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## Introduction to Cabo Verde

2008-03-01

cabo verde is a group of ten islands located off the western coast of africa in the atlantic ocean the country has a total population of approximately 500 000 people and the official language is portuguese the islands were uninhabited until 1460 when they were discovered by portuguese sailors the country gained independence from portugal in 1975 and has since become a stable democracy the economy of cabo verde is heavily reliant on tourism and service industries the country is known for its beautiful beaches and rich cultural heritage the music of cabo verde known as morna has gained international recognition and has been popularized by musicians such as cesaria evora in recent years the country has made significant strides in social and economic development with improvements in healthcare and education cabo verde is also known for its commitment to renewable energy with plans to generate 100 of its electricity from renewable sources by 2025

## Introduction to American Politics

2005-12-15

introduction to american politics is a comprehensive guide to the political system of the united states. it covers the history of the country, the structure of government, and the role of citizens. the book is written in a clear and concise style, making it accessible to students and anyone interested in learning more about american politics. it is a valuable resource for anyone looking to understand the complexities of the american political system.

## A Short Introduction to Social Research

2022-02-27

this book introduces students and researchers to the key ideas and issues that inform research practice authors matt henn mark weinstein and nick foard provide a clear and easy to understand roadmap to help the reader plan their research project from beginning to end this book is perfect for use on introductory methods courses and is also an invaluable guide for the first time researcher embarking on their own small scale research project it is the intention of this book to prepare students and new researchers for their research project brilliantly written throughout this is your essential guide to the theory of research the practice of research and the best ways to plan and manage your research

## **An Introduction to Sociolinguistics**

2020-03-03

sociolinguistics is the study of the interaction between language and society in this classic introductory work janet holmes and nick wilson examine the role of language in a variety of social contexts considering both how language works and how it can be used to signal and interpret various aspects of social identity divided into three parts this book explains basic sociolinguistic concepts in the light of classic approaches as well as introducing more recent research this sixth edition has been revised and updated throughout using key concepts and examples to guide the reader through this fascinating area including new material on gender social media and online use of language codeswitching and language policy an updated companion website that is fully cross referenced within this book and features video and audio materials and links to useful websites revised examples and exercises that include new material from asia and south america fully updated further reading and references sections an introduction to sociolinguistics is an essential introductory text for all students of sociolinguistics and a splendid point of reference for students of english language studies linguistics and applied linguistics

## ***Introduction to Environmental Management***

2021-12-07

this book is directly aligned to the nebossh certificate in environmental management which is a qualification aimed primarily at those in business who influence the environmental performance of their organisation by the decisions that they make as managers or the actions that they take as operators this book aims to provide an introduction to the main areas of concern and how the challenges can be addressed this new edition takes account of recent changes in international guidance and legislation and the recent update of the international standard in environmental management iso 14001 the contents are important for businesses that wish to stay within the law and avoid adverse publicity it explains how the concept of sustainability can be achieved in practice and what benefits especially financial that can accrue recent developments in the definitions of sustainability and the growing interest in the circular economy are introduced it pays to be ahead of the game because decisions made now need to reflect an awareness of the coming pressures and there are opportunities available that can bring other benefits this book is intended for candidates for the nebossh qualification but it will also be useful to anyone who wishes to understand the problems and how they can be tackled within their own organisations be they industry public service voluntary bodies or even as individuals

## **Introduction to the Constitution of India (A Diagrammatic and Tabular Presentation)**

2015-04-15

foreword by ca dr girish ahuja pages 359 edition 2021 specially designed for competitive exams and students of b com m com bba mba llb ca cs cma and other specialised courses the main features of this book which make it better than other books are 1 all the topics have been presented in a tabular form no paragraphs have been used which make it easier to read and understand 2 diagrams for most of the topics have been given in this book this makes it very easy for the students to understand and remember the contents 3 all the concepts have been given pointwise which makes reading very fast and easy 4 this book gives conceptual clarity of the law 5 this book not only helps in scoring very good marks in exam but also in using the law in practical world

## ***An Introduction to Chinese History and Culture***

2017-06-20

this book breaks with convention and provides an overview of chinese history in the form of special topics these topics include the major issues of a scientific approach to the origins of chinese civilization ancient chinese society and the change of dynasties the golden ages of the han tang and qing dynasties a comparative analysis transportation systems and cultural communication in ancient china ethnic relations in chinese history the systems of politics law and selecting officials in ancient china agriculture handicraft and commerce in ancient china the military thought and military systems of ancient china the rich and colorful social life in ancient china the evolution of ancient chinese thought the treasure house of ancient chinese literature and art the emergence and progress of ancient chinese historiography reflection on ancient chinese science and technology new issues in the modern history of china and a general progression to the socialist modernization of the people s republic of china the book is based on current literature and research by university students the modern history section is relatively concise while the topics related to ancient chinese history are longer reflecting the country s rich history and corresponding wealth of materials there is also an in depth discussion on the socialist modernization of the people s republic of china the book provides insights into chinese history allowing readers to see the value of civilization through history to see the preciseness of history through civilization it focuses on the social background lifestyle and development processes to illustrate ideologies and ideas

introduction to international development cooperation

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this book offers an introduction to the many facets of multilingualism in a changing world it begins with an overview of the multiplicity of human languages and their geographic distribution before moving on to the key question of what multilingualism actually is and what is understood by terms such as mother tongue native speaker and speech community in the chapters that follow florian coulmas systematically explores multilingualism with respect to the individual institutions cities nations and cyberspace in each of these domains the dynamics of language choice are undergoing changes as a result of economic political and cultural forces against this background two chapters discuss the effects of linguistic diversity on the integration and separation of language and society before a final chapter describes and assesses research methods for investigating multilingualism each chapter concludes with problems and questions for discussion which place the topic in a real world context the book explores where when and why multilingualism came to be regarded as a problem and why it presents a serious challenge for linguistic theory today it provides the basic tools to analyse different kinds of multilingualism at both the individual and society level and will be of interest to students of linguistics sociology education and communication studies

argentina is a south american country known for its rich culture diverse landscapes and thriving economy it is the eighth largest country in the world and the second largest in south america with a population of around 45 million people argentina is home to a mix of indigenous communities european immigrants and descendants of african slaves argentina has a varied landscape with

the andes mountain range to the west the pampas region fertile grasslands in the central part of the country and the atlantic coastline on the east it is also home to several natural wonders including the iguazu falls and the perito moreno glacier buenos aires the capital city is known for its vibrant culture and iconic landmarks such as the obelisk the teatro colon and the casa rosada the presidential palace argentina s economy is driven by agriculture with crops such as soybeans wheat and corn being major exports other significant industries include mining manufacturing and tourism

## ***Introduction to Criminal Justice***

2023-07-01

this student friendly introductory core text describes the criminal justice process in the united states outlining the decisions practices people and issues involved it provides a solid introduction to the mechanisms of the criminal justice system with balanced coverage of the issues presented by each facet of the process including a thorough review of practices and controversies in law enforcement the criminal courts and corrections each chapter is enhanced by important terms boxes photos and review questions includes a glossary

## **Introduction to Sport Marketing**

2018

now in a fully revised and updated third edition introduction to sport marketing is a clear straightforward and concise introduction to the theory and practice of sport marketing and the only sport marketing textbook you will ever need built around a step by step framework for developing effective sport marketing plans and full of real world international cases data and examples the text helps students to develop the essential skills and subject knowledge required to thrive in today s fast paced sport industry it covers sport marketing at all levels from grassroots and community sport to international mega events and across all sectors from professional sport to public and not for profit organisations leading the reader through the marketing process from analysis and setting a strategy to planning the marketing mix implementation and evaluation the text introduces the products services distribution channels and stakeholders that generate value including brands merchandise and licensed products players and athletes leagues and franchises and events this new edition includes expanded coverage of cutting edge topics including social media digital sport marketing esports the social impact of sport sportwashing and soft power innovation and fast prototyping consumer psychology and diversity and equity it includes useful features throughout from review questions to guides to further resources this is an essential textbook for any sport marketing course taken as a part of a degree programme in sport

management sport marketing sport business sport development or business management and marketing

## ***Advanced Introduction to Private International Law and Procedure***

2014-09-05

litigating disputes in international civil and commercial cases presents a number of special challenges which country s courts have jurisdiction and where is it advantageous to sue given the international elements of the case which country s law will the court apply finally if a successful plaintiff cannot find enough local assets what does it take to have the judgement recognized and enforced in a country with assets this extensively updated second edition advanced introduction addresses these questions providing a concise overview of the field

## **An Introduction to Transnational Criminal Law**

2019-03-07

national borders are permeable to all types of illicit action and contraband goods whether it is trafficking humans body parts digital information drugs weapons or money whilst criminals exist in a borderless world where territorial boundaries allow them to manipulate different markets in illicit goods the authorities who pursue them can remain constrained inside their own jurisdictions in a new edition of his ground breaking work boister examines how states must cooperate to tackle some of the greatest security threats in this century so far analyses to what extent vested interests have determined the course of global policy and law enforcement and illustrates how responding to transnational crime itself becomes a form of international relations which reorders global political power and becomes at least in part an end in itself arguing that transnational criminal law is currently geared towards suppressing criminal activity but is not as committed to ensuring justice boister suggests that it might be more strongly influenced by individual moral panics and a desire for criminal retribution than an interest in ensuring a proportional response to offences protection of human rights and the preservation of the rule of law

## **Introduction to Emergency Management, Enhanced**

2024-01-22

introduction to emergency management fifth edition offers a fully up to date analysis of us emergency management principles in

addition to expanding coverage of risk management in a time of climate change and terrorism haddow bullock and coppola discuss the impact of new emergency management technologies social media and an increasing focus on recovery they examine the effects of the 2012 election results and discuss fema s controversial national flood insurance program nfip introduction to emergency management fifth edition gives instructors and students the best textbook content instructor support materials and online resources to prepare future em professionals for this demanding career links added throughout the chapters for easy access to additional information videos that play within the ebook to demonstrate important concepts interactive labeling images with drag and drop terms interactive self assessment questions at the end of every chapter pop up glossary and interactive flashcards for key terms introduction to fema s whole community disaster preparedness initiative material on recent disaster events including the boston marathon bombing 2013 hurricane sandy 2012 the joplin tornado 2011 the haiti earthquake 2011 and the great east japan earthquake 2010

## ***Introduction to Malaysia***

2003

malaysia is a southeast asian country that is located on the malay peninsula and the island of borneo it is a diverse country with a population of over 32 million people and is made up of various ethnic groups including malays chinese and indians the official language is bahasa malaysia but english is widely spoken among the population malaysia has a tropical climate and is known for its beautiful beaches rainforests and wildlife malaysia is a constitutional monarchy which means that it is ruled by a king and a government the country s economy is based on exports of natural resources such as oil gas and palm oil it has a growing industrial sector and is also a popular tourist destination malaysia is known for its rich cultural heritage and visitors can experience a variety of traditions ranging from dances and music to food and clothing additionally the country has a vibrant modern culture with a growing music and arts scene overall malaysia is a fascinating country that combines tradition and modernity in a unique way

## **Introduction to Curaçao**

2013-05-07

curaçao is a small island located in the southern part of the caribbean sea about 40 miles off the coast of venezuela the island which is part of the kingdom of the netherlands has a population of approximately 159 000 people with the majority living in the capital city of willemstad the official languages of curaçao are dutch papiamentu a creole language and english and the island



has a rich cultural heritage influenced by its history of being a strategic location for trade and colonization curaçao s economy is primarily based on tourism offshore banking and oil refining the island s sunny weather white sandy beaches and diverse culture make it a popular destination for tourists from around the world in addition to its natural beauty curaçao also has a vibrant art scene with numerous museums galleries and festivals celebrating local artists and their work the island s multicultural population also gives it a unique culinary scene with flavors influenced by african european and latin american cuisines overall curaçao is a fascinating blend of history culture and natural beauty that makes it one of the caribbean s most dynamic and exciting destinations

## **An Introduction To Nineteenth-century Russian Slavophilism**

2007-05-30

this book is written based on vigorous and prolonged debates between the slavophiles and proponents of russian slavophilism s principal ideological rival westernism in the mid nineteenth century it presents the analysis and evaluation of iu f samarin s dissertation

## ***Introduction to Criminal Justice***

2023-02-09

introduction to criminal justice tenth edition offers a student friendly description of the criminal justice process outlining the decisions practices people and issues involved it provides a solid introduction to the mechanisms of the criminal justice system with balanced coverage of the issues presented by each facet of the process including a thorough review of practices and controversies in law enforcement the criminal courts and corrections in this revision edwards updates the statistics and research findings throughout new sections include the impact of the covid 19 pandemic the recent shift to nibrs crime reporting and the increasing attacks on the legitimacy of the criminal justice system this edition has also expanded coverage of police use of force and technological improvements selected chapters now include a case study box to demonstrate how certain laws programs and technologies have been used in particular situations appropriate for all u s criminal justice programs this text offers great value for students and instructors

## **Introduction to Telecommunications Network Engineering, Second Edition**

2021-04-21

whether you are an executive or sales manager in a networking company a data communications engineer or a telecommunications professional you must have a thorough working knowledge of the ever growing and interrelated array of telecom and data communications technologies from protocols and operation of the internet ip tcp http and its access systems such as adsl and gsm to the basics of transmission and switching this newly revised resource delivers an up to date introduction to a broad range of networking technologies clearly explaining the networking essentials you need to know to be a successful networking professional moreover the book explores the future developments in optical wireless and digital broadcast communications

## **Introduction to Algeria**

2019-12-18

algeria is the biggest country in africa and is located on the continent s northeastern coast bordering the mediterranean sea the country shares its borders with tunisia libya niger mali mauritania western sahara and morocco algeria s population is around 42 million with arab and berber ethnicities making up the majority of the population the official languages of algeria are arabic and berber and french is widely spoken algeria is a country rich in history and culture with influences from its diverse past including berber islamic ottoman and french colonization it gained independence from france on july 5 1962 after a long and brutal war that lasted eight years today algeria is an upper middle income country with a mixed economy that relies heavily on its vast oil and natural gas reserves making it the largest exporter of natural gas to europe despite its economic strength algeria faces several challenges including high unemployment insufficient housing and political instability

## **An Introduction to Criminal Psychology**

2014-03-11

crime is a topic that is of considerable interest to policy makers politicians and the public alike we want to know what factors can explain the nature and prevalence of crime in society and use this knowledge to better develop approaches for managing criminal behaviour this book provides a comprehensive overview of approaches to understanding crime and criminal behaviour

with a focus on psychological perspectives a wide range of different types of criminal behaviour are considered including juvenile crime violent offending sexual offending collective violence and drug use for each type of offence a clear overview of key conceptual and methodological issues is provided along with a detailed consideration of the major theoretical approaches that have been developed the book concludes by considering how our theoretical understanding of crime can inform our responses to criminal behaviour in terms of punishment prevention and rehabilitation key features of the book include an in depth coverage of a broad range of different types of criminal behaviour inclusion of a diverse range of different theoretical perspectives accessibly written with extensive use of case studies boxes and activities an extensive use of up to date references that highlight the current state of knowledge in the field of criminal psychology this book should be of interest to students academics researchers and practitioners with an interest in criminal behaviour and is particularly suitable for undergraduate courses in criminal psychology forensic psychology and psychological criminology

## ***The Official Introduction to the ITIL Service Lifecycle***

2018-12-07

itil was created by the uk government in the 1980s as an efficiency improving initiative this text gives an essential guide to the overall structure of itil and an outline of its principles

## ***An Introduction to the EU Legal Order***

2013-07-01

carefully structured and supported with a wealth of examples elise muir provides a clear concise introduction to the eu legal order drawing upon her years of teaching experience muir outlines the history of the eu its key actors modes of action and its daily relevance offering students and instructors an up to date textbook muir pays attention to the latest developments including the impacts of brexit and the covid 19 crisis written for students from a range of disciplines and levels of study this book explains how the eu legal order works muir illuminates the complex and technical areas of eu institutional law through explanatory illustrations schemes and textboxes with this engaging and accessible resource students will be well equipped to understand the fundamentals and functioning of the eu legal order

# An Introduction to Sociolinguistics

2016-09-30

an introduction to sociolinguistics the new eighth edition of an introduction to sociolinguistics brings this valuable bestselling textbook up to date with the latest in sociolinguistic research and pedagogy providing a broad overview of the study of language in social context with accessible coverage of major concepts theories methods issues and debates within the field this leading text helps students develop a critical perspective on language in society as they explore the complex connections between societal norms and language use the eighth edition contains new and updated coverage of such topics as the societal aspects of african american vernacular english aave multilingual societies and discourse gender and sexuality ideologies and language attitudes and the social meanings of linguistic forms organized in four sections this text first covers traditional language issues such as the distinction between languages and dialects identification of regional and social variation within languages and the role of context in language use and interpretation subsequent chapters cover approaches to research in sociolinguistics variationist sociolinguistics ethnography and discourse analytic research and address both macro and micro sociolinguistic aspects of multilingualism in national transnational global and digital contexts the concluding section of the text looks at language in relation to gender and sexuality education and language planning and policy issues featuring examples from a variety of languages and cultures that illustrate topics such as social and regional dialects multilingualism and the linguistic construction of identity this text provides perspectives on both new and foundational research in sociolinguistics and linguistic anthropology an introduction to sociolinguistics eighth edition remains the ideal textbook for upper level undergraduate and graduate course in sociolinguistics language and society linguistic anthropology applied and theoretical linguistics and education the new edition has also been updated to support classroom application with a range of effective pedagogical tools including end of chapter written exercises and an instructor website as well as materials to support further learning such as reading suggestions research ideas and an updated companion student website containing a searchable glossary a review guide additional exercises and examples and links to online resources

# Introduction to Papua New Guinea

2015-05-28

papua new guinea is a sovereign state located in the western pacific ocean comprising the eastern half of the island of new guinea and its offshore islands the country has a diverse population of over eight million people with hundreds of different languages spoken throughout the country the official languages are english tok pisin and hiri motu the economy is mostly

dependent on agriculture mining and oil and gas production the country is known for its biodiversity with over 800 languages spoken and more than 10 of the world s species of animals and plants found within its borders papua new guinea has a rich cultural heritage with traditional practices such as tribal warfare bride price and initiation ceremonies still practiced in some regions papua new guinea gained independence from australia in 1975 and has since faced various challenges including social unrest and political instability the country is also prone to natural disasters such as earthquakes volcanic eruptions and cyclones despite these challenges papua new guinea has made significant progress in recent years in areas such as education and health care the government has also implemented policies aimed at promoting economic growth and reducing poverty the country is a member of the united nations the commonwealth of nations and the pacific islands forum among other international organizations

## ***Introduction to Switzerland***

2010-08-23

switzerland is a small landlocked country located in the heart of europe it is famous for its soaring mountains sparkling lakes and picturesque villages it is one of the wealthiest countries in the world with a highly developed economy and a high standard of living switzerland is a diverse country with four official languages german french italian and romansh it is home to over eight million people many of whom live in major cities such as zurich geneva and bern despite its small size switzerland has a vibrant culture that celebrates its unique history and traditions it is known for its world renowned chocolates cheeses and watches as well as for its stunning alpine landscapes whether you are interested in outdoor adventures or cultural experiences switzerland has something to offer every traveler

## **An Introduction to Sociology**

1893

this fifth edition of an introduction to sociology provides an accessible and engaging introduction to sociology without oversimplifying or passing over the important and exciting insights sociology has to offer building on the book s existing achievements ken browne has restructured the fifth edition to focus on the core issues in sociology considered in introductory courses the book covers all the topics and options specified by the gcse and igcse examining boards including the required classic texts and theoretical perspectives which are helpfully applied throughout the chapters the new edition has been completely updated to reflect contemporary social changes including the latest statistics and topical illustrative examples new

material is to be found throughout such as more extensive treatment of family and household diversity the marketization of education social inequality the control and prevention of crime and the effects of new media technologies carefully designed to support and extend students learning a number of features such as a range of activities questions and discussion points add to the book s value as a learning and teaching resource explanatory graphics photographs and cartoons also enliven the text presenting sociology as an exciting and relevant topic to students of all ages interests and abilities the new edition of this highly successful textbook will prove invaluable to anyone first approaching sociology especially on access gcse and related courses students will find the book provides an easy to follow and thoughtful introduction to studying sociology

## **Introduction to Andorra**

2008

andorra is a tiny country located in southwestern europe with an area of just 468 square kilometers despite its small size andorra boasts a rich history and unique traditions that are deeply rooted in its catalan origins the country is situated in the eastern pyrenees between france and spain and has a population of approximately 77 000 people the official languages of andorra are catalan spanish and french and the country has two co princes the president of france and the bishop of urgell in spain andorra is renowned for its picturesque scenery with mountains valleys and rivers creating breathtaking landscapes the country is a popular destination for winter sports enthusiasts with skiing and snowboarding being the most popular activities andorra is also home to a number of historic landmarks including the old stone bridge of pont de la margineda and the iconic medieval castle of sant joan de caselles furthermore andorra has a strong economy thanks in large part to its status as a tax haven with numerous financial services available to businesses and individuals

## **Introduction to the Qur'an**

2015-12-17

surveying the life aims character and inspiration of muhammad this classic introduction explains the history form and chronology of the qur an and gives the views of muslim and occidental scholars

## ***Introduction to Yellowjackets (TV series)***

1987

yellowjackets is a thrilling american television series created by ashley lyle and bart nickerson it premiered on showtime in november 2021 and instantly captured audiences attention with its gripping plot and intriguing characters the show tells the story of a group of high school girls who survive a plane crash while traveling to a soccer game stranded in the remote wilderness the girls must confront a harsh reality and search for means to survive as the episodes progress the story unfolds with flashbacks to their time in high school and present day events the girls survival instincts are put to the test as they face the challenges of the wilderness and their past traumas simultaneously the show explores themes of power sexuality and the complicated relationships among the characters the strong performances of the cast including melanie lynskey christina ricci and tawny cypress add depth and intrigue to this already gripping thriller making it a must see for fans of suspenseful and thought provoking television dramas overall yellowjackets is a show that has captivated audiences with its unique premise masterful storytelling and fascinating characters it does an excellent job of balancing the horror of the crash with a deep exploration of each character s backstory and motivations the show has been praised for its strong performances stunning cinematography and intricate plot twists that keep audiences hooked from start to finish it is a must watch for those looking for a thrilling ride

## **Akehurst's Modern Introduction to International Law**

akehurst s modern introduction to international law continues to offer a concise and accessible overview of the concepts themes and issues central to international law this fully updated eighth edition encompasses the plethora of recent developments and updates in the field and includes new dedicated chapters on international human rights self determination and international economic relations an extended history and theory section reflecting the evolution of new and critical approaches in the field and a greater focus on terrorism and international criminal law new and updated chapters include creation and recognition of states territory law of the sea immunities state succession nationality and individual rights protection of the environment settlement of disputes use of force and armed conflict with a distinctive cross jurisdictional approach which opens up the discipline to students from all backgrounds this book will arm the reader with all the tools methods and concepts they need to fully understand this complex and diverse subject as such this is an essential text for students of international law government and politics international relations and a multitude of related subject areas this textbook is supported by a companion website [routledge.com/cw/orakhelashvili](http://routledge.com/cw/orakhelashvili)

## ***Introduction to the Hong Kong Basic Law***

effective since china s resumption of sovereignty on 1 july 1997 the hong kong basic law lays down the general policies and system of government for hong kong under the one country two systems formula it guarantees hong kong a high degree of autonomy enshrines the rights and freedoms of residents and preserves a separate common law system with an independent judiciary this introduction traces the origins of the hong kong basic law and the concepts and legal issues that surround it drawing on the experience of the first 15 years it then analyses the content of the hong kong basic law especially in relation to hong kong s political system the judiciary and human rights intended especially for students at all levels in law politics and other disciplines this book the only introductory guide of its kind to the subject will also appeal to the general reader interested in hong kong s experience under one country two systems danny gittings s introduction to the hong kong basic law makes a significant contribution to an important subject it is expressed in reader friendly terms the insights that it provides are of value not only to lawyers but also to the general public the hon mr justice kemal bokhary permanent judge of the hong kong court of final appeal 1997 2012 non permanent judge 2012 this well researched and very readable introduction explains the history practices and future of the basic law hong kong s key constitutional document it also explores how far the basic law is able to address the many political and legal issues now facing hong kong the book is suitable for a wide range of readers students of hong kong law at all levels will find it essential reading general readers with an interest in hong kong s governance will find in it a lucid and accurate guide and a timely one as the debate about implementing democracy intensifies professor fu hualing faculty of law university of hong kong many of us approach law books with trepidation but gittings a legal academic used to be a journalist and this shows in his ability to make the book accessible to the general reader the basic law will continue to be central to issues facing the city for years to come this book enables the reader to quickly acquire a much better understanding of them south china morning post as professor gittings points out in his book which includes a chapter on what might happen after hong kong s 50 year autonomy ends readability was a key aim acronyms are kept to a minimum and details set up neatly and comprehensively in footnotes so that the main text is kept as clean as possible hong kong lawyer

## **An Introduction to Sociology and the Real World**

david spurling believes that a sociology book should enable the reader to understand social problems spurling uses his background including research on the single homeless to look at sociological perspectives and research methods the book looks at the variety of perspectives including marxism functionalism feminism and neo liberalism his transport background as both a worker and a lecturer is reflected in the chapters on urbanism a sociology book that claims to be comprehensive but ignores



climate change would be nonsensical as it is the most important problem for current and future generations therefore this book discusses this issue and what to do about it spurlings chapter on crime looks at the importance of crime to the victims using statistics so that it presents a different perspective to many other books the chapter on race reflects the ways in which perceptions of immigration have little relationship to the actual data available and also the way in which the media has a great influence on public opinion spurling uses his examiner experience as well as teaching experience to examine the different aspects of the educational system the chapter on religion reflects the wide variety of views on this subject as a quaker spurlings views on religion have a quaker perspective the hatred towards people of other religions or no religion is also examined in both contemporary and past societies the influence of education and attitudes towards it are examined spurling has also included a chapter of questions and answers this book would be ideal for first year university students including the university of london international degree as well as for a level students looking for different material learning through cooperation ltd hopes that this book will provide support to anyone sitting their exams for more details on how learning through cooperation can help you please visit [davidjohnspurling.com](http://davidjohnspurling.com)

## **A New Introduction to Comparative Law**

this thought provoking introduction to the study of comparative law provides in depth analyses of all major comparative methodologies and theories and serves as a common sense guide to the study of foreign legal systems it is written in a lively and accessible style and will prove indispensable reading to students of the subject it also contains much that will be of interest to comparative law scholars offering novel insights into commonplace methodological and theoretical questions and making a significant contribution to the field

## **A Critical Introduction to Mao**

mao zedong s political career spanned more than half a century the ideas he championed transformed one of the largest nations on earth and inspired revolutionary movements across the world even today mao lives on in china where he is regarded by many as a near mythical figure and in the west where a burgeoning literature continues to debate his memory in this book leading scholars from different generations and around the world offer a critical evaluation of the life and legacy of china s most famous some would say infamous son the book brings the scholarship on mao up to date and its alternative perspectives equip readers to assess for themselves the nature of this mercurial figure and his significance in modern chinese history

# **Introduction to the Study of the Law of the Constitution**

introduction to criminology sixth edition is a comprehensive introduction to the study of criminology and includes one chapter on the criminal justice system it aims to avoid an overly legal and crime control orientation and instead concentrates on the vital core of criminological theory theory method and criminal behavior hagan investigates all forms of criminal activity such as organized crime white collar crime political crime and environmental crime he explains the methods of operation the effects on society and how various theories account for criminal behavior

## ***Introduction to Criminology***

youmeigaku is a study of humans that explains in simple terms how to train and prepare your mind in order to live a better life known as a flower of eastern philosophy which has been read again and again through times of adversity its essence is now being revived as a practical philosophy for japanese people

## **An Authentic Introduction to Youmei-gaku The Philosophy of Wang Yangming**

## ***An Introduction to Religious Foundations in the Ottoman Empire***

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