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PRIVATE EDUCATION IN SINGAPORE: CONTEMPORARY ISSUES AND CHALLENGES - SAM CHOON-YIN 2017-05-23

NOT MUCH HAS BEEN WRITTEN ABOUT THE PRIVATE EDUCATION SECTOR IN SINGAPORE DESPITE THE FACT THAT THE SECTOR HOUSES ABOUT 300 PRIVATE EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS (PEIS) AND ENROLLS ABOUT 150,000 STUDENTS. PRIVATE EDUCATION IN SINGAPORE: CONTEMPORARY ISSUES AND CHALLENGES IS AN EXCITING BOOK THAT AIMS TO FILL A GAP IN THE LITERATURE. IN THE BOOK, THE AUTHOR OFFERS AN EXTENSIVE DISCUSSION ON (i) THE KEY ELEMENTS OF THE SECTOR — TYPES AND FEATURES OF THE PEIS, (ii) THE REGULATORY FRAMEWORK FOR PRIVATE EDUCATION, (iii) STUDENTS' ASPIRATION AND THE IMPACT OF THE ASPIRE REPORT ON PEIS, AND (iv) THE PROVISION OF EXTERNAL DEGREE PROGRAMME THROUGH TRANSNATIONAL PARTNERSHIP. THE BOOK ALSO TACKLES THE HOTLY DEBATED DISCUSSION IN RELATION TO ACADEMIC QUALITY AND STANDARD OF PEI COURSES. THE AUTHOR IDENTIFIES THE REASONS — SOME OF THEM HAVE MORE CHARACTERISTICS OF A MYTH — AND SUGGESTS A NUMBER OF WAYS TO OVERCOME THE ISSUES AND CHALLENGES.

THE FUTURE OF ACCESSIBILITY IN INTERNATIONAL HIGHER EDUCATION - ALPHIN JR., HENRY C. 2017-05-17

EDUCATION IS THE FOUNDATION TO ALMOST ALL SUCCESSFUL LIVES, AND IT IS IMPORTANT THAT A HIGH LEVEL OF SCHOOLING BE AVAILABLE ON A GLOBAL SCALE. STUDYING THE TRENDS IN ACCESSIBILITY IN EDUCATION WILL ALLOW EDUCATORS TO IMPROVE THEIR OWN TEACHING TECHNIQUES, AS WELL AS EXPAND THEIR INFLUENCE TO MORE REMOTE AREAS IN THE WORLD. THE FUTURE OF ACCESSIBILITY IN INTERNATIONAL HIGHER EDUCATION IS A COMPREHENSIVE REFERENCE SOURCE FOR THE LATEST SCHOLARLY MATERIAL ON EMERGING METHODS AND TRENDS IN DISSEMINATING KNOWLEDGE IN UNIVERSITY SETTINGS. FEATURING EXTENSIVE COVERAGE ON RELEVANT TOPICS SUCH AS E-LEARNING, ECONOMIC PERSPECTIVES, AND EDUCATIONAL TECHNOLOGY, THIS PUBLICATION IS IDEALLY DESIGNED FOR EDUCATORS, ACADEMICS, STUDENTS, AND RESEARCHERS INTERESTED IN EXPANDING THEIR KNOWLEDGE OF GLOBAL EDUCATION.

THE REPORT: PHILIPPINES 2016 - OXFORD BUSINESS GROUP 2016-04-08

THE PHILIPPINES EMERGENCE AS A GROWTH LEADER HAS BEEN

BUILDING GRADUALLY SINCE THE 1990S, FOLLOWING A LONG PERIOD OF LOW GROWTH AND POLITICAL UPHEAVAL. AS OF THE 2010S IMPROVED GOVERNANCE UNDER THE ADMINISTRATION OF PRESIDENT BENIGNO AQUINO III HAS HELPED TO ACCELERATE FOREIGN DIRECT INVESTMENT (FDI) IN BUSINESS PROCESS OUTSOURCING WHILE REVIVING FDI INTO THE MANUFACTURING SECTOR. THIS, AND A DEMOGRAPHIC BULGE IN THE YOUNG ADULT BRACKET, HELPED BRING THE AVERAGE PACE OF GROWTH IN THE FIRST HALF OF THE 2010S TO 6.3%, BEATING ALL THE COUNTRY'S MAIN SOUTH-EAST ASIAN PEERS.

ACCESSIBILITY AND DIVERSITY IN EDUCATION:

BREAKTHROUGHS IN RESEARCH AND PRACTICE - MANAGEMENT ASSOCIATION, INFORMATION RESOURCES 2019-12-06
EDUCATION IS A NECESSARY FOUNDATION FOR IMPROVING ONE'S LIVELIHOOD IN TODAY'S SOCIETY. HOWEVER, TRADITIONAL LEARNING HAS OFTEN EXCLUDED OR PRESENTED A CHALLENGE TO STUDENTS WITH VISUAL, PHYSICAL, OR COGNITIVE DISABILITIES AND CAN CREATE LEARNING GAPS BETWEEN STUDENTS OF VARIOUS CULTURES. IT IS VITAL THAT LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES ARE TAILORED TO MEET INDIVIDUAL NEEDS, REGARDLESS OF INDIVIDUAL DISABILITIES, GENDER, RACE, OR ECONOMIC STATUS IN ORDER TO CREATE MORE INCLUSIVE EDUCATIONAL PRACTICES. ACCESSIBILITY AND DIVERSITY IN EDUCATION: BREAKTHROUGHS IN RESEARCH AND PRACTICE EXAMINES EMERGING METHODS AND TRENDS FOR CREATING ACCESSIBLE AND INCLUSIVE EDUCATIONAL ENVIRONMENTS AND EXAMINES THE LATEST TEACHING STRATEGIES AND METHODS FOR PROMOTING LEARNING FOR ALL STUDENTS. IT ALSO ADDRESSES EQUAL OPPORTUNITY AND DIVERSITY REQUIREMENTS IN SCHOOLS. HIGHLIGHTING A RANGE OF TOPICS SUCH AS OPEN EDUCATIONAL RESOURCES, STUDENT DIVERSITY, AND INCLUSION BARRIERS, THIS PUBLICATION IS AN IDEAL REFERENCE SOURCE FOR EDUCATORS, PRINCIPALS, ADMINISTRATORS, PROVOSTS, DEANS, CURRICULUM DEVELOPERS, INSTRUCTIONAL DESIGNERS, SCHOOL BOARDS, HIGHER EDUCATION FACULTY, ACADEMICIANS, STUDENTS, AND RESEARCHERS.

MEDINFO 2015: EHEALTH-ENABLED HEALTH - I.N. SARKAR 2015-08-12

HEALTH AND BIOMEDICAL INFORMATICS IS A RAPIDLY EVOLVING MULTIDISCIPLINARY FIELD; ONE IN WHICH NEW

DEVELOPMENTS MAY PROVE CRUCIAL IN MEETING THE CHALLENGE OF PROVIDING COST-EFFECTIVE, PATIENT-CENTERED HEALTHCARE WORLDWIDE. THIS BOOK PRESENTS THE PROCEEDINGS OF MEDINFO 2015, HELD IN SÃO PAULO, BRAZIL, IN AUGUST 2015. THE THEME OF THIS CONFERENCE IS 'HEALTH-ENABLED HEALTH', AND THE BROAD SPECTRUM OF TOPICS COVERED RANGES FROM EMERGING METHODOLOGIES TO SUCCESSFUL IMPLEMENTATIONS OF INNOVATIVE APPLICATIONS, INTEGRATION AND EVALUATION OF EHEALTH SYSTEMS AND SOLUTIONS. INCLUDED HERE ARE 178 FULL PAPERS AND 248 POSTER ABSTRACTS, SELECTED AFTER A RIGOROUS REVIEW PROCESS FROM NEARLY 800 SUBMISSIONS BY 2,500 AUTHORS FROM 59 COUNTRIES. THE CONFERENCE BRINGS TOGETHER RESEARCHERS, CLINICIANS, TECHNOLOGISTS AND MANAGERS FROM ALL OVER THE WORLD TO SHARE THEIR EXPERIENCES ON THE USE OF INFORMATION METHODS, SYSTEMS AND TECHNOLOGIES TO PROMOTE PATIENT-CENTERED CARE, IMPROVING PATIENT SAFETY, ENHANCING CARE OUTCOMES, FACILITATING TRANSLATIONAL RESEARCH AND ENABLING PRECISION MEDICINE, AS WELL AS ADVANCING EDUCATION AND SKILLS IN HEALTH AND BIOMEDICAL INFORMATICS. THIS COMPREHENSIVE OVERVIEW OF HEALTH AND BIOMEDICAL INFORMATICS WILL BE OF INTEREST TO ALL THOSE INVOLVED IN DESIGNING, COMMISSIONING AND PROVIDING HEALTHCARE, WHEREVER THEY MAY BE.

SHOWING AND TELLING: FILM HERITAGE INSTITUTES AND THEIR PERFORMANCE OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTABILITY - NICO DE KLERK
2019-03-25

'SHOWING AND TELLING' IS THE FIRST ACADEMIC WORK TO EXPLORE HOW PUBLICLY FUNDED FILM HERITAGE INSTITUTES ACCOUNT FOR THEIR MANDATE IN THEIR PUBLIC ACTIVITIES. IT DOES THAT BY INSPECTING AND EVALUATING PUBLIC PRESENTATIONS AND VISITOR INFORMATION ABOUT THESE PRESENTATIONS. THE RESEARCH WAS DONE BY JUXTAPOSING TWO COMPLEMENTARY APPROACHES. THE FIRST IS GROUNDED IN THE AUTHOR'S EXPERIENCE AS A COLLECTION RESEARCHER AND CURATOR AND MAKES A CASE FOR THE RICHNESS OF ARCHIVAL OBJECTS USUALLY IGNORED FOR THEIR LACK OF AESTHETIC QUALITIES. THE SECOND IS A SURVEY OF THE PUBLIC ACTIVITIES OF 24 INSTITUTES WORLDWIDE, BASED ON THEIR WEBSITES, IN FEBRUARY 2014; THE LATTER CONSTITUTES A UNIQUE SOURCE. THIS ORIGINAL WORK UNCOVERS THE DISCONNECT BETWEEN THE CURATORIAL ACTIVITIES OF THESE INSTITUTES AND THEIR MISSIONS. A CENTRAL FINDING IS THAT PUBLICLY FUNDED FILM HERITAGE INSTITUTES GIVE THEIR PUBLIC AN INADEQUATE SENSE OF CINEMA HISTORY. BY AND LARGE THEY OFFER A MAINSTREAM-ORIENTED REPERTOIRE OF PRESENTATIONS, OVERWHELMINGLY CONSISTING OF FEATURE FICTION; THEY SHOW A DISPROPORTIONATE AMOUNT OF RECENT AND NEW WORKS, OFTEN THROUGH COMMERCIAL DISTRIBUTION; THEIR SCREENINGS CONSIST OF AN UNEXPLAINED MELEE OF TECHNOLOGICAL FORMATS (SOMETIMES SUBSTANDARD); AND THEIR PRESENTATIONS MONOTONOUSLY FRAME FILM AS ART, ALTHOUGH THEIR PROFESSED AESTHETICS ARE MOSTLY OF A CINEPHILE NATURE AND REST ON RECEIVED OPINION. SPECIFIC MATERIALS, EARLY CINEMA IN PARTICULAR, AND SPECIALIST KNOWLEDGE, BOTH HISTORICAL AND METHODOLOGICAL, ARE LARGELY RESTRICTED TO THEIR NETWORK OF PEER

COMMUNITIES. WHOLESOME TRANSFER OF FULL KNOWLEDGE, IN WORD AND IMAGE, TO THE PUBLIC IS NOT A MAJOR CONCERN. 'SHOWING AND TELLING' CONCLUDES WITH RECOMMENDATIONS FOR CURATORIAL ACTIVITIES. FIRSTLY, WITH A CONCEPTUAL APPARATUS THAT ALLOWS A MORE COMPLETE UNDERSTANDING OF FILM HERITAGE AND ITS HISTORIES. SECONDLY, WITH A PLEA FOR RETHINKING THE INSTITUTES' GATEKEEPER FUNCTION AND FOR DEVELOPING MORE VARIED, IMAGINATIVE, AND INFORMATIVE PUBLIC PRESENTATIONS, BOTH ON SITE AND ONLINE, THAT REFLECT THE RANGE OF THEIR COLLECTIONS AND THEIR HISTORIES.

ARMS IN ACADEMIA - ELLIOT MURPHY 2020-07-26

THIS BOOK STUDIES HOW THE ARMS TRADE HAS CONTINUED TO RECEIVE GENEROUS STATE SUBSIDIES, ALONG WITH LESS DIRECT FORMS OF FINANCIAL AND INTELLECTUAL SUPPORT FROM ACADEMIA IN THE UK. IT EXAMINES THE WAYS IN WHICH ARMS DEALING HAS CONTRIBUTED TO THE VIOLATION OF HUMAN RIGHTS IN THE MIDDLE EAST, NORTH AFRICA, SOUTH AMERICA, INDOCHINA AND OTHER REGIONS OF INTENSE CONFLICT, AND IN DOING SO, REVEALS HOW THE INDUSTRY SELLS A PARTICULAR IMAGE OF ITSELF TO THE PUBLIC. THE VOLUME: EXTENSIVELY COVERS THE ARMS TRADE AND ITS IMPACT ACROSS THE WORLD. SHOWS HOW THE UK ARMS TRADE HAS DEVELOPED RESEARCH, INVESTMENT AND CONSULTANCY LINKS WITH UNIVERSITIES, MUSEUMS AND OTHER PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS. DISCUSSES THE FUTURE OF THE ARMS TRADE AND EXPLORES ALTERNATIVES IN TERMS OF JOB OPPORTUNITIES, ECONOMIC GROWTH AND ACADEMIC RESEARCH CRITERIA. A MAJOR INTERVENTION IN INTERNATIONAL POLITICS, THIS VOLUME WILL BE OF GREAT INTEREST TO SCHOLARS AND RESEARCHERS OF MILITARY AND STRATEGIC STUDIES, INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS, HUMAN RIGHTS AND THE SOCIAL SCIENCES IN GENERAL. IT WILL ALSO BE OF INTEREST TO POLICY ANALYSTS AND DEFENCE PROFESSIONALS.

HANDBOOK OF RESEARCH ON DETERMINING THE RELIABILITY OF ONLINE ASSESSMENT AND DISTANCE LEARNING - MOURA, ANA S. 2020-11-13

THOUGH IN THE PAST ONLINE LEARNING WAS CONSIDERED OF POORER PROFESSIONAL QUALITY THAN CLASSROOM LEARNING, IT HAS BECOME A USEFUL AND, IN SOME CASES, VITAL TOOL FOR PROMOTING THE INCLUSIVITY OF EDUCATION. SOME OF ITS BENEFITS INCLUDE ALLOWING GREATER ACCESSIBILITY TO EDUCATIONAL RESOURCES PREVIOUSLY UNATTAINABLE BY THOSE IN RURAL AREAS, AND IN CURRENT TIMES, IT HAS PROVEN TO BE A CRITICAL ASSET AS UNIVERSITIES SHUT DOWN DUE TO NATURAL DISASTERS AND PANDEMICS. EXAMINING THE CURRENT STATE OF DISTANCE LEARNING AND DETERMINING ONLINE ASSESSMENT TOOLS AND PROCESSES THAT CAN ENHANCE THE ONLINE LEARNING EXPERIENCE ARE CLEARLY CRUCIAL FOR THE ADVANCEMENT OF MODERN EDUCATION. THE HANDBOOK OF RESEARCH ON DETERMINING THE RELIABILITY OF ONLINE ASSESSMENT AND DISTANCE LEARNING IS A COLLECTION OF PIONEERING INVESTIGATIONS ON THE METHODS AND APPLICATIONS OF DIGITAL TECHNOLOGIES IN THE REALM OF EDUCATION. IT PROVIDES A CLEAR AND EXTENSIVE ANALYSIS OF ISSUES REGARDING ONLINE LEARNING WHILE ALSO OFFERING FRAMEWORKS TO SOLVE THESE ADDRESSED PROBLEMS. MOREOVER, THE BOOK REVIEWS AND EVALUATES THE PRESENT AND INTENDED FUTURE OF

DISTANCE LEARNING, FOCUSING ON THE SOCIETAL AND EMPLOYER PERSPECTIVE VERSUS THE ACADEMIC PROPOSALS. WHILE HIGHLIGHTING TOPICS INCLUDING HYBRID TEACHING, BLENDED LEARNING, AND TELELEARNING, THIS BOOK IS IDEALLY DESIGNED FOR TEACHERS, ACADEMICIANS, RESEARCHERS, EDUCATIONAL ADMINISTRATORS, AND STUDENTS.

OECD REVIEWS OF INTEGRITY IN EDUCATION: UKRAINE 2017 - OECD 2017-03-27

EDUCATION IN UKRAINE IS MARKED BY INTEGRITY VIOLATIONS FROM EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION AND CARE THROUGH POSTGRADUATE STUDY. IN THE PAST DECADE POLICY MAKERS AND CIVIC ORGANISATIONS HAVE MADE PROGRESS IN ADDRESSING THESE CHALLENGES. HOWEVER, MUCH REMAINS TO BE DONE.

THE SAGE HANDBOOK OF OUTDOOR PLAY AND LEARNING - TIM WALLER 2017-06-19

THERE HAS BEEN A GROWING ACADEMIC INTEREST IN THE ROLE OF OUTDOOR SPACES FOR PLAY IN A CHILD'S DEVELOPMENT. THIS TEXT REPRESENTS A COORDINATED AND COMPREHENSIVE VOLUME OF INTERNATIONAL RESEARCH ON THIS SUBJECT EDITED BY MEMBERS OF THE WELL-ESTABLISHED EUROPEAN EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION RESEARCH ASSOCIATION OUTDOOR PLAY AND LEARNING SIG (OPAL). CHAPTERS WRITTEN BY AUTHORS FROM EUROPE, NORTH AND SOUTH AMERICA, AUSTRALASIA AND ASIA PACIFIC COUNTRIES ARE ORGANISED INTO SIX SECTIONS: THEORETICAL FRAMEWORKS AND CONCEPTUAL APPROACHES FOR UNDERSTANDING OUTDOOR PLAY & LEARNING CRITICAL REFLECTIONS ON POLICY AND REGULATION IN OUTDOOR PLAY & LEARNING CHILDREN'S ENGAGEMENT WITH NATURE, SUSTAINABILITY AND CHILDREN'S GEOGRAPHIES DIVERSE CONTEXTS AND INCLUSION IN CHILDREN'S OUTDOOR PLAY ENVIRONMENTS METHODOLOGIES FOR RESEARCHING OUTDOOR PLAY AND LEARNING LINKS BETWEEN RESEARCH AND PRACTICE

WOMEN IN SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY - NAMRATA GUPTA 2020-01-07

WOMEN IN SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY: CONFRONTING INEQUALITIES COMPREHENSIVELY EXPLORES WOMEN'S STATUS IN THE SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY (S&T) DOMAIN BY RIGOROUSLY ANALYSING AND INTERPRETING EXTENSIVE RECENT INFORMATION ON MAJOR AREAS SUCH AS ENGINEERING, MEDICINE, PHYSICAL SCIENCES, BIOSCIENCES AND MATHEMATICS. THE BOOK FORCEFULLY DEMONSTRATES THAT GENDER-BASED DIFFERENCES AND EXPECTATIONS PLAY THE DETERMINING ROLE IN LIMITING WOMEN'S PARTICIPATION IN S&T. THESE EXIST IN VARIOUS FORMS, FROM MAKING SUBJECT CHOICES IN SCHOOL AND OPTING FOR SPECIFIC DISCIPLINES IN COLLEGE TO EMBRACING SPECIFIC CAREER AVENUES SUCH AS SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH. THIS BOOK SHOWS HOW THE CONSTRUCTION OF GENDERED IDENTITIES IS PERPETUATED THROUGH A MASCULINE CULTURE IN THE INFORMAL ENVIRONMENT OF ELITE EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTES AND IN MAJOR S&T WORKPLACES SUCH AS ACADEMIA AND RESEARCH LABORATORIES, WHICH SERVE TOGETHER TO EXCLUDE WOMEN FROM PEER GROUPS AND OPPORTUNITIES FOR ADVANCEMENT. THE BOOK MAKES SUBSTANTIVE RECOMMENDATIONS FOR POLICY MEASURES ON COLLEGE ADMISSIONS, IMPROVEMENT OF INSTITUTIONAL AND ORGANIZATIONAL ENVIRONMENTS, AND RECRUITMENT AND CAPACITY BUILDING FOR WOMEN IN S&T. IT

CALLS FOR SUBSTANTIALLY REDUCING THE MYRIAD SOCIETAL AND FAMILIAL BARRIERS THROUGH COOPERATION AND UNDERSTANDING.

NURSING INFORMATICS - URSULA H. H[?] BNER 2022-07-25

THIS NEW EDITION OF THE CLASSIC TEXTBOOK ON HEALTH INFORMATICS PROVIDES READERS IN HEALTHCARE PRACTICE AND EDUCATIONAL SETTINGS WITH AN UNPARALLELED DEPTH OF INFORMATION ON USING INFORMATICS METHODS AND TOOLS. HOWEVER, THIS NEW TEXT SPEAKS TO NURSES AND — IN A DEPARTURE FROM EARLIER EDITIONS OF THIS TITLE — TO ALL HEALTH PROFESSIONALS IN DIRECT PATIENT CARE, REGARDLESS OF THEIR SPECIALTY, EXTENDING ITS USEFULNESS AS A TEXTBOOK. THIS INCLUDES PHYSICIANS, THERAPISTS, PHARMACISTS, DIETICIANS AND MANY OTHERS. IN RECOGNITION OF THE EVOLVING DIGITAL ENVIRONMENTS IN ALL HEALTHCARE SETTINGS AND OF INTERPROFESSIONAL TEAMS, THE BOOK IS DESIGNED FOR A WIDE SPECTRUM OF HEALTHCARE PROFESSIONS INCLUDING QUALITY OFFICERS, HEALTH INFORMATION MANAGERS, ADMINISTRATORS AND EXECUTIVES, AS WELL AS HEALTH INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY PROFESSIONALS SUCH AS ENGINEERS AND COMPUTER SCIENTISTS IN HEALTH CARE. THE BOOK IS OF SPECIAL INTEREST TO THOSE WHO BRIDGE THE TECHNICAL AND CARING DOMAIN, PARTICULARLY NURSE AND MEDICAL INFORMATICIANS AND OTHER INFORMATICIANS WORKING IN THE HEALTH SCIENCES. NURSING INFORMATICS: AN INTERPROFESSIONAL AND GLOBAL PERSPECTIVE CONTAINS REAL-LIFE CASE STUDIES AND OTHER DIDACTIC FEATURES TO ILLUSTRATE THE THEORIES AND PRINCIPLES DISCUSSED, MAKING IT AN IDEAL RESOURCE FOR USE WITHIN HEALTH AND NURSING INFORMATICS CURRICULA AT BOTH UNDERGRADUATE AND GRADUATE LEVEL, AS WELL AS FOR WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT. IT HONORS THE FORMAT ESTABLISHED BY THE PREVIOUS EDITIONS BY INCLUDING A CONTENT ARRAY AND QUESTIONS TO GUIDE THE READER. READERS ARE INVITED TO LOOK OUT OF THE BOX THROUGH A DEDICATED GLOBAL PERSPECTIVE COVERING HEALTH INFORMATICS APPLICATIONS IN DIFFERENT REGIONS, COUNTRIES AND CONTINENTS.

HEALTHCARE TECHNOLOGY IN CONTEXT - ALAN TAYLOR 2021-09-08

THIS BOOK INVESTIGATES HOW THE TECHNOLOGY USED BY TELEHEALTH SERVICES SHAPES OUR HEALTHCARE, AND HOW WE, AS HUMANS, COLLECTIVELY CHANGE AND SHAPE THE TECHNOLOGY AND SERVICES USED IN HEALTHCARE. BASED ON EXTENSIVE FIELD RESEARCH ON TELEHEALTH SERVICES IN AUSTRALIA AND BRAZIL, THE BOOK REVEALS SOME SURPRISINGLY OBVIOUS CONCLUSIONS ABOUT OUR POWERS TO SHAPE THE SOCIETY.

POLITICAL HANDBOOK OF THE WORLD 2015 - TOM LANSFORD 2015-03-24

THE POLITICAL HANDBOOK OF THE WORLD PROVIDES TIMELY, THOROUGH, AND ACCURATE POLITICAL INFORMATION, WITH MORE IN-DEPTH COVERAGE OF CURRENT POLITICAL CONTROVERSIES THAN ANY OTHER REFERENCE GUIDE. THE UPDATED 2015 EDITION WILL CONTINUE TO BE THE MOST AUTHORITATIVE SOURCE FOR FINDING COMPLETE FACTS AND ANALYSIS ON EACH COUNTRY'S GOVERNMENTAL AND POLITICAL MAKEUP. COMPILING IN ONE PLACE MORE THAN 200 ENTRIES ON COUNTRIES AND TERRITORIES THROUGHOUT THE

WORLD, THIS VOLUME IS RENOWNED FOR ITS EXTENSIVE COVERAGE OF ALL MAJOR AND MINOR POLITICAL PARTIES AND GROUPS IN EACH POLITICAL SYSTEM. IT ALSO PROVIDES NAMES OF KEY AMBASSADORS AND INTERNATIONAL MEMBERSHIPS OF EACH COUNTRY, PLUS DETAILED PROFILES OF MORE THAN 30 INTERGOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATIONS AND UN AGENCIES. AND THIS ANNUAL UPDATE INCLUDES COVERAGE OF CURRENT EVENTS, ISSUES, CRISES, AND CONTROVERSIES FROM THE COURSE OF THIS YEAR.

INTERNATIONAL MIGRATION OUTLOOK 2016 - OECD
2016-09-19

THIS REPORT ANALYSES RECENT MIGRATION MOVEMENTS AND POLICIES, AS WELL AS RECENT LABOUR MARKET OUTCOMES OF IMMIGRANTS. IT INCLUDES TWO SPECIAL FOCUS CHAPTERS AS WELL AS COUNTRY NOTES AND A STATISTICAL ANNEX.

THE LAWYER BUBBLE - STEVEN HARPER 2016-03-08

A NOBLE PROFESSION IS FACING ITS DEFINING MOMENT. FROM LAW SCHOOLS TO THE PRESTIGIOUS FIRMS THAT REPRESENT THE PINNACLE OF A LEGAL CAREER, A CRISIS IS UNFOLDING. NEWS HEADLINES TELL PART OF THE STORY—THE GROWING OVERSUPPLY OF NEW LAWYERS, WIDESPREAD CAREER DISSATISFACTION, AND SPECTACULAR IMPLSIONS OF PRE-EMINENT LAW FIRMS. YET EAGER HORDES OF BRIGHT YOUNG PEOPLE CONTINUE TO STEP OVER EACH OTHER AS THEY SEEK JOBS WITH HIGH RATES OF DEPRESSION, LIFE-CONSUMING HOURS, AND LITTLE ASSURANCE OF FINANCIAL STABILITY. THE GREAT RECESSION HAS ONLY WORSENED THESE TRENDS, BUT CORRECTION IS POSSIBLE AND, NOW, IMPERATIVE. IN *THE LAWYER BUBBLE*, STEVEN J. HARPER REVEALS HOW A CULTURE OF SHORT-TERM THINKING HAS BLINDED SOME OF THE NATION'S FINEST MINDS TO THE LONG-RUN IMPLICATIONS OF THEIR ACTIONS. LAW SCHOOL DEANS HAVE CEDED INDEPENDENT JUDGMENT TO FLAWED U.S. NEWS & WORLD REPORT RANKINGS CRITERIA IN THE QUEST TO MAXIMIZE IMMEDIATE RESULTS. SENIOR PARTNERS IN THE NATION'S LARGE LAW FIRMS HAVE FOCUSED ON CURRENT PROFITS TO ENHANCE AMERICAN LAWYER RANKINGS AND INDIVIDUAL WEALTH AT GREAT COST TO THEIR INSTITUTIONS. YET, WISER DECISIONS—BEING HONEST ABOUT THE LEGAL JOB MARKET, REVISITING THE FINANCIAL INCENTIVES CURRENTLY DRIVING BAD BEHAVIOR, ELIMINATING THE BILLABLE HOUR MODEL, AND MORE—CAN TAKE THE PROFESSION TO A BETTER PLACE. A DEVASTATING INDICTMENT OF THE GREED, SHORTSIGHTEDNESS, AND DISHONESTY THAT NOW PERMEATE THE LEGAL PROFESSION, THIS INSIDER ACCOUNT IS ESSENTIAL READING FOR ANYONE WHO WANTS TO KNOW HOW THINGS WENT SO WRONG AND HOW THE PROFESSION CAN RIGHT ITSELF ONCE AGAIN.

ST. JAMES'S PLACE TAX GUIDE 2014-2015 - E. LIPKIN
2014-07-28

THE 43RD ANNUAL EDITION OF THE LEADING GUIDE TO TAXATION IN BRITAIN. THIS PRACTICAL AND USER-FRIENDLY GUIDE IS A BESTSELLER WITH STUDENTS, PROFESSIONALS, ACCOUNTANTS AND PRIVATE INDIVIDUALS, EXPLAINING IN SIMPLE TERMS HOW THE UK TAX SYSTEM WORKS AND HOW BEST TO MINIMISE TAX LIABILITIES.

RETHINKING PRIVATE HIGHER EDUCATION - 2016-10-11

RETHINKING PRIVATE HIGHER EDUCATION OFFERS FRESH INSIGHTS INTO THE ACTUAL MEANING OF 'PRIVATE' IN

DIFFERENT HIGHER EDUCATION CONTEXTS, GETTING BENEATH THE SURFACE OF EASY LABELS TO PROVIDE A DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF THE ACTUAL EFFECTS OF GLOBAL POLICIES IN LOCAL CONTEXTS THROUGH ETHNOGRAPHIES.

ADMISSION MATTERS - SALLY P. SPRINGER 2013-06-20

THIRD EDITION OF THE GO-TO REFERENCE TO COLLEGE ADMISSION GETTING INTO COLLEGE HAS NEVER BEEN MORE COMPLICATED OR COMPETITIVE. PARENTS AND STUDENTS NEED EXPERT GUIDANCE TO NAVIGATE THE MAZE OF COLLEGE ADMISSIONS. THIS THOROUGHLY UPDATED EDITION OF *ADMISSION MATTERS* IS THE BEST SOURCE, COVERING THE WHOLE PROCESS FOR ANY APPLICANT. THE AUTHORS OFFER GREAT PRACTICAL ADVICE FOR SELECTING THE RIGHT SCHOOL, WRITING EFFECTIVE ESSAYS, NAVIGATING FINANCIAL AID, AND MUCH MORE. NO MATTER WHAT TYPE OF SCHOOL A COLLEGE-BOUND STUDENT MAY SELECT, *ADMISSION MATTERS* WILL GIVE THEM THE EDGE THEY NEED. OFFERS AN ESSENTIAL RESOURCE FOR UNDERSTANDING THE ADMISSION PROCESS FOR ALL STUDENTS APPLYING TO COLLEGE ADDRESSES THE MOST RECENT CHANGES TO THE COLLEGE APPLICATION PROCESS NEW SECTIONS INCLUDE INFORMATION FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS, TRANSFER STUDENTS, AND STUDENTS WITH LEARNING DISABILITIES, AS WELL AS EXPANDED ADVICE FOR ATHLETES, ARTISTS, AND HOMESCHOOLERS THIS IS AN ESSENTIAL HANDBOOK FOR ANY FAMILY FACING THE COLLEGE ADMISSION PROCESS.

PRIVATE HEALTH INSURANCE - SARAH THOMSON 2020-10

A COLLECTION OF COMPARATIVE CASE STUDIES ANALYSING THE HISTORY, POLITICS AND PERFORMANCE OF PRIVATE HEALTH INSURANCE GLOBALLY AND ITS IMPLICATIONS FOR UNIVERSAL HEALTH COVERAGE. THIS IS ESSENTIAL READING FOR GRADUATE STUDENTS, SCHOLARS AND POLICY MAKERS WORKING ON HEALTH SYSTEMS FINANCING WORLDWIDE.

ECONOMICS OF ENGINEERING EDUCATION IN INDIA - JANDHYALA B. G. TILAK 2023-08-28

THIS VOLUME FOCUSES ON THE KEY TRENDS AND MAJOR DEVELOPMENTS IN ENGINEERING EDUCATION IN INDIA AND REFLECTS ON THE EFFECTS AND CHALLENGES OF ITS EXPANSION ON ECONOMIC GROWTH AND DEVELOPMENT. ANALYSING SEVERAL DIMENSIONS RELATING TO THE STATUS AND GROWTH OF ENGINEERING EDUCATION, THIS BOOK: — HIGHLIGHTS, IN THE OVERALL POLICY ENVIRONMENT, THE RAPID GROWTH OF ENGINEERING EDUCATION, IMBALANCES IN THE GROWTH BETWEEN DIFFERENT BRANCHES OF ENGINEERING EDUCATION, CHANGING TRENDS AND PATTERNS IN THEIR GROWTH, QUALITY OF EDUCATION, GENDER INEQUALITY, AND INEQUALITY BY CASTE, REGION AND ECONOMIC STATUS AND LABOUR MARKET CONDITIONS THAT INFLUENCE THE DEMAND FOR ENGINEERING EDUCATION. — REFLECTS ON THE RAPID GROWTH OF PRIVATE SECTOR IN ENGINEERING EDUCATION AND ITS EFFECTS ON EQUITABLE ACCESS, QUALITY AND OTHER DIMENSIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION, AND ON OVERALL DEVELOPMENT OF THE ECONOMY. — INVESTIGATES THE SOCIO-ECONOMIC CHARACTERISTICS OF THE STUDENTS GOING TO PRIVATE COLLEGES/UNIVERSITIES, FINANCING BY THE GOVERNMENT VIS- [?] -VIS STUDENTS/HOUSEHOLDS, THE UNSTEADY GROWTH IN PUBLIC FINANCING OF ENGINEERING EDUCATION AND EDUCATIONAL LOANS AS A METHOD OF FINANCING. — EXPLORES THE REASONS BEHIND THE INCREASING DEMAND OF

ENGINEERING EDUCATION AND THE FACTORS THAT HAVE CONTRIBUTED TO THE RISE OF ELECTRONICS ENGINEERING, COMPUTER SCIENCE ENGINEERING AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY-RELATED AREAS OF ENGINEERING AS AGAINST SOME CONVENTIONALLY POPULAR DISCIPLINES OF ENGINEERING. THIS VOLUME WILL BE OF INTEREST TO STUDENTS, TEACHERS AND RESEARCHERS OF EDUCATION, HIGHER EDUCATION, ENGINEERING EDUCATION, ECONOMICS OF EDUCATION, SOCIOLOGY OF EDUCATION, AND EDUCATION AND PUBLIC POLICY. IT WILL ALSO BE USEFUL FOR POLICYMAKERS AND ADMINISTRATORS IN HIGHER EDUCATION, ENGINEERING/TECHNICAL EDUCATION IN BRIC COUNTRIES, AND THOSE INTERESTED IN THE STUDY AND GROWTH OF ENGINEERING EDUCATION IN ADVANCED AS WELL AS EMERGING ECONOMIES.

RESEARCH HANDBOOK ON THE LAW AND POLITICS OF MIGRATION - CATHERINE DAUVERGNE 2021-04-30

AS THE LAW AND POLITICS OF MIGRATION BECOME INCREASINGLY INTERTWINED, THIS THOUGHT-PROVOKING RESEARCH HANDBOOK ADDRESSES THE CHALLENGE OF ANALYSING THEIR GROWING RELATIONSHIP. DISCUSSING THE EVOLVING THEORETICAL APPROACHES TO MIGRATION, IT EXPLORES THE GROWING ATTENTION GIVEN TO THE LEGAL FRAMEWORKS FOR MIGRATION AND THE EXPANSION OF REGULATION, AS MIGRATION MOVES TO THE CENTRE OF THE POLITICAL GLOBAL AGENDA. THE RESEARCH HANDBOOK DEMONSTRATES THAT THE OVERLAP BETWEEN LAW AND POLITICS PUTS THE RULE OF LAW AT RISK IN MATTERS OF MIGRATION.

ENGLISH-MEDIUM INSTRUCTION IN JAPANESE HIGHER EDUCATION - ANNETTE BRADFORD 2017-11-07

ENGLISH-MEDIUM INSTRUCTION IN JAPANESE HIGHER EDUCATION PROVIDES A TOUCHSTONE FOR HIGHER EDUCATION PRACTITIONERS, RESEARCHERS AND POLICY MAKERS. IT ENABLES READERS TO MORE CLEARLY UNDERSTAND WHY POLICIES CONCERNING ENGLISH-MEDIUM INSTRUCTION (EMI) ARE IN PLACE IN JAPAN, HOW EMI IS BEING IMPLEMENTED, WHAT CHALLENGES ARE BEING ADDRESSED AND WHAT THE IMPACTS OF EMI MAY BE. THE VOLUME SITUATES EMI WITHIN JAPAN'S CURRENT POLICY CONTEXT AND EXAMINES THE EXPERIENCES OF ITS STAKEHOLDERS. THE CHAPTERS ARE WRITTEN BY SCHOLARS AND PRACTITIONERS WHO HAVE DIRECT INVOLVEMENT WITH EMI IN JAPANESE HIGHER EDUCATION. THEY LOOK AT EMI FROM PERSPECTIVES THAT INCLUDE POLICY PLANNING, PROGRAM DESIGN, MARKETING AND CLASSROOM PRACTICE.

OECD REVIEW OF HIGHER EDUCATION, RESEARCH AND INNOVATION: PORTUGAL - OECD 2019-02-21

PORTUGAL AIMS TO DEVELOP A MORE INNOVATIVE, INCLUSIVE AND PRODUCTIVE ECONOMY, AND TO ENSURE THAT THE ENSUING BENEFITS ARE WIDELY DISTRIBUTED, REGIONALLY AND SOCIALLY. THIS REPORT ASSESSES THE EXTENT TO WHICH PORTUGAL'S HIGHER EDUCATION, RESEARCH AND INNOVATION SYSTEM IS WELL CONFIGURED TO HELP ...

A PERFECT MESS - DAVID F. LABAREE 2019-04-04

READ THE NEWS ABOUT AMERICA'S COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES—RISING STUDENT DEBT, AFFIRMATIVE ACTION DEBATES, AND CONFLICTS BETWEEN FACULTY AND ADMINISTRATORS—AND IT'S CLEAR THAT HIGHER EDUCATION

IN THIS COUNTRY IS A TOTAL MESS. BUT AS DAVID F. LABAREE REMINDS US IN THIS BOOK, IT'S ALWAYS BEEN THAT WAY. AND THAT'S EXACTLY WHY IT HAS BECOME THE MOST SUCCESSFUL AND SOUGHT-AFTER SOURCE OF LEARNING IN THE WORLD. DETAILING AMERICAN HIGHER EDUCATION'S UNUSUAL STRUGGLE FOR SURVIVAL IN A FREE MARKET THAT NEVER GUARANTEED ITS PLACE IN SOCIETY—A FACT THAT SEEMED TO DOOM IT IN ITS EARLY DAYS IN THE NINETEENTH CENTURY—HE TELLS A LIVELY STORY OF THE ENTREPRENEURIAL SPIRIT THAT DROVE AMERICAN HIGHER EDUCATION TO BECOME THE BEST. AND THE BEST IT IS: TODAY AMERICA'S UNIVERSITIES AND COLLEGES PRODUCE THE MOST SCHOLARSHIP, EARN THE MOST NOBEL PRIZES, HOLD THE LARGEST ENDOWMENTS, AND ATTRACT THE MOST ESTEEMED STUDENTS AND SCHOLARS FROM AROUND THE WORLD. BUT THIS WAS NOT AN INEVITABILITY. WEAKLY FUNDED BY THE STATE, AMERICAN SCHOOLS IN THEIR EARLY YEARS HAD TO RELY ON STUDENT TUITION AND ALUMNI DONATIONS IN ORDER TO SURVIVE. THIS GAVE THEM TREMENDOUS AUTONOMY TO SEEK OUT SOURCES OF FINANCIAL SUPPORT AND PURSUE UNCONVENTIONAL OPPORTUNITIES TO ENSURE THEIR SUCCESS. AS LABAREE SHOWS, BY STRIVING AS MUCH AS POSSIBLE TO MEET SOCIAL NEEDS AND FULFILL INDIVIDUAL AMBITIONS, THEY DEVELOPED A BROAD BASE OF POLITICAL AND FINANCIAL SUPPORT THAT, GROUNDED BY LARGE UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAMS, ALLOWED FOR THE MOST CUTTING-EDGE RESEARCH AND ADVANCED GRADUATE STUDY EVER CONDUCTED. AS A RESULT, AMERICAN HIGHER EDUCATION EVENTUALLY MANAGED TO COMBINE A UNIQUE MIX OF THE POPULIST, THE PRACTICAL, AND THE ELITE IN A SINGLE COMPLEX SYSTEM. THE ANSWERS TO TODAY'S PROBLEMS IN HIGHER EDUCATION ARE NOT EASY, BUT AS THIS BOOK SHOWS, THEY SHOULDN'T BE: NO SINGLE PERSON OR INSTITUTION CAN DETERMINE HIGHER EDUCATION'S FUTURE. IT IS SOMETHING THAT FACULTY, ADMINISTRATORS, AND STUDENTS—ADAPTING TO SOCIETY'S NEEDS—WILL DETERMINE TOGETHER, JUST AS THEY HAVE ALWAYS DONE.

NORDIC ECONOMIC POLICY REVIEW - ANDERSEN, TORBEN M. 2016-02-09

THE NORDIC ECONOMIC POLICY REVIEW IS PUBLISHED BY THE NORDIC COUNCIL OF MINISTERS. THIS YEAR'S ISSUE IS PART OF THE DANISH PRESIDENCY PROGRAMME FOR THE NORDIC COUNCIL OF MINISTERS IN 2015. THE REVIEW ADDRESSES POLICY ISSUES IN A WAY THAT IS USEFUL FOR INFORMED NON-SPECIALISTS AS WELL AS FOR PROFESSIONAL ECONOMISTS. ALL ARTICLES ARE COMMISSIONED FROM LEADING PROFESSIONAL ECONOMISTS AND ARE SUBJECT TO PEER REVIEW PRIOR TO PUBLICATION. THE REVIEW APPEARS ONCE A YEAR. IT IS PUBLISHED ELECTRONICALLY ON THE WEBSITE OF THE NORDIC COUNCIL OF MINISTERS: [WWW.NORDEN.ORG/EN](http://www.norden.org/en). ON THAT WEBSITE, YOU CAN ALSO ORDER PAPER COPIES OF THE REVIEW (ENTER THE NAME OF THE REVIEW IN THE SEARCH FIELD, AND YOU WILL FIND ALL THE INFORMATION YOU NEED).

GENERAL STUDIES - YCT EXPERT TEAM

ALL INDIA STATE PSC AE & PSU GENERAL STUDIES CHAPTER-WISE SOLVED PAPERS

PARLIAMENTARY DEBATES (HANSARD). - GREAT BRITAIN. PARLIAMENT. HOUSE OF COMMONS 2013

PERU - ALEJANDRO M. WERNER 2015-09-16

PERU STANDS OUT AMONG LATIN AMERICAN COUNTRIES AS AN EXAMPLE OF SUCCESSFUL ECONOMIC REFORMS OVER THE PAST DECADE. THIS COMPREHENSIVE LOOK AT PERU'S ECONOMY TRACES THAT COUNTRY'S JOURNEY FROM A DEBT CRISIS IN THE 1980S TO HAVING BUFFERS IN PLACE THAT ALLOWED IT TO EMERGE UNSCATHED FROM THE GLOBAL FINANCIAL CRISIS. THE BOOK EXAMINES THE STEPS PERU UNDERTOOK TO ACHIEVE THESE RESULTS AND EXTRACTS LESSONS TO BE LEARNED. CHAPTERS ARE WRITTEN BY IMF STAFF AND PERUVIAN ECONOMISTS.

DELHI "A ROLE MODEL" OF URBAN INDIA - DR. K.P.

AGRAWAL 2016-06-08

THE BOOK, PACKED IN 22 CHAPTERS, PROVIDES IN-DEPTH AND DETAILED INFORMATION ON DIFFERENT ASPECTS OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT. ISSUES, SUCH AS EDUCATION, HEALTH, POWER, TRANSPORT, STRAY ANIMALS, TOURISM, WATER, GREENERY, POLLUTION, WASTE AND SANITATION MANAGEMENT, DISASTER MANAGEMENT, ADULTERATION, CRIMES, SOCIAL LIFE, CIVIC INFRASTRUCTURE, ENCROACHMENT, UNAUTHORIZED CONSTRUCTION AND ILLEGAL COLONIES, WHICH THE PEOPLE IN DELHI HAVE BEEN CONFRONTING FOR LONG, HAVE BEEN COVERED UNDER THE BOOK. AS DELHI IS THE NATIONAL CAPITAL AND THE MIRROR OF THE COUNTRY, THE AUTHOR HAS ATTEMPTED TO FOCUS ON THE DEVELOPMENT OF IT AS A ROLE MODEL OF THE URBAN INDIA, TO BE REPLICATED BY OTHERS IN RESPECT OF ISSUES THAT AFFECT THE DAY-TO-DAY LIFE OF A COMMON MAN, PEOPLE OF ALL AGE GROUPS, SEX, RELIGION, REGION, POOR AND RICH, STUDENTS, PUBLIC AND PRIVATE SECTORS, BUREAUCRATS, BUSINESSMEN, INDUSTRIALISTS AND POLITICIANS. THE BOOK WILL BE OF IMMENSE VALUE TO POLICYMAKERS, PROGRAMME PLANNERS, PUBLIC AND PRIVATE SECTORS, NGOs, SOCIAL WORKERS, ENVIRONMENTAL WORKERS, EDUCATIONISTS, DEVELOPMENTAL PRACTITIONERS AND THE DELHIITES WHO DREAM TO SEE DELHI AS "A WORLD-CLASS CITY".

OLD AND SICK IN AMERICA - MURIEL R. GILLICK, M.D.

2017-10-06

SINCE THE INTRODUCTION OF MEDICARE AND MEDICAID IN 1965, THE AMERICAN HEALTH CARE SYSTEM HAS STEADILY GROWN IN SIZE AND COMPLEXITY. MURIEL R. GILLICK TAKES READERS ON A NARRATIVE TOUR OF AMERICAN HEALTH CARE, INCORPORATING THE STORIES OF OLDER PATIENTS AS THEY TRAVEL FROM THE DOCTOR'S OFFICE TO THE HOSPITAL TO THE SKILLED NURSING FACILITY, AND EXAMINING THE INFLUENCE OF FORCES AS DIVERSE AS PHARMACEUTICAL CORPORATIONS, DEVICE MANUFACTURERS, AND HEALTH INSURANCE COMPANIES ON THEIR EXPERIENCE. A SCHOLAR WHO HAS PRACTICED MEDICINE FOR OVER THIRTY YEARS, GILLICK OFFERS READERS AN INFORMED AND STRAIGHTFORWARD VIEW OF HEALTH CARE FROM THE GROUND UP, REVEALING THAT MANY CRUCIAL MEDICAL DECISIONS ARE BASED NOT ON WHAT IS BEST FOR THE PATIENT BUT RATHER ON OUTSIDE FORCES, SOMETIMES TO THE DETRIMENT OF PATIENT HEALTH AND QUALITY OF LIFE. GILLICK SUGGESTS A BROADLY IMAGINED PATIENT-CENTERED REFORM OF THE HEALTH CARE SYSTEM WITH MEDICARE AS THE ENGINE OF CHANGE, A TRANSFORMATION THAT WOULD BE MEDIATED THROUGH ACCOUNTABILITY, COST-EFFECTIVENESS, AND CULTURE CHANGE.

ALL-GIRLS EDUCATION FROM WARD SEMINARY TO HARPETH HALL, 1865-2015 - MARY ELLEN PETHEL 2015-03-23

THE HISTORY BEHIND ONE OF THE OLDEST ALL-GIRLS PREP SCHOOLS IN THE SOUTH. DURING THE FINAL DAYS OF THE CIVIL WAR, DR. WILLIAM WARD AND HIS WIFE, ELIZA WARD, ENVISIONED A SCHOOL FOR YOUNG WOMEN IN NASHVILLE THAT WOULD EVOLVE INTO ONE OF THE NATION'S MOST PRESTIGIOUS INSTITUTIONS. AS THE NEW SOUTH DAWNED, WARD SEMINARY OPENED ITS DOORS IN SEPTEMBER 1865. MERGING WITH BELMONT COLLEGE FOR YOUNG WOMEN IN 1913, WARD-BELMONT OPERATED AS A COLLEGE PREPARATORY SCHOOL, MUSIC CONSERVATORY, AND JUNIOR COLLEGE. IN 1951, THE HIGH SCHOOL DIVISION MOVED FARTHER WEST, REOPENING AS THE HARPETH HALL SCHOOL AFTER WARD-BELMONT'S SUDDEN CLOSURE. WARD SEMINARY, BELMONT COLLEGE, WARD-BELMONT, AND HARPETH HALL ARE SIMPLY SEPARATE CHAPTERS OF ONE CONTINUOUS STORY—PROVIDING A LENS THROUGH WHICH TO UNDERSTAND THE EVOLUTION OF ALL-GIRLS EDUCATION IN THE UNITED STATES.

CLASS WAR - MEGAN ERICKSON 2015-09-08

WHAT AMERICA HAS AT STAKE WHEN SOME CHILDREN GO TO SCHOOL HUNGRY AND OTHERS RIDE IN \$1,000 STROLLERS IN AN AGE OF AUSTERITY, ELITE CORPORATE EDUCATION REFORMERS HAVE FOUND NEW WAYS TO TRANSFER THE COSTS OF RAISING CHILDREN FROM THE STATE TO INDIVIDUAL FAMILIES. PUBLIC SCHOOLS, TASKED WITH PROVIDING EDUCATION, CHILDCARE, JOB TRAINING, MEALS, AND SOCIAL SERVICES TO LOW-INCOME CHILDREN, STRUGGLE WITH CUTBACKS. MEANWHILE, PRIVATE SCHOOLS PROMISE TO NURTURE THE MINDS AND PERSONALITIES OF FUTURE PROFESSIONALS TO THE TUNE OF \$40,000 A YEAR. AS CLASS WAR REVEALS, THIS SITUATION DIDN'T HAPPEN BY CHANCE. IN THE MEDIA, EDUCATIONAL SUCCESS IS FRAMED AS A CONSEQUENCE OF PARENTAL CHOICES AND NATURAL ABILITIES. IN TRUTH THE WEALTHY ARE EVER MORE ABLE TO SECURE ADVANTAGES FOR THEIR CHILDREN, DEEPENING THE RIFTS BETWEEN RICH AND POOR. THE LONGER THESE DIVISIONS PERSIST, THE WORSE THE CONSEQUENCES. DRAWING ON ERICKSON'S OWN EXPERIENCE AS A TEACHER IN THE NEW YORK CITY SCHOOL SYSTEM, CLASS WAR REVEALS HOW MODERN EDUCATION HAS BECOME THE REAL "HUNGER GAMES," STEALING OPPORTUNITY AND HOPE FROM DISADVANTAGED CHILDREN FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE WELL-TO-DO.

DELIVERING HEALTH CARE IN AMERICA - SHI 2017-10-06

DELIVERING HEALTH CARE IN AMERICA, SEVENTH EDITION IS THE MOST CURRENT AND COMPREHENSIVE OVERVIEW OF THE BASIC STRUCTURES AND OPERATIONS OF THE U.S. HEALTH SYSTEM—FROM ITS HISTORICAL ORIGINS AND RESOURCES, TO ITS INDIVIDUAL SERVICES, COST, AND QUALITY. USING A UNIQUE "SYSTEMS" APPROACH, THE TEXT BRINGS TOGETHER AN EXTRAORDINARY BREADTH OF INFORMATION INTO A HIGHLY ACCESSIBLE, EASY-TO-READ RESOURCE THAT CLARIFIES THE COMPLEXITIES OF HEALTH CARE ORGANIZATION AND FINANCE WHILE PRESENTING A SOLID OVERVIEW OF HOW THE VARIOUS COMPONENTS FIT TOGETHER.

AFFIRMATIVE ACTION FOR ECONOMICALLY WEAKER SECTIONS AND UPPER-CASTES IN INDIAN CONSTITUTIONAL LAW - ASANG WANKHEDE 2022-09-30

THIS BOOK EXAMINES THE CONTROVERSIAL 103RD CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO THE INDIAN CONSTITUTION THAT INTRODUCED AN INCOME AND ASSET OWNERSHIP-BASED NEW CONSTITUTIONAL STANDARD FOR DETERMINING BACKWARDNESS MARKING A SIGNIFICANT SHIFT IN THE GOVERNMENT'S SOCIAL AND PUBLIC POLICY. IT ALSO ANALYSES STATE LEVEL POLICIES TOWARDS BACKWARDNESS RECOGNITION OF UPPER-CASTE DOMINANT GROUPS THROUGH CASE STUDIES OF MAHARASHTRA, HARYANA, AND GUJARAT. IT PROVIDES AN ANALYTICAL AND DESCRIPTIVE ACCOUNT OF THE PROLIFERATION OF RESERVATION POLICY IN INDIA AND CRITIQUES THESE INTERVENTIONS TO ASSESS THEIR IMPLICATION ON CONSTITUTIONAL JURISPRUDENCE. FURTHER, IT ASSESSES THE THEORETICAL AND EMPIRICAL CHALLENGES SUCH DEVELOPMENTS POSE TO THE PRINCIPLE OF SUBSTANTIVE EQUALITY AND SCOPE OF AFFIRMATIVE ACTION POLICIES IN INDIAN CONSTITUTIONAL LAW AND GENERAL DISCRIMINATION LAW THEORY. THE MONOGRAPH SHOWS HOW OPENING UP OF RESERVATIONS FOR DOMINANT UPPER-CASTE GROUPS AND GENERAL CATEGORY WILL HAVE IMPLICATIONS FOR THE CONSTITUTIONAL COMMITMENT TO ADDRESSING DEEPLY ENTRENCHED MARGINALISATION EMANATING FROM THE TRADITIONAL SOCIAL HIERARCHY AND THE UNDERSTANDING OF SUBSTANTIVE EQUALITY IN INDIAN CONSTITUTIONAL LAW. FURTHER, IT HIGHLIGHTS KEY CONTRADICTIONS, INCOHERENCE, AND INTERNAL TENSION IN THE DESIGN OF THE RESERVATIONS FOR ECONOMICALLY WEAKER SECTIONS CRITICAL,

BUSINESS LAW 2014-2015 - J. SCOTT SLORACH 2014
THIS TITLE CONTAINS DETAILED COVERAGE OF PARTNERSHIPS, COMPANY LAW, TAXATION, EC LAW, AND INSOLVENCY, MAKING THE BOOK IDEALLY SUITED TO THE LEGAL PRACTICE COURSE.

MOBILITIES OF THE HIGHLY SKILLED TOWARDS SWITZERLAND - LAURE SANDOZ 2019-08-21

THIS OPEN ACCESS BOOK ANALYSES THE STRATEGIES OF MIGRATION INTERMEDIARIES FROM THE PUBLIC AND PRIVATE SECTORS IN SWITZERLAND TO SELECT, ATTRACT, AND RETAIN HIGHLY SKILLED MIGRANTS WHO REPRESENT VALUE TO THEM. IT REVEALS HOW STATE AND ECONOMIC ACTORS DEFINE "WANTED IMMIGRANTS" AND PROVIDE THEM WITH PRIVILEGED ACCESS TO THE SWISS TERRITORY AND LABOUR MARKET. THE ANALYSIS DRAWS ON AN ETHNOGRAPHIC STUDY CONDUCTED IN THE FRENCH-SPEAKING LAKE GENEVA AREA AND THE GERMAN-SPEAKING NORTHWESTERN REGION OF SWITZERLAND BETWEEN 2014 AND 2018. IT SHOWS HOW INSTITUTIONAL ACTORS INFLUENCE WHICH RESOURCES ARE AVAILABLE TO DIFFERENT GROUPS OF NEWCOMERS BY DEFINING AND DIVIDING MIGRANTS ACCORDING TO CONSTRUCTED SOCIAL CATEGORIES THAT CORRELATE WITH SPECIFIC STATUS AND PRIVILEGES. THIS RESEARCH THUS SHIFTS THE FOCUS FROM AN APPROACH THAT TAKES THE CATEGORY OF HIGHLY SKILLED MIGRANT FOR GRANTED TO ONE THAT REGARDS CONTEXT AS CRUCIAL FOR STRUCTURING MIGRANTS' CHARACTERISTICS, TRAJECTORIES, AND EXPERIENCES. BEYOND CONSIDERATION OF PROFESSIONAL

QUALIFICATIONS, THE WAYS DECISION-MAKERS PERCEIVE CANDIDATES AND SHAPE THEIR RESOURCE ENVIRONMENTS ARE CRUCIAL FOR CONSTRUCTING THEM AS SKILLED OR UNSKILLED, WANTED OR UNWANTED, WELCOME OR UNWELCOME.

GENDER EQUITY IN STEM IN HIGHER EDUCATION - HYUN KYOUNG RO 2021-07-11

THIS TIMELY VOLUME BRINGS TOGETHER A RANGE OF INTERNATIONAL SCHOLARS TO ANALYSE CULTURAL, POLITICAL, AND INDIVIDUAL FACTORS WHICH CONTRIBUTE TO THE CONTINUED GLOBAL ISSUE OF FEMALE UNDERREPRESENTATION IN STEM STUDY AND CAREERS. OFFERING A COMPARATIVE APPROACH TO EXAMINING GENDER EQUITY IN STEM FIELDS ACROSS COUNTRIES INCLUDING THE UK, GERMANY, THE UNITED STATES, HONG KONG, TAIWAN, SOUTH AFRICA, AND CHINA, THE VOLUME PROVIDES A THEMATIC BREAKDOWN OF INSTITUTIONAL TRENDS AND NATIONAL POLICIES THAT HAVE SUCCESSFULLY IMPROVED GENDER EQUITY IN STEM AT INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION. OFFERING CASE STUDIES THAT DEMONSTRATE HOW POLICIES INTERACT WITH CHANGING SOCIAL AND CULTURAL NORMS, AND IMPACT WOMEN'S CHOICES AND EXPERIENCES IN RELATION TO THE UPTAKE AND CONTINUATION OF STEM STUDY AT THE UNDERGRADUATE LEVEL, THE VOLUME HIGHLIGHTS NEW DIRECTIONS FOR RESEARCH AND POLICY TO PROMOTE GENDER EQUITY IN STEM AT SCHOOL, UNIVERSITY, AND CAREER LEVELS. CONTRIBUTING TO THE UNITED NATIONS' (UN) 2030 AGENDA FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT, THIS TEXT WILL BENEFIT RESEARCHERS, ACADEMICS, AND EDUCATORS WITH AN INTEREST IN SCIENCE EDUCATION, HIGHER EDUCATION, AND GENDER EQUITY IN STEM FIELDS. THE TEXT WILL ALSO SUPPORT FURTHER DISCUSSION AND REFLECTION AROUND MULTICULTURAL EDUCATION, EDUCATIONAL POLICY AND POLITICS, AND THE SOCIOLOGY OF EDUCATION MORE BROADLY.

EDUCATION IN SINGAPORE - YEW-JIN LEE 2022-04-06

THIS EDITED BOOK IS A COMPREHENSIVE RESOURCE FOR UNDERSTANDING THE HISTORY AS WELL AS THE CURRENT STATUS OF EDUCATIONAL PRACTICES IN SINGAPORE. IT IS A ONE-STOP REFERENCE GUIDE TO EDUCATION AND EDUCATIONAL ISSUES/CONCERNS HERE. THERE ARE THREE SECTIONS: PART 1 PROVIDES A SECTORIAL OVERVIEW OF HOW EDUCATION HAS BEEN ORGANIZED IN THIS COUNTRY SUCH AS PRESCHOOL, SPECIAL NEEDS, PRIMARY AND SECONDARY, AND ADULT EDUCATION DIVISIONS. IN PART 2, CONTRIBUTORS CRITICALLY DELVE INTO ISSUES AND POLICIES THAT ARE PERTINENT TO UNDERSTANDING EDUCATION HERE SUCH AS UNDERACHIEVEMENT, LEADERSHIP, LANGUAGE EDUCATION, ASSESSMENT, AND MERITOCRACY TO QUESTION WHAT PART 1 MIGHT HAVE TAKEN FOR GRANTED. PART 3 CONTAINS THE LARGEST NUMBER OF CONTRIBUTORS BECAUSE IT OFFERS A SCHOLARLY EXAMINATION INTO SPECIFIC SUBJECT HISTORIES. THIS SECTION STANDS OUT BECAUSE OF THE COMPARATIVE RARITY OF ITS SUBJECT MATTER (HISTORY OF PHYSICAL EDUCATION, ART, MUSIC, GEOGRAPHY EDUCATION, ETC.) IN SINGAPORE.

THE ROHINGYA IN SOUTH ASIA - SABYASACHI BASU RAY CHAUDHURY 2018-07-11

THE ROHINGYA OF MYANMAR ARE ONE OF THE WORLD'S MOST PERSECUTED MINORITY POPULATIONS WITHOUT CITIZENSHIP.

AFTER THE LATEST EXODUS FROM MYANMAR IN 2017, THERE ARE NOW MORE THAN HALF A MILLION ROHINGYA IN BANGLADESH LIVING IN CAMPS, OFTEN IN CONDITIONS OF ABJECT POVERTY, MALNUTRITION AND WITHOUT PROPER ACCESS TO SHELTER OR WORK PERMITS. SOME OF THEM ARE NOW COMPELLED TO TAKE TO THE SEAS IN PERILOUS JOURNEYS TO THE SOUTHEAST ASIAN COUNTRIES IN SEARCH OF A BETTER LIFE. THEY ARE NOW ASKED TO GO BACK TO MYANMAR, BUT WITHOUT ANY PROMISE OF CITIZENSHIP OR AN

END TO DISCRIMINATION. THIS BOOK LOOKS AT THE ROHINGYA IN THE SOUTH ASIAN REGION, PRIMARILY INDIA AND BANGLADESH. IT EXPLORES THE BROADER PICTURE OF THE HISTORICAL AND POLITICAL DIMENSIONS OF THE ROHINGYA CRISIS, AND EXAMINES SUBJECTS OF STATELESSNESS, HUMAN RIGHTS AND HUMANITARIAN PROTECTION OF THESE VICTIMS OF FORCED MIGRATION. FURTHER, IT CHRONICLES THE ACTUAL PROCESS OF EMERGENCE OF A STATELESS COMMUNITY – THE TRANSFORMATION OF A NATIONAL GROUP INTO A STATELESS EXISTENCE WITHOUT BASIC RIGHTS.