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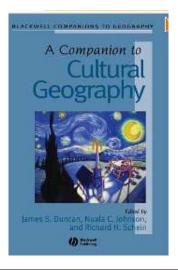
Două țări, un scop, succes comun!

Author(s), Editor(s):	(ed) James Duncan et al.
Title:	A Comanion to Cultural Geography
Publisher:	Wiley-Blackwell (2007)
ISBN:	978-1405175654
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	544 pages

Abstract

A Companion to Cultural Geography brings together original contributions from 35 distinguished international scholars to provide a critical overview of this dynamic and influential field of study.

- Provides accessible overviews of key themes, debates and controversies from a variety of historical and theoretical vantage points
- Charts significant changes in cultural geography in the twentieth century as well as the principal approaches that currently animate work in the field
- A valuable resource not just for geographers but also those working in allied fields who wish to get a clear understanding of the contribution geography is making to cross-disciplinary debates





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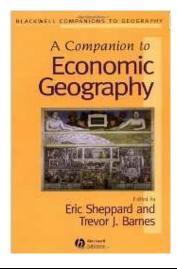
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Author(s), Editor(s):	(ed) Trevor J. Barnes
Title:	A Companion to Economic Geography
Publisher:	Wiley - Blackwell (2002)
ISBN:	978-0-631-23579-8
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	552 pages

Abstract

A Companion to Economic Geography presents students of human geography with an essential collection of original essays providing a key to understanding this important subdiscipline. The contributions are written by prominent international scholars offering a wide-ranging overview of the field.

- Places economic geography in the wider context of geography.
- Contributions from leading international scholars in the field.
- Presents a comprehensive, up-to-date and accessible overview of all the major themes in the field.
- Explores key debates, controversies and questions using a variety of historical and theoretical vantage points.
- Charts the important work that has been done in recent years and looks forward to new developments in the global economy.





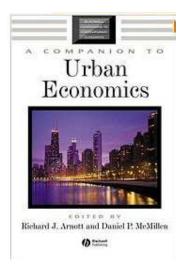
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Author(s), Editor(s):	(eds) Richard J. Arnott (Editor), Daniel P. McMillen
Title:	A Companion to Urban Economics
Publisher:	Wiley-Blackwell (2007)
ISBN:	978-1-4051-7968-3
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	608 pages

Abstract

- A Companion to Urban Economics provides a state-of-the-art overview of this field, communicating its intellectual richness through a diverse portfolio of authors and topics.
 - Unique in both its rigor and international treatment
 - An ideal supplementary textbook in upper-level undergraduate urban economics courses, or in master's level and professional courses, providing students with the necessary foundation to tackle more advanced topics in urban economics
 - Contains contributions from the world's leading urban economists





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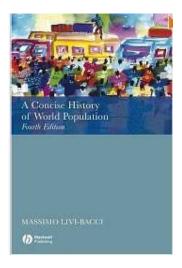
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Author(s), Editor(s):	Massimo Livi-Bacci
Title:	A Concise History of World Population
Publisher:	Wiley-Blackwell (2006)
ISBN:	978-1-4051-4696-8
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	296 pages

Abstract

The new edition of this standard history of world population has been updated to include projections to the year 2050. It includes the latest data on fertility and infant mortality and a new section on migration has been added. The discussion of America is completely rewritten to give a fuller view of the past, including reference to the slave trade, and coverage of China has been expanded.

- Includes new sections on migration an emerging issue for rich and poor countries alike and the impact of HIV.
- Provides the latest data on fertility and infant mortality.
- Discussion of America is completely rewritten to give a fuller view of the past, including reference to the slave trade, and coverage of China has been expanded.
- Updates the quantitative material and bibliography.







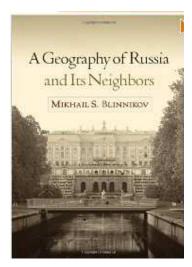
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Author(s), Editor(s):	(ed) Mikhail S. Blinnikov
Title:	A Geography of Russia and Its Neighbors
Publisher:	The Guilford Press (2010)
ISBN:	978-1606239209
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	448 pages

Abstract

Comprehensive and authoritative, this text offers an accessible introduction to post-Soviet Eurasia. Students get a solid grounding in the physical, cultural, political, and economic geography of this rapidly changing region. Core thematic chapters focus primarily on Russia but also incorporate relevant information on the other 14 former Soviet republics. Regional chapters provide concise discussions of each republic and of Russia's main regions. Student-friendly features include engaging vignettes, review questions, exercises, recommendations for further reading, and Internet resources. The volume's over 200 original maps, photographs, and other figures are also available online as PowerPoint slides.



Author(s), Editor(s):	Becattini, G. – Bellandi, M. – De Propis, L.



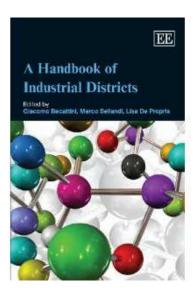
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Title:	A Handbook of Industrial Districts
Publisher:	Edward Elgar Pub (2009)
ISBN:	978-1847202673
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	863 pages

Abstract

In this comprehensive new reference work, the editors have brought together an unrivalled group of distinguished scholars and practitioners to comment on the historical and contemporary role of industrial districts (IDs). This Handbook is uniquely positioned to shed light on the role of global and local forces and how they increasingly interact to shape the welfare of societies and the economic performance of firms and places. It illustrates that IDs are a clear expression of local societies finding their 'place' in the national and international division of labour, and through the constitution and elaboration of productive specialisations congenial to the attitudes and the preferences of their people. Ultimately, the Handbook represents the main strands of a wide-ranging, decades-long debate on the nature of IDs: what they represented in the past, the changes they are currently undergoing, and the future challenges and opportunities they will face in an increasingly global economy. Including conceptual, critical and forward-looking contributions, as well as case studies from Asia, Latin America, Europe and the US, this Handbook will prove an invaluable resource for academics, students and policymakers focusing on industrial districts, local production systems and innovation. It will also appeal to those interested in the local drivers of competitiveness and related public policies.





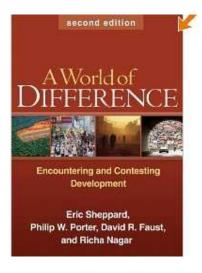
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Author(s), Editor(s):	Eric Sheppard, Philip W. Porter, David R Faust, Richa Nagar
Title:	A World of Difference
Publisher:	The Guilford Press (2009)
ISBN:	978-1606232620
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	665 pages

Abstract

Widely regarded as the authoritative text on development geography, this volume examines the nature and causes of global inequality and critically analyzes contemporary approaches to economic development across the third world. Students gain a deeper understanding of the interacting dynamics of culture, gender, race, and class; biophysical factors, such as climate, population, and natural resources; and economic and political processes—all of which have led to the present-day disparities between the first and third worlds. Numerous examples, sidebars, and figures illustrate how people in the global South are experiencing and contesting the forces of globalization.





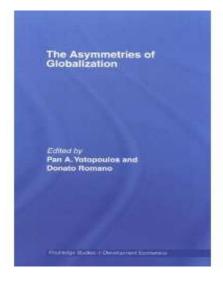
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Author(s), Editor(s):	Pan Yotopoulos, Donato Romano
Title:	Asymmetries of Globalization
Publisher:	Routledge (2007)
ISBN:	978-0-415-42048-8
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	208 pages

Abstract

The discourse on globalization has become polarized. Proponents consider globalization as the silver bullet for targeting growth in the world economy and for poor countries specifically, while opponents see it as the poisoned arrow of exploitation and impoverishment of the Third World. Splendidly edited, The Asymmetries of Globalization deals with the 'what' and 'how' but primarily with 'why' globalization has most often negative outcomes for developing countries. It breaks new ground in approaching globalization not only as trade commodities, but also as trade in positional goods ('decommodified trade.') The two novel and munificent forms of post-Ricardian decommodified trade, trade in services and trade in hard currency in the form of currency substitution, are sculpted in the introductory chapter as the foundation of the systematic asymmetries of globalization. The analytical approach of introducing 'positional goods' in the form of decommodified trade, in the discource on globalization, is original. It is also timely in a situation where the tail of trade in 'services' has grown enough to wag the traditional trade-in-commodities dog of globalization. The balance of the chapters in this volume constitute a tapestry of case studies that elaborate and empirically investigate the causes of systematic asymmetries of globalization. The book's appeal transcends economics to make it also highly useful to students across the disciplines of sociology and political science, especially in the fields of international political economy and the politics of international trade. It will certainly enlighten all those working in the general areas of globalization, poverty and economic development.





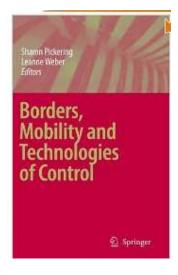
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Author(s), Editor(s):	Pickering, Sharon; Weber, Leanne
Title:	Borders, Mobility and Technologies of Control
Publisher:	Springer (2010)
ISBN:	978-9048172214
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	222 pages

Abstract

The implications for criminology of territorial borders are relatively unexplored. This book presents the first systematic attempt to develop a critical criminology of borders, offering a unique treatment of the impact of globalisation and mobility. Providing a wealth of case material from Australia, Europe and North America, it is useful for students, academics, and practitioners working in criminology, migration, human geography, international law and politics, globalisation, sociology and cultural anthropology.





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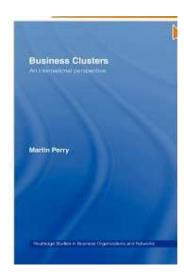
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Author(s), Editor(s):	Martin Perry
Title:	Business Clusters
Publisher:	Routledge (2007)
ISBN:	978-0415439916
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	256 pages

Abstract

Clusters of specialized businesses are being promoted around the world, aided by high-profile examples such as Silicon Valley.

Using evidence from high- and low-income economies, as well as detailed case studies that show the special conditions behind successful clusters, this book provides a new vantage point on this high-interest topic, making it ideal for students of business location, policy-makers and managers seeking a real-world understanding of clustering.





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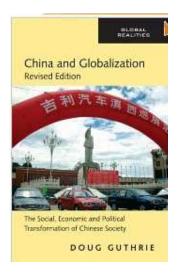
Author(s), Editor(s):	Doug Guthrie
Title:	China and Globalization
Publisher:	Routledge (2008)
ISBN:	978-0-415-99040-0
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	392 pages

Abstract

Choice Outstanding Academic Title 2009!

In its quarter-century-long shift from communism to capitalism, China has transformed itself from a desperately poor nation into a country with one of the fastest-growing and largest economies in the world. Doug Guthrie examines the reforms driving the economic genesis in this compact and highly readable introduction to contemporary China. He highlights the social, cultural and political factors fostering this revolutionary change and interweaves a broad structural analysis with a consideration of social changes at the micro and macro levels.

In this new, revised edition author Guthrie updates his story on modern China and provides the latest authoritative data and examples from current events to chart where this dynamically changing society is headed and what the likely consequences for the rest of the world will be.





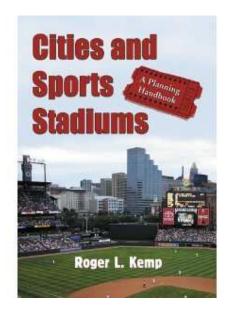
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Author(s), Editor(s):	Roger L. Kemp
Title:	Cities and Sports Stadiums: A Planning Handbook
Publisher:	McFarland (April 13, 2009)
ISBN:	978-0786438082
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	252 pages

Abstract

Throughout the United States, community development is increasingly focused on multi-use stadiums and arenas. Local governments and organizations are revitalizing their communities through these projects, which provide the best inner-city venues for sports, entertainment, cultural events, and business expositions. The first section of this book reveals how cities negotiate, approve, finance, design, and build stadiums and arenas. The second section includes case studies demonstrating measures and safeguards to take so the planned project will be a fiscal and political success. A final section examines the future of sports facilities.







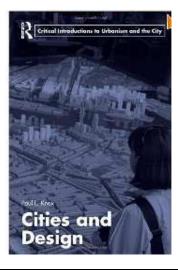
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Author(s), Editor(s):	Paul L. Knox
Title:	Cities and Design
Publisher:	Routledge (2010)
ISBN:	978-0415492898
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	296 pages

Abstract:

Cities, initially a product of the manufacturing era, have been thoroughly remade in the image of consumer society. Competitive spending among affluent households has intensified the importance of style and design at every scale and design professions have grown in size and importance, reflecting distinctive geographies and locating disproportionately in cities most intimately connected with global systems of key business services. Meanwhile, many observers still believe good design can make positive contributions to people's lives. *Cities and Design* explores the complex relationships between design and urban environments. It traces the intellectual roots of urban design, presents a critical appraisal of the imprint and effectiveness of design professions in shaping urban environments, examines the role of design in the material culture of contemporary cities, and explores the complex linkages among designers, producers and distributors in contemporary cities: for example fashion and graphic design in New York; architecture, fashion and publishing in London; furniture, industrial design, interior design and fashion in Milan; haute couture in Paris; and so on. This book offers a distinctive social science perspective on the economic and cultural context of design in contemporary cities, presenting cities themselves as settings for design, design services and the 'affect' associated with design.







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Author(s), Editor(s):	Yeong-Hyun Kim, John Rennie Short
Title:	Cities and Economies
Publisher:	Routledge (2008)
ISBN:	978-0-415-36574-1
Paperback (vagy Hardbac	ck) 208 pages

Abstract

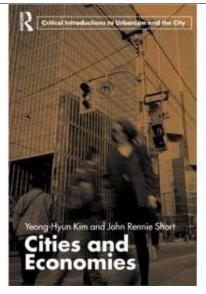
Cities and Economies explores the complex and subtle connections between cities and economies. The rise of the merchant city, the development of the industrial city and the creation of the service-dominated urban economy are all explored, along with economic globalization and its effects on cities in both developed and developing economies. This book provides a thorough examination of the role of the city in shaping economic processes and explains the different effects that economies have on cities. It provides an invaluable and unrivaled guide to the relationship between urban structure and economic processes as they compare and contrast across the world.

The authors examine the complex relationships between the city and the economy in historical and global contexts, as well as evaluating the role of world cities, the economic impacts of megacities and the role of the state in shaping urban economic policies. They focus on the ways in which cities have led, and at the same time adapted to, economic shifts. Large cities are viewed as the centres of regional and national economies, while a small number are defined by their centrality in the global economy.

The book:

- examines key ideas and concepts on the economic aspects of urban change
- explores the changing nature of urban economies and their relationships with changes at the national and global levels
- compares current economic issues and policies of large cities around the world
- explores the links between globalization and economic changes in cities and the growing competitions between them.

Cities and Economies uses case studies, photographs and maps expanding across the US, Western Europe and Asia. Written in a clear and accessible style, the book answers some fundamental questions about the economic role of cities. It is an essential text for students of geography, economics, sociology, urban studies and urban planning.







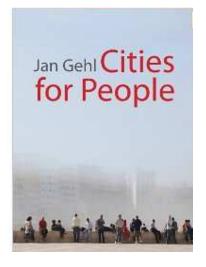
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Author(s), Editor(s):	Jan Gehl
Title:	Cities for people
Publisher:	Island Press (2010)
ISBN:	978-1597265737
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	288 pages

Abstract

Starred Review. In this fascinating look inside the key architectural factors that determine a city's livability, award-winning Danish architect and author Gehl (Public Spaces, Public Life) examines the factors he deems essential to a successful city. Not surprisingly, places designed without good room for safe walking and biking lead to a sedentary life "behind steering wheel and computer screen." A "lively" city, on the other hand, "counters the trend for people to withdraw into gated communities... serving a democratic function where people encounter social diversity." It's in examining architecture's psychological effects that Gehl truly shines; public spaces without comfortable seating and properly-scaled "talkscapes" evoking Italian piazzas enact a high human toll and greatly impact how the city functions at eye-level. Soaring, dehumanizing architecture has a diminishing effect on the individual, creating a shocking "high-rise" in crime rates. Even those without a professional interest in architecture will be fascinated by the assertions, like "slow traffic means lively cities," that Gehl makes. Coming to the conclusion that "a good city is like a good party: guests stay because they are enjoying themselves," Gehl keeps his latest effort engaging from start to finish. Illus. (Sept.)





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Author(s), Editor(s):	Wendy S. Shaw
Title:	Cities of Whiteness
Publisher:	Wiley-Blackwell (2007)
ISBN:	978-1405129121
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	232 pages

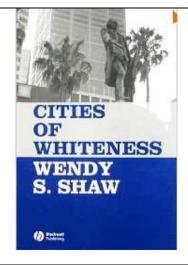
Abstract

Cities of Whiteness is an important contribution to our understanding of how race works in the postmodern city. It shows in clear and convincing detail how whiteness is bound up with property, heritage and fear."

Alastair Bonnett, Newcastle University

"Wendy S. Shaw writes with passion, with political commitment, carefully and engagingly, and with the kind of gallows humour that can be expected in grim situations. Her subtle and always empirically-grounded analysis astutely picks at the invisible structures of racialization that underpin white privilege and power. Sydney and New York, after Cities of Whiteness, are not such virtuous cities of multiculturalism. Instead, we see these cities afresh, complete with their promiscuous and particular processes of white superiority."

Steve Pile, The Open University





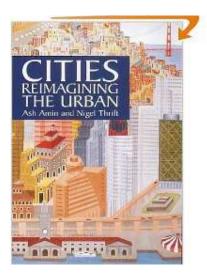
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Author(s), Editor(s):	Ash Amin, Nigel Thrift
Title:	Cities: Reimagining the Urban
Publisher:	Polity (2002)
ISBN:	978-0-7456-2414-3
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	192 pages

Abstract

This book develops a fresh and challenging perspective on the city. Drawing on a wide and diverse range of material and texts, it argues that too much contemporary urban theory is based on nostalgia for a humane, face-to-face and bounded city. Amin and Thrift maintain that the traditional divide between the city and the rest of the world has been perforated through urban encroachment, the thickening of the links between the two, and urbanization as a way of life. They outline an innovative sociology of the city that scatters urban life along a series of sites and circulations, reinstating previously suppressed areas of contemporary urban life: from the presence of non-human activity to the centrality of distant connections. The implications of this viewpoint are traced through a series of chapters on power, economy and democracy. This concise and accessible book will be of interest to students and scholars in sociology, geography, urban studies, cultural studies and politics.





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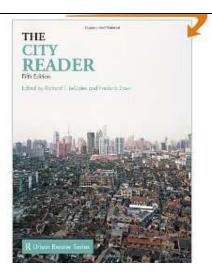
Author(s), Editor(s):	Richard T. LeGates, Frederic Stout
Title:	City Reader
Publisher:	Routledge (2011)
ISBN:	978-0415556651
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	704 pages

Abstract

The Fifth Edition of the highly successful *The City Reader* juxtaposes the best classic and contemporary writings on the city. It contains fifty-seven selections including seventeen new selections by Elijah Anderson, Robert Bruegmann, Michael Dear, Jan Gehl, Harvey Molotch, Clarence Perry, Daphne Spain, Nigel Taylor, Samuel Bass Warner, and others –five of which have been newly written exclusively for *The City Reader*. Classic writings from Ebenezer Howard, Ernest W. Burgess, LeCorbusier, Lewis Mumford, Jane Jacobs, and Louis Wirth, meet the best contemporary writings of Sir Peter Hall, Manuel Castells, David Harvey, Kenneth Jackson and others.

The City Reader Fifth Edition has been extensively updated and expanded to reflect the latest thinking in each of the disciplinary areas included and in topical areas such as sustainable urban development, climate change, globalization, and the impact of technology on cities. The plate sections have been extensively revised and expanded and a new plate section on global cities has been added.

The anthology features general and section introductions and introductions to the selected articles. New to the fifth edition is a bibliography of 100 top books about cities.





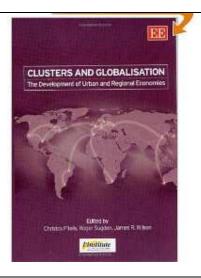
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Author(s), Editor(s):	Pitelis, C. – Sugden, R. – Wilson, J.R.
Title:	Clusters and Globalisation
Publisher:	Edward Elgar Publishing (2006)
ISBN:	978-1843766759
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	321 pages

Abstract

Clustering as an economic policy concern has become increasingly fashionable. The authors of this book shed light on this subject on which there remains remarkably little understanding, and even less agreement, regarding what clusters are, what they require for success and what impacts they are likely to have in different contexts, locally, nationally and globally. Clusters and Globalisation brings together scholars with different perspectives and theoretical groundings, and from different disciplines, to consider conceptual arguments and case study material. In doing so the volume identifies key characteristics and requirements of the forms of cluster that are especially significant for the attainment of economic success in a globalizing world. This unique critical analysis of clusters in the framework of globalization will strongly appeal to students and academics with an interest in economic development, public policy and globalization. The book will also be of great interest to researchers in policy agencies concerned with local economic development and the design of cluster policies.





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Author(s), Editor(s):	Andreas Faludi
Title:	Cohesion, Coherence, Cooperation: European Spatial Planning Coming of Age?
Publisher:	Routledge (2010)
ISBN:	978-0415562669
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	224 pages

Abstract

Since its foundation the European Union has gradually developed policies that are aimed at achieving increased economic and social cohesion. This book examines the most recent of these, the concept of territorial cohesion.

Territorial cohesion is the pursuit of balanced development, competitiveness, sustainable development, and good governance. These concerns are most readily addressed by the formulation of spatial strategies under the umbrella of spatial planning, that brings together a multitude of public and private actors in a process that requires cohesion, coherence and co-operation.

This book traces the development of spatial planning at European level and argues that spatial planning can become a vehicle, not only for territorial cohesion, but for EU policy generally.





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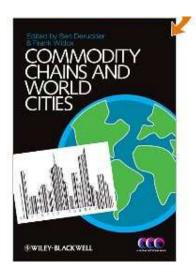
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Author(s), Editor(s):	Ben Derudder (Editor), Frank Witlox (Editor)
Title:	Commodity Chains and World Cities
Publisher:	Wiley-Blackwell (2010)
ISBN:	978-1444335873
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	208 pages

Abstract

Transnational spatial relations offer a key point from which to study the geographies of contemporary globalization. This book assesses the possible cross-fertilization between two of the most notable analytical frameworks - the world city network framework and the global commodity chain framework.

- Transnational spatial relations have become a key analytical lens through which to study the geographies of contemporary globalization
- Brings together contributions of key researchers from different backgrounds and different parts of the world
- Offers a set of original approaches to the study of the networked geography of globalization





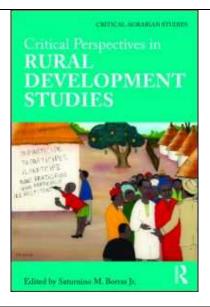
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Author(s), Editor(s):	Saturnino M. Borras Jr.
Title:	Critical Perspectives in Rural Development Studies
Publisher:	Routledge (2009)
ISBN:	978-0-415-59177-5
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	258 pages

Abstract

Agrarian transformations within and across countries have been significantly and dynamically altered during the past few decades compared to previous eras, provoking a variety of reactions from rural poor communities worldwide. The recent convergence of various crises - financial, food, energy and environmental - has put the nexus between 'rural development' and 'development in general' back onto the center stage of theoretical, policy and political agendas in the world today. Confronting these issues will require (re)engaging with critical theories, taking politics seriously, and utilizing rigorous and appropriate research methodologies. These are the common messages and implications of the various contributions to this collection in the context of a scholarship that is critical in two senses: questioning prescriptions from mainstream perspectives and interrogating popular conventions in radical thinking. This book focuses on key perspectives, frameworks and methodologies in agrarian change and peasant studies. The contributors are leading scholars in the field of rural development studies: Henry Bernstein, Terence J. Byres, Saturnino M. Borras Jr, Marc Edelman, Cristobal Kay, Benedict Kerkvliet, Philip McMichael, Shahra Razavi, Ian Scoones, and, Teodor Shanin. This book was previously published as a special issue of the "Journal of Peasant Studies".





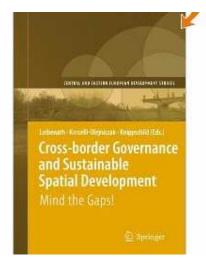
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Două țări, un scop, succes comun!

Author(s), Editor(s):	Leibenath, Markus; Korcelli-Olejniczak, Ewa; Knippschild, Robert
Title:	Cross-border Governance and Sustainable Spatial Development
Publisher:	Springer (2010)
ISBN:	978-3642098147
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	194 pages

Abstract

Border regions in Central Europe undergo tremendous changes due to the enlargement of the European Union and the related processes of Europeanization, bordering and rebordering. The book explores the consequences of these processes for cross-border governance and spatial planning in Central Europe. It combines analyses of European and national framework conditions with case studies from border regions and cities in 8 countries. The focus is on generic questions of cross-border planning and cooperation as well as on selected sectors such as nature conservation, transport and economic development. The book is written for the international scientific community and for practitioners in the fields of spatial planning, cross-border cooperation, environmental protection and structural policy.





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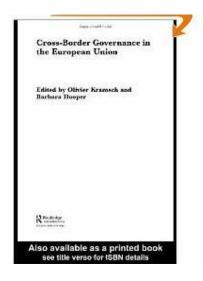
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Author(s), Editor(s):	Barbara Hooper, Olivier Kramsch
Title:	Cross-Border Governance in the European Union
Publisher:	Routledge (2006)
ISBN:	978-0415429757
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	256 pages

Abstract

This volume attempts to draw debates on governance, at both of these levels, into spaces of cross-border regionalism in Europe today. Embodying both supra-national and sub-national dynamics of contemporary forms of governance, cross-border regions (or *euregions*) enable observation of the fitful progress and contradictions of the multilevel polity that is contemporary Europe. Including case studies from throughout the EU as exemplars of specific border regimes, the volume identifies the practical and theoretical importance of governing in Europe's new cross-border territories as part of a newly reinvigorated 'regional question'. In Europe's *euregions*, it is argued, issues of democracy, identity, sovereignty, citizenship and scale must be rethought, when a border runs through it.

This book utilises a diversity of perspectives and a range of selected case studies to examine modes of governance emerging across the nation-state borders of Europe. It will interest students and researchers of European Union borders.





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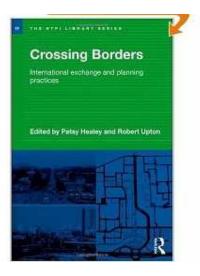
Author(s), Editor(s):	Patsy Healey, Robert Upton
Title:	Crossing Borders
Publisher:	Routledge (2010)
ISBN:	978-0-415-55847-1
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	392 pages

Abstract

The complex diffusion processes affecting the flow of planning ideas and practices across the globe are illustrated in this book. It raises questions about why and how some ideas and practices attract international attention, and about the invention processes which go on when external influences are woven together with local efforts to meet local specifics and requirements.

Initiated to celebrate the tenth anniversary of the journal *Planning Theory and Practice* in 2009, this book reflects the themes of the journal.

Taking different intellectual perspectives, this collection takes a critical look at the international diffusion of planning ideas and practices, their impacts on planning practices in different contexts, on the challenge of 'situating' planning practices, and on the ethical and methodological issues of international exchange in the planning field.





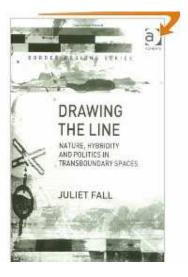
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Author(s), Editor(s):	Juliet Fall
Title:	Drawing the Line
Publisher:	Ashgate Publishing (2005)
ISBN:	978-0-7546-4331-9
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	325 pages

Abstract

Provides the first comprhensieve and critical examination of the spatial assumptions underpinning trandboundry protected areas in Europe, at a time of surgin global enthuiasm in creating and managing such areas. It explores how the reliance on the natural science approach has hed to a return of exclusionary discourses.





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Author(s), Editor(s):	Peter Merriman
Title:	Driving Spaces
Publisher:	Wiley-Blackwell (2007)
ISBN:	978-1-4051-3072-1
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	320 pages

Abstract

Review

"Merriman's systematic, detailed and precisely documented description of the cultural context of the M1 will itself stand as a valuable documentary resource for researchers and students alike" (*Area*, December 2008)

"Thoroughly researched and full of rich ... Driving Spaces presents the historical trajectory of the M1 Motorway through a series of cultural and political stages." (Journal of British Studies, October 2008)

"Merriman provides a fascinating perspective on the social and cultural aspects of driving and highways ... in this multidisciplinary study. Includes ... numerous references

Recommended." (Choice)

Review

"This is a terrific analysis of the making of a mobile landscape. It does an excellent job of deciphering the multiple lineaments of fast, smooth motorized passages of, in this case, the making of the UK's iconic M1."

-John Urry, University of Lancaster

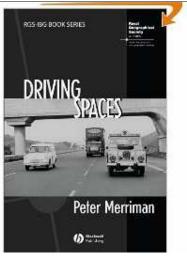
"The M1 has been with us for long enough for us to take it for granted and proceed (along it) as if it had always been there. Consequently it was ripe for just this kind of cultural historical study that reminds us it was once shockingly new, a less than certain enterprise and, ultimately, an astounding (and still evolving) construction in soil,

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-Eric Laurier, University of Edinburgh







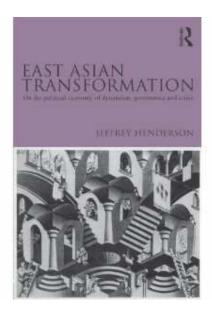
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Author(s), Editor(s):	Henderson, J
Title:	East Asian Transformation. On the Political Economy of Dynamism, Governance and Crisis
Publisher:	Routledge (2011)
ISBN:	978-0-415-54792-5
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	184 pages

Abstract

From the re-emergence of Japan as an industrial power in the 1950s through to the contemporary rise of China as a potential economic and political behemoth, the story of East Asian development has been central to any serious analysis of the dynamics and trajectory of the global political economy. Integrated into a coherent, critical narrative, this book examines key political-economic and social dynamics that helped forge the 'miracle' economies of East Asia and continue to drive them forward in the volatile circumstances of our current epoch. It analyses the relation between the state and markets; the changing nature of economic governance and its relation to inequality; and the rise of China and its international consequences. Historically informed and comparative in nature, the book contributes to the analysis of the transformations of Japan, Hong Kong, South Korea, Taiwan, Singapore, Malaysia and China, and is the first to cover the ground in one volume. Written by a leading analyst of East Asian development, the book engages with the relevant issues and debates, in an open, non-technical language, making it useful as an advanced textbook not only for East Asian studies, but more generally in international political economy and development studies.







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Author(s), Editor(s):	Jeffries, I.
Title:	Economic Developments in Contemporary Russia
Publisher:	Routledge (2011)
ISBN:	978-0-415-60344-7
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	576 pages
Abstract	

This book provides a comprehensive overview of Russia's difficult economic transition from a command economy since the early 1990s. It covers the financial crisis of August 1998 and the global financial crisis a decade later. Key subjects covered include economic transition, privatization and liberalization; changes in land ownership and agriculture; energy; foreign direct investment; economic stabilization; and economic performance. Russia is well endowed with raw materials, especially oil and natural gas; this book argues that in some ways this has not helped Russia's attempts to become a more diversified and high-tech economy.

Overall, the book demonstrates how much the Russian economy has changed in the period. It continues - and adds to - the overview of developments in the author's The New Russia (2002), and is the companion volume to Political Developments in Contemporary Russia (2011) - both published by Routledge.



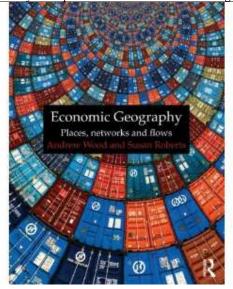
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Author(s), Editor(s):	Andrew Wood, Susan Roberts
Title:	Economic Geography
Publisher:	Routledge (2010)
ISBN:	978-0415401821
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	192 pages

Abstract

The turbulence of the current times has dramatically transformed the world's economic geographies. The scale and scope of such changes require urgent attention. With intellectual roots dating to the 19th century economic geography has traditionally sought to examine the spatial distributions of economic activity and the principles that account for them. More recently, the field has turned its attention to a range of questions relating to: globalization and its impact on different peoples and places; economic inequalities at different geographic scales; the development of the knowledge-based economy; and the relationship between economy and environment. Now more than ever the changing fortunes of peoples and places demands our attention. Economic Geography provides a stimulating and innovative introduction to economic geography by establishing the substantive concerns of economic geographers, the methods deployed to study them, the key concepts and theories that animate the field, and the major issues generating debate. This book is the first to address the diverse approaches to economic geography as well as the constantly shifting economic geographies on the ground. It encompasses traditional approaches, albeit from a critical perspective, while providing a thorough, accessible and engaging examination of the concerns, methods and approaches of the 'new economic geography'. This unique introductory text covers the breadth of economic geography while engaging with a range of contemporary debates at the cutting-edge of the field. Written in an accessible and lucid style, this book offers a thorough and systematic introductory survey. It is enhanced by pedagogical features throughout including case studies dealing with topics ranging from the head office locations of the Fortune 500, Mexico's maquiladoras to China's investments in southern Africa. This book also contains exercises based on the key concepts and annotated further reading and websites







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Author(s), Editor(s):	Herfried Münkler
Title:	Empires: The Logic of World Domination from Ancient Rome to the United States
Publisher:	Polity Press (2007)
ISBN:	978-0-7456-3872-0
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	248 pages

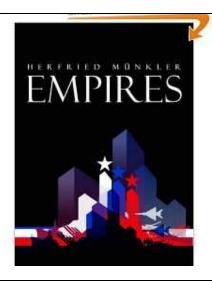
Abstract

Herfried Munkler is a walking one-man think tank."

Die Zeit

Until recently, it was thought by many that empires were relics of the past. But suddenly, in the wake of 9/11, the global war on terror and the invasion of Iraq, the question of imperial power has returned to the centre of debate: we now seem to be faced with a new American empire that many people regard as threatening. Do the politicians in Washington dictate the rules that the rest of the world must follow? Or do empires have a logic of their own to which even the most powerful rulers must succumb?

In this major new book, Herfried Munkler analyses the characteristics of empires and traces the rise and fall of imperial powers from Ancient Rome to the present day. What is an empire? What risks does an imperial order face and what opportunities are offered? Munkler shows how empires provide stability and examines the dangers they face when their powers are overstretched. He argues that, while earlier empires from Ancient China and Ancient Rome to the Spanish, Portuguese and British empires had their own historical conditions, certain basic principles concerning the development and preservation of power can be discerned in all empires and are still relevant today. This book is a commanding walk through the history of empires and at the same time a brilliant analysis of the most modern of topics. It will appeal to students and scholars of international politics and history as well as general readers interested in political history and contemporary world politics.





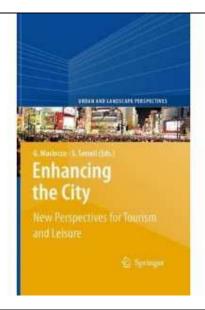
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Author(s), Editor(s):	Maciocco, Giovanni; Serreli, Silvia
Title:	Enhancing the City
Publisher:	Springer (2009)
ISBN:	978-90-481-2418-3
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	369 pages

Abstract

Departing from a survey on the post-modern landscapes of tourism, this book explores the transformations the city has undergone and the way it has become a simulacrum offered to tourists, spectacularised with the aim of increasing its capacity for attraction. The experiences dealt with in the papers of authors belonging to different disciplinary fields, emphasise the city's tendencies to create "stage-set contexts" of the private type, be it historic quarters, theme parks or hypermarkets. Issues like aestheticisation, thematisation and genericity are dealt with, conceptual categories that highlight the weak resistance cities put up against the rules of the leisure industry and, more generally speaking, the consumer economy. The book inquires into the capacity of the urban and territorial project to construct a perspective for a public dimension of space. This is linked with ethical action of the project involving an active relationship with places and a capacity to understand the dynamics of different urban populations. In this sense capacity for innovation and creativity can contribute to transforming "islands" of leisure into places of the city and consumers into citizens.





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Author(s), Editor(s):	Paul Robbins
Title:	Environment and Society: A Critical Introduction
Publisher:	Wiley-Blackwell (2010)
ISBN:	978-1405187602
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	312 pages

Abstract

Review

"This innovatively structured work, from some of the field's most creative thinkers, sheds fresh light on some familiar but intractable subjects. This is one of those rare books that holds out the promise that you will think differently after you put it down than you did when you picked it up."

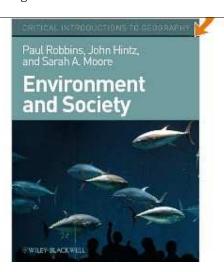
-Michael R. Dove, Yale University

"At last, a text that renders the recent and voluminous research into society-nature relations both accessible and engaging. It succeeds superbly in blending theory and case material, resulting in a rich and challenging text."

-Noel Castree, University of Manchester

"At last a rigorous environmental text suitable for undergraduates based on current theory, so badly needed to move on from the tired platitudes that have dominated discussion over environment and society for the last four decades. I especially appreciated its inclusion of objects ranging from carbon dioxide to french fries, clearly demonstrating how environment and society are inseparably entangled."

—Jim Proctor, Lewis & Clark College





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Author(s), Editor(s):	James Wesley Scott
Title:	EU Enlargement, Region Building and Shifting Borders of Inclusion and Exclusion
Publisher:	Ashgate Publishing (2006)
ISBN:	978-0754645429
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	245 pages

Abstract

The entry of 10 Central and Eastern European countries, along with Malta and Cofu, into the EU in 2004 caused a huge shift in the EU's external boundaries. The socio-economic and political transformations that this shift has caused along the new EU border not only suggest new regional development opportunities, but also many potential problems and tensions. While the EU insists that enlargement will not signify 'new divisions', processes of inclusion and exclusion and the imposition of visa restrictions on non-EU citizens could pose obstacles to co-operation, conjuring fears of an emerging 'fortress Europe' that effectively divides the continent. Illustrated with case studies from Central and Eastern European border areas, this book examines capacities for region-building across national borders in within the context of EU enlargement, synthesizing the various insights provided by local information and suggesting ways forward for the future development of the EU's 'Wider Europe' strategy.







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Author(s), Editor(s):	Adrian Favell
Title:	Eurostars and Eurocities: Free Movement and Mobility in an Integrating Europe
Publisher:	Wiley-Blackwell (2008)
ISBN:	978-1-4051-3404-0
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	296 pages

Abstract

Review

?Self-consciously and by design not a conventional social science product, Favell?s book propels the reader much as a novel would into the private lives of 60 ?pioneers of European integration,? educated and highly skilled trailblazers representing the ?small but symbolically powerful population? who have voluntarily left their ?nation-state society? to reap the rewards of denizenship in a big, rich Eurocity in northwest Europe.? (American Journal of Sociology, September 2009)

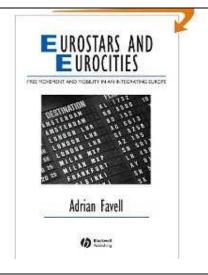
?A fascinating insight into the crucial and elusive topic of European identity, *Eurostars and Eurocities* is a pleasure to read.?

Gideon Rachman, Financial Times

?Who are the Europeans? *Eurostars and Eurocities* presents a convincing portrait of the pitfalls, opportunities, sorrows and joys of people who have decided to give life a go in another European society.? *Neil Fligstein, University of California, Berkeley*

?A rich ethnography that will surely become a major historical document of the experiences of free movers in the EU ?

Juan D?ez Medrano, University of Barcelona





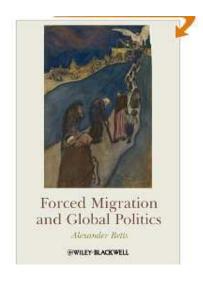
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Author(s), Editor(s):	Alexander Betts
Title:	Forced Migration and Global Politics
Publisher:	Wiley-Blackwell (2009)
ISBN:	978-1-4051-8032-0
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	224 pages

Abstract

Using real-world examples and in-depth case studies, *Forced Migration and Global Politics* systematically applies International Relations theory to explore the international politics of forced migration. Provides an accessible and thought-provoking introduction to the main debates and concepts in international relations and examines their relevance for understanding forced migration Utilizes a wide-range of real-world examples and in-depth case studies, including the harmonization of EU asylum and immigration policy and the securitization of asylum since 9/11. Explores the relevance of cutting-edge debates in international relations to forced migration



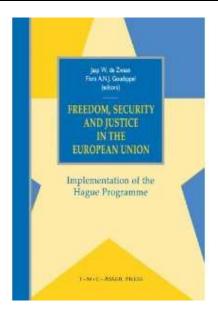
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Author(s), Editor(s):	De Zwaan, Jaap W.; Goudappel, Flora A. N. J.
Title:	Freedom, Security and Justice in the European Union
Publisher:	T.M.C. Asser Press (2006)
ISBN:	978-90-6704-225-3
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	308 pages

Abstract

The European integration process has provided for the internal market, an area without internal frontiers, allowing for free movement of goods, persons, services and capital within the European Union. Complementary, the Union needs mechanisms to combat the negative consequences of the open borders policy and to protect its external borders. Therefore, it was decided that justice and home affairs cooperation should also be developed at European level. The Hague Programme is the working programme of the European Union concerning justice and home affairs cooperation in the period 2005-2010. In the present book the contents of the Hague Programme of 2004 are explained. Under the headings 'Freedom', 'Security' and 'Justice' developments so far and future perspectives are discussed regarding subject matter such as border control, visa policy, immigration law, police cooperation and criminal law cooperation. All these policy areas are to be considered recent policy domains of the European Union.





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Title: Publisher: ISBN: Paperback (vagy Hardback)	Gaining advantage from open borders – an active space approach to regional development Ashgate Pub Ltd (2001) 978-0754617105
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•	398 pages
Abstract	
paradigm. The first par approach. The second advantage is gained for various institutional is	arning and concern for sustainability are central concepts of the tof the book comprises a theoretical elaboration of the "active space part covers an exploration of the extent to which and ways in which or openness in different border regions. The third part discussions and policies, and concludes with reflections on the performance emerging research paths.



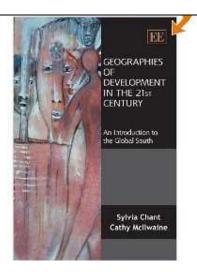
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Author(s), Editor(s):	Chant, S. – McIlwaine, C.
Title:	Geographies of Development in the 21st Century
Publisher:	Edward Elgar Publishing (2009)
ISBN:	978-1847209665
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	384 pages

Abstract

Written by two widely published academics with many years experience in university teaching, research and consultancy, Geographies of Development in the 21st Century provides a concise yet informative introduction to development in the contemporary Global South. Incorporating field research from Mexico, Costa Rica, Guatemala, Colombia, El Salvador, the Philippines, Botswana and The Gambia, Sylvia Chant and Cathy McIlwaine bring alive a body of fascinating subject matter extending across gender, family, poverty, employment, household livelihoods, the informal economy, housing, migration, civil society, conflict and violence. Reflecting both authors' enduring interests in the academic-policy interface, the book is also informed by assignments they have undertaken for various international organisations such as the World Bank, Inter-American Development Bank, UNDP, UNICEF, ILO and the Commonwealth Secretariat. This timely and engaging volume will be an essential companion for undergraduate students taking introductory courses in development and globalization, as well as a useful reference and repository of teaching and learning ideas for those lecturing on the subject. Students will not only find this resource refreshingly accessible and user-friendly, but will be able to further their knowledge guided by annotated readings, key internet sources, and a range of learning activities.





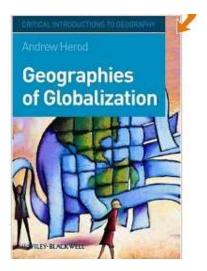
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Author(s), Editor(s):	Andrew Herod
Title:	Geographies of Globalization: A Critical Introduction
Publisher:	Wiley-Blackwell (2009)
ISBN:	978-1405110914
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	296 pages

Abstract

Exploring a wide range of issues, from the integration of the world economy to how contemporary processes are shaping and shaped by nation-states and how workers are organizing transnationally in response to transformations in the planet's economic geography, *Geographies of Globalization* is a critical examination of what has become the leitmotif of our contemporary world. Challenges neoliberal assumptions on the nature of globalization. Provides a conceptual overview of how globalization is a spatial process and of its relation to capitalism. Explores whether we are in fact living in a more 'globalized' world or only in a more 'internationalized' one. Considers arguments concerning whether 'globalization' is a new phenomenon or simply the latest manifestation of processes many hundreds of years in the making. Focuses on how nation-states have shaped, and been shaped by, contemporary processes of 'globalization', how 'globalization' has been imagined discursively, and how workers are responding to such processes. Explores how workers are creating new organizing strategies in response to 'globalization'





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Author(s), Editor(s):	Anthony C. Gatrell
Title:	Geographies of Health: An Introduction
Publisher:	Wiley-Blackwell; 2 edition (2009)
ISBN:	978-1405175753
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	304 pages

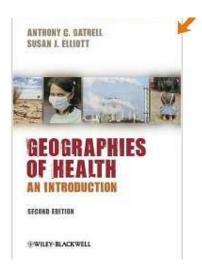
Abstract

This revised second edition highlights the ways in which health may be studied from geographical perspectives, setting out the debates and reviewing the evidence that links health outcomes with social and physical environments.

Introduces the reader to relevant theoretical perspectives, methodologies, and research Provides new examples from a range of geographical settings

Provides an extensive revision to the first edition, emphasizing contemporary concerns such as globalization, neighbourhood health, and obesity

Pays greater attention to the US health care system, mental health, health of older adults, disease ecology and re-emerging diseases, health in developing world, and children's and women's health





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Author(s), Editor(s):	Andrew Herod
Title:	Geographies of Power: Placing Scale
Publisher:	Wiley-Blackwell (2002)
ISBN:	978-0631225584
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	328 pages

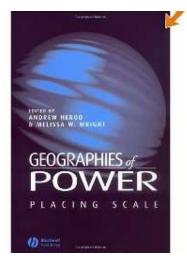
Abstract

At a time when references to things 'global' have gained more currency than ever, this book explores the nexus of power and space behind the politics of geographical scale.

Explores the nexus of power and space behind the rescaling of contemporary social, economic and political life.

Organized into three sections on theorizing scale, the discourses and rhetorics of scale, and scales of activism.

Will stimulate discussion about how conceptions and visions of scale inform all aspects of social life.





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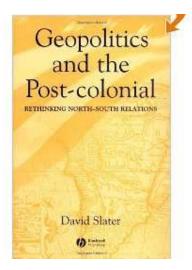
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Author(s), Editor(s):	David Slater
Title:	Geopolitics and the Post-Colonial: Rethinking North-South Relations
Publisher:	Wiley-Blackwell (2004)
ISBN:	978-0-631-21453-3
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	296 pages

Abstract

With a critical focus on US-Latin American encounters, the book analyses geopolitical issues from a post-colonial perspective.

- A novel approach to understanding US-Third World relations.
- Critically considers the genesis of US power.
- Interweaves ideas and events, interventions and representations.
- Highlights the contribution of Third World intellectuals.





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Două țări, un scop, succes comun!

Author(s), Editor(s):	Marcus Taylor
Title:	Global Economy Contested
Publisher:	Routledge; 1 edition (2008)
ISBN:	978-0415775489
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	272 pages

Abstract

Although much has been written on the topic of economic globalization, few volumes examine the social foundations of the global economy in a way that puts power and contestation at the forefront of the analysis. This book addresses this gap by emphasizing the contested social processes that underpin global production chains and financial structures. It demonstrates not only how the uneven effects of global economic integration impact upon workers and communities across the globe, but also how the agency of these individual and collective actors have reciprocal effects that reconfigure the terrain of global capitalism. Multidisciplinary in its approach, the book brings together an international group of social scientists who share a common interest in providing critical examinations of contemporary globalizations. With perspectives from sociologists, political scientists and political economists, it juxtaposes the examination of global trends with the diverse contexts of specific regions and countries. It features a range of case studies from North and Latin America, Europe, Africa, East and South-East Asia and post-communist Russia to explore the issues surrounding: global production chains and the international division of labour, corporate social responsibility and socially responsible investing, new forms of labour organizing and internationalism. It will be of interest to students and researchers in international political economy, the sociology of globalization, development studies, economic geography and labour studies.





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Author(s), Editor(s):	Tassilo Herrschel
Title:	Global Geographies of Post-Socialist Transition
Publisher:	Routledge (2007)
ISBN:	978-0-415-32149-5
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	288 pages

Abstract

Since the formal raising of the Iron Curtain, there has been much interest in post-socialism and the process of post-socialist transition. This timely book provides a systematic review and analysis of the process of 'transition'. Herrschel:

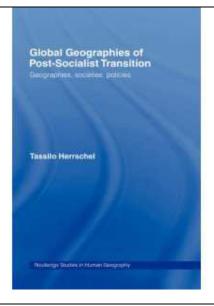
explores recent theories, concepts and debates on post-socialism and the notion of transition

provides a systematic, topical account of post-socialist transitions around the world, as evidence by social, economic, and political processes

examines case studies of post-socialist transition in east and Central Europe, the former Soviet Union, Asia and South-East Asia, and Africa and Latin America

brings together theoretical and practical aspects by examining what lessons can be learned from recent experiences.

Global Geographies of Post-Socialist Transition provides a truly global comparative account of the meaning and processes of post-socialist transition and will be an invaluable resource for all those interested in this area.





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Author(s), Editor(s):	John L. Seitz
Title:	Global Issues: An Introduction
Publisher:	Wiley-Blackwell (2007)
ISBN:	978-1-4051-5497-0
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	328 pages

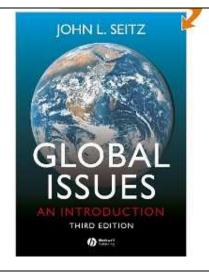
Abstract

Review

"The new edition is adequately updated to cover significant developments in each of these fields, including an expanded section on global warming and a new section on the UN's Millennium Development Goals." (*Geographical Journal*, 2009)

"For the third time, Professor Seitz has produced a readable, relevant, exciting and up-to-date book that addresses many of the major issues that affect our planet and the future of our species. His ability to see the 'big picture' and to show how closely all these global issues interlink is his major strength and is what makes this book a 'must read' for anyone interested in what happens to Earth."

David Graham, Nottingham Trent University





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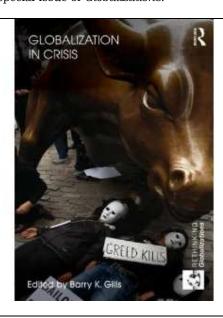
Author(s), Editor(s):	Barry Gills
Title:	Globalization in Crisis
Publisher:	Routledge (2011)
ISBN:	978-0415600484
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	344 pages

Abstract

This book analyses the present global financial and economic crisis, the most severe in nearly a century, and a wider set of multiple and converging crises with aspects and repercussions that go well beyond the current economic climate.

Written by some of the world's leading international scholars in the field of Globalization studies and related disciplines, this important collection addresses numerous key aspects of the relationship between Globalization and global crises, past, present, and future. It sheds new light and understanding on the concept and theory of Globalization and of 'crisis'. The authors explore such issues as global finance and financial regulation, neoliberal ideology and policy, the 'crisis of globalization', the decline of Western hegemony, world systemic crisis, the moral crisis of 'Western capitalism', environmental and climate change crises, world order, hyper-violence and the international system, a crisis of the 'global modern' and a global civilisational and hostpric crisis, the rise of the global South, the historical dialectics of capital and social responses to crisis, the future of capitalism and the prospects for transformative alternatives.

This book was published as a special issue of *Globalizations*.





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Author(s), Editor(s):	George Ritzer
Title:	Globalization: A Basic Text
Publisher:	Wiley-Blackwell (September 1, 2009)
ISBN:	978-1405132718
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	608 pages

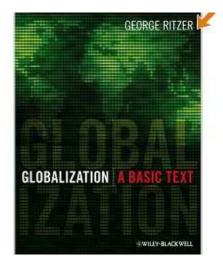
Abstract

The first full-scale textbook of its kind, *Globalization* provides a balanced introduction to the major topics in globalization studies.

Develops a unique perspective on globalization early in the book and uses it throughout to orient and organize discussion of a wide range of topics and parts of the world Integrated use of a wide array of materials – empirical research, theories, newspaper and

magazine articles, monographs, popular books, etc Makes extensive use of maps throughout to illustrate key points about globalization Includes a glossary of key terms

Designed to work either on its own or as a package with an accompanying cross-referenced reader constructed around the basic concepts of globalization





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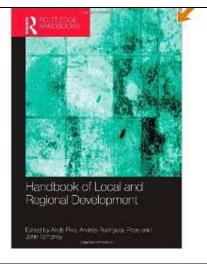
Author(s), Editor(s):	Andy Pike, Andres Rodriguez-Pose, John Tomaney
Title:	Handbook of Local and Regional Development
Publisher:	Routledge (2010)
ISBN:	978-0-415-54831-1
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	664 pages

Abstract

The Handbook of Local and Regional Development provides a comprehensive statement and reference point for local and regional development. The scope of this Handbook's coverage and contributions engages with and reflects upon the politics and policy of how we think about and practise local and regional development, encouraging dialogue across the disciplinary barriers between notions of 'local and regional development' in the Global North and 'development studies' in the Global South.

This Handbook is organized into seven inter-related sections, with an introductory chapter setting out the rationale, aims and structure of the Handbook. Section one situates local and regional development in its global context. Section two establishes the key issues in understanding the principles and values that help us define what is meant by local and regional development. Section three critically reviews the current diversity and variety of conceptual and theoretical approaches to local and regional development. Section four address questions of government and governance. Section five connects critically with the array of contemporary approaches to local and regional development policy. Section six is an explicitly global review of perspectives on local and regional development from Africa, Asia-Pacific, Europe, Latin America and North America. Section seven provides reflection and discussion of the futures for local and regional development in an international and multidisciplinary context.

With over forty contributions from leading international scholars in the field, this *Handbook* provides critical reviews and appraisals of current state-of-the-art conceptual and theoretical approaches and future developments in local and regional development.





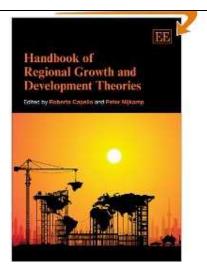
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Author(s), Editor(s):	Roberta Capello
Title:	Handbook Of Regional Growth And Development Theories
Publisher:	Edward Elgar Publishing (2010)
ISBN:	978 1 84980 084 6
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	544 pages

Abstract

Regional economics - an established discipline for several decades - has gone through a rapid pace of change in the past decade and several new perspectives have emerged. At the same time the methodology has shown surprising development. This volume brings together contributions looking at new pathways in regional economics, written by many well-known international scholars. The most advanced theories, measurement methods and policy issues in regional growth are given in-depth treatment. The focus here is to collect cutting-edge theories explaining regional growth and local development. The authors highlight the recent advances in theories, the normative potentialities of these theories and the cross-fertilization of ideas among regional economists and mainstream economists. Theories of regional growth and development need to be able to interpret, more than ever, the way in which regions achieve a role in the international division of labour and, more importantly, the way in which regions can maintain this role over time. Topics covered include: regional growth and development policies and measurement methods; development theories of innovation, knowledge and space, and regional production factors; and growth theories and space. This book will be a source of reference and information for both scholars and students in the area of regional economics.







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Author(s), Editor(s):	Karlsson, C.
Title:	Handbook of Research on Cluster Theory
Publisher:	Edward Elgar Publishing (2010)
ISBN:	978 1 84980 086 0
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	336 pages

Abstract

This is a book every regional scientist and spatial analyst should have on their bookshelf. Like most handbook type publications it provides depth and breadth on the basics of the industrial clustering concept. However, unlike most of these type of collections, it goes beyond the foundation material to identify and speculate on questions that are emerging on the research frontiers such as at the intersection of cluster theory and agglomeration processes, knowledge spillovers and technology transfer - not to mention the obvious link to economic development theory, policy and practice.'

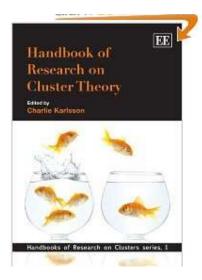
- Roger R. Stough, George Mason University, US

This eclectic volume presents a host of methods to describe tendencies for the joint location of economic agents in space. And it illustrates useful applications of these concepts in diverse fields - financial services, culture, tourism, and industry, to name just a few.' - John M. Quigley, University of California, US

Clusters have increasingly dominated local and regional development policies in recent decades and the growing intellectual and political interest for clusters and clustering is the prime motivation for this handbook.

Charlie Karlsson unites leading experts to present a thorough overview of economic cluster research. Topics explored include agglomeration and cluster theory, methods for analysing clusters, clustering in different spatial contexts and clustering in service industries. Encompassing the developed economies of Europe and North America, the handbook provides a basis for improving cluster policy formulation, interpretation and analyses.

This comprehensive overview of research on economic clusters will be of interest to scholars and PhD students in (regional) economics, economic geography, regional planning and management as well as practitioners and policymakers at the national, regional and local levels involved in cluster formation and cluster management.





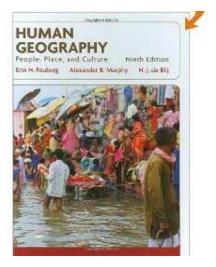
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Author(s), Editor(s):	Erin H. Fouberg, Alexander B. Murphy, H. J. de Blij
Title:	Human Geography: People, Place, and Culture
Publisher:	Wiley (2009)
ISBN:	978-0470382585
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	544 pages

Abstract

Human Geography gets general readers to think geographically across scale and across a wide range of geographical phenomena and global issues. All concepts and themes are touched on with the historical background one would expect, but also with current examples to make the reading more relevant. The content is written in such a way that it is approachable and appealing. It includes all of the important themes in a succinct and engaging narrative style that can easily be understood. From the Field boxes and opening vignettes help anyone who has not personally traveled much of the world. General readers will also find the latest data as they build their understanding of important concepts.







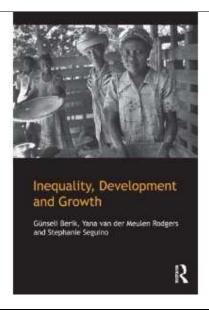
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Author(s), Editor(s):	Günseli Berik, Yana van der Meulen Rodgers, Stephanie Seguino
Title:	Inequality, Development, and Growth
Publisher:	Routledge (2011)
ISBN:	978-0415609944
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	376 pages

Abstract

This volume presents a comprehensive analysis of the linkages between inequality, development, and growth from a feminist economics perspective. More specifically, it examines connections between intergroup inequality and macroeconomic outcomes, considering various channels through which gender, growth, and development interact. Using a range of analytical methods, country studies, and levels of aggregation, the contributors argue that inequalities based on gender, race, ethnicity, and class undermine the ability of people to provision and live fully to their capabilities. Authors examine the effect of macroeconomic policies and economic growth on inequalities in material resources and well-being, as well as the effects of inequality on economic growth. The volume offers specific explanations for how the macroeconomy can hinder the achievement of gender equality and in turn how gender relations in areas like education and wage gaps can have macro-level impacts. Finally, the volume offers a rich array of policy options for promoting gender equality as both an intrinsic goal and a step toward improving well-being and broadly-shared development. This book was published as a special issue of *Feminist Economics*.





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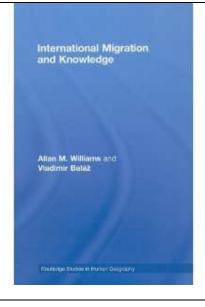
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Author(s), Editor(s):	Allan Williams, Vladimir Baláž
Title:	International Migration and Knowledge
Publisher:	Routledge (2008)
ISBN:	978-0415434928
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	240 pages

Abstract

Two unconnected but important recent academic and policy debates have focussed on the idea of the knowledge-based economy and the economic consequences of increasing international migration. This book challenges preconceived views on the debates and argues the need to understand that all migrants are potentially knowledge carriers and learners, and that they play an essential role in the globalization of knowledge transactions.

Deconstructing the concept of knowledge, and demonstrating how tacit knowledge is in fact an amalgam of encultured and embrained/embodied forms of knowledge this book considers how international migration has profound consequences, analysed, first, in terms of the economic and immigration strategies of national and regional bodies. And, secondly, the authors explore how the 'diversity dividend' of migration is captured by firms through their management strategies, and by individuals through increasingly boundaryless careers, continuous learning and transnational working lives. This research is a highly original contribution which provides the first overview of one of the most dynamic forces for change in the globalising economy. It will challenge migration researchers and students to engage with the management and learning literatures, and it will challenge management and economic policy analysts to think through the role of international migration. As such it will contribute to teaching and research in a range of social science disciplines, as well as to those involved in policy arenas ensuring that firms and all migrants engage in mutual learning and knowledge sharing.







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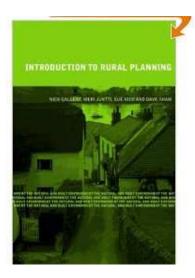
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Author(s), Editor(s):	Nick Gallent, Meri Juntti, Sue Kidd, Dave Shaw
Title:	Introduction to Rural Planning
Publisher:	Routledge (2008)
ISBN:	978-0415429979
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	384 pages

Abstract

Providing an overview of rural (spatial) planning for students on planning, geography and related programmes, this book charts the major patterns and processes of rural change affecting the British countryside, its landscape, its communities and its economies in the twentieth century. The authors examine the role of 'planning' in shaping rural spaces, not only the statutory 'comprehensive' planning that emerged in the post-war period, but also planning and rural programme delivery undertaken by central, regional and local policy agencies. The book is designed to accompany a typical teaching programme in rural planning and considers:

- the nature of rural areas and the emergence of statutory planning in England
- the agents of rural policy delivery and the potential for current planning practice to become a 'policy hub' at the local level, co-ordinating the actions and programmes of different agents
- economic change in the countryside and the influence planning has in shaping rural economies
- social change, the nature of rural communities and recent debates on housing and rural service provision
- environmental change, the changing fortunes of farming, landscape protection, and the idea of a multifunctional landscape made by forces that can be shaped by the planning process
- key areas of current concern in spatial rural planning, including debates surrounding city-regions, the rural A comprehensive coverage of the forces, processes and outcomes of rural change whilst keeping planning's influence and role in clear view at all times.





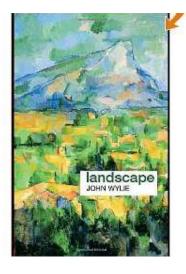
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Author(s), Editor(s):	John Wylie
Title:	Landscape
Publisher:	Routledge (2007)
ISBN:	978-0415341448
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	264 pages

Abstract

Landscape is a stimulating introduction to and contemporary understanding of one of the most important concepts within human geography. A series of different influential readings of landscape are debated and explored, and, for the first time, distinctive traditions of landscape writing are brought together and examined as a whole, in a forward-looking critical review of work by cultural geographers and others within the last twenty to thirty years. This book clearly and concisely explores 'landscape' theories and writings, allowing students of geography, environmental studies and cultural studies to fully comprehend this vast and complex topic. To aid the student, vignettes are used to highlight key writers, papers and texts. Annotated further reading and student exercises are also included. For researchers and lecturers, Landscape presents a forward-looking synthesis of hitherto disparate fields of inquiry, one which offers a platform for future research and writing.





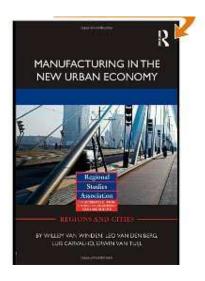
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Author(s), Editor(s):	Willem van Winden, Leo van den Berg, Luis Carvalho, Erwin van Tuijl
Title:	Manufacturing in the New Urban Economy
Publisher:	Routledge (2010)
ISBN:	978-0415586078
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	400 pages

Abstract

In large cities in developed countries, the share of manufacotruing has declined drastically in the last decades and the share of service has grown as many manufacturing firms have closed or moved to lower-cost locations. The process of deindustrialization is often seen as part of the inevitable shift towards a knowledge based economy and urban economies come to rely on research and development, financial services, tourism and the creative industries. This book looks at the changing link between manufacturing and knowledge-based activities in urban regions. The authors develop a new framework drawing on insights from organization studies and regional economic literature looking at various international case studies in Western and Eastern Europe, South America and Asia.





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Author(s), Editor(s):	Melinda Meade, Michael Emch
Title:	Medical Geography
Publisher:	The Guilford Press (2010)
ISBN:	978-1606230169
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	498 pages

Abstract

The leading text in the field, this comprehensive book reviews geographic approaches to studying disease and public health issues across the globe. It presents cutting-edge techniques of spatial and social analysis and explores their relevance for understanding cultural and political ecology, disease systems, and health promotion. Essential topics include how new diseases emerge and epidemics develop in particular places; the intersecting influences on health of biological processes, culture, environment, and behavior; and the changing landscape of health care planning and service delivery. The text is richly illustrated with tables, figures, and maps, including 16 color plates.

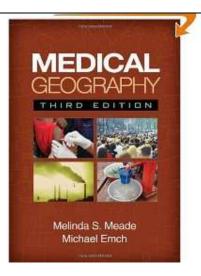
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Author(s), Editor(s):	Michael Samers
Title:	Migration
Publisher:	Routledge (2010)
ISBN:	978-0-415-77666-0
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	392 pages

Abstract

In the context of global security concerns, humanitarian crises and skill shortages migration and immigration have become central to economic, political and social debates at the beginning of the twenty-first century. And while migration and immigration have certainly not escaped the attention of social scientists, the study of both remains the most 'under-serviced' academic domain with respect to introductory texts. It is not surprising then that even fewer books have explored the contours of these social phenomena from an explicitly geographical perspective – in other words, in terms of 'space', 'place' and 'scale'.

Migration is an advanced, yet accessible, introduction to migration and immigration in a global context. It offers a critical, multi-disciplinary approach to the subject, borrowing from human geography, political science, social anthropology and sociology. However, unlike other broad volumes on the subject, it emphasises a theoretical and conceptual approach to the study of migration. Specifically, Migration adopts a unique geographical approach by employing spatial concepts such as place, scale, and territory. Using these spatial concepts, the author argues that most studies of migration begin with either an undue emphasis on nation-states as a lens on migration or on the contrary rely on exaggerated notions of trans-nationalism. Migration neither neglects the importance of nation states nor the significance of transnationalism, but it focuses on how local contexts matter to migration. The book covers such topics as migration categories, the explanation of different forms of migration, migration and employment, the geopolitics of migration and immigration and citizenship, rights, and belonging.

This text is not simply an encyclopaedic overview of migration theories, trends and facts; rather, it is designed to have lasting intellectual value by providing particular arguments in each theme-based chapter. While it advocates certain arguments, it is also clearly written in an engaging and accessible manner for an undergraduate audience. Its clear structure is complemented by a combination of pedagogical features, such as case-study boxes, summary questions at the end of each chapter and a glossary. The book is designed for courses and modules on migration and immigration at the undergraduate and postgraduate levels and both students and academics will find it exceptionally useful.





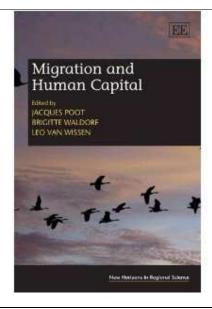
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Author(s), Editor(s):	Poot, J. – Waldorf, B. – van Wissen, L
Title:	Migration and Human Capital
Publisher:	Edward Elgar Publishing (2009)
ISBN:	978-1847200846
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	291 pages

Abstract

Throughout the world, migration is an increasingly important and diverse component of population change, both at national and sub-national levels. Migration impacts on the distribution of knowledge and generates externalities and spillover effects. This book focuses on recent models and methods for analyzing and forecasting migration, as well as on the basic trends, driving factors and institutional settings behind migration processes. Migration and Human Capital also looks at many current policy issues regarding migration, such as the creative class in metropolitan areas, the brain drain, regional diversity, population ageing, illegal immigration, ethnic networks and immigrant assimilation. With specific reference to Europe and North America, the book reviews and applies models of internal migration; analyses the spatial concentration of human capital; considers migration in a family context; and addresses the political economy of international migration. This book will be invaluable for researchers and policy makers in the fields of internal and international migration. It provides upto-date readings for advanced courses that focus on migration and population change in a global context.





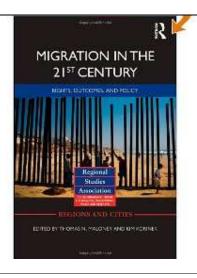
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Author(s), Editor(s):	Thomas N. Maloney, Kim Korinek
Title:	Migration in the 21st Century
Publisher:	Routledge (2010)
ISBN:	978-0415779142
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	304 pages

Abstract

In this volume, we examine the challenges and opportunities created by global migration at the start of the 21st century. Our focus extends beyond economic impact to questions of international law, human rights, and social and political incorporation. We examine immigrant outcomes and policy questions at the global, national, and local levels. Our primary purpose is to connect ethical, legal, and social science scholarship from a variety of disciplines in order to raise questions and generate new insights regarding patterns of migration and the design of useful policy. While the book incorporates studies of the evolution of immigration law globally and over the very long term, as well as considerations of the magnitude and determinants of immigrant flows at the global level, it places particular emphasis on the growth of immigration to the United States in the 1990s and early 2000s and provides new insights on the complex relationships between federal and state politics and regulation, popular misconceptions about the economic and social impacts of immigration, and the status of 'undocumented' immigrants.





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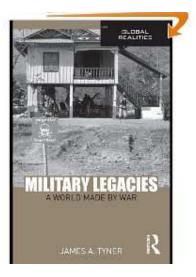
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Author(s), Editor(s):	James A. Tyner
Title:	Military Legacies
Publisher:	Routledge (2009)
ISBN:	978-0415995948
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	248 pages

Abstract

Landmines, cluster-bombs, chemical pollutants, and other remnants of war continue to cause death to humans and damage to the environment long after the guns have fallen silent. From the jungles of Vietnam to the arctic tundra of Russia, no region has escaped the legacy of warfare.

To understand the legacy of modern militarism, this book presents an overview of post-conflict societies, with an emphasis on the human toll exacted by modern warfare.





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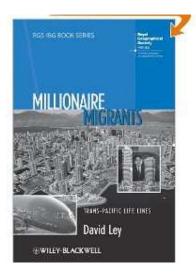
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Author(s), Editor(s):	David Ley
Title:	Millionaire Migrants: Trans-Pacific Life Lines
Publisher:	Wiley-Blackwell (2010)
ISBN:	978-1405192927
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	328 pages

Abstract

Based on extensive interviewing and access to a wide range of databases, this is an examination of the migration career of wealthy migrants who left East Asia and relocated to Canada, Australia, New Zealand, and the United States, in the 1980s and 1990s.

An interdisciplinary project based on over 15 years of research in Vancouver, Toronto, and Hong Kong, with additional comparative visits and consultations in Sydney, Beijing, and Singapore Traces the histories of the migrants families over a 25 year period. Offers a critical view of the spatial presuppositions of neo-liberal globalization, and an insertion of geography into transnational theory







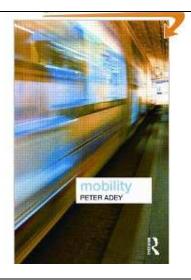
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Două tări, un scop, succes comun!

Author(s), Editor(s):	Peter Adey
Title:	Mobility
Publisher:	Routledge (2009)
ISBN:	978-0-415-43400-3
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	288 pages

Abstract

As everything from immigration, airport security and road tolling become headline news, the need to understand mobility has never been more pertinent. Yet 'mobility' remains remarkably elusive in summary and definition. This introductory text makes 'mobility' tangible by explaining the key theories and writings that surround it. This book traces out the concept of mobility as a key idea within the discipline of geography as well as subject areas from the wider arts and social sciences. The text takes an interdisciplinary approach to draw upon key writers and thinkers that have contributed to the topic. In analyzing these, it develops an understanding of mobility as a relationship through which the world is lived and understood. Mobility is organized around themed chapters discussing Meanings, Politics, Practices and Mediations and the book identifies the evolution of mobility and its implications for theoretical debate. These include the way we think about travel and embodiment, to regarding issues such as power, feminism and post-colonialism. Important contemporary case-studies are showcased in boxes. Examples range from the mobility politics evident in the evacuation of the flooding of New Orleans, xenophobia in Southern Africa, motoring in India, to the new social relationships emerging from the mobile phone. The methodological quandaries mobility demands are addressed through highlighted boxes discussing both qualitative and quantitative research methods. Arguing for a more relational notion of the term, the book understands mobility as a keystone to the examination of issues from migration, war and transportation; from communications and politics to disability rights and security. Key concept and case-study boxes, further readings, and central issue discussions allow students to grasp the central importance of 'mobility' to social, cultural, political, economic and everyday terrains. The text also assists scholars of Geography, Sociology, Cultural Studies, Planning, and Political Science to understand and engage with this evasive concept.





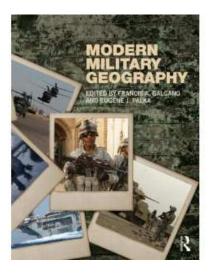
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Author(s), Editor(s):	Francis A. Galgano, Eugene J. Palka
Title:	Modern Military Geography
Publisher:	Routledge (2010)
ISBN:	978-0415870955
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	456 pages

Abstract

This book of contributed chapters by subject matter expertly provides an overview and analysis of salient contemporary and historical military subjects from the military geographer's perspective. Factors of geography have had a compelling influence on battles and campaigns throughout history; however, geography and military affairs have gained heightened attention during the past two decades, and military geography is the discipline best situated to explain them. Hence, the premise of this book and its contents are founded on the principle that geographical knowledge of space, place, people, and scale provide essential insights into contemporary security issues and promotes the idea that such insight is critical to understanding and managing significant military problems at local, regional, and global scales.





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Author(s), Editor(s):	Liam O'Dowd-James Anderson-Thomas M. Wilson
Title:	New Borders for a Changing Europe – Cross-border cooperation and governance
Publisher:	Routledge (2003)
ISBN:	978-0-7146-8348-5
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	256 pages

Abstract

The "deepening and widening" of the EU has thrown its changing internal and external borders into sharp relief. This work demonstrates that borders are key spaces within which issues such as identity, memory and trust, and communication between states continue to be played out and transformed.







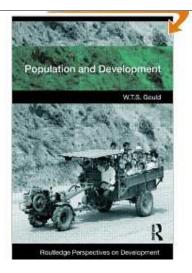
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Author(s), Editor(s):	W.T.S. Gould
Title:	Population and Development
Publisher:	Routledge (2009)
ISBN:	978-0-415-35447-9
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	320 pages

Abstract

Population and Development addresses important issues at the heart of the problems of developing countries. How these countries address the common difficulties of population growth, including mortality and fertility decline, population redistribution including internal migration and urbanization, and also international migration, for both source countries and for destination countries. How and why has population change affected development - both positively and negatively? How and why has development affected population change - both growth and distribution? The book opens with an introduction, preceding the ten substantive chapters, covering some of the broader issues for population studies and development studies and the relationships between them. The first three chapters set out the main concepts and theoretical discussions on how population affects development and also how development affects population. Detailed chapters then cover each of the three main components of population change - fertility, mortality and finally migration. These are followed by chapters on the impacts of age structures, including the potential for a demographic dividend, and of the more qualitative aspects of human resource development through formal education and ICTs, with further chapters on population policies and population futures. The book incorporates illustrative text boxes and case studies on regions in Africa, the Middle East and Asia which elaborate the broader theoretical and conceptual substance of the ten major chapters. Each chapter has Discussion Questions' and 'Sources and Further Reading' sections, and there is an extensive integrated References section. The arguments of the book bring together a large but fairly loosely integrated literature from population studies, development studies and geography in a conceptually coordinated, empirically wide-ranging and challenging discussion. It is targeted at an audience in undergraduate courses in Geography and in Masters courses in Development Studies and Population Studies. The books succinct but erudite structure means it can be used either as a course text book, or as a basic reference on a range of current issues and likely concerns at the interface between Geography, Development Studies and Population Studies.





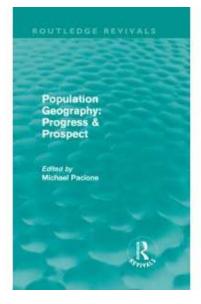
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Author(s), Editor(s):	Michael Pacione
Title:	Population Geography: Progress & Prospect
Publisher:	Routledge (2011)
ISBN:	978-0415616119
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	338 pages

Abstract

First published in 1986, this book presents a comprehensive overview of the contemporary state of knowledge in the field of population geography. It discusses the contemporary state of the art and surveys new research developments and new thinking in the major branches of the subject. It thereby provides an introductory guide to contemporary trends and forms a reference point for future development in the subject.





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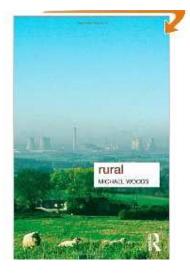
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Author(s), Editor(s):	Michael Woods
Title:	Population Geography: Progress & Prospect
Publisher:	Routledge (2010)
ISBN:	978-0-415-44240-4
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	352 pages

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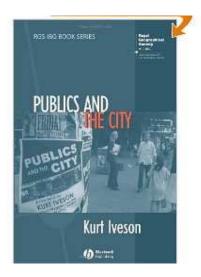
Author(s), Editor(s):	Kurt Iveson
Title:	Publics and the City
Publisher:	Wiley-Blackwell (2007)
ISBN:	978-1405127301
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	256 pages

Abstract

"A fascinating and well argued book which convincingly explores the relationship between the public sphere – or publicness – and the city. It is an engaging and fruitful conversation between urban studies and critical social theories of the public sphere, which draws on a series of illuminating case studies."

Allan Cochrane, Open University

"Urban public spaces are arenas of political action but also of both public and private efforts to manage popular behaviour. This series of engaging Australian case studies and insightful analyses helps clarify both sets of issues. It should be of interest to everyone who cares about urban life, popular politics, and the intersection of place and identity." *Craig Calhoun, NYU*





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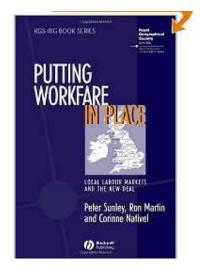
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Author(s), Editor(s):	Peter Sunley, Ron Martin, Corinne Nativel
Title:	Putting Workfare in Place: Local Labour Markets and the New Deal
Publisher:	Wiley-Blackwell (2006)
ISBN:	978-1405107846
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	256 pages

Abstract

The New Deal for Young People, introduced in April 1998, has been a flagship of the Labour Government. This book is the first comprehensive and authoritative analysis of the New Deal and examines how far the programme has succeeded in responding to the diversity of conditions in local labour markets across the UK.

The book argues that profound differences in local labour market conditions have exerted a telling influence on the New Deal's achievements. It proposes that contemporary labour market policy should not only be based on theories and models of the national economy and of individual behaviour, but that policy design also needs to recognise the importance of the local and regional labour market contexts which shape its viability and outcomes. By situating policy in this way, the book not only examines how workfare has been put in place in the UK, but also puts place into workfare.







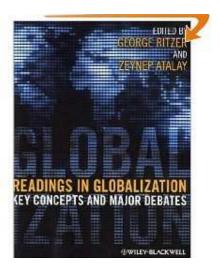
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Author(s), Editor(s):	George Ritzer
Title:	Readings in Globalization: Key Concepts and Major Debates
Publisher:	Wiley-Blackwell (2010)
ISBN:	978-1-4051-3273-2
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	560 pages

Abstract

This unique and engaging anthology introduces students to the major concepts of globalization within the context of the key debates and disputes. Introduces globalization through its basic concepts, rather than thematically; a distinctive approach that provides students with a better grasp of what social science has to offer on the topic. Utilizes concepts from interdisciplinary sources, bringing together work from key figures across a number of fields - from Weber and Marx, to contemporary figures in the field, including Beck, Bauman, Castells, and Homi Bhabha. Includes excerpts to illustrate ideas, all at an appropriate level of difficulty for an undergraduate audience. Offers all of this in the dynamic context of major debates surrounding the basic concepts and the fundamental realities of globalization. Designed so it can be used independently, or alongside Ritzer's *Globalization: A Basic Text* for a complete student resource





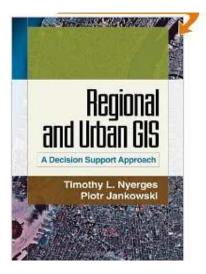
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Author(s), Editor(s):	Timothy L. Nyerges, Piotr Jankowski
Title:	Regional and Urban GIS
Publisher:	The Guilford Press (2009)
ISBN:	978-1-60623-336-8
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	299 pages

Abstract

This unique text shows students and professionals how geographic information systems (GIS) can guide decision making about complex community and environmental problems. The authors' step-by-step introduction to GIS-based decision analysis methods and techniques covers important urban and regional issues (land, transportation, and water resource management) and decision processes (planning, improvement programming, and implementation). Real-world case studies demonstrate how GIS-based decision support works in a variety of contexts, with a special focus on community and regional sustainability management. Ideal for course use, the book reinforces key concepts with end-of-chapter review questions; illustrations include 18 color plates.





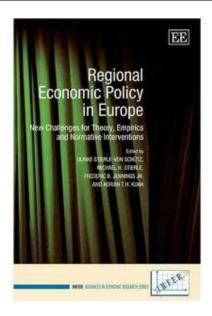
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Author(s), Editor(s):	Stierle-von Schütz, U. – Stierle, M.
Title:	Regional Economic Policy in Europe.
Publisher:	Edward Elgar Pub (December 30, 2008)
ISBN:	978 1 84844 038 8
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	262 pages

Abstract

"Regional Economic Policy in Europe" presents a tightly focused selection of policy, empirical and theoretical perspectives on contemporary dimensions of regional economic policy in the EU. It concentrates on three areas: the dissimilarities and resulting convergence of disparate regions within the EU; the localisation of economic activities and how regions can understand and manage them; and, finally, the experiences and lessons that can be drawn from European regional policy. While exploring EU cohesion and regional development more widely, this book also examines Spanish, Belgian and Eastern European experiences on growth, human capital, foreign investment and technological spillovers. This up-to-date and thoroughly researched study is one that will be appreciated by academics and researchers of European studies and regional economics in Europe. Policymakers will also find the conclusions reached within the pages of this book invaluable.





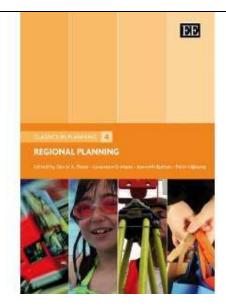
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Author(s), Editor(s):	Plane, D.A. – Mann, L.D. – Button, K. – Nijkamp, P
Title:	Regional Planning
Publisher:	Edward Elgar Pub (2007)
ISBN:	978 1 84542 027 7
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	691 pages

Abstract

The difficulties involved in formulating national policy over large geographical areas has led to the widespread adoption of more localized planning methods, covering regions of a large country. This comprehensive collection includes classic papers which highlight the ways in which regional planning has evolved, as well as offering case studies of state-of-the-art planning practices. The first part of the volume provides a background to the subject's nature and evolution. It includes key pieces looking at the current state and evolution of the epistemology and practice of regional planning. The next section examines advances in the theory of regional development processes. The coverage is inevitably selective in subject matter and embraces the topical themes of economic convergence, amenities and quality of life, and regional systems of cities. The penultimate section concerns itself with major contributions on the neo-modern perspectives of regional policy and policy evaluation. Finally, there are case studies of regional planning practices.





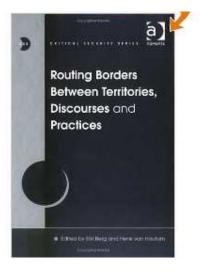
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Author(s), Editor(s):	Eiki Berg-Henk Van Houtum
Title:	Routing Borders Between Territories, Discourses and Practices
Publisher:	Ashgate Publishing (2003)
ISBN:	978-0-7546-3055-5
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	306 pages

Abstract

This multi-disciplinary reading focuses on the latent meaningful and contextual strategies that are often implied and included in bordering processes. It demonstrates that the border as a concept is not so much an object, but rather an ongoing process. The book also consciously and provocatively balances the modernist trap of universalism, exclusive ordering and state-centrism and the postmodernist trap of moral nihilism. Leading specialists in their fields provide illustrative case studies from Europe and Asia, making a major contribution to border studies.





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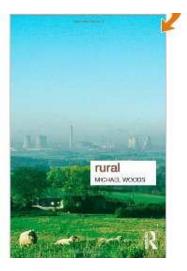
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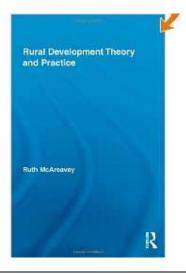
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Author(s), Editor(s):	Ruth McAreavey
Title:	Rural Development Theory and Practice
Publisher:	Routledge (2009)
ISBN:	978-0415957649
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	174 pages

Abstract

Rural development is inherently viewed as a positive thing; it is seen as something that brings together groups of individuals with automatic positive implications and outcomes. Policy rhetoric frequently uses popular terms such as involvement, participation and power sharing to describe rural development activities. However, the reality of experience on the ground does not necessarily concur with these ideals. It is not always clear who ultimately benefits from rural development: the State, the community or rural development practitioners. This book critically analyses key concepts associated with rural development policy and practice, and using the concepts of power and micro-politics to analyze rhetoric and reality, reveals the intricacies of rural development. Challenging popular ideals associated with rural development, this book presents the notion of rural development less as a spontaneous, all-inclusive affair and more as a limited, controlled and exclusive process. Ultimately it contends that within structures of rural governance, a regeneration power elite predominates development and regeneration activities.





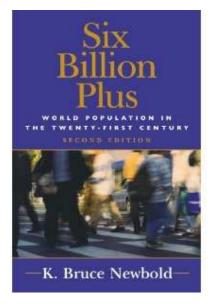
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Author(s), Editor(s):	K. Bruce Newbold
Title:	Six Billion Plus: World Population in the Twenty-first Century
Publisher:	Rowman & Littlefield Publishers (2006)
ISBN:	978-0742539297
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	258 pages

Abstract

Recognizing that world population growth will be explosive well into the twenty-first century, Six Billion Plus offers a geographical and global perspective on the profound implications of this trend. This compact, balanced, and accessible text focuses on the key factors that will shape the global environment in the decades to come, including population fertility, epidemics like HIV/AIDS, legal and illegal immigration, refugee flows, scarce resources, and the potential for conflict. This fully updated edition will be an invaluable resource for all readers concerned with the intertwined issues of population, environment, and health.





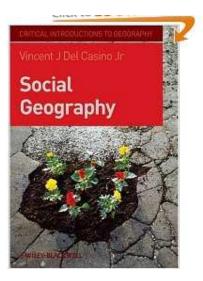
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Author(s), Editor(s):	Vincent J. Del Casino, Jr.
Title:	Social Geography: A Critical Introduction
Publisher:	Wiley-Blackwell (2009)
ISBN:	978-1-4051-5500-7
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	336 pages

Abstract

Introducing the debates that inform current social geographic research and theory and interrogating the historical development of social geography, *Social Geography: A Critical Introduction* explores how urban and rural spaces are organized in ways that construct and maintain social inequality. Puts into context the assumptions of various strains of social geographic thought as they have developed historically. Assists students in addressing key social geographic questions and methodologies. Provides a showcase for cutting edge work in the field. Is written in an accessible and lively style, setting out a wide breadth of social geographic research





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Author(s), Editor(s):	Thomas J. Linneman
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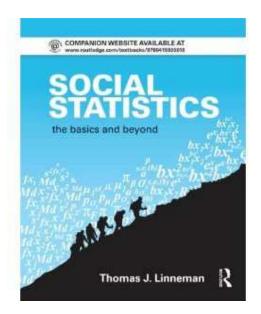
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With just the right level of detail, and a graphically innovative approach, this book carefully guides students through the statistical techniques they will encounter in the real world.

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Author(s), Editor(s):	Neil Brenner
Title:	Spaces of Neoliberalism: Urban Restructuring in North America and Western Europe
Publisher:	Wiley-Blackwell (2003)
ISBN:	978-1405101059
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	336 pages

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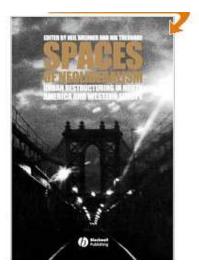
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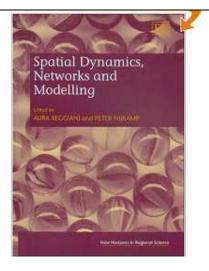
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Author(s), Editor(s):	Aura Reggiani
Title:	Spatial Dynamics, Networks And Modelling
Publisher:	Edward Elgar (2006)
ISBN:	978 1 84542 450 3
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	528 pages

Abstract

As a result of the drastic changes caused by major systemic shifts in society, such as the rise of the knowledge economy or the increasing use of information and communication technology, modern economies have witnessed a transition to a networked society, where interconnectivity and interoperability between different economic systems and layers play a significant role. This important new book provides a valuable set of studies on spatial dynamics, emerging networks and modelling efforts. It employs interdisciplinary concepts alongside innovative trajectories to highlight recent advances in analysing and modelling the spatial economy, transport networks, industrial dynamics and regional systems. It is argued that modelling network processes at different spatial scales provides critical information for the design of plans and policies. Furthermore, a key issue in the current complex and heterogeneous landscape is the adoption and validation of new approaches, models and methodologies, which are able to grasp the emergent aspects of economic uncertainty and discontinuity, as well as overcome the current difficulties of carrying out appropriate forecasts. In exploring diverse pathways for theoretical, methodological and empirical analysis, this exciting volume offers promising and evolutionary perspectives on the modern spatial network society. Spatial Dynamics, Networks and Modelling is a unique and illuminating book, which will have widespread appeal among students, scholars and practitioners of spatial economics, regional science, transport economics and geography.







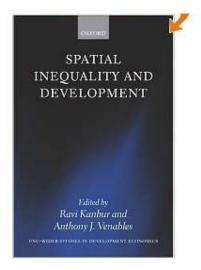
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Author(s), Editor(s):	Kanbur Ravi
Title:	Spatial inequality and development
Publisher:	Oxford University Press (2005)
ISBN:	978-0-19-927863-3
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	432 pages

Abstract

What exactly is spatial inequality? Why does it matter? And what should be the policy response to it? These questions have become important in recent years as the spatial dimensions of inequality have begun to attract considerable policy interest. In China, Russia, India, Mexico, and South Africa, as well as most other developing and transition economies, spatial and regional inequality - of economic activity, incomes, and social indicators - is on the increase. Spatial inequality is a dimension of overall inequality, but it has added significance when spatial and regional divisions align with political and ethnic tensions to undermine social and political stability. Also important in the policy debate is a perceived sense that increasing internal spatial inequality is related to greater openness of economies, and to globalization in general. Despite these important concerns, there is remarkably little systematic documentation of what has happened to spatial and regional inequality over the last twenty years. Correspondingly, there is insufficient understanding of the determinants of internal spatial inequality. This volume attempts to answer the questions posed above, drawing on data from twenty-five countries from all regions of the world. They bring together perspectives and expertise in development economics and in economic geography and form a well-researched introduction to an area of growing analytical and policy importance.





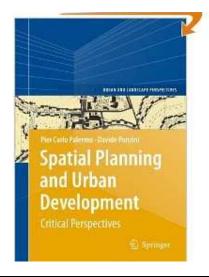
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Author(s), Editor(s):	Palermo, Pier Carlo, Ponzini, Davide
Title:	Spatial Planning and Urban Development
Publisher:	Springer (2010)
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Paperback (vagy Hardback)	159 pages

Abstract

Urban planning is a complex field of knowledge and practice. Through the decades, theoretical debate has formed an eclectic set of possible perspectives, without finding, in our opinion, a coherent paradigmatic framework which can adequately guide the interpretation and action in urban planning. The hypothesis of this book is that the attempts of founding an autonomous planning theory are inadequate if they do not explore two interconnected fields: architecture and public policies. The book critically reviews a selected set of current practices and theoretical founding works of modern and contemporary urban planning by highlighting the continuous search for the epistemic legitimization of a large variety of experiences. The distinctive contribution of this book is a documented critique to the eclecticism and abstraction of the main international trends in current planning theory. The dialogic relationship with the traditions of architecture and public policy is proposed here in order to critically review planning theory and practice. The outcome is the proposal of a paradigmatic framework that, in the authors' opinion, can adequately guide reflections and actions. A pragmatic and interpretative heritage and the project-orientated approach are the basis of this new spatial planning paradigm.





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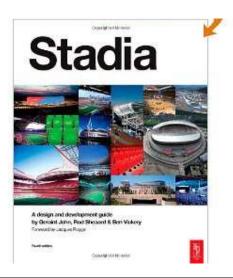
Două țări, un scop, succes comun!

Author(s), Editor(s):	Geraint John RIBA Dip Arch (UCL) CISRM MILAM FRSA (Author), ROD SHEARD (Author), Ben Vickery (Author)
Title:	Stadia: A Design and Development Guide
Publisher:	Architectural Press (2007)
ISBN:	978-0750668446
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	320 pages

Abstract

In this completely updated and redesigned edition of the essential and long-established Stadia, the authors offer their unrivalled expertise to all professionals who commission, plan, design, and manage high-quality sports venues. This fourth edition features over twenty case studies of recent projects in Europe, America, Australia, China and Japan, and the technical sections contain substantial new information on master planning and designing for the disabled. In addition to a wide array of international information sources, the authors were able to draw on the experience of the design firm that delivered the 1999 Cardiff Millennium stadium, the 2000 Sydney Olympic stadium, the 2002 Reliant stadium in Houston, the 2005 Nanjing Sports Park, the new grandstand for Ascot Racecourse, and the recently completed Wembley stadium.

- * Written by the internationally recognized global leaders in sport architecture, HOK.
- * Includes the very latest projects in a wealth of international case studies
- * Covers all technical aspects on designing new stadia as well as altering existing buildings





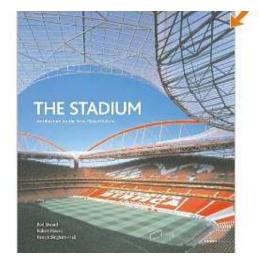
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Author(s), Editor(s):	Robert Powell (Author), Rod Sheard
Title:	Stadium: Architecture for the New Global Culture
Publisher:	Periplus Editions (2005)
ISBN:	978-0794603359
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	208 pages

Abstract

Get into the center of the action with *The Stadium*, a book that takes you to some of the finest event centers across the globe. Sports fans in the United States can revisit their own home fields such as the Reliant Stadium in Houston, SBC Park in San Francisco, Oriole Park in Baltimore, and experience international attractions such as the Millennium Stadium in Cardiff, Wembley in London, Arsenal in London, and the Olympic Stadium in Sydney. With 250 eye-popping photos and 70 architectural plans, this book defines the stadium as a worlwide cultural icon.





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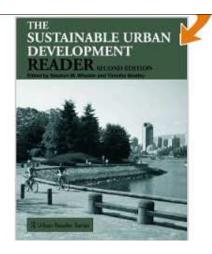
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Author(s), Editor(s):	Stephen M. Wheeler, Timothy Beatley
Title:	Sustainable Urban Development Reader
Publisher:	Routledge (2008)
ISBN:	978-0415453813
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	512 pages

Abstract

Building on the success of its first edition, the second edition of the *Sustainable Urban Development Reader* expands its selection of classic material on sustainable community development. As in the previous edition, it begins by tracing the roots of the sustainable development concept in the nineteenth and twentieth centuries, before presenting classic readings on a number of dimensions of the sustainability concept.

Topics covered include land use and urban design, transportation, ecological planning and restoration, energy and materials use, economic development, social and environmental justice, and green architecture and building. All sections have a concise editorial introduction that places the selection in context and suggests further reading. Additional sections cover tools for sustainable development, sustainable development internationally, visions of sustainable community and case studies from around the world. The book also includes educational exercises for individuals, university classes, or community groups, and an extensive list of recommended readings. The anthology remains unique in presenting a broad array of classic readings in this field, each with a concise introduction placing it within the context of this evolving discourse. It includes updated material on: global warming, issues in less developed countries, ecotourism, prospects for sustainable development in China, megacities, case studies of sustainable development. The Sustainable Urban Development Reader presents an authoritative overview of the field using original sources in a highly readable format for university classes in urban studies, environmental studies, the social sciences, and related fields. It also makes a wide range of sustainable urban planning-related material available to the public in a clear and accessible way, forming an indispensable resource for anyone interested in the future of urban environments.





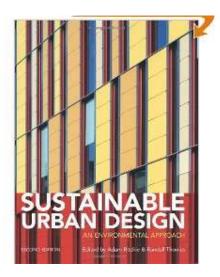
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Author(s), Editor(s):	Adam Ritchie, Randall Thomas
Title:	Sustainable Urban Design
Publisher:	Taylor & Francis (2009)
ISBN:	978-0415447829
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	256 pages

Abstract

By the end of the twenty-first century it is thought that three-quarters of the world's population will be urban; our future is in cities. Making these cities healthy, vibrant and sustainable is an exceptional challenge which this book addresses. It sets out some of the basic principles of the design of our future cities and, through a series of carefully-selected case studies from leading designers' experience, illustrates how these ideas can be put into practice. Building on the first edition's original format of design guidance and case studies, this new edition updates the ideas and techniques resulting from further research and practice by the contributors. This book emphasises the enormous progress made towards exciting new designs that integrate good design with resource efficiency.





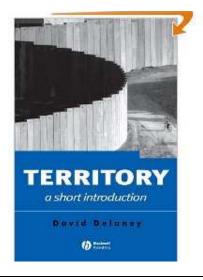
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Author(s), Editor(s):	David Delaney
Title:	Territory: A Short Introduction
Publisher:	Wiley-Blackwell (2005)
ISBN:	978-1405118323
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	176 pages

Abstract

This short introduction conveys the complexities associated with the term "territory" in a clear and accessible manner. It surveys the field and brings theory to ground in the case of Palestine. A clear and accessible introduction to the complexities associated with the term "territory". Provides an interdisciplinary survey of the many strands of research in the field. Addresses specific areas including interpretations of territorial structures; the relationship between territoriality and scale; the validity and fluidity of territory; and the practical, social processes associated with territorial re-configurations. Stresses that our understanding of territory is inseparable from our understanding of power. Uses Israel/Palestine as an extended illustrative case study. The author's strong legal and geographical background gives the work an authoritative perspective.



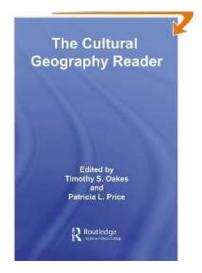
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Author(s), Editor(s):	Timothy Oakes, Patricia L. Price
Title:	The Cultural Geography Reader
Publisher:	Routledge (2008)
ISBN:	978-0415418737
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	496 pages

Abstract

The Cultural Geography Reader draws together fifty-two classic and contemporary abridged readings that represent the scope of the discipline and its key concepts. Readings have been selected based on their originality, accessibility and empirical focus, allowing students to grasp the conceptual and theoretical tools of cultural geography through the grounded research of leading scholars in the field. Each of the eight sections begins with an introduction that discusses the key concepts, its history and relation to cultural geography and connections to other disciplines and practices. Six to seven abridged book chapters and journal articles, each with their own focused introductions, are also included in each section. The readability, broad scope, and coverage of both classic and contemporary pieces from the US and UK makes The Cultural Geography Reader relevant and accessible for a broad audience of undergraduate students and graduate students alike. It bridges the different national traditions in the US and UK, as well as introducing the span of classic and contemporary cultural geography. In doing so, it provides the instructor and student with a versatile yet enduring benchmark text.







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Author(s), Editor(s):	Derek Gregory
Title:	The Dictionary of Human Geography
Publisher:	Wiley-Blackwell (2009)
ISBN:	978-1405132879
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	1072 pages

Abstract

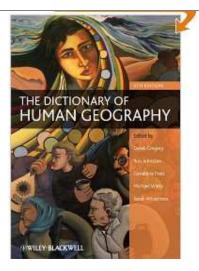
Review

"Even better than before, the *Dictionary* is an essential tool for all human geographers and over the years has provided an invaluable guide to the changing boundaries and content of the discipline. No-one can afford to be without this fifth edition." **–Linda McDowell**, University of Oxford

"From explanations of core concepts and central debates to lucid discussions of the theories driving contemporary research, this is the best conceptual map to the creative and critical thinking that characterizes contemporary Human Geography. The fifth edition belongs on the bookshelf of all serious students." -Gerard Toal, Virginia Tech

"With an exceptional balance between breadth and depth, this is undoubtedly a timely and ground-breaking revision of the Dictionary. An outstanding accomplishment of the editors and contributors, and a comprehensive and essential reference for any student or scholar interested in human geography." -Mei-Po Kwan, Ohio State University

"Every field has its bible...if human geography students were to buy only one book during their time at university, they would be well advised to make it this one. The Dictionary of Human Geography remains unrivalled in the breadth of its coverage, combining weighty discussions of all key aspects of the discipline with pithier notes on more specialized areas." **–Times Higher Education**







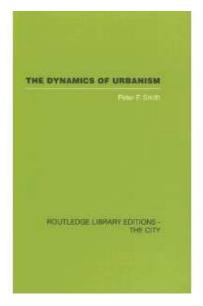
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Author(s), Editor(s):	Peter F. Smith
Title:	The Dynamics of Urbanism
Publisher:	Routledge (2007)
ISBN:	978-0415417389
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	256 pages

Abstract

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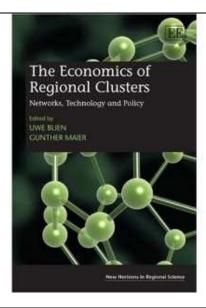
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Author(s), Editor(s):	Blien, U. – Maier, G.
Title:	The Economics of Regional Clusters
Publisher:	Edward Elgar Publishing (2008)
ISBN:	978-1847205155
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	311 pages

Abstract

This important book takes a critical view on regional industry clusters, in particular their identification and formation, and the policies which help create and support them. The distinguished international contributors comprehensively discuss the theoretical and empirical issues concerning clusters and cluster policy from a regional economic perspective. Based on a broad range of methods, the authors derive results about the existence and structure of regional industrial clusters and assess their contribution to the development of regions. As a whole, the book aims to examine the hyperbole that often surrounds clusters by employing sound scientific evidence and rigorous analysis. Academics and advanced students of regional science, regional economics and economic geography will find the academic discussion of spatial concentrations of economic activities to be of much interest. Policymakers will also appreciate the critical approach taken towards the currently fashionable cluster policy.







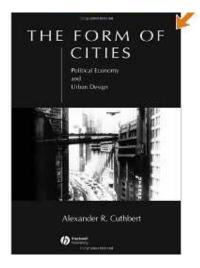
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Author(s), Editor(s):	Alexander R. Cuthbert
Title:	The Form of Cities: Political Economy and Urban Design
Publisher:	Wiley-Blackwell (2006)
ISBN:	978-1405116404
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	328 pages

Abstract

The Form of Cities offers readers a considered theoretical introduction to the art of designing cities. Demonstrates that cities are replete with symbolic values, collective memory, association and conflict. Proposes a new theoretical understanding of urban design, based in political economy. Demonstrates different ways of conceptualising the city, whether through aesthetics or the prism of gender, for example. Written in an engaging and jargonfree style, but retains a sophisticated interpretative edge. Complements *Designing Cities* by the same author (Blackwell, 2003).





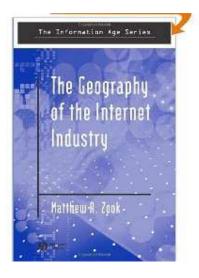
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Author(s), Editor(s):	Matthew Zook
Title:	The Geography of the Internet Industry: Venture Capital, Dotcoms, and Local Knowledge
Publisher:	Wiley-Blackwell (2005)
ISBN:	978-0631233329
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	216 pages

Abstract

This groundbreaking book analyses the geography of the commercial Internet industry. It presents the first accurate map of Internet domains in the world, by country, by region, by city, and for the United States, by neighborhood. Demonstrates the extraordinary spatial concentration of the Internetindustry. Explains the geographic features of the high tech venture capital behind the Internet economy. Demonstrates how venture capitalists' abilities to create and use tacit knowledge contributes to the clustering of the internet industry Draws on in-depth interviews and field work in San Francisco Bay Area and New York City.







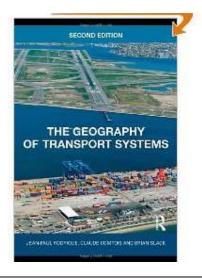
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Author(s), Editor(s):	Jean-Paul Rodrigue, Claude Comtois, Brian Slack
Title:	The Geography of Transport Systems
Publisher:	Routledge (2009)
ISBN:	978-0-415-48324-7
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	368 pages

Abstract

Mobility is fundamental to economic and social activities, including commuting, manufacturing, or supplying energy. Each movement has an origin, a potential set of intermediate locations, a destination, and a nature which is linked with geographical attributes. Transport systems composed of infrastructures, modes and terminals are so embedded in the socio-economic life of individuals, institutions and corporations that they are often invisible to the consumer. This is paradoxical as the perceived invisibility of transportation is derived from its efficiency. Understanding how mobility is linked with geography is main the purpose of this textbook. The second edition of *The Geography of Transport Systems* maintains the overall structure of its predecessor, with chapters dealing with specific conceptual dimensions and methodologies, but the contents have been revised and updated. The second edition also offers new topics and approaches that have emerged as critical issues in contemporary transport systems, including security, energy, supply chain management and GIS-T. Relevant case studies have also been included in the second edition to underline real world issues related to transport geography. Mainly aimed at an undergraduate audience, this edition of *The Geography of Transport Systems* provides a comprehensive and accessible introduction to the field with a broad overview of its concepts, methods and areas of application. It is highly illustrated and a companion web site has also been enhanced for the book. It contains PowerPoint slides, exercises, databases and GIS datasets and can be accessed at http://people.hofstra.edu/geotrans







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	Dean Forbes
Title:	The Geography of Underdevelopment
Publisher:	Routledge (2011)
ISBN:	978-0-415-59505-6
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	240 pages
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Author(s), Editor(s):	Neil Brenner, Roger Keil
Title:	The Global Cities Reader
Publisher:	Routledge (2006)
ISBN:	978-0415323451
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	456 pages

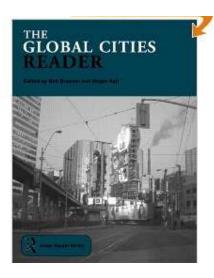
Abstract

Providing the first comprehensive survey of new interdisciplinary scholarship on globalized urbanization, this important volume contains fifty selections from classic writings by authors such as John Friedmann, Michael Peter Smith, Saskia Sassen, Peter Taylor, Manuel Castells and Anthony King, as well as major contributions by other international scholars of global city formation.

Classic and contemporary case studies of globalizing cities serve to illuminate global city theory within Europe, North America and East Asia, whilst contributing authors explore key topics including:

- the histories and geographies of globalized urbanization
- · the social and economic order of globalizing cities
- pathways of globalized urbanization in the older industrialized world, the developing world and on the 'margins' of the world economy
- state restructuring, urban governance and socio-political contestation in globalizing cities
- culture, identity and representation in globalizing cities
- emerging issues and debates in contemporary research on globalized urbanization.

Containing wide-ranging discussions on major theories, methods, themes and debates, and a combination of theoretical and methodological contributions, comparative analyses and detailed case studies, this key textbook will appeal to a broad interdisciplinary readership at undergraduate and graduate levels in urban, globalization, development, cultural, and environmental studies.





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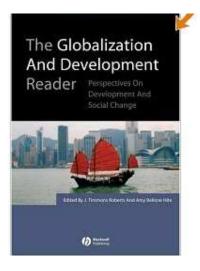
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Author(s), Editor(s):	J. Timmons Roberts
Title:	The Globalization and Development Reader: Perspectives on Development and Global Change
Publisher:	Wiley-Blackwell (2007)
ISBN:	978-1405132374
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	464 pages

Abstract

The Globalization and Development Reader builds on the success of From Modernization to Globalization, published by the editors in 2000 and used around the world. It provides an up-to-date primer and key reference for students, scholars, and development practitioners wishing to get up to speed quickly on the issues surrounding social change and development in the "Third World."

Includes carefully excerpted samples from both classic and contemporary writings. Includes a general introduction to the field, and short, insightful section introductions.







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Author(s), Editor(s):	William G. Moseley, David A. Lanegran, Kavita Pandit
Title:	The Introductory Reader in Human Geography: Contemporary Debates and Classic Writings
Publisher:	Wiley-Blackwell (2007)
ISBN:	978-1405149228
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	488 pages

Abstract

Review

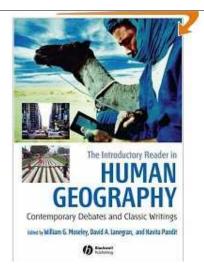
"This is an entertaining, enlightening, challenging book. If you anticipate that it is just another compendium of classics in geography, think again. This book is an engaging combination of substance and opinion, proof of the vitality of geography and its relevance to current events. It is a winning combination. This is a book not just to be read, but to be mined, for the nuggets are many and surprises abound."

Harm de Blij, Michigan State University

"This reader is comprehensive and thoughtfully organized, providing a central place for some of the most accessible and provocative pieces on human geography today. By including the range of contemporary conceptual concerns and highly accessible empirical material it invites student engagement in an array of exciting disciplinary conversations." Sallie A. Marston, University of Arizona

"Pieces are well contextualized and work effectively togetherThis title would be appropriate to all levels of undergraduate study."

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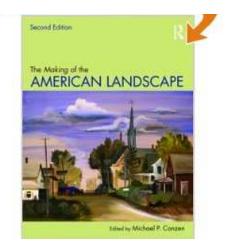
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Author(s), Editor(s):	Michael P. Conzen
Title:	The Making of the American Landscape
Publisher:	Routledge (2010)
ISBN:	978-0-415-95007-7
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	568 pages

Abstract

The only compact yet comprehensive survey of environmental and cultural forces that have shaped the visual character and geographical diversity of the settled American landscape. The book examines the large-scale historical influences that have molded the varied human adaptation of the continent's physical topography to its needs over more than 500 years. It presents a synoptic view of myriad historical processes working together or in conflict, and illustrates them through their survival in or disappearance from the everyday landscapes of today.







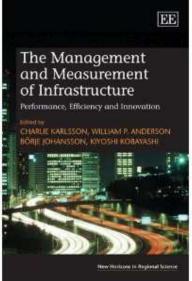
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Author(s), Editor(s):	Charlie Karlsson
Title:	The Management And Measurement Of Infrastructure
Publisher:	Edward Elgar Pub (2007)
ISBN:	978-1845426439
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	458 pages

Abstract

The changing face of infrastructure facilities management worldwide is characterised by high demand for investments in renewal and maintenance, governmental budget constraints and innovations in information systems. The authors highlight the growing demand for accurate, complete and continuous disclosure of information related to management activities, expenditures, stock availability and shadow prices. This study the growing demand for accurate, complete and continuous disclosure of information related to management activities, expenditures, stock availability and shadow prices. This study the public sector but that the efficiency of this approach has come into question at the same time as the governments' ability to leverage funds for new facilities and for maintenance and rehabilitation of existing ones has decreased. These factors, they argue, have led to increasing interest in private sector participation in financing, building and operating public infrastructure. The main purpose of this book is to: present recent theoretical and practical advances as well as new concepts and paradigms in infrastructure systems; provide a state-of-the-art overview of current research; and, stimulate new research and innovative thinking on the interface between infrastructure measurement and management. The book, written by numerous experts in the field, will appeal to national and regional infrastructure ministries and agencies, companies engaged in infrastructure financing, construction, management and maintenance as well as students at graduate level and above and researchers in civil engineering, infrastructure planning and infrastructure economics and management.







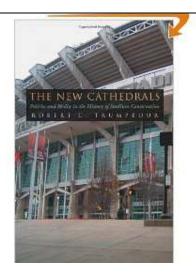
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Author(s), Editor(s):	Robert C. Trumpbour
Title:	The New Cathedrals: Politics and Media in the History of Stadium Construction
Publisher:	Syracuse University Press (2006)
ISBN:	978-0815631323
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	373 pages

Abstract

A compelling analysis of stadium history, exploring the intersection of civic leadership, sporting institutions, and media coverage to reveal cultural attitudes that transcend sport. Stadium construction has altered the physical landscape of many major metropolitan areas throughout North America and has had a profound psychological and economic impact on these urban centers. How athletic facilities have been constructed, from the ritual-centered beginning of stadium construction in ancient Greece to large-scale construction of professional sports facilities in present day global centers, reveals a culture's values and priorities and how it defines its recreational needs. With in-depth analysis and research, Robert C. Trumpbour examines the political institutions, commercial entities, civic leadership, and media organizations that influenced new stadium construction. The author analyzes three significant recent historical periods: the Progressive Era, when modern fireproof stadiums were first built; the late 1960s and early 1970s, when multipurpose stadiums were built in downtown areas to promote urban redevelopment; and the late 1990s, when retro ballparks were designed to accommodate commercial and entertainment space. Charting this evolution, Trumpbour convincingly argues that there has been a dramatic shift in the role of the media, with media access emerging as a vital element in setting the ground rules for the stadium construction debate. Written in lucid, jargon-free prose, this book combines a detailed history of stadium construction with an analysis of current stadium issues.





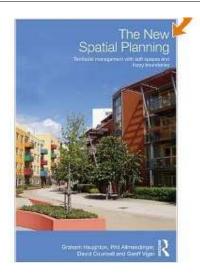
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Author(s), Editor(s):	Graham Haughton, Philip Allmendinger et al.
Title:	The New Spatial Planning
Publisher:	Routledge (2009)
ISBN:	978-0415483360
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	288 pages

Abstract

Spatial planning, strongly advocated by government and the profession, is intended to be more holistic, more strategic, more inclusive, more integrative and more attuned to sustainable development than previous approaches. In what the authors refer to as the New Spatial Planning, there is a fairly rapidly evolving maturity and sophistication in how strategies are developed and produced. Crucially, the authors argue that the reworked boundaries of spatial planning means that to understand it we need to look as much outside the formal system of practices of 'planning' as within it. Using a rich empirical resource base, this book takes a critical look at recent practices to see whether the new spatial planning is having the kinds of impacts its advocates would wish. Contributing to theoretical debates in planning, state restructuring and governance, it also outlines and critiques the contemporary practice of spatial planning. This book will have a place on the shelves of researchers and students interested in urban/regional studies, politics and planning studies.





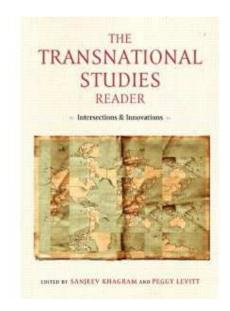
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Author(s), Editor(s):	Peggy Levitt, Sanjeev Khagram
Title:	The Transnational Studies Reader
Publisher:	Routledge (2007)
ISBN:	978-0-415-95373-3
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	592 pages

Abstract

In recent years, 'transnationalism' has become a key analytical concept across the social sciences. While theoretical approaches to the study of global social phenomena have traditionally focused on the nation-state as the central defining framework, transnational studies views social experience as a complex and dynamic product of multiple regional, ethnic, and institutional identities. Far from being static or bounded by national borders, social, political, and economic forces operate on supra-national, trans-regional, and trans-local scales and scopes. Transnational studies compares and contrasts these dynamics to rethink assumptions about identity, sovereignty, and citizenship. Assembling writings from some of the most important theorists in history, politics, economics, sociology, anthropology, and cultural studies, *The Transnationalism Reader* explores the ways that transnational practices and processes in different domains, and at different levels of social interaction, relate to, and inform each other. It also compares the spatial organization of social life during different historical periods. Coherent in its vision and expansive in its disciplinary, geographic, and historical coverage, *The Transnationalism Reader* is a field-defining collection.







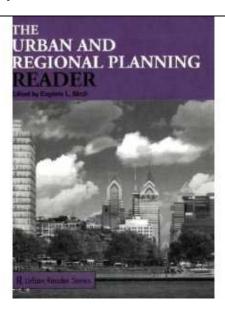
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Două tări, un scop, succes comun!

Author(s), Editor(s):	Eugénie Birch
Title:	The Urban and Regional Planning Reader
Publisher:	Routledge (2009)
ISBN:	978-0415319973
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	496 pages

Abstract

The Urban and Regional Planning Reader draws together the very best of classic and contemporary writings to illuminate the planning of cities and metropolitan areas. Forty-seven generous selections include contributions from Lewis Mumford, Jane Jacobs, Ian McHarg, Paul Davidoff, Charles Harr, Susan Fainstein and Charles J. Hoch through to Timothy Beatley; Jonathan Barnett, Alex Garvin, Tom Daniels, Andres Duany and Barbara Faga. The variety and wide selection of readings offers one of the most innovative amalgamations of planning research and practice. The Reader lays out the context, range of concerns, history, methods and key topics for twenty-first century urban and regional planning. Sections on the world of planning, history and theory, classic readings, practice and current issues include writings with a focus on the distribution of space and place, essays on housing, transportation design, environment, community development, the effects of cultural diversity and information technology on land use and other topics. It displays the techniques used to direct and control growth, including zoning, master planning, public budgeting and citizen participation. It explores different types of plans distinguished by their scale and reference type. It references analytical and presentation techniques and outlines ethical issues confronting planners. This Urban and Regional Planning Reader provides an essential resource, for students of planning, drawing together important but widely dispersed writings and the associated bibliography is a resource which enables deeper investigations. The synthesis is also valuable for lecturers and researches in the area and the pertinent editorial commentaries preceding each entry not only demonstrate its significance, but also outline the issue surrounding the topic.





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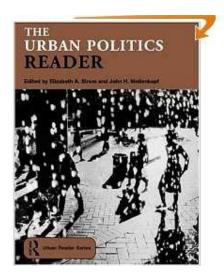
Author(s), Editor(s):	Elizabeth Strom, John H. Mollenkopf
Title:	The Urban Politics Reader
Publisher:	Routledge (2006)
ISBN:	978-0415319966
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	354 pages

Abstract

The Urban Politics Reader draws together classic and contemporary writings that best illuminate the basic questions of urban politics – how interests contend for power over the distribution of resources and why some win while others lose. Contributions from Martin Shefter, Clarence Stone, Rufus P. Browning and Saskia Sassen are included among the thirty-two generous selections.

The Reader juxtaposes the main theoretical approaches to urban power with vivid accounts of actual political experiences on such key themes as the urban crisis, the politics of race, ethnicity and gender, national urban policy, suburbanization and globalization. Strom and Mollenkopf illustrate how thinking about cities is central to our understanding of democracy and citizenship, and how although the parties to urban politics may change over time, the struggle of new groups to gain access and representation is a constant theme.

The Editors' introductions suggest topics and questions for class discussion, demonstrate the significance of urban politics, and suggest directions for further reading and thinking, while the associated bibliography enables deeper investigations. By drawing together important but widely dispersed writings, *The Urban Politics Reader* provides an essential resource for students of urban politics. The volume will also have widespread appeal for students of urban sociology, urban affairs, urban planning and public policy.





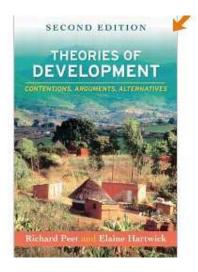
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Author(s), Editor(s):	Richard Peet, Elaine Hartwick
Title:	Theories of Development
Publisher:	The Guilford Press (2009)
ISBN:	978-1606230657
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	324 pages

Abstract

Widely adopted, this text critically evaluates the leading theories of international economic development, from classical economic and sociological models to Marxist, poststructuralist, and feminist perspectives. No other book provides such comprehensive coverage or links the theories as incisively to contemporary world events and policy debates. Reexamining neoliberal conceptions of economic growth, the authors show what a more just and democratic form of development might look like today.





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Author(s), Editor(s):	Richard Knowles, Jon Shaw, Iain Docherty
Title:	Transport Geographies: Mobilities, Flows and Spaces
Publisher:	Wiley-Blackwell (2008)
ISBN:	978-1405153225
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	320 pages

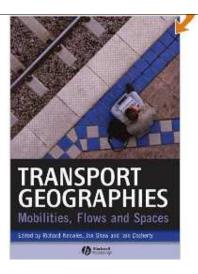
Abstract

Review

"This is an exceptionally well-crafted book that captures the essence of transport geography for the 21st century. It introduces a level of analysis focusing on accessibility and mobility that is fresh, innovative and very engaging. The authors provide a masterful synthesis of key issues in transport geography ... invaluable for undergraduate and graduate courses in transportation." –David Keeling, Western Kentucky University

"Long a marginalized part of the discipline, transportation geography has long been overdue for a renaissance. This volume leads the way in this renewal, coupling a sustained engagement with contemporary theoretical concerns." –Barney Warf, Florida State University

"This is a remarkable book – it offers a fascinating pluralistic perspective on the economic, social, environmental and institutional challenges resulting from local and global trends in mobility."–*Peter Nijkamp, Free University, Amsterdam*





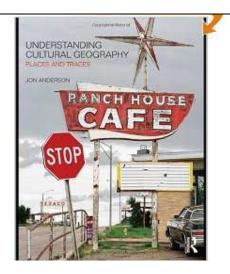
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Author(s), Editor(s):	Jon Anderson
Title:	Understanding Cultural Geography
Publisher:	Routledge (2009)
ISBN:	978-0415430555
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	240 pages

Abstract

This new and comprehensive book offers a holistic introduction to cultural geography. It integrates the broad range of theories and practices of the discipline by arguing that the essential focus of cultural geography is place. The book builds an accessible and engaging configuration of this important concept through arguing that place should be understood as an ongoing composition of traces. The book presents specific chapters outlining the history of cultural geography, before and beyond representation, as well as the methods and techniques of doing cultural geography. It investigates the places and traces of corporate capitalism, nationalism, ethnicity, youth culture and the place of the body. Throughout these chapters case study examples will be used to illustrate how these places are taken and made by particular cultures, examples include the Freedom Tower in New York City, the Berlin Wall, the Gaza Strip, Banksy graffiti, and anti-capitalist protest movements. The book discusses the role of power in cultural place-making, as well as the ethical dimensions of doing cultural geography. Understanding Cultural Geography: Places and Traces offers a broad-based overview of cultural geography, ideal for students being introduced to the discipline through either undergraduate or postgraduate degree courses. The book outlines how the theoretical ideas, empirical foci and methodological techniques of cultural geography illuminate and make sense of the places we inhabit and contribute to. This is a timely synthesis that aims to incorporate a vast knowledge foundation and by doing so it will also prove invaluable for lecturers and academics alike.







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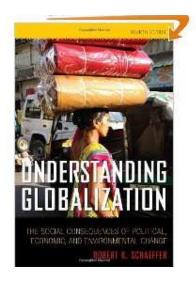
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Author(s), Editor(s):	Robert K. Schaeffer
Title:	Understanding Globalization
Publisher:	Rowman & Littlefield Publishers (2009)
ISBN:	978-0742561793
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	336 pages

Abstract

This book examines the globalization of production and its impact on work and gender relations, the impact of technology on workers around the world, the economic problems associated with debt crisis, the political opportunities associated with democratization, the impact of global warming, the reasons behind China's rise as an economic superpower, and the problems in countries across the Middle East that culminated in the attacks of 9/11.





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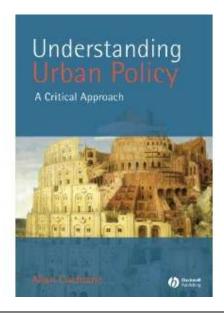
Două țări, un scop, succes comun!

Author(s), Editor(s):	Allan Cochrane
Title:	Understanding Urban Policy: A Critical Introduction
Publisher:	Blackwell Publishing (2007)
ISBN:	978-0631211211
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	178 pages

Abstract

This extensive review of urban policy explores the interaction of urban policy with changing perspectives on urban life and social welfare.

- An extensive review of urban policy since the 1960s.
- Examines a broad range of issues, such as race, economic regeneration and competitiveness, managing dangerous places, community and managerialism.
- The theme-based structure provides a new and innovative approach to the subject.
- Written in a clear, accessible style with pedagogic features to appeal to students from a range of disciplines.







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Author(s), Editor(s):	Peter Hall, Mark Tewdwr-Jones
Title:	Urban and Regional Planning
Publisher:	Routledge (2010)
ISBN:	8-0415566544
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	304 pages

Abstract

This is the fifth edition of the classic text for students of urban and regional planning. It gives an historical overview of the developments and changes in the theory and practice of planning, throughout the entire twentieth century. This extensively revised edition follows the successful format of previous editions:

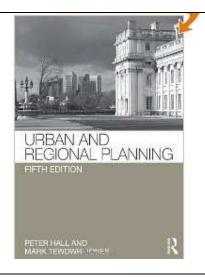
it introduces the establishment of planning as part of the public health reforms of the late nineteenth century and goes on to look at the insights of the great figures who influenced the early planning movement, leading up to the creation of the post-war planning machine

national and regional planning, and planning for cities and city regions, in the UK, from 1945 to 2010, is then considered. Specific reference is made to the most important British developments in recent times, including the Single Regeneration Budget, English Partnerships, the devolution of Scotland, Wales and Northern Ireland, the establishment of the Mayor of London and the dominant urban sustainability paradigm

planning in Western Europe, since 1945, now incorporating new material on EU-wide issues, as well as updated country specific sections

planning in the United States, since 1945, now discussing the continuing trends of urban dispersal and social polarisation, as well as initiatives in land use planning and transportation policies

finally the book looks at the nature of the planning process at the start of the twenty-first century, reflecting briefly on shifts in planning paradigms since the 1960s and going on to discuss the main issues of the 1990s and 2000s, including sustainability and social exclusion and looking forward to the twenty-first century.







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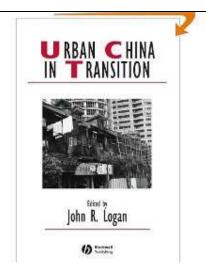
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Author(s), Editor(s):	John Logan
Title:	Urban China in Transition
Publisher:	Wiley-Blackwell (2008)
ISBN:	978-1405161466
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	384 pages

Abstract

Review

These essays on recent Chinese urban developments--particularly trends in migration, labor economics, housing, economic and sociospatial inequality, and governance--offer macro and micro perspectives through analysis of nationwide patterns or developments in specific cities, thus capturing the regional diversity and types of cities in China. Editor Logan is careful not to present the Chinese instance as exceptional, but to situate it within a wider context through comparative analysis. He pairs up scholars from different disciplines and areas for each essay in order to set up comparison between Chinese urban developments and those in the US, Latin America, Europe, and Asia. Logan asked the contributors to view their data through four theoretical lenses: modernization (Simon Kuznet's model), dependency/world system, developmental state, and market transition. By doing so, contributors discover meaningful differences that reveal trends unique to the Chinese context. On the whole, this collection offers undergraduates an accessible introduction to contemporary urban developments in China and to a wide range of qualitative and quantitative analyses commonly used in the social sciences. **Summing Up**: Highly recommended. All academic levels/libraries. -- L. Teh, University of Chicago (Choice, February 2009)





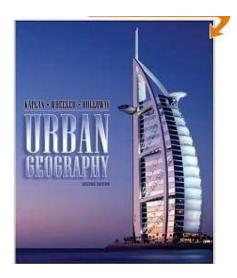
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Author(s), Editor(s):	David Kaplan, James O. Wheeler, Steven Holloway
Title:	Urban Geography
Publisher:	Wiley (2008)
ISBN:	978-0471798156
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	512 pages

Abstract

The Second Edition of Kaplan's *Urban Geography* text aims to uncover the excitement and richness found in cities, while tackling the wide variety of urban challenges. This text offers a comprehensive treatment of urban geography, covering the field both as it has evolved and as it exists today and fully explores the origins and development of cities. Kaplan includes the most current research in urban studies, introduces elements of urban theory and methodology, and addresses the urban experience as a global one. Using crystal-clear language, the text presents key concepts in a straightforward structure that makes mastering the material easy for all students of Urban Geography.





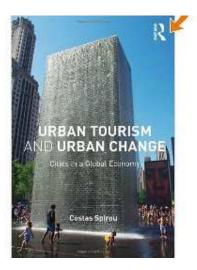
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Author(s), Editor(s):	Costas Spirou
Title:	Urban Tourism and Urban Change
Publisher:	Routledge (2010)
ISBN:	978-0415801638
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	280 pages

Abstract

Urban Tourism and Urban Change: Cities in a Global Economy provides both a sociological / cultural analysis of change that has taken place in many of the world's cities. This focused treatment of urban tourism examines the implications of these changes for urban management and planning sense, for success and failure in metropolitan change. Uniquely suited for teaching purposes, Costas Spirou integrates numerous case studies of cities to illuminate the significant impact and promise of tourism on urban image and economic development.







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	Griffith Taylor
Title:	Urban Geography
Publisher:	Routledge (2007)
ISBN:	978-0415489584
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	272 pages
Abstract	
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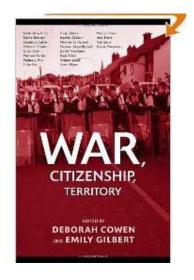
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Author(s), Editor(s):	Deborah Cowen, Emily Gilbert
Title:	War, Citizenship, Territory
Publisher:	Routledge (2007)
ISBN:	978-0415955133
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	424 pages

Abstract

For all too obvious reasons, war, empire, and military conflict have become extremely hot topics in the academy. Given the changing nature of war, one of the more promising areas of scholarly investigation has been the development of new theories of war and war's impact on society. War, Citizenship, Territory features 19 chapters that look at the impact of war and militarism on citizenship, whether traditional territorially-bound national citizenship or "transnational" citizenship. The editors argue that while there has been an explosion of work on citizenship and territory, Western academia's avoidance of the immediate effects of war (among other things) has led them to ignore war, which they contend is both pervasive and well nigh permanent. This volume sets forth a new, geopolitically based theory of war's transformative role on contemporary forms of citizenship and territoriality, and includes empirical chapters that offer global coverage.





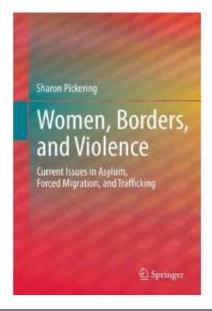
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Author(s), Editor(s):	Pickering, Sharon
Title:	Women, Borders and Violence
Publisher:	Springer (2010)
ISBN:	978-1441902702
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	231 pages

Abstract

Women at the Border analyzes border policing practices currently informed by paradigms of securitization against unauthorized mobility and explores the potential for a paradigm shift to a more ethical regulation of borders. By focusing on the ways women have sought to cross borders in 'extra'-legal fashion, the book shows how border enforcement differentially impacts on some populations and makes the case that unauthorized migration requires management rather than repulsion and criminalization. When facing the emerging and future challenges of unauthorized mobility, border policing must be recast as a function of human rights that results in greater human security at the border. Examining gender and border policing across Europe, North America and Australia, this book enhances our understanding of the gendered determinants of 'extra'-legal border crossing, border policing and the changing dynamics of unauthorized mobility.







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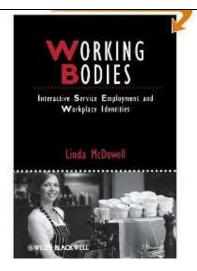
Author(s), Editor(s):	Linda McDowell
Title:	Working Bodies: Interactive Service Employment and Workplace Identities
Publisher:	Wiley-Blackwell (2009)
ISBN:	978-1405159784
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	288 pages

Abstract

Reviews

"Between the covers of this beautifully crafted book is a thoughtful, innovative, and thorough analysis of high-touch interactive service work that draws on numerous case studies and ethnographies, mostly from the United Kingdom, and on the author's own original research. . . . This ambitious book is insightful and informative, and it makes a valuable contribution to the study of work in contemporary capitalist societies". (Canadian Journal of Sociology, 2010)There are many books on service employment, but very few like this one. In this beautifully written and thoughtful book Linda McDowell shows, in turn, how such employment should not be seen as a new phenomenon, brings the cares, emotions and exploitations that go into servicing the bodies of others (children, consumers, elders, families, buyers of sexual services) close into view, and outlines a complex range of attributes from skills and capabilities to personal and bodily features - that now count as essential employment requirements. The humdrum comes alive in the hands of this skilled ethnographer of work. **Ash Amin**, *Durham University*

Linda McDowell's state-of-the-art discussion demonstrates not only the importance of embodiment for current understandings of work but also the centrality of the workplace for the study of embodiment. Her analysis of high-touch interactive service work is comprehensive, concise and compelling, drawing on a wealth of case studies as well as her own original research. This timely volume raises a host of fascinating issues and will be an invaluable resource across the social sciences. **Miriam Glucksmann**, *University of Essex*





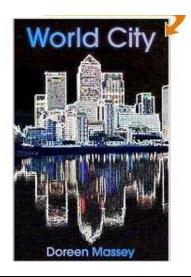
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Author(s), Editor(s):	Doreen Massey
Title:	World City
Publisher:	Polity (2007)
ISBN:	978-0745640600
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	272 pages

Abstract

Cities around the world are striving to be global. This book tells the story of one of them, and in so doing raises questions which are essential for all cities. These questions concern identity, place, and political responsibility in the changing geographies of our times. The book also tells the story of the rise of a new class, of deepening inequality, and of the geographical imaginations that are mobilised to legitimate the increasing dominance of these powerful metropoles. In so doing, it sets the global city in its wider geographical and political context. World City focuses its account on London, one of the greatest of these global cities. London is a city of delight and of creativity, of the generation of vast wealth and of acute poverty. It also presides over a country increasingly divided between North and South and over a neo-liberal form of globalisation the deregulation, financialisation and commercialisation of all aspects of life that results in an evermore unequal world. World City explores how we can understand this complex narrative and asks a question that should be asked of any city: what does this place stand for? This book will appeal to students of human geography, politics and sociology as well as to the general reader.





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Author(s), Editor(s):	Matthew R. Bennett, Peter Doyle, Jonathan G. Larwood, and Colin D. Prosser
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Title:	Geology on Your Doorstep: The Role of Urban Geology in
	Earth Heritage Conservation
Publisher:	Geological Society of London (1996)
ISBN:	978-1897799543
Paperback (vagy Hardback)	288 pages

Abstract

Geology on Your Doorstep: The role of urban geology in earth heritage conservation. The rocks and landforms of Britain contain a unique story; a story of mountain building, climate change and the evolution of life. Only by conserving these rocks and landforms can we tell this amazing story. Conservation is about education and raising public awareness. To be successfully conserved, geology must be valued not just by a handful of geologists, but by all. Over 80% of the population in the United Kingdom live in urban areas: it is to these people that we must take the message of geology if we are to conserve our earth heritage. The geological potential of urban areas has long been documented and described. However, its conservation and use in raising public awareness of geology is a relatively new initiative.

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