap

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1977

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