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le 29 mai 1453 constantinople capitale de l empire romain d orient depuis sa fondation en 330 tombe aux mains des turcs le choc est terrible pour l occident chrétien qui a pourtant négligé de secourir la ville l année 1453 a longtemps symbolisé peut être de manière excessive la fin du moyen Âge et le début des temps modernes aux yeux des historiens elle fut de fait décisive pour deux peuples les turcs qui y gagnèrent une capitale et s établirent durablement sur le sol européen les grecs qui virent se clore le long chapitre byzantin et dont les humanistes vinrent nourrir l élan de la renaissance occidentale 1453 année heureuse pour les uns funeste pour les autres que raconte steven runciman à travers les fiévreux préparatifs du siège la violence de l assaut la résistance dramatique d une poignée de héros et l effondrement sans surprise d une cité depuis longtemps moribonde traces the holy war of 1202 during which of zealous

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crusaders determined to liberate jerusalem from islam rerouted to constantinople where over the course of two years they committed mass rape murder and destruction one of the most important figures in ottoman history mehmed was the architect of victories that inspired fear throughout europe and contributed to an image of the turk prevalent in western art and literature for many years from the western viewpoint mehmed was seen as the man who gave the death blow to byzantium destroying the last vestige of the eastern roman empire not surprisingly the turks regard him as the greatest of all sultans a figure unparalleled in the history of the world for military prowess statecraft and patronage of the arts and sciences 1453-5029

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in the battle of ideas its cities unrivalled powerhouses of artistic grandeur commercial power spiritual sanctity and forward looking thinking islamic empires is a history of this rich and diverse civilization told through its greatest cities over fifteen centuries from the beginnings of islam in mecca in the seventh century to the astonishing rise of doha in the twenty first it dwells on the most remarkable dynasties ever to lead the muslim world the abbasids of baghdad the umayyads of damascus and cordoba the merinids of fez the ottomans of istanbul the mughals of india and the safavids of isfahan and some of the most charismatic leaders in muslim history from saladin in cairo and mighty tamerlane of samarkand to the poet prince babur in his mountain kingdom of kabul and the irrepressible maktoum dynasty of dubai it focuses on these fifteen cities at some of the defining moments in islamic history from the prophet mohammed receiving his divine revelations in mecca and the first crusade of 1099 to the conquest of constantinople in 1453 and the phenomenal creation of the merchant republic of beirut in the nineteenth century i have sailed the seas and come to the holy city of byzantium w b yeats from the foundation of constantinople in 330 to its fall in 1453 this brief history explores the key components of byzantine christianity including the development of monasticism icons and iconoclasm the role of the emperor in relation to church councils and beliefs the difficult relationship with the papacy and the impact of the crusades the book also considers byzantine christianity as a living force today the variety and vitality of the home

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churches the role of the church in russia and the enduring relevance of a spirituality derived from the church fathers averil cameron s work has transformed our understanding of byzantium and here she offers an authoritative survey of its history and legacy this is a lucid informative and impressively wide ranging brief history gillian clark fba emeritus professor of classics and ancient history university of bristol when it comes to the balkans most people quickly become lost in the quagmire of struggle and intractable hatred that consumes that ancient land today many assume that the genesis of the past ten years of atrocity in the region might have had something to do with tito and his repressive yugoslav regime or perhaps with the assassination of franz ferdinand in 1914 the seeds were really planted much much earlier on a desolate plain in kosovo in 1389 when the serbian prince lazar and his army clashed with and were defeated by the ottoman forces of sultan murad i in this riveting new history of the balkan peoples andréerolymatos explores how ancient events engendered cultural myths that evolved over time gaining psychic strength in the collective consciousnesses of orthodox christians and muslims alike in colorful detail we meet the key figures that instigated and perpetuated these myths including the assassin heroes milos obolic and gavrilo princip and the warlord ali pasha this lively survey of centuries of strife finally puts the modern conflicts in bosnia and kosovo into historical context and provides a long overdue illustration of the origins of ethnic hatred and warmongering in this turbulent history of the universe in nutshell

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ottoman empire advanced westward from the fourteenth to the sixteenth centuries humanists responded on a grand scale leaving behind a large body of fascinating yet understudied works these compositions included crusade orations and histories ethnographic historical and religious studies of the turks epic poetry and even tracts on converting the turks to christianity most scholars have seen this vast literature as atypical of renaissance humanism nancy bisaha now offers an in depth look at the body of renaissance humanist works that focus not on classical or contemporary italian subjects but on the ottoman empire islam and the crusades throughout bisaha probes these texts to reveal the significant role renaissance writers played in shaping western views of self and other medieval concepts of islam were generally informed and constrained by religious attitudes and rhetoric in which muslims were depicted as enemies of the faith while humanist thinkers of the renaissance did not move entirely beyond this stance creating east and west argues that their understanding was considerably more complex in that it addressed secular and cultural issues marking a watershed between the medieval and modern taking a close look at a number of texts bisaha expands current notions of renaissance humanism and of the history of cross cultural perceptions engaging both traditional methods of intellectual history and more recent methods of cross cultural studies she demonstrates that modern attitudes of western societies toward other cultures emerged not during the later period of expansion and domination but rather as a defensive of time and

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intellectual reaction to a sophisticated and threatening power to the east this collection of essays by eight leading scholars is a landmark event in the study of crusading in the late middle ages it is the outcome of an international network funded by the leverhulme trust whose members examined the persistence of crusading activity in the fifteenth century from three viewpoints goals agencies and resonances the crusading fronts considered include the conflict with the ottoman turks in the mediterranean and western balkans the teutonic order s activities in the baltic region and the hussite crusades the authors review criticism of crusading propaganda on behalf of the crusade the influence on crusading of demands for church reform the impact of printing expanding knowledge of the world beyond the christian lands and new sensibilities about the sufferings of non combatants det byzantinske riges historie fra 284 til 1461 this generously illustrated book records the story of russia s bells the thousands of awe inspiring instruments that gave voice to the visual splendors of russian orthodoxy and to the political aspirations of the tsars originally published in 1986 the princeton legacy library uses the latest print on demand technology to again make available previously out of print books from the distinguished backlist of princeton university press these editions preserve the original texts of these important books while presenting them in durable paperback and hardcover editions the goal of the princeton legacy library is to increase access to the rich scholarly heritage found in the thousands of the illustrated a brief history of time and universe in nutshell stephen hawking

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books published by princeton university press since its founding in 1905  
winner of the 2006 john d criticos prize this book introduces the reader to  
the complex history ethnicity and identity of the byzantines this volume  
brings byzantium often misconstrued as a vanished successor to the classical  
world to the forefront of european history deconstructs stereotypes  
surrounding byzantium beautifully illustrated with photographs and maps  
providing the first in depth examination of pope pius ii s development of the  
concept of europe and what it meant to be european from christians to  
europeans charts his life and work from his early years as a secretary in  
northern europe to his papacy this volume introduces students and scholars to  
the concept of europe by an important and influential early thinker it also  
provides renaissance specialists who already know him with the fullest  
consideration to date of how and why pius 1405 1464 constructed the idea of a  
unified european culture society and identity author nancy bisaha shows how  
pius s years of travel his emotional response to the fall of constantinople  
in 1453 and the impact of classical ethnography and other works shaped this  
compelling vision with close readings of his letters orations histories  
autobiography and other works europeans as pius boldly defined them shared a  
distinct character that made them superior to the inhabitants of other  
continents the reverberations of his views can still be felt today in debates  
about identity ethnicity race and belonging in europe and more generally  
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separation centuries before the modern era where most scholars have erroneously placed its origins from christians to europeans adds substantially to our understanding of the renaissance as a critical time of european self fashioning and the creation of a modern western identity this book is essential reading for students and scholars interested in the formation of modern europe intellectual history cultural studies and the history of renaissance europe late medieval italy and the ottoman empire these papers explore major themes in recent scholarship on the medieval crusade and its religious political and cultural context re evaluating the issue of were the templars guilty and suggesting their problem was one of organisation one study looks at the impact and effect of the crusade on jewish christian relations another at crusaders and their interaction with indigenous christians in the county of edessa as a case study of developments in other crusader states and there are papers on peter the hermit on the political and religious context and impact of the fourth crusade on the influence of the crusade on piers plowman and on the political context for the failure of crusading ideals in fifteenth century burgundy contributors alfred andrea robert chazan kelly devries christopher mcevitt thomas madden jonathan riley smith william e rogers jay rubinstein susan j ridyard is professor of history university of the south this book contains articles on historic cities of the islamic world ranging from west africa to arabia a brief which over the centuries have been centres of culture and history of time and universe in nutshell

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economic and commercial life and which have contributed much to the consolidation of islam as a faith and as a social and political institution the articles have been taken from the second edition of the encyclopaedia of islam completed in 2004 but in many cases expanded and rewritten all have been updated to include fresh historical information with note of contemporary social developments and population statistics the book thus delineates the urban background of islam has it has evolved up to the present day highlighting the role of such great cities as cairo istanbul baghdad and delhi in islamic history and also brings them together in a rich panorama illustrating one of mankind s greatest achievements the living organism of the city the creation of the new globe theatre in london has heightened interest in shakespeare performance studies in recent years the essays in this volume testify to this burgeoning research into issues surrounding contemporary performances of plays by shakespeare and his fellow dramatists as well as modern trends and developments in stage and media presentations of these works truly international in coverage the discussion here ranges across the performance and reception of shakespeare in japan india germany italy denmark and the united states as well as in britain dennis kennedy s introductory essay places the new globe theatre in the context of shakespearean cultural tourism generally this is followed by five sections of essays covering aspects of shakespeare on film the stage the history of his plays renaissance contexts the movement of the text from page to stage and film and

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roles exploring many of current issues in shakespeare studies this volume provides a global perspective on renaissance performance and the wide variety of ways in which it has been translated by today s media about the editor edward j esche is a senior lecturer in english and head of drama at anglia polytechnic university he has published on renaissance drama and twentieth century modern british and american drama his most recent publication is an edition of christopher marlowe s the massacre at paris for the clarendon press the complete works of christopher marlowe the long awaited conclusion to the magisterial money and banking in medieval and renaissance venice originally published in 1997 in 1985 frederic c lane and reinhold c mueller published the magisterial money and banking in medieval and renaissance venice volume 1 coins and moneys of account now after ten years of further research and writing reinhold mueller completes the work that he and the late frederic lane began the history of money and banking in venice is crucial to an understanding of european economic history because of its strategic location between east and west venice rapidly rose to a position of preeminence in mediterranean trade to keep trade moving from london to constantinople and beyond venetian merchants and bankers created specialized financial institutions to serve private entrepreneurs and public administrators deposit banks foreign exchange banks a grain office and a bureau of the public debt this new book clarifies venice s pivotal role in italian and international banking and finance it also sets banking and finance in the context of the history of the world

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1991

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i have sailed the seas and come to the holy city of byzantium w b yeats from the foundation of constantinople in 330 to its fall in 1453 this brief history explores the key components of byzantine christianity including the development of monasticism icons and iconoclasm the role of the emperor in relation to church councils and beliefs the difficult relationship with the papacy and the impact of the crusades the book also considers byzantine christianity as a living force today the variety and vitality of orthodox churches the role of the church in russia and the enduring relevance of a spirituality derived from the church fathers averil cameron s work has transformed our understanding of byzantium and here she offers an authoritative survey of its history and legacy this is a lucid informative and impressively wide ranging brief history gillian clark the illustrated a brief history of time and universe in nutshell stephen hawking

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## A History of Byzantium

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when it comes to the balkans most people quickly become lost in the quagmire of struggle and intractable hatred that consumes that ancient land today many assume that the genesis of the past ten years of atrocity in the region might have had something to do with tito and his repressive yugoslav regime or perhaps with the assassination of franz ferdinand in 1914 the seeds were really planted much much earlier on a desolate plain in kosovo in 1389 when the serbian prince lazar and his army clashed with and were defeated by the ottoman forces of sultan murad i in this riveting new history of the balkan peoples andréerolymatos explores how ancient events engendered cultural myths that evolved over time gaining psychic strength in the collective consciousnesses of orthodox christians and muslims alike in colorful detail we meet the key figures that instigated and perpetuated these myths including the assassin heroes milos obolic and gavrilo princip and the warlord ali pasha this lively survey of centuries of strife finally puts the modern conflicts in bosnia and kosovo into historical context and provides a long overdue account of the origins of ethnic hatred and warmongering in this turbulent land

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## War and Society in the Eastern Mediterranean, 7th-15th Centuries

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as the ottoman empire advanced westward from the fourteenth to the sixteenth centuries humanists responded on a grand scale leaving behind a large body of fascinating yet understudied works these compositions included crusade orations and histories ethnographic historical and religious studies of the turks epic poetry and even tracts on converting the turks to christianity most scholars have seen this vast literature as atypical of renaissance humanism nancy bisaha now offers an in depth look at the body of renaissance humanist works that focus not on classical or contemporary italian subjects but on the ottoman empire islam and the crusades throughout bisaha probes these texts to reveal the significant role renaissance writers played in shaping western views of self and other medieval concepts of islam were generally informed and constrained by religious attitudes and rhetoric in which muslims were depicted as enemies of the faith while humanist thinkers of the renaissance did not move entirely beyond this stance creating east and west argues that their understanding was considerably more complex in that it addressed secular and cultural issues marking a watershed between the

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medieval and modern taking a close look at a number of texts bisaha expands current notions of renaissance humanism and of the history of cross cultural perceptions engaging both traditional methods of intellectual history and more recent methods of cross cultural studies she demonstrates that modern attitudes of western societies toward other cultures emerged not during the later period of expansion and domination but rather as a defensive intellectual reaction to a sophisticated and threatening power to the east

## The Lost World of Byzantium

2015-08-15

this collection of essays by eight leading scholars is a landmark event in the study of crusading in the late middle ages it is the outcome of an international network funded by the leverhulme trust whose members examined the persistence of crusading activity in the fifteenth century from three viewpoints goals agencies and resonances the crusading fronts considered include the conflict with the ottoman turks in the mediterranean and western balkans the teutonic order s activities in the baltic region and the hussite crusades the authors review criticism of crusading propaganda on behalf of the crusade the influence on crusading of demands for church reform the brief impact of printing expanding knowledge of the world beyond the christian and

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lands and new sensibilities about the sufferings of non combatants

## ***Anderson's Travel Companion***

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det byzantinske riges historie fra 284 til 1461



2003-08

this generously illustrated book records the story of russia s bells the thousands of awe inspiring instruments that gave voice to the visual splendors of russian orthodoxy and to the political aspirations of the tsars originally published in 1986 the princeton legacy library uses the latest print on demand technology to again make available previously out of print books from the distinguished backlist of princeton university press these editions preserve the original texts of these important books while presenting them in durable paperback and hardcover editions the goal of the princeton legacy library is to vastly increase access to the illustrated and heritage found in the thousands of books published by princeton university and universe in nutshell stephen hawking

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press since its founding in 1905

## Mediterranean Encounters

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winner of the 2006 john d criticos prize this book introduces the reader to the complex history ethnicity and identity of the byzantines this volume brings byzantium often misconstrued as a vanished successor to the classical world to the forefront of european history deconstructs stereotypes surrounding byzantium beautifully illustrated with photographs and maps

## Military Transition in Early Modern Asia, 1400-1750

2014-05-22

providing the first in depth examination of pope pius ii s development of the concept of europe and what it meant to be european from christians to europeans charts his life and work from his early years as a secretary in northern europe to his papacy this volume introduces students and scholars to the concept of europe by an important and influential early modernist and also provides renaissance specialists who already know him with the fullest

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consideration to date of how and why pius 1405 1464 constructed the idea of a unified european culture society and identity author nancy bisaha shows how pius s years of travel his emotional response to the fall of constantinople in 1453 and the impact of classical ethnography and other works shaped this compelling vision with close readings of his letters orations histories autobiography and other works europeans as pius boldly defined them shared a distinct character that made them superior to the inhabitants of other continents the reverberations of his views can still be felt today in debates about identity ethnicity race and belonging in europe and more generally this study explores the formation of this problematic notion of privilege and separation centuries before the modern era where most scholars have erroneously placed its origins from christians to europeans adds substantially to our understanding of the renaissance as a critical time of european self fashioning and the creation of a modern western identity this book is essential reading for students and scholars interested in the formation of modern europe intellectual history cultural studies and the history of renaissance europe late medieval italy and the ottoman empire

## **The Forty Sieges of Constantinople**

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these papers explore major themes in recent scholarship on the medieval crusade and its religious political and cultural context re evaluating the issue of were the templars guilty and suggesting their problem was one of organisation one study looks at the impact and effect of the crusade on jewish christian relations another at crusaders and their interaction with indigenous christians in the county of edessa as a case study of developments in other crusader states and there are papers on peter the hermit on the political and religious context and impact of the fourth crusade on the influence of the crusade on piers plowman and on the political context for the failure of crusading ideals in fifteenth century burgundy contributors alfred andrea robert chazan kelly devries christopher mcevitt thomas madden jonathan riley smith william e rogers jay rubinstein susan j ridyard is professor of history university of the south

## ***Islamic Empires***

2019-08-29

this book contains articles on historic cities of the islamic world ranging from west africa to malaysia which over the centuries have been centres of culture and learning and of economic and commercial life and which have contributed much to the consolidation of islam as a faith and history of time and universe in nutshell  
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political institution the articles have been taken from the second edition of the encyclopaedia of islam completed in 2004 but in many cases expanded and rewritten all have been updated to include fresh historical information with note of contemporary social developments and population statistics the book thus delineates the urban background of islam has it has evolved up to the present day highlighting the role of such great cities as cairo istanbul baghdad and delhi in islamic history and also brings them together in a rich panorama illustrating one of mankind s greatest achievements the living organism of the city

## ***Byzantine Christianity***

2017-10-19

the creation of the new globe theatre in london has heightened interest in shakespeare performance studies in recent years the essays in this volume testify to this burgeoning research into issues surrounding contemporary performances of plays by shakespeare and his fellow dramatists as well as modern trends and developments in stage and media presentations of these works truly international in coverage the discussion here ranges across the performance and reception of shakespeare in japan india germany italy denmark and the united states as well as in britain dennis kennedy's introductory universe in nutshell  
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essay places the new globe theatre in the context of shakespearean cultural tourism generally this is followed by five sections of essays covering aspects of shakespeare on film the stage history of his plays renaissance contexts the movement of the text from page to stage and female roles exploring many of current issues in shakespeare studies this volume provides a global perspective on renaissance performance and the wide variety of ways in which it has been translated by today s media about the editor edward j esche is a senior lecturer in english and head of drama at anglia polytechnic university he has published on renaissance drama and twentieth century modern british and american drama his most recent publication is an edition of christopher marlowe s the massacre at paris for the clarendon press the complete works of christopher marlowe

## The Balkan Wars

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the long awaited conclusion to the magisterial money and banking in medieval and renaissance venice originally published in 1997 in 1985 frederic c lane and reinhold c mueller published the magisterial money and banking in medieval and renaissance venice volume 1 coins and money the illustrated a brief history of time and universe in nutshell stephen hawking after ten years of further research and writing reinhold mueller completes the

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the work that he and the late frederic lane began the history of money and banking in venice is crucial to an understanding of european economic history because of its strategic location between east and west venice rapidly rose to a position of preeminence in mediterranean trade to keep trade moving from london to constantinople and beyond venetian merchants and bankers created specialized financial institutions to serve private entrepreneurs and public administrators deposit banks foreign exchange banks a grain office and a bureau of the public debt this new book clarifies venice s pivotal role in italian and international banking and finance it also sets banking and panics in the context of more generalized and recurrent crises involving territorial wars competition for markets and debates over interest rates and the question of usury

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