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contributed to the transformation of european policies the book takes an in depth look at the greenhouse gases ghg emissions reduction goals adopted by european states the leadership of the eu in climate negotiations the creation of the energy union the commitment to a model of sustainable development the promotion of a circular economy and the enhancement of cities as relevant actors in the reduction of emissions and boosting of sound environmental practices the history of pakistan from 2011 2013 first book in the series since 1996 when the deportation laws were hardened millions of migrants to the u s including many long term legal permanent residents with green cards have experienced summary arrest incarceration without bail transfer to remote detention facilities and deportation without counsel a life time banishment from what is in many cases the only country they have ever known u s based families and communities face the loss of a worker neighbor spouse parent or child many of the deported are sentenced home to a country which they only knew as an infant whose language they do not speak or where a family lives in extreme poverty or indebtedness for not yet being able to pay the costs of their previous migration but what does this actually look like

and what are the systems and processes and who are the people who are enforcing deportation policies and practices the new deportations delirium responds to these questions taken as a whole the volume raises consciousness about the complexities of the issues and argues for the interdisciplinary dialogue and response over the course of the book deportation policy is debated by lawyers judges social workers researchers and clinical and community psychologists as well as educators researchers and community activists the new deportations delirium presents a fresh conversation and urges a holistic response to the complex realities facing not only migrants but also the wider u s society in which they have sought a better life the portrayal of greece by the international press during the financial crisis has been seen by many independent observers as very harsh the greeks have often been blamed for a myriad of international political problems and external economic factors beyond their control in this original and insightful work george tzogopoulos examines international newspaper coverage of the unfolding economic crisis in greece american british french german and italian broadsheet and tabloid coverage is carefully analysed the greek crisis in the media debates and

dissects the extent to which the greek response to the financial crisis has been given fair and balanced coverage by the press and questions how far politics and national stereotypes have played their part in the reporting of events by placing the greek experiences and treatment alongside those of other eu members such as portugal ireland italy and spain tzogopoulos examines and highlights similarities and differences in the ways in which different countries tackled the challenges they faced during this crucial period and explores how and why the world s media reported these events research on indigenous participation in sport offers many opportunities to better understand the political issues of equality empowerment self determination and protection of culture and identity this volume compares and conceptualises the sociological significance of indigenous sports in different international contexts pakistan was born as the creation of elite urdu speaking muslims who sought to govern a state that would maintain their dominance after rallying non urdu speaking leaders around him jinnah imposed a unitary definition of the new nation state that obliterated linguistic diversity this centralisation justified by the indian threat fostered centrifugal forces that resulted in bengali secessionism in 1971 and

baloch as well as mohajir separatisms today concentration of power in the hands of the establishment remained the norm and while authoritarianism peaked under military rule democracy failed to usher in reform and the rule of law remained fragile at best under zulfikar bhutto and later nawaz sharif while jinnah and ayub khan regarded religion as a cultural marker since their time the islamists have gradually prevailed they benefited from the support of general zia while others including sectarian groups cashed in on their struggle against the establishment to woo the disenfranchised today pakistan faces existential challenges ranging from ethnic strife to islamism two sources of instability which hark back to elite domination but the resilience of the country and its people the resolve of the judiciary and hints of reform in the army may open up new possibilities in 2008 ma ying jeou was elected president of taiwan and the kuomintang kmt returned to power after eight years of rule by the democratic progressive party dpp since taking power the kmt has faced serious difficulties as economic growth has been sluggish society has been polarised over issues of identity and policy and rapprochement between taipei and beijing has met with suspicion or reservation among large

segments of taiwanese society indeed while improved relations with the united states have bolstered taiwan s security warming cross strait relations have in turn made taiwan more dependent upon and vulnerable to an increasingly powerful china this book provides a comprehensive analysis of the return of the kuomintang kmt to power and examines the significant domestic political economic social and international challenges and changes that have characterized taiwan since 2008 it identifies the major domestic cross strait and foreign policy trends and addresses key issues such as elections and taiwan s party system the role of the presidency and legislature economic development social movements identity politics developments in cross strait relations taiwan s security environment and national defence policies relations with the us and japan in turn the contributors look towards the final years of ma s presidency and beyond and the structural realities both domestic and external that will shape taiwan s future political changes in taiwan under ma ying jeou will be of great interest to students and scholars of taiwan studies comparative politics international relations and economics it will also appeal to policy makers working in the field mountbatten cold war and empire 1945 79 focuses upon admiral

lord mountbatten as a commanding if controversial figure in the history of britain and its empire from churchill s wartime coalition through to the labour governments of the 1960s and forms a sequel to mountbatten apprentice war lord written in three parts focusing on the premierships of churchill and attlee eden macmillan douglas home and wilson this book examines the debates over mountbatten s record in southern asia in 1943 6 and 1947 8 additional chapters focus on mountbatten s position at the heart of the british state and his pivotal role at key moments in the immediate post war era most notably the partition of india the suez crisis and the renewal of an ostensibly independent nuclear deterrent this book also considers mountbatten s relationship with anthony eden both during and following the suez crisis as well as detailing mountbatten s achievements as first sea lord and chief of the defence staff under harold macmillan and his immediate successors smith acknowledges mountbatten s centrality to the history of britain and its empire in the immediate post war era and in doing so presents a fascinating picture of one of the most prominent figures of the 20th century smith s scrupulous examination of primary sources including those available in the broadlands archives

results in a thorough examination of a controversial figure by eschewing often baseless speculation about mountbatten s personal life smith creates the first comprehensive overview of admiral lord mountbatten s career from 1943 to the mid sixties providing an ethnographic account of the islamic party of malaysia pas and its youth wing dewan pemuda pas this book analyses the genesis and role of islamic movements in terms of their engagement in mainstream politics it explores the party s changing approach towards popular culture and critically investigates whether the narrative of a post islamist turn can be applied to the pas youth the book shows that in contrast to the assumption that islamic marketization and post islamism are reinforcing each other the pas youth has strategically appropriated and integrated islamic consumerism to pursue a decidedly islamist or pop islamist political agenda the media savvy pas youth elites which are at the forefront of implementing new outreach strategies for the party categorically oppose tendencies of political moderation among the senior party instead they are most passionately calling for the establishment of a syariah based islamic order for state and society although these renewed calls are increasingly expressed through modern channels

such as facebook youtube rock music celebrity advertising branded commodities and other market driven forms of social movement mobilization a timely and significant contribution to the literature on islam and politics in malaysia and beyond this book sheds new light on widespread assumptions or even hopes of post islamism it is of interest to students and scholars of political religion and southeast asian politics this book analyses the aid politics and the war of narratives between the us and pakistan under the kerry lugar berman act 2009 2013 using the security development nexus as a framing discourse and taking a decolonial approach to the subject the book explores the politics of us foreign aid to pakistan with regard to the issues of sovereignty and agency to analyse the notions of aid power and narratives in the asymmetrical us pakistan relations based on primary interviews and extensive data analysis of us foreign aid datasets the book specifically argues that foreign aid is based under the hubris of the security development nexus which encourages a dialectical power struggle between the us and pakistan and between the civil and military actors inside pakistan which use the indivisibility of security and development to advance their strategic interests over each other this book is a timely

analysis given the recent political turmoil in pakistan that saw the ouster of prime minister imran khan who blamed the Biden administration for orchestrating a regime change conspiracy against his government interdisciplinary and relevant to academic and policy debates this book will be of interest to researchers in the fields of development studies international relations policy studies area studies and in particular south asian politics an in depth guide to each of the multiple approaches available for coding qualitative data in total 32 different approaches to coding are covered ranging in complexity from beginner to advanced level and covering the full range of types of qualitative data from interview transcripts to field notes the genesis and aftermath of the print edition's death knell in May 2012 the New York Times broke a story that the internationally acclaimed locally beloved Pulitzer Prize winning New Orleans Times Picayune would become a three day a week publication the profitable newspaper slashed its veteran newsroom antagonized the city state and nation and jeopardized its vaunted reputation all in an effort to create a new blueprint for American newspapers in the increasingly digital world here is the insider's account of the outrage betrayal and aftermath of the death of the daily

edition of the times picayune this book adopts an international perspective to examine how the online sale of insurance challenges the insurance regulation and the insurance contract with a focus on insurance sales consumer protection cyber risks and privacy as well as dispute resolution today insurers policyholders intermediaries and regulators interact in an increasingly online world with profound implications for what has up to now been a traditionally operating industry while the growing threats to consumer and business data from cyber attacks constitute major sources of risk for insurers at the same time cyber insurance has become the fastest growing commercial insurance product in many jurisdictions scholars and practitioners from europe the united states and asia review these topics from the viewpoints of insurers policyholders and insurance intermediaries in some cases existing insurance regulations appear readily adaptable to the online world such as prohibitions on deceptive marketing of insurance products and unfair commercial practices which can be applied to advertising through social media such as facebook and twitter as well as to traditional written material in other areas current regulatory and business practices are proving to be inadequate to the task and

new ones are emerging for example the insurance industry and insurance supervisors are exploring how to review utilize profit from and regulate the explosive growth of data mining and predictive analytics big data which threaten long standing privacy protection and insurance risk classification laws this book s ambitious international scope matches its topics the online insurance market is cross territorial and cross jurisdictional with insurers often operating internationally and as part of larger financial services holding companies the authors exploration of these issues from the vantage points of some of the world s largest insurance markets the u s europe and japan provides a comparative framework which is necessary for the understanding of online insurance people with mental disorders often suffer the worst conditions of life this book is the first comprehensive survey of the mental health human rights relationship it examines the relationships and histories of mental health and human rights and their interconnections with law culture ethnicity class economics biology and stigma the basic structure of universities and colleges in ontario one focused primarily on expansion and greater access and put in place in the 1960s is outdated the system is now large enough the eligible age group for

entering post secondary studies is shrinking and participation rates are as high as they are likely to go in rethinking higher education george fallis argues that policy makers should shift their attention away from growth and towards improving and diversifying the range of programs available and creating new means of program delivery he calls for increases in honours undergraduate programs and polytechnic education and envisions a group of research intensive universities responsible for doctoral education the existing design fallis contends neglects the specific needs of graduate education and research layering it on top of a system designed for undergraduate education in addition there is disconnection between ontario s ministry of training colleges and universities and the research missions of the universities and colleges themselves fallis recommends that ontario establish a system for documenting and assessing the quality of research published at universities thought provoking and thoroughly argued rethinking higher education provides a detailed design for higher education in the twenty first century this title assesses eu law and policy using a novel and alternative framework based on the notion of humaneness this book explores the issue of civilian devastation in modern warfare

focusing on the complex processes that effectively establish civilians identity in times of war underpinning the physicality of war s tumult are structural forces that create landscapes of civilian vulnerability such forces operate in four sectors of modern warfare nationalistic ideology state sponsored militaries global media and international institutions each sector promotes its own constructions of civilian identity in relation to militant combatants constructions that prove lethal to the civilian noncombatant who lacks political power and decision making capacity with regards to their own survival civilians and modern war provides a critical overview of the plight of civilians in war examining the political and normative underpinnings of the decisions actions policies and practices of major sectors of war the contributors seek to undermine the tunnelling effect of the militaristic framework regarding the experiences of noncombatants this book will be of much interest to students of war and conflict studies ethics conflict resolution and ir security studies this collection of essays demonstrates how chronic state failure and the inability of the international community to provide a solution to the conflict in somalia has had transnational repercussions following the failed humanitarian mission in

1992-93 most countries refrained from any direct involvement in somalia but this changed in the 2000s with the growth of piracy and links to international terrorist organizations the deterritorialization of the conflict quickly became apparent as it became transnational in nature in part because of it lacked a government and was unable to work with the international community somalia came to be seen as a testing ground by many international actors globalizing somalia demonstrates how china japan and the eu among others have all used the conflict in somalia to project power test the bounds of the national constitution and test their own military capabilities contributed by international scholars and experts the work examines the impact of globalization on the internal and external dynamics of the conflict arguing that it is no longer geographically contained by bringing together the many actors and issues involved the book fills a gap in the literature as one of the most complete works on the conflict in somalia to date it will be an essential text to any student interested in somalia and the horn of africa as well as in terrorism and conflict processes this book analyses problems of governance development and environment affecting contemporary pakistan issues that lie at the centre of federal and provincial

policy deliberations formulation and implementation the book offers a comprehensive assessment of the policies or lack thereof authors from a variety of disciplines empirically and conceptually evaluate latest developments events and data regarding law and order economic under performance social intolerance and climate crisis the book offers varied perspectives on state sovereignty civil military relations spousal violence rural development cpec nuclear governance and transboundary climate risk arguing that the conclusions should be adopted by the social political and economic stakeholders of pakistan as well as the region at the higher level of governability the book demonstrates that it would both boost national morale and inspire individuals to further investigate to come up with innovative solutions examining some of the most pressing and persistent problems pakistan and south asia is facing the book will be of interest to academics working in the fields of political science in particular south asian politics development studies and environmental studies carbon politics and the failure of kyoto charts the framework and political evolution of the kyoto protocol negotiations and examines the ensuing failure of the international community to adequately address climate change the focus is not

on the science or consequences of climate change but on the political gamesmanship of the major players throughout the unfccc negotiation process more than an updated history of the subject matter this book provides a detailed study of the carbon targets which became the biggest influencing factor on the reaction of nations to kyoto s binding agreements the book provides an in depth analysis of the leading nations motives including the us china and germany in entering the negotiations in particular their economic interests despite the effort to combat climate change in politics that the negotiations represent the book concludes that an agreement which requires almost 200 very different nations to agree on a single protocol is doomed to failure the book offers a novel contribution to our understanding of this failure and suggests alternative frameworks and policies to tackle what is arguably the most complex political issue of our time after the credit crisis supervisors enacted a range of financial reforms in particular they radically changed the nature of the otc derivatives market via a number of measures notably mandatory central clearing this book discusses the market before the crisis explains what central clearing is and outlines the consequences of the new rules mit der societ

privata europaea spe wird eine europäische rechtsform eingeführt auf die der exportorientierte mittelstand seit vielen jahren wartet die spe kann schnell und kostengünstig für die neugründung einer auslandsaktivität eingesetzt werden oder durch formwechsel aus einer nationalen gesellschaft entstehen sie erlaubt außerdem die bildung eines netzes von ausländischen vertriebs und servicegesellschaften in einer europaweit einheitlich anerkannten rechtsform rechtsberater und rechtswissenschaftler müssen für die betrachtung der rechtlichen einzelfragen in der spe eine europäische perspektive einnehmen in dem ecfr sonderheft beleuchtet daher ein internationales autorenteam die praktisch wichtigen grundfragen der neuen rechtsform aus wissenschaftlich vertiefter perspektive gründung und registerverfahren anwendbares recht praktische einsatzmöglichkeiten der spe gläubigerschutz innere ordnung geschäftsleiterpflichten schutz von minderheitengesellschaftern anfechtungsklagen gegen gesellschafterbeschlüsse mitbestimmung der arbeitnehmer steuerrecht die autoren aus dänemark deutschland england den niederlanden polen und spanien sind langjährige spezialisten auf ihrem gebiet und sowohl wissenschaftlich als auch praktisch ausgewiesen based on

detailed ethnographic material new lithuania in old hands analyzes the impact that european union accession has had upon the country s aging smallscale farmers and describes how the reality of lithuania s eu membership has been a far cry from the scenarios of wealth and overabundance once promised the text reveals that in many instances membership has resulted in a return to subsistence production increased insecurity and a reinforcement of kinship obligations thus instead of treating the european union as an elite project and voicing the support of various other segments of the population this volume shows how broad parts of the rural population have been affected by and engaged in processes of change following lithuania s accession changes that threaten to have a large impact upon the future of the country s family structures and its farming demographic this new edition of eu employment law provides a complete revision and update of the leading english language text in the field the coverage in the new edition has been expanded with material on all the latest developments incorporating the changes made by the lisbon treaty the eu2020 strategy the charter of fundamental rights the article 19 directives the temporary agency work directive the revisions to the existing

including the directives on parental leave and european works council and the new social security regulations 883 2004 it also analyses the ever expanding body of employment case law including the momentous decisions in viking laval rueffert and commission v luxembourg the book begins with an examination of the development of eu employment law focusing on the shift from employment law to employment policy the text then studies rule making in the field of employment law considering both the traditional routes to legislation and governance techniques such as the open method of coordination the final chapters look closely at the substantive area of employment law examining the free movement of persons equal treatment health and safety and working conditions the restructuring of enterprises worker participation and collective action throughout the book addresses the fundamental question as to the purpose of eu employment law is it primarily economic or social or both this book traces the evolution of the speechwriting process for presidents in the white house from the administration of franklin roosevelt to the present while institutionalization of the speechwriting process has often been blamed for bland presidential rhetoric this book draws out the many varied

consequences of institutionalization on the speechwriting process ultimately it concludes that the institutionalization of the process has actually served the presidency well by helping presidents avoid the adverse effects of poorly chosen words how philosophical differences between eurozone nations led to the euro crisis and where to go from here why is europe s great monetary endeavor the euro in trouble a string of economic difficulties in greece ireland spain italy and other eurozone nations has left observers wondering whether the currency union can survive in this book markus brunnermeier harold james and jean pierre landau argue that the core problem with the euro lies in the philosophical differences between the founding countries of the eurozone particularly germany and france but the authors also show how these seemingly incompatible differences can be reconciled to ensure europe s survival as the authors demonstrate germany a federal state with strong regional governments saw the maastricht treaty the framework for the euro as a set of rules france on the other hand with a more centralized system of government saw the framework as flexible to be overseen by governments the authors discuss how the troubles faced by the euro have led its member states to focus on national as

opposed to collective responses a reaction explained by the resurgence of the battle of economic ideas rules vs discretion liability vs solidarity solvency vs liquidity austerity vs stimulus weaving together economic analysis and historical reflection the euro and the battle of ideas provides a forensic investigation and a road map for europe s future russia has recently re emerged as the dominant political economic and military actor in former soviet nations kanet and freire bring together a stellar cast of contributors to consider russia s recent return as a major regional and international actor and its likely future policy toward its neighbours us foreign policy making from the end of the cold war to after 2001 is crucial to understanding the years of strong us engagement with pakistan that would follow 9 11 this book explains pakistan s strategic choices in the 1990s by examining the role of the united states in the shaping of islamabad s security goals drawing upon a diverse range of oral history interviews as well as available written sources the book explains the american contribution to pakistani security objectives during the presidency of bill clinton 1993 2001 the author investigates and explains the dynamics which drove islamabad s pursuit of nuclear weapons its support for the taliban and its

approach towards the indigenous uprising in indian kashmir she argues that clinton s foreign policy contributed to the hardening of islamabad s security perspectives creating space for the pakistani military establishment to pursue its regional security goals the book also discusses the argument that us pakistan relations during this period were driven by a cold war mindset causing a fissure between us global and pakistan s regional security goals the pakistani military and civilian leadership utilized these divergent and convergent trends to protect islamabad s india centric strategic interests the book addresses a gap in the relevant literature and moves beyond the available mono causal explanations often distorted by a mixture of intellectual obfuscation and political rhetoric it adds a pakistani perspective and is a valuable contribution to the study of us pakistan relations the human drama and long term lessons of the fukushima nuclear disaster the fukushima nuclear disaster in march 2011 presented an enormous challenge even to japan one of the world s most advanced and organized countries failures at all levels of both the government and the private sector worsened the human and economic impact of the disaster and ensured that the consequences would continue for many years to

come based on interviews with more than 300 government officials power plant operators and military personnel during the years since the disaster meltdown is a meticulous recounting and analysis of the human stories behind the response to the fukushima disaster while the people battling to deal with the crisis at the site of the power plant were risking their lives the government at the highest levels in tokyo was in disarray and the utility company that operated the plants seemed focused more on power struggles with the government than on dealing with the crisis the author one of japan s most eminent journalists provides an unrivaled chronological account of the immediate two weeks of human struggle to contain man made technology that was overwhelmed by nature yoichi funabashi gives insights into why japan s decisionmaking process failed almost as dramatically as had the fukushima nuclear reactors which went into meltdown following a major tsunami funabashi uses the fukushima experience to draw lessons on leadership governance disaster resilience and crisis management lessons that have universal application and pertinence for an increasingly technology driven and interconnected global society volume 9 of the eyiel focusses on natural resources law understood as a special area of

international economic law in light of increasing conflicts over access to and the use of natural resources and of their impact on political social and environmental aspects the contributions of this volume analyse to which extent international economic law can contribute to the sustainable exploitation management and distribution of natural resources the volume collects contributions on general principles of natural resources law the importance of natural resources for trade investment and european economic law as well as analyses of particular sectors and areas including fracking timber space and deep seabed mining and natural resources in the arctic region in its section on regional developments eyiel 9 addresses two regional integration systems which are usually not at the centre of public interest but which deserve all the more attention due to their special relations with europe the eur asian economic union and the caribbean community caricom further eyiel sections address recent wto and investment case law as well as developments at the imf the volume also contains review essays of important recent books in international economic law and other aspects of international law which are connected to international economic relations the chapter sovereignty

ownership and consent in natural resource contracts from concepts to practice by lorenzo cotula is open access under a cc by 4 0 license via link springer com this book explores the contested notion of compassionate migration in its discourse and practice in the context of today s migration patterns within the americas compassionate migration can play a fundamental role in responding to the hardships that many migrants suffer before during and after their journeys this volume explores the boundaries of compassion from legal political philosophical and interdisciplinary perspectives and supplies examples where state and non state actors engage in practices of compassion and humanity through formal and informal regimes despite the lack of a concise and precise definition of the concept and practice of compassionate migration all authors in this volume agree on the pressing need for more humane and compassionate treatment for those leaving their home country behind in search of a better life this study is a revised version of the doctoral dissertation that i defended at the university of oxford in december 2011 page xi an exposé of the back door deals and negligence that threaten to destroy the nhs and a 10 step manifesto for saving it the coalition government passed into law an

unprecedented assault on the nhs doctors unions the media even politicians who claimed to be stalwart defenders failed to protect it now the effect of those devastating reforms are beginning to be felt by patients but we can still save our country s most valued institution if we take lessons from this terrible betrayal and act on them contributors to this eye opening dissection include dr jacky davis oliver huitson dr john lister stewart player prof allyson pollock david price prof raymond tallis dr charled west and dr david wrigley proceeds from the profits of this book will go to keep our nhs public keepournhspublic com

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american public for a while the obama stonewall seemed to be holding until now and the revelations are astonishing judicial watch has unearthed the truth behind such high profile issues as the bailouts obamacare Guantanamo Obama's true ties to Bill Ayers and to the Black Panthers voting intimidation scandal and the constitution defying government czars he reveals Obama's personal war against Fox News his real link to Acorn and his radical Chicago connections through scores of smoking gun government files some replicated here and many unearthed after lengthy court battles Fitton also discloses the facts of the Obama backed 535 million loan guarantee to Solyndra promoted by the president as a model for economic recovery only months before its disastrous bankruptcy filing here too is the truth behind the gunrunning scandal code named Fast and Furious which was a program generated in secrecy by the U.S. government that supplied thousands of firearms to murderous criminals in Mexico an unconscionable act and only one in a series of historical lows for an administration that few if any major media in this country dare to expose this book details how the Obama machine is aggressively employing Chicago style tactics to steal if necessary the 2012 elections

and how judicial watch is prepared to go to court with historic lawsuits to make sure the elections are fair and honest why do obama supporters turn a blind eye to his astoundingly unethical and abusive approach to governing this country the corruption chronicles boldly honestly and factually makes the case that the federal government is now off the rails and out of control and has literally built its foundation on broken promises fatal miscalculations and a cynical manipulation of its trusting public but it s not over tom fitton and judicial watch are proof that the tea party approach to government corruption can make a difference a grassroots group can take on the president the congress and the judiciary and finally force the government to be held accountable the uncontestable facts are here in the corruption chronicles to see what is true you only have to look the fully documented facts behind the solyndra debacle obama s watergate operation fast and furious the obama administration s 20 billion government extortion scheme the unprecedented threat to the integrity of the 2012 elections the czar investigation stonewall the undermining of our nation s immigration laws 9 11 secrets

Transformation Of The European Union, The: The Impact Of Climate Change In European Policies *2020-06-24*

the eu has undergone a deep transformation in the last 25 years the goals adopted by the eu at the international level in climate negotiations have led to the internal adoption of goals by the eu member states the book examines the changes experienced by the european union that have gone on in parallel to its leadership in climate negotiations since 1992 and analyses whether combating climate change has contributed to the transformation of european policies the book takes an in depth look at the greenhouse gases ghg emissions reduction goals adopted by european states the leadership of the eu in climate negotiations the creation of the energy union the commitment to a model of sustainable development the promotion of a circular economy and the enhancement of cities as relevant actors in the reduction of emissions and boosting of sound environmental practices

The Living History of Pakistan (2011-2013) 2022-06-09

the history of pakistan from 2011 2013 first book in the series

The New Deportations Delirium 2015-12-25

since 1996 when the deportation laws were hardened millions of migrants to the u s including many long term legal permanent residents with green cards have experienced summary arrest incarceration without bail transfer to remote detention facilities and deportation without counsel a life time banishment from what is in many cases the only country they have ever known u s based families and communities face the loss of a worker neighbor spouse parent or child many of the deported are sentenced home to a country which they only knew as an infant whose language they do not speak or where a family lives in extreme poverty or indebtedness for not yet being able to pay the costs of their previous migration but what does this actually look like and what are the systems and processes and

who are the people who are enforcing deportation policies and practices the new deportations delirium responds to these questions taken as a whole the volume raises consciousness about the complexities of the issues and argues for the interdisciplinary dialogue and response over the course of the book deportation policy is debated by lawyers judges social workers researchers and clinical and community psychologists as well as educators researchers and community activists the new deportations delirium presents a fresh conversation and urges a holistic response to the complex realities facing not only migrants but also the wider u s society in which they have sought a better life

The Greek Crisis in the Media 2016-03-09

the portrayal of greece by the international press during the financial crisis has been seen by many independent observers as very harsh the greeks have often been blamed for a myriad of international political problems and external economic factors beyond their control in this original and insightful work george tzogopoulos examines international newspaper coverage of the unfolding economic crisis in

greece american british french german and italian broadsheet and tabloid coverage is carefully analysed the greek crisis in the media debates and dissects the extent to which the greek response to the financial crisis has been given fair and balanced coverage by the press and questions how far politics and national stereotypes have played their part in the reporting of events by placing the greek experiences and treatment alongside those of other eu members such as portugal ireland italy and spain tzogopoulos examines and highlights similarities and differences in the ways in which different countries tackled the challenges they faced during this crucial period and explores how and why the world s media reported these events

Native Games *2013-07-19*

research on indigenous participation in sport offers many opportunities to better understand the political issues of equality empowerment self determination and protection of culture and identity this volume compares and conceptualises the sociological significance of indigenous sports in different

international contexts

The Pakistan Paradox *2015-08-15*

Pakistan was born as the creation of elite Urdu speaking Muslims who sought to govern a state that would maintain their dominance after rallying non-Urdu speaking leaders around him. Jinnah imposed a unitary definition of the new nation state that obliterated linguistic diversity. This centralisation, justified by the Indian threat, fostered centrifugal forces that resulted in Bengali secessionism in 1971 and Baloch as well as Mohajir separatisms. Today, concentration of power in the hands of the establishment remained the norm, and while authoritarianism peaked under military rule, democracy failed to usher in reform, and the rule of law remained fragile at best under Zulfikar Bhutto and later Nawaz Sharif. While Jinnah and Ayub Khan regarded religion as a cultural marker, since their time, Islamists have gradually prevailed. They benefited from the support of General Zia, while others, including sectarian groups, cashed in on their struggle against the establishment to woo the disenfranchised today.

pakistan faces existential challenges ranging from ethnic strife to islamism two sources of instability which hark back to elite domination but the resilience of the country and its people the resolve of the judiciary and hints of reform in the army may open up new possibilities

Political Changes in Taiwan Under Ma Ying-jeou 2014-07-17

in 2008 ma ying jeou was elected president of taiwan and the kuomintang kmt returned to power after eight years of rule by the democratic progressive party dpp since taking power the kmt has faced serious difficulties as economic growth has been sluggish society has been polarised over issues of identity and policy and rapprochement between taipei and beijing has met with suspicion or reservation among large segments of taiwanese society indeed while improved relations with the united states have bolstered taiwan s security warming cross strait relations have in turn made taiwan more dependent upon and vulnerable to an increasingly powerful china this book provides a comprehensive analysis of the return of the kuomintang kmt to power and examines the significant domestic political

economic social and international challenges and changes that have characterized taiwan since 2008 it identifies the major domestic cross strait and foreign policy trends and addresses key issues such as elections and taiwan s party system the role of the presidency and legislature economic development social movements identity politics developments in cross strait relations taiwan s security environment and national defence policies relations with the us and japan in turn the contributors look towards the final years of ma s presidency and beyond and the structural realities both domestic and external that will shape taiwan s future political changes in taiwan under ma ying jeou will be of great interest to students and scholars of taiwan studies comparative politics international relations and economics it will also appeal to policy makers working in the field

Mountbatten, Cold War and Empire, 1945-79 2022-11-17

mountbatten cold war and empire 1945 79 focuses upon admiral lord mountbatten as a commanding if controversial figure in the history of britain and its empire from churchill s wartime coalition through to

the labour governments of the 1960s and forms a sequel to Mountbatten: Apprentice War Lord written in three parts focusing on the premierships of Churchill and Attlee, Eden, Macmillan, Douglas Home and Wilson. This book examines the debates over Mountbatten's record in southern Asia in 1943-6 and 1947-8. Additional chapters focus on Mountbatten's position at the heart of the British state and his pivotal role at key moments in the immediate post-war era, most notably the partition of India, the Suez crisis and the renewal of an ostensibly independent nuclear deterrent. This book also considers Mountbatten's relationship with Anthony Eden both during and following the Suez crisis as well as detailing Mountbatten's achievements as First Sea Lord and Chief of the Defence Staff under Harold Macmillan and his immediate successors. Smith acknowledges Mountbatten's centrality to the history of Britain and its empire in the immediate post-war era and in doing so presents a fascinating picture of one of the most prominent figures of the 20th century. Smith's scrupulous examination of primary sources including those available in the Broadlands archives results in a thorough examination of a controversial figure by eschewing often baseless speculation about Mountbatten's personal life. Smith

creates the first comprehensive overview of admiral lord mountbatten s career from 1943 to the mid sixties

Islam, Politics and Youth in Malaysia *2014-03-05*

providing an ethnographic account of the islamic party of malaysia pas and its youth wing dewan pemuda pas this book analyses the genesis and role of islamic movements in terms of their engagement in mainstream politics it explores the party s changing approach towards popular culture and critically investigates whether the narrative of a post islamist turn can be applied to the pas youth the book shows that in contrast to the assumption that islamic marketization and post islamism are reinforcing each other the pas youth has strategically appropriated and integrated islamic consumerism to pursue a decidedly islamist or pop islamist political agenda the media savvy pas youth elites which are at the forefront of implementing new outreach strategies for the party categorically oppose tendencies of political moderation among the senior party instead they are most passionately calling

for the establishment of a syariah based islamic order for state and society although these renewed calls are increasingly expressed through modern channels such as facebook youtube rock music celebrity advertising branded commodities and other market driven forms of social movement mobilization a timely and significant contribution to the literature on islam and politics in malaysia and beyond this book sheds new light on widespread assumptions or even hopes of post islamism it is of interest to students and scholars of political religion and southeast asian politics

Aid, Politics and the War of Narratives in the US-Pakistan Relations

2022-07-22

this book analyses the aid politics and the war of narratives between the us and pakistan under the kerry Lugar Berman Act 2009 2013 using the security development nexus as a framing discourse and taking a decolonial approach to the subject the book explores the politics of us foreign aid to pakistan

with regard to the issues of sovereignty and agency to analyse the notions of aid power and narratives in the asymmetrical us pakistan relations based on primary interviews and extensive data analysis of us foreign aid datasets the book specifically argues that foreign aid is based under the hubris of the security development nexus which encourages a dialectical power struggle between the us and pakistan and between the civil and military actors inside pakistan which use the indivisibility of security and development to advance their strategic interests over each other this book is a timely analysis given the recent political turmoil in pakistan that saw the ouster of prime minister imran khan who blamed the biden administration for orchestrating a regime change conspiracy against his government interdisciplinary and relevant to academic and policy debates this book will be of interest to researchers in the fields of development studies international relations policy studies area studies and in particular south asian politics

The Coding Manual for Qualitative Researchers *2012-11-19*

an in depth guide to each of the multiple approaches available for coding qualitative data in total 32 different approaches to coding are covered ranging in complexity from beginner to advanced level and covering the full range of types of qualitative data from interview transcripts to field notes

Hell and High Water *2013-10-11*

the genesis and aftermath of the print edition's death knell in may 2012 the new york times broke a story that the internationally acclaimed locally beloved pulitzer prize winning new orleans times picayune would become a three day a week publication the profitable newspaper slashed its veteran newsroom antagonized the city state and nation and jeopardized its vaunted reputation all in an effort to create a new blueprint for american newspapers in the increasingly digital world here is the insider's account of the outrage betrayal and aftermath of the death of the daily edition of the times picayune

The Internal Revenue Service's Processing of 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) Applications for Tax-exempt Status Submitted by "political Advocacy" Organizations from 2010-2013 *2015*

this book adopts an international perspective to examine how the online sale of insurance challenges the insurance regulation and the insurance contract with a focus on insurance sales consumer protection cyber risks and privacy as well as dispute resolution today insurers policyholders intermediaries and regulators interact in an increasingly online world with profound implications for what has up to now been a traditionally operating industry while the growing threats to consumer and business data from cyber attacks constitute major sources of risk for insurers at the same time cyber insurance has become the fastest growing commercial insurance product in many jurisdictions scholars and practitioners from europe the united states and asia review these topics from the viewpoints of

insurers policyholders and insurance intermediaries in some cases existing insurance regulations appear readily adaptable to the online world such as prohibitions on deceptive marketing of insurance products and unfair commercial practices which can be applied to advertising through social media such as facebook and twitter as well as to traditional written material in other areas current regulatory and business practices are proving to be inadequate to the task and new ones are emerging for example the insurance industry and insurance supervisors are exploring how to review utilize profit from and regulate the explosive growth of data mining and predictive analytics big data which threaten long standing privacy protection and insurance risk classification laws this book s ambitious international scope matches its topics the online insurance market is cross territorial and cross jurisdictional with insurers often operating internationally and as part of larger financial services holding companies the authors exploration of these issues from the vantage points of some of the world s largest insurance markets the u s europe and japan provides a comparative framework which is necessary for the understanding of online insurance

Department of Homeland Security Appropriations for 2013 *2012*

people with mental disorders often suffer the worst conditions of life this book is the first comprehensive survey of the mental health human rights relationship it examines the relationships and histories of mental health and human rights and their interconnections with law culture ethnicity class economics biology and stigma

The "Dematerialized" Insurance *2016-08-03*

the basic structure of universities and colleges in ontario one focused primarily on expansion and greater access and put in place in the 1960s is outdated the system is now large enough the eligible age group for entering post secondary studies is shrinking and participation rates are as high as they are likely to go in rethinking higher education george fallis argues that policy makers should shift their attention away from growth and towards improving and diversifying the range of programs available

and creating new means of program delivery he calls for increases in honours undergraduate programs and polytechnic education and envisions a group of research intensive universities responsible for doctoral education the existing design fallis contends neglects the specific needs of graduate education and research layering it on top of a system designed for undergraduate education in addition there is disconnection between ontario s ministry of training colleges and universities and the research missions of the universities and colleges themselves fallis recommends that ontario establish a system for documenting and assessing the quality of research published at universities thought provoking and thoroughly argued rethinking higher education provides a detailed design for higher education in the twenty first century

Mental Health and Human Rights *2012-06-21*

this title assesses eu law and policy using a novel and alternative framework based on the notion of humaneness

Caterpillar's Offshore Tax Strategy 2014

this book explores the issue of civilian devastation in modern warfare focusing on the complex processes that effectively establish civilians identity in times of war underpinning the physicality of war s tumult are structural forces that create landscapes of civilian vulnerability such forces operate in four sectors of modern warfare nationalistic ideology state sponsored militaries global media and international institutions each sector promotes its own constructions of civilian identity in relation to militant combatants constructions that prove lethal to the civilian noncombatant who lacks political power and decision making capacity with regards to their own survival civilians and modern war provides a critical overview of the plight of civilians in war examining the political and normative underpinnings of the decisions actions policies and practices of major sectors of war the contributors seek to undermine the tunnelling effect of the militaristic framework regarding the experiences of noncombatants this book will be of much interest to students of war and conflict studies ethics conflict

resolution and ir security studies

Rethinking Higher Education *2014-01-01*

this collection of essays demonstrates how chronic state failure and the inability of the international community to provide a solution to the conflict in somalia has had transnational repercussions following the failed humanitarian mission in 1992 93 most countries refrained from any direct involvement in somalia but this changed in the 2000s with the growth of piracy and links to international terrorist organizations the deterritorialization of the conflict quickly became apparent as it became transnational in nature in part because of it lacked a government and was unable to work with the international community somalia came to be seen as a testing ground by many international actors globalizing somalia demonstrates how china japan and the eu among others have all used the conflict in somalia to project power test the bounds of the national constitution and test their own military capabilities contributed by international scholars and experts the work examines the impact of globalization on the

internal and external dynamics of the conflict arguing that it is no longer geographically contained by bringing together the many actors and issues involved the book fills a gap in the literature as one of the most complete works on the conflict in somalia to date it will be an essential text to any student interested in somalia and the horn of africa as well as in terrorism and conflict processes

The Human Face of the European Union 2016-08-18

this book analyses problems of governance development and environment affecting contemporary pakistan issues that lie at the centre of federal and provincial policy deliberations formulation and implementation the book offers a comprehensive assessment of the policies or lack thereof authors from a variety of disciplines empirically and conceptually evaluate latest developments events and data regarding law and order economic under performance social intolerance and climate crisis the book offers varied perspectives on state sovereignty civil military relations spousal violence rural development cpec nuclear governance and transboundary climate risk arguing that the conclusions

should be adopted by the social political and economic stakeholders of pakistan as well as the region at the higher level of governability the book demonstrates that it would both boost national morale and inspire individuals to further investigate to come up with innovative solutions examining some of the most pressing and persistent problems pakistan and south asia is facing the book will be of interest to academics working in the fields of political science in particular south asian politics development studies and environmental studies

Civilians and Modern War 2012-08-06

carbon politics and the failure of kyoto charts the framework and political evolution of the kyoto protocol negotiations and examines the ensuing failure of the international community to adequately address climate change the focus is not on the science or consequences of climate change but on the political gamesmanship of the major players throughout the unfccc negotiation process more than an updated history of the subject matter this book provides a detailed study of the carbon targets which

became the biggest influencing factor on the reaction of nations to kyoto s binding agreements the book provides an in depth analysis of the leading nations motives including the us china and germany in entering the negotiations in particular their economic interests despite the effort to combat climate change in politics that the negotiations represent the book concludes that an agreement which requires almost 200 very different nations to agree on a single protocol is doomed to failure the book offers a novel contribution to our understanding of this failure and suggests alternative frameworks and policies to tackle what is arguably the most complex political issue of our time

Globalizing Somalia 2013-11-07

after the credit crisis supervisors enacted a range of financial reforms in particular they radically changed the nature of the otc derivatives market via a number of measures notably mandatory central clearing this book discusses the market before the crisis explains what central clearing is and outlines the consequences of the new rules

Perspectives on Contemporary Pakistan *2020-06-09*

mit der *societas privata europaea spe* wird eine europäische rechtsform eingeführt auf die der exportorientierte mittelstand seit vielen jahren wartet die spe kann schnell und kostengünstig für die neugründung einer auslandsaktivität eingesetzt werden oder durch formwechsel aus einer nationalen gesellschaft entstehen sie erlaubt außerdem die bildung eines netzes von ausländischen vertriebs und servicegesellschaften in einer europaweit einheitlich anerkannten rechtsform rechtsberater und rechtswissenschaftler müssen für die betrachtung der rechtlichen einzelfragen in der spe eine europäische perspektive einnehmen in dem ecfv sonderheft beleuchtet daher ein internationales autorenteam die praktisch wichtigen grundfragen der neuen rechtsform aus wissenschaftlich vertiefter perspektive gründung und registerverfahren anwendbares recht praktische einsatzmöglichkeiten der spe gläubigerschutz innere ordnung geschäftsleiterpflichten schutz von minderheitengesellschaftern anfechtungsklagen gegen gesellschafterbeschlüsse mitbestimmung der arbeitnehmer steuerrecht die

autoren aus dänemark deutschland england den niederlanden polen und spanien sind langjährige spezialisten auf ihrem gebiet und sowohl wissenschaftlich als auch praktisch ausgewiesen

Carbon Politics and the Failure of the Kyoto Protocol 2014-02-03

based on detailed ethnographic material new lithuania in old hands analyzes the impact that european union accession has had upon the country s aging smallscale farmers and describes how the reality of lithuania s eu membership has been a far cry from the scenarios of wealth and overabundance once promised the text reveals that in many instances membership has resulted in a return to subsistence production increased insecurity and a reinforcement of kinship obligations thus instead of treating the european union as an elite project and voicing the support of various other segments of the population this volume shows how broad parts of the rural population have been affected by and engaged in processes of change following lithuania s accession changes that threaten to have a large impact upon the future of the country s family structures and its farming demographic

OTC Derivatives: Bilateral Trading and Central Clearing

2013-08-07

this new edition of eu employment law provides a complete revision and update of the leading english language text in the field the coverage in the new edition has been expanded with material on all the latest developments incorporating the changes made by the lisbon treaty the eu2020 strategy the charter of fundamental rights the article 19 directives the temporary agency work directive the revisions to the existing including the directives on parental leave and european works council and the new social security regulations 883 2004 it also analyses the ever expanding body of employment case law including the momentous decisions in viking laval rueffert and commission v luxembourg the book begins with an examination of the development of eu employment law focusing on the shift from employment law to employment policy the text then studies rule making in the field of employment law considering both the traditional routes to legislation and governance techniques such as the open

method of coordination the final chapters look closely at the substantive area of employment law examining the free movement of persons equal treatment health and safety and working conditions the restructuring of enterprises worker participation and collective action throughout the book addresses the fundamental question as to the purpose of eu employment law is it primarily economic or social or both

The European Private Company – Societas Privata Europaea (SPE)

2012-12-19

this book traces the evolution of the speechwriting process for presidents in the white house from the administration of franklin roosevelt to the present while institutionalization of the speechwriting process has often been blamed for bland presidential rhetoric this book draws out the many varied consequences of institutionalization on the speechwriting process ultimately it concludes that the

institutionalization of the process has actually served the presidency well by helping presidents avoid the adverse effects of poorly chosen words

New Lithuania in Old Hands *2012*

how philosophical differences between eurozone nations led to the euro crisis and where to go from here why is europe s great monetary endeavor the euro in trouble a string of economic difficulties in greece ireland spain italy and other eurozone nations has left observers wondering whether the currency union can survive in this book markus brunnermeier harold james and jean pierre landau argue that the core problem with the euro lies in the philosophical differences between the founding countries of the eurozone particularly germany and france but the authors also show how these seemingly incompatible differences can be reconciled to ensure europe s survival as the authors demonstrate germany a federal state with strong regional governments saw the maastricht treaty the framework for the euro as a set of rules france on the other hand with a more centralized system of

government saw the framework as flexible to be overseen by governments the authors discuss how the troubles faced by the euro have led its member states to focus on national as opposed to collective responses a reaction explained by the resurgence of the battle of economic ideas rules vs discretion liability vs solidarity solvency vs liquidity austerity vs stimulus weaving together economic analysis and historical reflection the euro and the battle of ideas provides a forensic investigation and a road map for europe s future

EU Employment Law 2012-08-09

russia has recently re emerged as the dominant political economic and military actor in former soviet nations kanet and freire bring together a stellar cast of contributors to consider russia s recent return as a major regional and international actor and its likely future policy toward its neighbours

Speechwriting in the Institutionalized Presidency *2018-04-18*

us foreign policy making from the end of the cold war to after 2001 is crucial to understanding the years of strong us engagement with pakistan that would follow 9 11 this book explains pakistan s strategic choices in the 1990s by examining the role of the united states in the shaping of islamabad s security goals drawing upon a diverse range of oral history interviews as well as available written sources the book explains the american contribution to pakistani security objectives during the presidency of bill clinton 1993 2001 the author investigates and explains the dynamics which drove islamabad s pursuit of nuclear weapons its support for the taliban and its approach towards the indigenous uprising in indian kashmir she argues that clinton s foreign policy contributed to the hardening of islamabad s security perspectives creating space for the pakistani military establishment to pursue its regional security goals the book also discusses the argument that us pakistan relations during this period were driven by a cold war mindset causing a fissure between us global and pakistan

s regional security goals the pakistani military and civilian leadership utilized these divergent and convergent trends to protect islamabad s india centric strategic interests the book addresses a gap in the relevant literature and moves beyond the available mono causal explanations often distorted by a mixture of intellectual obfuscation and political rhetoric it adds a pakistani perspective and is a valuable contribution to the study of us pakistan relations

The Euro and the Battle of Ideas *2016-08-04*

the human drama and long term lessons of the fukushima nuclear disaster the fukushima nuclear disaster in march 2011 presented an enormous challenge even to japan one of the world s most advanced and organized countries failures at all levels of both the government and the private sector worsened the human and economic impact of the disaster and ensured that the consequences would continue for many years to come based on interviews with more than 300 government officials power plant operators and military personnel during the years since the disaster meltdown is a meticulous

recounting and analysis of the human stories behind the response to the fukushima disaster while the people battling to deal with the crisis at the site of the power plant were risking their lives the government at the highest levels in tokyo was in disarray and the utility company that operated the plants seemed focused more on power struggles with the government than on dealing with the crisis the author one of japan s most eminent journalists provides an unrivaled chronological account of the immediate two weeks of human struggle to contain man made technology that was overwhelmed by nature yoichi funabashi gives insights into why japan s decisionmaking process failed almost as dramatically as had the fukushima nuclear reactors which went into meltdown following a major tsunami funabashi uses the fukushima experience to draw lessons on leadership governance disaster resilience and crisis management lessons that have universal application and pertinence for an increasingly technology driven and interconnected global society

Russia and its Near Neighbours *2012-05-15*

volume 9 of the *eyiel* focusses on natural resources law understood as a special area of international economic law in light of increasing conflicts over access to and the use of natural resources and of their impact on political social and environmental aspects the contributions of this volume analyse to which extent international economic law can contribute to the sustainable exploitation management and distribution of natural resources the volume collects contributions on general principles of natural resources law the importance of natural resources for trade investment and european economic law as well as analyses of particular sectors and areas including fracking timber space and deep seabed mining and natural resources in the arctic region in its section on regional developments *eyiel* 9 addresses two regional integration systems which are usually not at the centre of public interest but which deserve all the more attention due to their special relations with europe the eur asian economic union and the caribbean community caricom further *eyiel* sections address recent wto and investment

case law as well as developments at the imf the volume also contains review essays of important recent books in international economic law and other aspects of international law which are connected to international economic relations the chapter sovereignty ownership and consent in natural resource contracts from concepts to practice by lorenzo cotula is open access under a cc by 4 0 license via link springer.com

US-Pakistan Relations 2016-07-01

this book explores the contested notion of compassionate migration in its discourse and practice in the context of today s migration patterns within the americas compassionate migration can play a fundamental role in responding to the hardships that many migrants suffer before during and after their journeys this volume explores the boundaries of compassion from legal political philosophical and interdisciplinary perspectives and supplies examples where state and non state actors engage in practices of compassion and humanity through formal and informal regimes despite the lack of a

concise and precise definition of the concept and practice of compassionate migration all authors in this volume agree on the pressing need for more humane and compassionate treatment for those leaving their home country behind in search of a better life

Federal Register 2013-08

this study is a revised version of the doctoral dissertation that i defended at the university of oxford in december 2011 page xi

Meltdown 2021-03-02

an exposé of the back door deals and negligence that threaten to destroy the nhs and a 10 step manifesto for saving it the coalition government passed into law an unprecedented assault on the nhs doctors unions the media even politicians who claimed to be stalwart defenders failed to protect it now

the effect of those devastating reforms are beginning to be felt by patients but we can still save our country's most valued institution if we take lessons from this terrible betrayal and act on them contributors to this eye opening dissection include dr jacky davis oliver huitson dr john lister stewart player prof allyson pollock david price prof raymond tallis dr charled west and dr david wrigley proceeds from the profits of this book will go to keep our nhs public keepournhspublic.com

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