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The Emergence of the Urban Entrepreneur
How the Growth of Cities and the Sharing Economy Are Driving a New Breed of Innovators
BOYD COHEN, PHD, WITH PABLO MUÑOZ, PHD
FOREWORD BY RICHARD FLORIDA

The world is urbanizing rapidly. Currently, 600 cities account for 60 percent of the global economy; by 2025, it is predicted that the top 100 cities will account for 35 percent of the world’s economy. Emerging trends in collaboration, the sharing economy, and innovation are opening up new opportunities for entrepreneurs in urban environments—“urbanpreneurs” —to participate in everything from tech startups in cities (instead of suburban tech parks) to makers and on-demand service providers to roles in civic entrepreneurship for those interested in solving the challenges that growing cities are facing.

HIGHLIGHTS
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JACK BUFFINGTON

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HIGHLIGHTS
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• Presents a bold counterargument to the idea that recycling and sustainability programs are inherently beneficial and introduces a new system that will benefit both our environment and economy—without asking consumers to consume less

JACK BUFFINGTON, PhD, is a supply chain executive at MillerCoors, the second largest beer manufacturer in the United States, and a post-doctoral researcher in the fields of environmental science and supply chain for the Royal Institute of Technology in Stockholm, Sweden.
Reading [this] book is like having a personal coach, asking critical questions and making sure you analyze your business so that everything is in order. Having everything organized for unforeseen events is a freeing experience.

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HIGHLIGHTS

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The “Peak Oil” Scare and the Coming Oil Flood

MICHAEL C. LYNCH
FOREWORD BY LEONARDO MAUGERI

In the last decade, oil experts, geologists, and policy makers alike have warned that a peak in oil production around the world was about to be reached and that global economic distress would result when this occurred. But it didn’t happen. The “Peak Oil” Scare and the Coming Oil Flood refutes the recent claims that world oil production is nearing a peak and threatening economic disaster by analyzing the methods used by the theory’s proponents. Author Michael C. Lynch, former researcher at Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT), debunks the “Peak Oil” crisis prediction and describes how the next few years will instead see large amounts of new supply that will bring oil prices down and boost the global economy.

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HIGHLIGHTS
• Presents a cogent analysis that debunks the myths and exposes the agendas of those who promulgate the scarcity theory
• Supplies applied economic analysis—backed by well-informed research and proven analytical methodologies—by a scholar and researcher with real-world experience
• Explains how the extraction of crude oil from shale formations through hydraulic fracturing, or “fracking,” should result in abundant long-term supplies with much greater geographical diversity, less political risk, and increased price stability
• Provides valuable insights into investing in the energy sector

Oil, though finite, is in much better supply than many renewable resources.
The Historian’s Huck Finn
Reading Mark Twain’s Masterpiece as Social and Economic History

ANNOTATED BY RANJIT S. DIGHE

Mark Twain’s *Huckleberry Finn* has been both widely banned since its introduction in 1885 in the United States and often selected as required reading for students.

*Adventures of Huckleberry Finn* is widely regarded as a classic American novel—a groundbreaking one in which the author attempts to accurately portray society through the use of at-times coarse vernacular English. In this book, readers can experience the full text of Twain’s *Huckleberry Finn* accompanied by annotations in footnote form throughout. As a result, this classic is transformed into a fascinating historical documentation of 19th-century American life and society that touches on topics like slavery, the transportation revolution, race, class, and confidence men.

Bringing the perspective of a social and economic historian, Ranjit S. Dighe offers more than 150 annotations as well as supporting essays that put the characters, incidents, and settings of the book into their historical context. First-time readers get to experience a great American novel with memorable characters, vivid imagery, and a great narrative voice while simultaneously learning about American history; teachers and students who have read *Huckleberry Finn* before will enjoy re-reading it, especially with insightful annotations that connect the story to the historical timeline. This book exposes the subtle lessons Twain’s tale has to teach us about America’s growth, development, conflicts, and mass movements in the nation’s first century.

**HIGHLIGHTS**

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The Psychology of Hate Crimes as Domestic Terrorism

U.S. and Global Issues

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The Psychology of Hate Crimes as Domestic Terrorism: U.S. and Global Issues takes a hard look at hate crimes both domestically and internationally, enabling readers to see similarities and disparities as well as to make the connections between hate crimes and domestic terrorism. The entries in this three-volume set discuss subjects such as the psychology and motivation in hate crimes, the cultural norms that shape tolerance of outgroups or tolerance of hate, and the fact that hate crimes are a pervasive form of domestic terrorism, as well as myriad issues of proliferation, public policy, policing, law and punishment, and prevention. The set opens with an introduction that discusses hate crime research and examines issues of identification of the bias element of hate crimes via empirical and case vignettes. The subsequent chapters discuss subjects such as the socio-demographic profiles of hate crime offenders; hate crime legislation and policy in the United States; the effects of hate crime on their victims as well as society; the incidence of hate crime in specific regions, such as Europe, the Middle East, and South America; and programs and therapeutic interventions to heal victims. Readers will also learn how specific educational approaches in communities, schools, and universities can be implemented to help prevent future escalation of hate-motivated violence.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Examines the motivation, actions, and thinking of individuals who commit hate crimes, the effects on victims and society as a whole, and the national and international debates on punishments
- Offers guidelines to educate about hate crimes and to serve at-risk populations
- Includes vignettes from both perpetrators and victims as well as psychological profiles of hate crime offenders that serve to bring the academic discussions to life

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SAMPLE TOPICS

- Asia (Hate Crime)
- Attitudes concerning Hate Crime Legislation and Policies
- Cybercrimes of Hate
- Evolution of European Hate Crime Groups
- Hate Crime Legislation and Policy in the United States
- Hate Crimes, Mental Disorder, and Criminal Responsibility
- Incidence
- Intersection of Hate Crimes and Domestic Terrorism
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Media, Myths, and Realities
JACLYN SCHILDKRAUT AND H. JAYMI ELSASS

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—Ralph W. Larkin, John Jay College of Criminal Justice
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MARILYN D. MCSHANE AND MICHAEL CAVANAUGH, EDITORS

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The Triumph of the Gun-Rights Argument
Why the Gun Control Debate Is Over
HARRY L. WILSON

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The Human and Environmental Impact of Fracking
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The Global Food System
Issues and Solutions

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A Smarter, Greener Grid
Forging Environmental Progress through Smart Energy Policies and Technologies

KEVIN B. JONES AND DAVID ZOPPO

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Climatology versus Pseudoscience
Exposing the Failed Predictions of Global Warming Skeptics

DANA NUCCITELLI

Although some politicians, pundits, and members of the public do not believe it, global warming predictions by mainstream climate scientists have been remarkably accurate while those made by climate deniers have not. And if mainstream global warming predictions continue to prove correct, the window of opportunity to prevent a climate catastrophe is quickly closing. This book is the first to illustrate the accuracy—and inaccuracy—of global warming predictions made by mainstream climate scientists and by climate contrarians from the 1970s to the present day. Written in simple, non-technical language that provides an accessible explanation of key climate science concepts, the book will appeal to general audiences without previous knowledge about climate science.

Environmental Movements around the World
Shades of Green in Politics and Culture

TIMOTHY DOYLE, PhD, is professor of politics and international studies and founding chair of management for the Indo-Pacific Governance Research Centre (IPGRC) at the University of Adelaide, Australia.

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Michele A. Paludi and J. Harold Ellens, Editors

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Amanda M. Riggs

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Amanda M. Riggs is a writer who specializes in topics regarding the Middle East, women's issues, renewable energy, and business. She is the founder of Verità Skin: Empower Women Worldwide, an organic skin care line based on Argan oil imported from a women’s fair trade cooperative in Morocco.

The New Advantage
How Women in Leadership Can Create Win-Wins for Their Companies and Themselves
Howard J. Morgan and Joelle K. Jay; Foreword by Marshall Goldsmith, New York Times Best-Selling Author

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Howard J. Morgan, MBA, is cofounder and managing director at the Leadership Research Institute as well as the cofounder of 50 Top Coaches, an online network resource of the best executive coaches.

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WOMEN’S STUDIES

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Violence against Girls and Women
International Perspectives

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MARY WHITE STEWART, PhD, is professor of sociology and director of the School of Social Research and Justice Studies at the University of Nevada.
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KARLA MANTILLA

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KARLA MANTILLA is managing editor at Feminist Studies, an interdisciplinary women’s studies journal.

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Women and Management
Global Issues and Promising Solutions
2 VOLUMES
MICHELE A. PALUDI, EDITOR

For every woman still bumping the glass ceiling and every man who cares, these volumes recount challenges female leaders face—and strategies that will smooth the path to managerial positions in corporate America and worldwide.

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More than a decade and a half into the 21st century, the term “race” remains one of the most emotionally charged words in the human language. While race can be defined as “a local geographic or global human population distinguished as a more or less distinct group by genetically transmitted physical characteristics,” the concept of race can better be understood as a socially defined construct—a system of human classification that carries tremendous weight, yet is complex, confusing, contradictory, controversial, and imprecise.

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- Ethnicity and Culture
- Hispanic Identity
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- Myths of a Post-Racial America
- Perpetuation of Racial Stereotypes in American Media
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- Social Constructs and Social Realities

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In 2010, HB 2281—a law that bans ethnic studies in Arizona—was passed; in the same year, Texas whitewashed curriculum and textbook changes at the K–12 level. Since then, the nation has seen a rise in the legal and political war on Ethnic Studies, revisionist actions in curriculum content, and anti-immigrant policies, creating a new culture war in America. “White” Washing American Education demonstrates the value and necessity of Ethnic Studies in the 21st century by sharing the voices of those in the trenches—educators, students, community activists, and cultural workers—who are effectively using multidisciplinary approaches to education.

How is racism perpetuated by the education system, particularly via the “school to prison pipeline”? How is the school to prison pipeline intrinsically connected to the larger context of the prison industrial complex as well as the extensive and ongoing criminalization of youth of color? This book uniquely describes the system of policies and practices that racialize criminalization by routing youth of color out of school and towards prison via the school to prison pipeline while simultaneously medicalizing white youth for comparable behaviors.

DENISE M. SANDOVAL, PhD, is professor of Chicana/o studies at California State University, Northridge.

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FORTHCOMING

Dangerous Spaces
Beyond the Racial Profile

D. MARVIN JONES

Dangerous Spaces: Beyond the Racial Profile demonstrates how society has constructed a set of threat narratives in which certain widespread problems—immigration, drugs, gangs, and terrorism, for example—have been racialized and explains the historical and social origins of these racializing threat narratives. The book identifies how these narratives have led directly to relentless profiling that results in arrest, deportation, massive surveillance, or even death for members of suspect populations. Readers will come to understand how the problem of profiling is not merely a problem of institutional bias and individual decision making, but also a deeply rooted cultural issue stemming from the processes of meaning-making and identity construction.

HIGHLIGHTS
• Offers a novel framework for understanding the problem of racial profiling that explains how profiling actually involves the intersection of race and space
• Provides concrete solutions in the form of a civil rights restoration act that addresses the problem of “racial profiling” through a set of innovative community controls on the deployment and power of police
• Constitutes essential reading for students, lawyers, journalists, and teachers interested in issues of race and ethnicity as well as general readers wanting to learn about racial profiling in American society

Gender, Race, and Ethnicity in the Workplace
Emerging Issues and Enduring Challenges

MARGARET FOEGEN KARSTEN, EDITOR

The contributions of more than 30 experts reframe the discussion on gender, race, and ethnicity in the U.S. workforce, examining the complex identity concerns facing workers who fall within minority groups and recommending practical solutions for dealing with workplace inequities. Through focused essays, experts explore new perspectives to persistent challenges and discuss progress made in addressing unequal treatment based on race and gender in the past eight years. This detailed reference explores every aspect of the issue, including mentoring, family leaves, pay inequity, multiracial and transgender identities, community involvement, and illegal harassment.

HIGHLIGHTS
• Presents new research on the many forms of employment discrimination based on multiracial identity, appearance, and transgender status
• Includes contributions from professionals in the fields of social psychology, law, gender studies, and ethics, among others

D. MARVIN JONES is professor of law at the University of Miami, where he has taught constitutional law and criminal procedure for more than 20 years.

MARGARET FOEGEN KARSTEN is professor in the department of business and accounting and coordinator of the business administration distance program at the University of Wisconsin.
Consumer Equality
Race and the American Marketplace

GERALDINE ROSA HENDERSON, ANNE-MARIE HAKSTIAN, AND JEROME D. WILLIAMS

This book provides a vivid examination of the issue of consumer inequality in America—one of society’s most under-discussed and critical issues—through the evaluation of real-life cases, the trend of consumers suing companies for discrimination, and the application of novel frameworks to establish legitimate consumer equality.

Remapping Race on the Human Genome
Commercial Exploits in a Racialized America

JUDITH ANN WARNER

This book explores the ethical debates at the intersection of race, ethnicity, national origin, and DNA analysis, enabling readers to gain a better understanding of the human genome project and its impact on the biological sciences, medicine, and criminal justice.

African American–Latino Relations in the 21st Century
When Cultures Collide

KAREN JUANITA CARRILLO

This provocative look at the connections—and conflicts—between Latinos and African Americans assesses the challenges facing both groups as they strive to achieve the American dream.

The Race Controversy in American Education

LILLIAN DOWDELL DRAKEFORD, PHD, EDITOR

In this unique two-volume work, expert scholars and practitioners examine race and racism in public education, tackling controversial educational issues such as the school-to-prison pipeline, charter schools, school funding, affirmative action, and racialized curricula.

HIGHLIGHTS

• Provides essays that are subjective and passionate yet grounded in scholarship and practical experience

FORTHCOMING
With the increasing demands for changes in how we vote, the authors analyze the complications of race tied to these proposed policies through historical and contemporary challenges.

An engaging and eclectic collection of essays from leading scholars on the subject, which looks at affirmative action past and present, analyzes its efficacy, its legacy, and its role in the future of the United States.

Examining actual policy to identify the facts, this book exposes how racially charged political and legal debates over immigration reform in the United States continue to inform our immigration policy.

Both well-researched and presented in an engaging way, the book is a must-read for all interested in the politics of immigration policy.

—Kenneth J. Meier, Distinguished Professor at Texas A&M University

Recommended. Graduate students and faculty in sociology and criminology; criminal justice professionals and police training academies.

—Choice

A diverse, critical analysis of racial and ethnic disparities within the American criminal justice system that encourages critical thinking by providing various sides to the issues.

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  - An evaluative examination that challenges the media to rise above the systematic racism and sexism that persists across all channels, despite efforts to integrate.

- **Racism in American Popular Media**
  - From Aunt Jemima to the Frito Bandito
  - This book examines how the media—including advertising, motion pictures, cartoons, and popular fiction—has used racist images and stereotypes as marketing tools that malign and debase African Americans, Latinos, American Indians, and Asian Americans in the United States.

- **Out of Bounds**
  - Racism and the Black Athlete
  - LORI LATRICE MARTIN, EDITOR
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  - This collection of essays highlights the controversies surrounding racism in sports and African American athletes, examining the racial discrimination that exists in one of the most public arenas in the 21st century.

- **A Joyous Revolt**
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  - LINDA JANET HOLMES
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Harlem
The Crucible of Modern African American Culture
LIONEL C. BASCOM

When the first slave escaped bondage in the American South and migrated to the Northeast region of the United States, this act of an individual started what became known as the “great migration” of Negroes fleeing the feudal South for New York and other Northern cities. This migration fueled an intellectual, social, and personal pursuit—the long-standing quest for identity by a lost tribe of Negroes—by every black man, woman, and child in America. In Harlem, that quest was anchored by a wide array of civic, business, and prominent leaders who succeeded in establishing what we now know as modern African American culture.

HIGHLIGHTS
• Documents the Harlem Renaissance period’s important role in one of the greatest transformations of American citizens in the history of the United States—from slavery to a migration of millions to parity of achievement in all fields
• Extends the definition of one of the most progressive periods in African American history for students, academics, and general readers
• Provides an intriguing reexamination of the Harlem Renaissance period that posits that it began earlier than most general histories of the period suggest and lasted well into the 1960s

The Battle for the Souls of Black Folk
THOMAS AIELLO

The debate between W.E.B. Du Bois and Booker T. Washington on how to further social and economic progress for African Americans lasted 20 years, from 1895 to Washington’s death in 1915. Their ongoing conversation evolved over time, becoming fiercer and more personal as the years progressed. But despite its complexities and steadily accumulating bitterness, it was still, at its heart, a conversation—an impassioned contest at the turn of the century to capture the souls of black folk. This book focuses on the conversation between Washington and Du Bois in order to fully examine its contours.

HIGHLIGHTS
• Offers a fresh exploration of the fascinating conversations and controversies between two of the most important African American leaders in history
• Provides an in-depth exploration of these two important leaders’ perspectives and views on America’s response to Jim Crow and civil rights that leads to significant new conclusions about historical information
• Presents the words of DuBois, Washington, and their allies as a conversation that enables readers to better understand the big-picture story of these two scholars
Lessons from the Black Working Class

Foreshadowing America's Economic Health

LORI LATRICE MARTIN, HAYWARD DERRICK HORTON, AND TERESA A. BOOKER

How have the experiences of black working-class women and men residing in urban, suburban, and rural settings impacted U.S. labor relations and the broader American society? This book asserts that a comprehensive and critical examination of the black working class can be used to forecast whether economic troubles are on the horizon. It documents how the increasing incidence of attacks on unions, the dwindling availability of working-class jobs, and the clamoring by the working class for a minimum wage hike is proof that the atmospheric pressure in America is rising, and that efforts to prepare for the approaching financial storm require attention to the individuals and households who are often overlooked: the black working class.

HIGHLIGHTS
• Contributes new information and fresh perspectives on the ongoing debate regarding the significance of race versus class
• Suggests a number of lessons all Americans can learn from the black working class
• Provides an insightful critique of the first black American president’s record on race and addressing socioeconomic class differences
• Supplies an unprecedented examination that simultaneously examines the diversity of the black working class as well as its historical impact on shaping and foreshadowing the U.S. economy over many generations

NEW

The Healing Power of Hip Hop

RAPHAEL TRAVIS JR.

For its profound originality, rigorous scholarship, and inspiring implications, this book will be appreciatively used and enjoyed by educators, community-builders, researchers, program architects, and implementers.

—Samuel Roberts, PhD, Associate Professor of History, Columbia University

In The Healing Power of Hip Hop, Raphael Travis Jr. offers a passionate look into existing tensions aligned with Hip Hop and demonstrates the beneficial quality it can have empowering its audience. His unique perspective takes Hip Hop out of the negative light and shows readers how Hip Hop has benefited the Black community.

Organized to first examine the social and historical framing of Hip Hop culture and Black experiences in the United States, the remainder of the book is dedicated to elaborating on consistent themes of excellence and well-being in Hip Hop, and examining evidence of new ambassadors of Hip Hop culture across professional disciplines. The author uses research-informed language and structures to help the reader fully understand how Hip Hop creates more pathways to health and learning for youth and communities.
NEW

Color Stories
Black Women and Colorism in the 21st Century

JEFFRIANNE WILDER

October 2015, 198pp, 6 1/8x9 1/4
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“Through a compelling analysis of how colorism is talked about, made sense of, and even practiced by young, Black women in their everyday lives, this book provides new understandings of the linkages between skin tone and racism and the gendered nature of both.”

—Verna M. Keith, Professor, Department of Sociology, Texas A&M University

This book offers an in-depth sociological exploration of present-day colorism in the lives of black women, investigating the lived experiences of a phenomenon that continues to affect women of African descent.

HIGHLIGHTS
• Presents a contemporary sociological analysis of the issue of skin-tone prejudice and discrimination and the unique social and cultural implications for black women in today’s society

JEFFRIANNE WILDER, PhD, is associate professor of sociology at the University of North Florida, Jacksonville, FL.

NEW

Memories of the Enslaved
Voices from the Slave Narratives

SPENCER R. CREW, LONNIE G. BUNCH III, AND CLEMENT A. PRICE, EDITORS

September 2015, 303pp, 6 1/8x9 1/4
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This book offers a first-person perspective on the institution of slavery in America, providing powerful, engaging interviews from the WPA slave narrative collection that enable readers to gain a true sense of the experience of enslavement.

HIGHLIGHTS
• Provides a historical overview of the scholarship on slavery via first-person perspectives into the institution of slavery

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LONNIE G. BUNCH III is founding director of the National Museum of African American History and Culture, Smithsonian Institution.

CLEMENT A. PRICE, PhD, was Board of Governors Distinguished Service Professor in History, Rutgers, the State University of New Jersey, Newark.

NEW

America Is Not Post-Racial
Xenophobia, Islamophobia, Racism, and the 44th President

ALGERNON AUSTIN

September 2015, 170pp, 6 1/8x9 1/4
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“This work is an invaluable and needed contribution to understanding the contours of contemporary race relations in the United States.”

—Clarence Lusane, Professor and Chairman, Howard University Political Science Department

This book is the first in-depth examination of the 25 million Americans with the most intense hatred of President Obama—arguably the most Republican-friendly of recent Democratic presidents—and what the mindsets of these “Obama Haters” teach us about race and ethnicity in America today.

ALGERNON AUSTIN, PhD, consults on race, politics, and economics in Washington, DC. He is the former director of the program on race, ethnicity, and the economy at the Economic Policy Institute.
This vital book considers the compelling and addictive hold that racism has had on centuries of Americans, explores historical and contemporary norms complicit in the problem, and appeals to the U.S. government to improve race relations, rectify existent social imperfections, and guard against future race-based abuses.

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**HIGHLIGHTS**
- Examines how race and sports are powerful social constructions
- Presents examples of how sports can serve as both a liberating and an oppressive force

**LORI LATRICE MARTIN,** PhD, is associate professor of sociology and African and African American studies at Louisiana State University.

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**White Sports/Black Sports**

**Racial Disparities in Athletic Programs**

**LORI LATRICE MARTIN**

2015 Outstanding Academic Title –Choice

The racial makeup of sports in the United States serves as a classic example of racism in the 21st century. This book examines the racial disparities in sports and the continuing significance of race in 21st-century America, debunking the myth of a “postracial society.”

**Power, Politics, and the Decline of the Civil Rights Movement**

**A Fragile Coalition, 1967–1973**

**CHRISTOPHER P. LEHMAN**

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**Crimes against Humanity in the Land of the Free**

**Can a Truth and Reconciliation Process Heal Racial Conflict in America?**

**IMANI MICHELLE SCOTT,** EDITOR

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**IMANI MICHELLE SCOTT,** PhD, is a consultant and speaker on the topics of conflict resolution and domestic violence as well as professor of communication at the Savannah College of Art and Design.

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**The Forgotten History of African American Baseball**

**LAWRENCE D. HOGAN**

“This is a book for the serious fan of history and baseball. Hogan does an excellent job of placing the players in their time, explaining what was going on in this country that allowed the barriers in the first place and what happened as baseball evolved.”

—The Star-Ledger

This text gives readers the chance to experience the unique character and personalities of the African American game of baseball in the United States, starting from the time of slavery, through the Negro Leagues and integration period, and beyond.

**LAWRENCE D. HOGAN** is emeritus professor of history at Union County College, Cranford, NJ.
This single-volume book contends that reshaping the paradigm of American Indian identity, blood quantum, and racial distinctions can positively impact the future of the Indian community within America and America itself.

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Eclipse of Dreams
The Undocumented-Led Struggle for Freedom
PEDRO SANTIAGO MARTINEZ, CLAUDIA MUÑOZ, MARIELA NUÑEZ-JANES, STEVE PAVEY, FIDEL CASTRO RODRIGUEZ, RAUL RODRIGUEZ, AND MARCO SAAVEDRA

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Through testimonials, photography, poetry, and art, this book shares compelling stories of undocumented youth who turned oppression and hopelessness into faith and commitment for a better future—individuals who dared to hope with new dreams when faced with the myth and nightmare of the “American Dream.”

PEDRO SANTIAGO MARTINEZ is the state-wide recruiter for the Northern Kentucky Migration Education Regional Center. CLAUDIA MUÑOZ is an undocumented woman from Monterrey, Mexico. MARIELA NUÑEZ-JANES is associate professor of anthropology and codirector of ethnic studies at the University of North Texas. STEVE PAVEY is an applied anthropologist, activist, and artist. FIDEL CASTRO RODRIGUEZ is an undocumented immigrant living in the shadows despite being in the United States for almost two decades. RAUL RODRIGUEZ is an artist living and working in Fort Worth, TX. MARCO SAAVEDRA is an artist and author who works at his parent’s restaurant in New York City, La Morada.

North from Mexico
The Spanish-Speaking People of the United States
Third Edition | CAREY MCWILLIAMS, SECOND EDITION UPDATED BY MATT. S. MEIER, THIRD EDITION UPDATED BY ALMA M. GARCÍA

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This single-volume book provides students, educators, and politicians with an update to the classic Carey McWilliams work North From Mexico. It provides up-to-date information on the Chicano experience and the emergent social dynamics in the United States as a result of Mexican immigration.

HIGHLIGHTS
• Provides readers with an in-depth understanding of the changing demographics of the Mexican immigrant population in the United States

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MATT S. MEIER was professor emeritus of history at the University of Santa Clara and the author of A Bibliography for Chicano History and The Mexican American Experience.
ALMA M. GARCÍA, PhD, is professor of sociology and the director of the Latin American Studies program at Santa Clara University, Santa Clara, CA.

Revolvers and Pistolas, Vaqueros and Caballeros
Debunking the Old West
D. H. FIGUEREDO

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“Though written in accessible language and in a style that keeps the reader on the edge of the seat, Figueredo’s book should please demanding academics.”
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This riveting exposé reveals how a distorted belief in Anglo superiority necessitated the rewriting of American western history, replacing heroic images of Mexican and Spanish cowboys with negative stereotypes.

HIGHLIGHTS
• Introduces topics unfamiliar to most readers, such as the role of Spanish-Mexican Jews, the presence of the Spanish Inquisition in the United States, and the real Yellow Rose of Texas

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Muslims and American Popular Culture
2 VOLUMES | IRAJ OMIDVAR AND ANNE R. RICHARDS, EDITORS

This collection is a timely, valuable contribution to the current political and cultural debates about immigration and the United States, this important book serves to clarify misrepresentations and misunderstandings regarding Muslim Americans and Islam.

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ANNE R. RICHARDS, PhD, is university ombuds and associate professor of English at Kennesaw State University. Richards was a Fulbright Teaching Fellow in Tunisia in 2006–2007 and is one of 22 active Fulbright Ambassadors.

This book examines what it takes for Latino youngsters to beat the odds, overcoming cultural and racial barriers—and a corrupt recruitment system—to play professional baseball in the United States.

HIGHLIGHTS
• Provides a historical overview of the increasing numbers of Latin Americans in Major League Baseball and its minor league system
• Details the corrupt recruitment system in several Latin American countries that, in most cases, leads aspiring youngsters on a fruitless quest for a professional baseball contract
• Highlights the careers of players, especially Roberto Clemente, who became role models for young Latin American players
• Offers a brief history of the origin of baseball in Latin American countries, drawing on unique documentary material from the National Archives

ROGER BRUNS is a historian and former deputy executive director of the National Historical Publications and Records Commission at the National Archives in Washington, DC.
Continually unstable or perpetually poor economic conditions, globalization, and rapid technological change are just three of the forces affecting a group 1.2 billion strong today, a demographic poised to become our world leaders and catalysts in the not-too-distant future: the world’s adolescents. Led by two editors who have been dedicated to studying adolescent development worldwide for decades, this novel collection of works from contributors in more than 40 countries emphasizes how possibilities for healthy mental and physical development are affected by the difficulties youths face in their countries and how these challenges have shaped, and are shaping, contemporary teenage life today.

The set comprehensively addresses issues for adolescents across the globe, such as the day-to-day challenges of poverty, inadequate education, violence or war, disease, reproductive matters, globalization and technological challenges, and more, while also providing a strengths-based focus in the volumes, showing how and why some teenagers in each country have surmounted the challenges and forged stronger characters to better their worlds. These stories document more than personal victories, and their experiences matter to far more than the adolescents themselves. In its State of the World’s Children 2011 report, UNICEF noted that the world community needs to turn its attention to adolescents in need, explaining that focusing on this large and potentially powerful group makes economic sense as well as being a necessary step in working towards achieving human justice. By addressing the risks, challenges, and strengths of teenagers as a group in countries worldwide, this work serves to break the cycle of poverty, violence, discrimination, and death for adolescents.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Offers a holistic range of topics and breadth of perspectives by addressing the risks, challenges, and strengths of teenagers as a group in countries worldwide
- Features contributions from scholars who are from—or have extensive on-the-ground experience in—the country of focus, paired with a second author shaping the chapter for an English-speaking readership
Beast-People Onscreen and in Your Brain

The Evolution of Animal-Humans from Prehistoric Cave Art to Modern Movies

MARK PIZZATO

How is our abiding interest in beast-people films like Twilight and Dracula rooted in mankind’s animal ancestry?

Vampire, werewolf, and ape-planet films are perennial favorites—perhaps because they speak to something primal in human nature. This intriguing volume examines such films in light of the latest developments in neuroscience, revealing ways in which animal-human monster movies reflect and affect the theater in our heads. Examining specific films as well as early cave images, the book discusses how certain creatures on rock walls and movie screens express animal-to-human evolution and the structures of our brains in various cultural contexts.

The book presents a new model of the human brain with its theatrical, cinematic, and animal elements. It also develops a theory of “rasa-catharsis” as the clarifying of emotions within and between spectators of the stage or screen, drawing on Eastern and Western aesthetics as well as current neuroscience. It focuses on the “inner movie theater” of memories, dreams, and reality representations, involving developmental stages, plus the “hall of mirrors,” ape-egos, and body-swapping identifications between human beings. Finally, the book shows how ironic twists onscreen—especially of contradictory emotions—might evoke a reappraisal of feelings, helping spectators to be more attentive to their own impulses. Through this interdisciplinary study, scholars, artists, and general readers will find a fresh way to understand the potential for interactive mindfulness and yet cathartic backfire between human brains—in cinema, in theatre, and in daily life.

HIGHLIGHTS

• Employs neuroscience research, evolutionary theory, and various performance paradigms, drawing on what is known about the animal ancestry and neural circuitry of the human brain to probe the framework of our bio-cultural evolution
• Explains how the “emotion pictures” found in prehistoric caves represent turning points in human awareness
• Examines a wide range of beast-people films ranging from the 1931 Dracula to the Twilight series (2008–2012) and the 2014 Dawn of the Planet of the Apes, showing how viewers connect to the films and the potential positive and negative impacts they have

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Forensic psychologists testify in civil, criminal, and juvenile justice cases.

In this absorbing and illustrative volume, experienced forensic psychologists explain the specialized field’s intersection between psychology and the justice system. It documents psychologists’ interviews with involved parties, the law research they conduct, and their testimony in court on issues that include competency to stand trial, Miranda evaluations, defendants’ sanity, sentencing, the death penalty, and violence and risk assessments, as well as on cases regarding family matters such as child custody, child protection, and parental rights. Offering firsthand testimonials from some of the best-known and most practiced professionals in the nation, the contributors not only explain the work but also offer comprehensive case studies that will enable students as well as readers who are not specialists in psychology to fully understand core concepts and appreciate the complexities and subtleties of the field.

Inside Forensic Psychology is intended for undergraduate students and graduate students studying forensic psychology or entering into a forensic psychology concentration/specialization. As an instructional text, the book serves professors as a single resource that houses varied forensic clinical case vignettes incorporating the clinical thinking of the psychologist. The rich case material will serve to excite critical thinking in students, assist instructors in expanding upon their lectures, and provide invigorating, intriguing material for lay readers.

HIGHLIGHTS
• Includes detailed case material that brings to life core concepts in forensic psychology and documents the clinical thinking and mindset of a psychologist as they meet with the patient, work in the court system, and write the court report
• Encourages readers to use their critical thinking skills through the presentation of core forensic psychology concepts throughout the clinical cases
• Addresses a subfield of psychology that is one of the best-paying and increasingly popular areas of specialization within professional psychology and is gaining awareness in the general population due to popular media such as movies, television shows, and fictional books that feature forensic psychology-themed storylines

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NEW

Ecopsychology
Advances from the Intersection of Psychology and Environmental Protection

2 VOLUMES | DARLYNE G. NEMETH, SET EDITOR, WITH ROBERT B. HAMILTON AND JUDY KURIANSKY, VOLUME EDITORS

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This anthology is a two-volume work that focuses on our relationship with the Earth and our future, examining the crossover between psychology and environmental studies in the emerging fields of ecopsychology and environmental psychology.

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FORTHCOMING

Scientific Advances in Positive Psychology

STEWART I. DONALDSON AND MEGHANA A. RAO, EDITORS

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NEW

Weapons of Mass Psychological Destruction and the People Who Use Them

LARRY C. JAMES AND TERRY L. OROSZI, EDITORS

A must-read for every concerned citizen, this absorbing book goes inside the mind of the psychological terrorist to look at what motivates him to act and to choose the weapon he does.

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- Details the science and psychology of WMPD in relation to chemical, biological, radiological, nuclear, and explosive weapons, explaining why a terrorist chooses a specific type of a weapon
- Examines who becomes a WMPD terrorist and why

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Dream Therapy for PTSD
The Proven System for Ending Your Nightmares and Recovering from Trauma

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In this series of clinical vignettes, a board-certified psychiatrist and life fellow of the American Psychiatric Association illustrates the effectiveness of dream therapy in treating posttraumatic stress disorder (PTSD).

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BRUCE DOW, MD, is a board-certified psychiatrist and psychopharmacologist who practices clinical psychiatry.

Sexual Harassment in Education and Work Settings
Current Research and Best Practices for Prevention

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Contributors to this unique book explain and compare major theories drawn from several academic fields to uncover the root causes of deviance.

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BRUCE DOW, MD, is a board-certified psychiatrist and psychopharmacologist who practices clinical psychiatry.
This thoughtful book brings together some of the best psychological and spiritual thinkers to ponder evidence-based reflections about the development and nurturance of compassion.

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Why a Gay Person Can’t Be Made Un-Gay
The Truth About Reparative Therapies

MARTIN KANTOR, MD

This book advocates for self-acceptance and supportive therapies to assist homosexuals in healing the harm done to them by negative religious, familial, and cultural systems. Recommended.

— Choice

Despite an abysmal “success rate,” practitioners still use reparative therapy in an attempt to turn gays and lesbians straight. This text exposes the pitfalls that should be considered before gays embark on this journey that typically leads nowhere.

MARTIN KANTOR, MD, is a Harvard-trained psychiatrist who has been in full private practice in Boston and New York City and active in residency training programs at hospitals including Massachusetts General in Boston, MA, and Beth Israel in New York, NY.

Racial Battle Fatigue
Insights from the Front Lines of Social Justice Advocacy

JENNIFER L. MARTIN, EDITOR
FOREWORD BY H. RICHARD MILNER IV

[An] invaluable resource; the tangible recommendations and advice it contains provide a roadmap for negotiating the inauspicious circumstances that often confront people of color at all levels in education.

— Bowling Green Daily News

Covering equity issues of sex, race, class, age, sexual orientation, and disability, this work presents creative, nontraditional narratives about performing social justice work, acknowledging the contributions of previous generations, describing current challenges, and appealing to readers to join the struggle toward a better world.

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Working with Dreams and PTSD Nightmares
15 Approaches for Psychotherapists and Counselors

JACQUE LEWIS, PHD, AND STANLEY KRIPPNER, PHD, EDITORS

Different dreamwork approaches are appropriate for different situations, settings, and client personalities.

Working with Dreams and PTSD Nightmares: 15 Approaches for Psychotherapists and Counselors is an essential tool for anyone seeking to learn how to work with dreams. It covers all major methods in use today, offering outlines of the processes with descriptive examples that make the material come alive for the reader. The clinical examples enable counselors and psychotherapists to be able to see the effectiveness of dreamwork processes, and the text clearly explains techniques so readers can use them in clinical and counseling sessions.

PTSD nightmares are given special attention to serve counselors and therapists who assist PTSD patients in settings such as private practice, mental health centers, community centers, and hospitals. This book is a comprehensive textbook appropriate for courses on psychology and dreams. Readers who are interested in dreamwork methods but have not previously worked in the field will find the information accessible, concise, and clear.

HIGHLIGHTS
• Summarizes dreamwork theories and describes techniques that counselors and psychotherapists can use whether their clients presents one dream, a recurring dream, or a nightmare
• Presents clear and concise explanations from top professionals on how their methods can be applied to uncover the deeper meaning of dreams, accompanied by illustrative examples for the reader
• Explains how various practical dreamwork methods are informed by clinical theories

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Depression is a serious health issue that affects a greater proportion of people than many would suspect. A recent report by the World Health Organization stated that depression is the predominant cause of illness and disability for those aged 10 to 19 worldwide, and more than 40 percent of U.S. college students reported experiencing symptoms of depression. Written by a clinical psychologist who has treated depressed patients and has also taught and done research in the clinical area for more than 40 years, this book presents the best and most current information that is available about depression that covers general background, theory, research results, and treatment methods in easy-to-understand, nontechnical language.

The book discusses the various different types of mood disorders and what their impact is on the health and well-being of people and society. It helps readers to understand how those who are depressed suffer, what it feels like, and how their symptoms affect their daily lives. One chapter of the book is dedicated to answering a very common question regarding depression: “Who gets it, and why?” Many major and different types of depression are covered, including adjustment disorder with depressed mood, atypical depression, depressive personality disorder, dysthymic disorder, major depressive disorder, postpartum depression, premenstrual dysphoric disorder, seasonal affective disorder, and unipolar depression. The final chapter of the book draws conclusions based on the information presented, identifies effective treatments for depression, and suggests ways that individuals can cope with depression.

HIGHLIGHTS
• Explains simply what depression is, what the causes are, what the symptoms look like, and what the best treatment options are
• Provides up-to-date information based on current scholarly and clinical materials presented in a very clear and understandable presentation that is ideal for high school and undergraduate students as well as general readers

RUDY NYDEGGER, PhD, ABPP, is professor of psychology and management at Union College and Union Graduate College in Schenectady, NY.
While anxiety is commonly associated with modern stresses and problems, few realize that disorders of this kind have existed since the beginning of time. What defines “anxiety” as a mental health condition? Who gets it and why? A concise, accessible introduction to anxiety covering everything from its causes to its symptoms, available treatment options, and prevention.

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- Analyzes psychological and biological responses to stress
- Reveals the truth behind myths about anxiety
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Understanding OCD
Skills to Control the Conscience and Outsmart Obsessive Compulsive Disorder

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This comprehensive, four-volume reference set on the subject of criminal psychology includes contributions from top scholars and practitioners in the field, explaining new and emerging theory and research in the study of the criminal mind and criminal behavior.

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How and Why Animals Do the Things They Do

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Covering a topic applicable to fields ranging from education to health care to psychology, this book provides a broad critical analysis of the assumptions that researchers and practitioners have about causation and explains how readers can improve their thinking about causation.

**HIGHLIGHTS**
- Suggests that Minna Bernays might have lied about her affair with Sigmund Freud, and that Carl Gustav Jung—whom many Freudians have accused of having fabricated the story of a Freud/Minna affair—merely conveyed what Minna had told him.

**HIGHLIGHTS**
- Coalesces survey data from 29 countries and highlights country-specific examples and cases to offer readers an insightful global perspective grounded in high-quality social science.
- Addresses the age-old question of “Does money buy happiness?” and offers an original and surprising answer.

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Bullies in the Workplace
Seeing and Stopping Adults Who Abuse Their Co-Workers and Employees

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A team of interdisciplinary experts provides an up-to-date review of current theories, empirical research, and management strategies that will help organizations address workplace bullying through both prevention and intervention.

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• Features chapters written by noted scholars, human resource professionals, psychologists, and attorneys

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Feeling Lonesome
The Philosophy and Psychology of Loneliness

BEN LAZARE MIJUSKOVIC

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“Ben Lazare Mijuskovic offers a systematic study of loneliness, informed by his rich knowledge of the history of philosophy and of psychoanalysis, and shaped by his reading of literature and his work as a therapist. . . . An incisive study of a crucial aspect of human experience.”
—David Woodruff Smith, Professor of Philosophy, Department of Philosophy, University of California at Irvine

This book presents an intricate, interdisciplinary evaluation of loneliness that examines the relation of consciousness to loneliness. It views loneliness from the inside as a universal human condition rather than attempting to explain it away as an aberration, a mental disorder, or a temporary state to be addressed by superficial therapy and psychiatric medication.

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Being Urban
A Sociology of City Life

Third Edition
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This third edition of a classic urban sociology text examines critical but often-neglected aspects of urban life from a social-psychological theoretical perspective.

HIGHLIGHTS
• Provides a complete analysis of the important social psychological dimensions of urban life that are often overlooked
• Supplies a comprehensive description of the 19th-century theoretical roots of urban sociology

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Written by acknowledged expert military historian Thomas R. Mockaitis, this book explores conventional and unconventional conflicts and considers the relationships between them. It considers how epic struggles like the American Civil War, World Wars I and II, and the conflicts in the Middle East, among many others, shaped human history. The coverage serves to highlight four themes: the relationship between armed forces and the societies that create them; the impact of technology (not just armaments) on warfare; the role of ideas and attitudes towards violence in determining why and how wars are fought; and the relationship between conventional and unconventional operations.

HIGHLIGHTS

• Provides an in-depth discussion of terrorism and the wars in Iraq and Afghanistan in the context of conventional and unconventional war
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• Addresses the future of warfare, such as cyberwarfare and the use of drones, in the final chapter

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FORTHCOMING

General George C. Marshall and the Atomic Bomb
FRANK A. SETTLE JR.

Intended for a general audience as well as scholars with specific knowledge about the subject matter, this book presents a cohesive account of General George C. Marshall’s involvement with nuclear weapons and atomic power as Army chief of staff during World War II and as secretary of state and secretary of defense in the early years of the Cold War. Marshall’s involvement with the use of nuclear weapons is set in the context of the Allies’ efforts to force Japan to surrender and the initiation of the Cold War. Readers will gain insight into Marshall’s quest for obtaining a Japanese surrender; his views on the use of the atomic bomb on Japan versus the use of conventional weapons, including fire bombing or poison gas; his interactions with Roosevelt and Truman on nuclear issues; and Marshall’s diplomatic skillfulness in dealing with the issues surrounding the control and use of nuclear weapons as secretary of state and secretary of defense in the post-World War II era.

HIGHLIGHTS

• Presents a clear and concise narrative of Marshall’s interactions with nuclear weapons, from his appointment to President Roosevelt’s advisory committee in 1941 to his tenure as President Truman’s secretary of defense in 1950

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Why England Slept
JOHN F. KENNEDY
FOREWORD BY
STEPHEN C. SCHLESINGER

Originally published in 1940, Why England Slept was written by then-Harvard student and future American president John F. Kennedy. It was Kennedy’s senior thesis that analyzed the tremendous miscalculations of the British leaders in facing Germany on the advent of World War II, and in doing so, also addressed the challenges that democracies face when confronted directly with fascist states.

HIGHLIGHTS
• Provides fascinating insights into the young mind and worldview of then-Harvard senior John F. Kennedy via his thesis, for which he’d toured Europe, the Balkans, the Soviet Union, and Czechoslovakia in the late 1930s

Published on the 40th anniversary of the end of the war in Vietnam, this book brings to life the experiences and memories of South Vietnamese soldiers—the forgotten combatants of this controversial conflict.

HIGHLIGHTS
• Relates the stories of South Vietnamese soldiers through a compelling narrative driven by oral histories
• Brings the experiences of these soldiers to life for the reader by sharing their compelling firsthand accounts
• Draws on a key oral history collection newly established at the National Library of Australia in 2013–2014
• Provides fascinating insights into the soldiers’ early years, their military service and experiences, and their post-war lives


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THE U.S. ARMY’S THIRD ARMORED DIVISION IN BATTLE

This narrative history of the U.S. Army’s Third Armored Division (3AD) covers the 3AD from its activation in 1941 until its flag folded in 1992, with an emphasis on the Division’s actions during World War II and the Persian Gulf War.

HIGHLIGHTS
• Provides a detailed campaign narrative of the Division in World War II that highlights its accomplishments in the breakout of Normandy, the fighting in northern France, and the pursuit across Germany
• Explains the historical development of the U.S. Army’s armored force as well as the weapons and doctrine employed by the 3AD
• Presents interesting key leader capsules and vignettes of small unit actions

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JOHN DECKER

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Six Steps to Take Charge of Your Care and Your Life

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The Green Solution to Breast Cancer
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A New View Based on Scientific Evidence
Thomas E. Bevan, PhD

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Diversity in Couple and Family Therapy
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Childhood and Adolescence
Cross-Cultural Perspectives and Applications
Second Edition | UWE P. GIELEN AND JAIPAUL L. ROOPNARINE, EDITORS

Traditionally, research on child and adolescent development has focused on American youth, inadvertently neglecting 96 percent of the world’s children. This all-encompassing volume introduces global perspectives on young people across the globe, focusing on such topics as parenting and childcare, gender roles, violence against girls, adolescence in poor and rich countries, and developmental psychopathology across cultures. Recently updated, the second edition includes the latest findings in the field, additional content, and new photos and charts.

NEW

Parenting in Transracial Adoption
Real Questions and Real Answers
JANE HOYT-OLIVER, HOPE HASLAM STRAUGHAN, AND JAYNE E. SCHOOLER

Anchored in a qualitative study of parents who have adopted children identified as being of a different race, this book draws from real-life experiences to raise and respond to questions that arise before, during, and after transracial adoption. Its goal: to help adoptive parents (and child welfare professionals) understand the underlying racial challenges in a transracial adoption so they can help their children cope. A highlight of this book is a chapter written by three adult adoptees who grew up within transracial families.
Fathers across Cultures
The Importance, Roles, and Diverse Practices of Dads

JAIPAUL L. ROOPNARINE, EDITOR

August 2015, 451pp, 6 1/8x9 1/4
Print: 978-1-4408-3231-4
$73.00, £46.00, €58.00
eBook: 978-1-4408-3232-1

This volume offers a comprehensive, up-to-date synopsis of fathering and father-child relationships in diverse regions of the world, helping students and practitioners alike understand cultural variations in male parenting.

HIGHLIGHTS
• Explores variations in father-child relationships across a wide range of cultural settings
• Enhances understanding of the increasing role of men in fostering the well-being of children
• Calls attention to the importance of the diverse roles of fathers in a changing global community
• Examines the changing dynamic of parenting vis-à-vis gender roles
• Approaches the study of fathering from diverse disciplinary perspectives, including sociology, anthropology, psychology, human development and family studies, and early childhood development

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Immigrant Children and Youth
Psychological Challenges

ALBERTO M. BURSZTYN AND CAROL KORN-BURSZTYN, EDITORS

July 2015, 216pp, 6 1/8x9 1/4
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$48.00, £30.00, €38.00
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Immigrants now comprise one-fourth of the 75 million children in the United States. The ability of today’s immigrant children to become productively engaged adults hinges on their internal resources and mental health. This book ascertains their psychological challenges and their often misunderstood needs.

HIGHLIGHTS
• Provides an accessible and well-informed overview of the mental health needs of immigrant children and youths that identifies the multitude of issues and challenges that put immigrant children at high risk for emotional strain
• Calls attention to the importance of the diverse roles of fathers in a changing global community
• Examines the changing dynamic of parenting vis-à-vis gender roles
• Approaches the study of fathering from diverse disciplinary perspectives, including sociology, anthropology, psychology, human development and family studies, and early childhood development

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The Psychology of Black Boys and Adolescents
2 VOLUMES
KIRKLAND C. VAUGHANS AND WARREN SPIELBERG, EDITORS
INTRODUCTION BY MARIAN WRIGHT EDELMAN

June 2014, 615pp, 6 1/8x9 1/4
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eBook: 978-0-313-38199-7

The Psychology of Black Boys & Adolescents is destined to become the essential central volume, encompassing the greatest minds on the subject of black young males in America today.

—William S. Pollack, PhD, ABPP
Associate Clinical Professor
Department of Psychiatry
Harvard Medical School

Drawing on personal insights and research-based knowledge, this important work facilitates understanding of the psychological struggles of young African American males and offers ameliorative strategies.

KIRKLAND C. VAUGHANS, PhD, is a licensed psychologist and psychoanalyst.

WARREN SPIELBERG, PhD, Fulbright Scholar, is a psychologist, psychoanalyst, and member of the faculty at the New School for Public Engagement.
This provocative book takes a look at children’s consumption of sexualized media messages while providing parents, teachers, and professionals with strategies for abating their influence. This book explains how studies in brain development and epigenetics—the inextricable interplay of genes and environments—have led to breakthroughs in the understanding of children’s psychological disturbances and serve to discredit the scientifically unsupported “chemical imbalance theory” of mental illness.

Stripping away the hype, this book describes how, when, and why media violence can influence children of different ages, giving parents and teachers the power to maximize the media’s benefits and minimize its harm.

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An important component of the book is the recommendations for parents, pediatricians, and policymakers about both the benefits as well as the harmful effects of the media.

The book is clearly written, and the chapters are well referenced with research literature in the field. Recommended. —Choice

This very timely volume, on an exceptionally important topic in the lives of children and families, is a frank and thought-provoking consideration of the issues. —Frank Farley, PhD, Former President, American Psychological Association

An important component of the book is the recommendations for parents, pediatricians, and policymakers about both the benefits as well as the harmful effects of the media.

—Dorothy G. Singer, PhD, Retired Senior Research Scientist Yale University

Dr. Klein provides a comprehensive and essential resource for parents and pediatricians alike. —Marianne Finerman, MD Pediatrician

Educating and raising gifted children presents highly specific challenges. This book explains how parents can learn to optimize their child’s potential and work with schools, spouses, friends, and specialists to create a nurturing and stable life.

BARBARA KLEIN, PhD, EdD, has worked with gifted children, their parents, and public and private schools in the greater Los Angeles area since 1986.
Debates for the Digital Age
The Good, the Bad, and the Ugly of Our Online World

2 VOLUMES | DANIELLE SARVER COOMBS AND SIMON COLLISTER, EDITORS

Books about Internet culture usually focus on the people, places, sites, and memes that constitute the “cutting-edge” at the time the book is written. That approach, alas, renders such volumes quickly obsolete. This provocative work, on the other hand, focuses on overarching themes that will remain relevant for the long term. The insights it shares will highlight the tremendous impact of the Internet on modern civilization—and individual lives—well after specific players and sites have fallen out of favor.

HIGHLIGHTS
• Includes essays on overarching themes and issues that are essential to understanding Internet culture, including privacy, celebrity, superficiality, and the personal toll online living can have on users
• Addresses current Internet material as well as classic memes, sites, and products
• Engages readers through a deliberately provocative point of view
• Provides a comprehensive examination of the realities surrounding Internet culture, which can be extremely positive or very ugly

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Violence in American Popular Culture

2 VOLUMES | DAVID SCHMID, EDITOR; FOREWORD BY HAROLD SCHECHTER

Few topics are discussed more broadly today than violence in American popular culture. Unfortunately, such discussion is often unsupported by fact and lacking in historical context. This two-volume work aims to remedy that through a series of concise, detailed essays that explore why violence has always been a fundamental part of American popular culture, the ways in which it has appeared, and how the nature and expression of interest in it have changed over time.

HIGHLIGHTS
• Provides a narrative of the development of violence in American popular culture, illustrating both continuity and change
• Combines an overview of each essay’s subject matter with in-depth analysis of specific examples
• Features discussion of well-known portrayers of violence, such as film and television, as well as lesser-known sources—for example, murder ballads and Puritan sermons—helping readers place contemporary concerns and examples into a detailed historical context
• Suggests directions for future research and other developments in the field
• Includes a keyword index to enable readers to track continuities across the various essays

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Social Media and Politics
A New Way to Participate in the Political Process
2 VOLUMES | GLENN W. RICHARDSON JR., EDITOR

The last decade has seen dramatic changes in the U.S. political process. The advent of social media and other new forms of expression have enabled an unprecedented number of citizens to enter the political arena by expressing their opinions about issues and candidates in ways that can influence untold numbers of voters and officials. But the vast majority of politicians have not fully grasped how social media has fundamentally changed the process of communication or adjusted to the dramatic shift in political power that is taking place.

HIGHLIGHTS
- Covers key political and cultural issues in today's discourse—such as gay marriage, race, gender, “big data,” and hyper-surveillance—from a variety of perspectives and a broad range of contributors
- Provides informed analysis of social media eruptions and their potential to change and shape political discourse
- Supplies an analysis of power that highlights the forgotten core of politics and political communication

October 2016, 618pp, 6 1/8x9 1/4
Print: 978-1-4408-3950-4
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eBook: 978-1-4408-3951-1

GLENN W. RICHARDSON JR., PhD, teaches courses in American government, the American presidency, American political thought, constitutional law, American political parties, and public opinion at Kutztown University of Pennsylvania.

American Popular Culture in the Era of Terror
Falling Skies, Dark Knights Rising, and Collapsing Cultures
JESSE KAVADLO

“Jesse Kavadlo strikes just the right note . . . it is informed, entertaining, insightful, learned, and highly, highly readable.”
—David Cowart, Louise Fry Scudder Professor of English and Humanities
University of South Carolina

“This is cultural criticism at its finest—reaching meaningfully into the past to chart a pathway for the future.”

Bringing together the most popular genres of the 21st century, this book argues that Americans have entered a new era of narrative dominated by the fear—and wish fulfillment—of the breakdown of authority and terror itself.

HIGHLIGHTS
- Provides an interesting new framework in which to examine popular culture
- Examines films, television shows, and primary texts such as novels for evidence of cultural anxiety and a preoccupation with terror

September 2015, 218pp, 6 1/8x9 1/4
Print: 978-1-4408-3562-9
$48.00, £30.00, €38.00
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JESSE KAVADLO, PhD, is professor of English at Maryville University of St. Louis.
This book explores how the next generation of teen and young adult heroines in popular culture are creating a new feminist ideal for the 21st century.

An essential companion to Michael Jackson’s music, films, and books, this work offers 21 original, academic essays on all things Jackson—from film, music, and dance to fashion, culture, and literature.

Using historical and current examples from film, television, literature, advertisements, and music, this book reveals the ways that rape and abuse are typically presented—and misrepresented—and evaluates the impact of these depictions on consumers.

Written by an expert in media, popular culture, gender, and sexuality, this book surveys the common archetypes of Internet users—from geeks, nerds, and gamers to hackers, scammers, and predators—and assesses what these stereotypes reveal about our culture’s attitudes regarding gender, technology, intimacy, and identity.

The scholarship is beyond comprehensive and the analysis is astute, clear, and fair-minded. This book is a treasure for students of popular culture and for anyone interested in the demonization of technology.

—David Anderegg, PhD, Author of Nerds and Worried All the Time

LAUREN ROSEWARNE, PhD, is a senior lecturer at the University of Melbourne.
Radio 2.0
Uploading the First Broadcast Medium
MATTHEW LASAR

Welcome to the uncertain world of “Radio 2.0”—where podcasts, mobile streaming, and huge music databases are the new reality, as are tweeting deejays and Apple’s Siri serving as music announcer—and understand the exciting status this medium has, and will continue to have, in our digitally inclined society.

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HIGHLIGHTS
• Presents great stories about digital radio innovators and fascinating moments in the history of AM/FM that will explain to today’s “Radio 2.0 generation” what radio once was—and what it could be again

MATTHEW LASAR, PhD, holds a doctorate in history from the Claremont Graduate School and teaches history and media courses at the University of California at Santa Cruz.

The Words and Music of Elvis Costello
JAMES E. PERONE

This book provides in-depth analysis of the words, music, and recordings of Elvis Costello, one of the most enigmatic, eclectic, and critically acclaimed singer-songwriters of the rock era.

May 2015
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eBook: 978-1-4408-3216-1

HIGHLIGHTS
• Provides expert analysis of the words and music of Elvis Costello within a cultural context that will benefit readers interested in popular music as well as popular music scholars and serious fans of Elvis Costello

JAMES E. PERONE, PhD, is associate dean of the faculty and Margaret Morgan Ramsey Professor in music at the University of Mount Union, Alliance, OH.

The Words and Music of Alanis Morissette
KAREN FOURNIER

Through an examination of her music, videos, philanthropic work, and biographical details, this book gives insight into Alanis Morissette’s musical career and day-to-day life, from her early pop beginnings in Canada to her work today.

January 2015
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Print: 978-1-4408-3068-6
$37.00, £24.00, €29.00
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HIGHLIGHTS
• Provides a study of subject matter far beyond Morissette’s blockbuster album, Jagged Little Pill, with coverage extending to 2012’s Havoc and Bright Lights
• Explains how Morissette’s enormous appeal among fans lies largely in their identification with details that she shared about her life and experiences

KAREN FOURNIER, PhD, is associate professor of music theory at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor.
American Hauntings
The True Stories behind Hollywood’s Scariest Movies—from The Exorcist to The Conjuring
ROBERT E. BARTHOLOMEW
AND JOE NICKELL

In its exploration of some of the most influential, popular, or critically acclaimed television dramas since the year 2000, this book documents how modern television dramas reflect our society through their complex narratives about prevailing economic, political, security, and social issues.

HIGHLIGHTS
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SARA E. QUAY is dean of the school of education at Endicott College in Beverly, MA, and is director of the Endicott College Scholars honors program.

The Brooklyn Thrill-Kill Gang and the Great Comic Book Scare of the 1950s
MARIAH ADIN

What caused four recently bar mitzvahed middle-class youths to go on a crime spree of assault and murder in 1954? This book provides a compelling narrative retelling of the boys, their crimes, and a U.S. culture obsessed with juvenile delinquency.

HIGHLIGHTS
• Tells a fascinating true crime story involving murder, juvenile delinquency, secret sexualities, and obscene comic books from a time in American history often portrayed as idyllic and innocent
• Provides revealing insights into the anxieties of the post-Holocaust Jewish-American community

MARIAH ADIN, PhD, is a Fulbright Scholar, historian, and writer specializing in juvenile delinquency and modern American history.

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eBook: 978-1-4408-3373-1

“Mariah Adin’s engrossing account about a crime spree by four Brooklyn adolescents, dubbed the ‘Thrill Kill Gang,’ belongs on the bookshelf of anyone interested in youth culture and the history of postwar America.”
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**Black Hollywood**
From Butlers to Superheroes, the Changing Role of African American Men in the Movies

**KIMBERLY FAIN**

"Black Hollywood is a must read for those seeking current impressions of how African Americans are portrayed on the silver screen. . . . This is a one-of-a-kind jewel for both reading enjoyment and research opportunities."

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eBook: 978-1-4408-3191-1

**Star Power**
The Impact of Branded Celebrity

**2 VOLUMES AARON BARLOW, EDITOR**

Stars do have real power, but not all of them wield it wisely. This work explores how a variety of celebrities developed their brands and how celebrity can become a jumping-off point to entirely unrelated activities.

August 2014
548pp, 6 1/8x9 1/4
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**Spike Lee**
Finding the Story and Forcing the Issue

**JASON P. VEST**

"[A]n exhaustive study of Spike Lee’s dramatic films and documentaries . . . blending this mass of information in a way that is readable and remarkably clear. . . . Recommended."

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Spike Lee’s journey from guerrilla filmmaker to Hollywood insider is explored in light of his personal background, the cultural influence of his films, and the extensive scholarship his movies have inspired.

JASON P. VEST, PhD, is associate professor of English at the University of Guam.

**Film Firsts**
The 25 Movies That Created Contemporary American Cinema

**ETHAN ALTER**

February 2014
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This forward-looking exploration of contemporary American film across the last 40 years identifies and examines the specific movies that changed the film industry and shaped its present and future.

ETHAN ALTER is chief film critic and editor for the website, Television Without Pity.
Evil isn’t simply an abstract theological or philosophical talking point. In our society, the idea of evil feeds entertainment, manifests in all sorts of media, and is a root concept in our collective psyche. This accessible and appealing book examines what evil means to us.

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Intellectual Property Law in the Sports and Entertainment Industries

WALTER T. CHAMPION, KIRK D. WILLIS, AND PATRICK K. THORNTON

In this detailed yet readable legal analysis, the authors thoroughly evaluate the connections between intellectual property and the sports and entertainment industries, covering everything from copyrights and patents to trademarked logos and marketing strategies.

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The late PATRICK K. THORNTON was associate professor in sports management at Rice University.

Sports and Scandals
How Leagues Protect the Integrity of Their Games

EDWARD J. LORDAN

“A thorough, provocative exploration of scandal in the world of sports and how the individuals involved and their organizations have sought to manage the crises and prevent future ones.”

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EDWARD J. LORDAN, PhD, is professor of communication studies at West Chester University, PA.

Baby Boomers and Popular Culture
An Inquiry into America’s Most Powerful Generation

BRIAN COGAN AND THOM GENCARELLI, EDITORS

“Recommended. Lower-division undergraduates and above; general readers.”

—Choice

The Boomers are the generation that changed everything, from economics to politics to popular culture. This book examines the myriad ways and long-reaching consequences of the now fully “grown up” Baby Boomer generation on America.

BRIAN COGAN, PhD, is associate professor and chair in the Department of Communications at Molloy College, Rockville Centre, NY.

THOM GENCARELLI, PhD, is associate professor and the founding chair of the Communication Department at Manhattan College in Riverdale, NY.
Media Literacy
Keys to Interpreting Media Messages

Fourth Edition | ART SILVERBLATT, ANDREW SMITH, DON MILLER, JULIE SMITH, AND NIKOLE BROWN

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“The book could be incorporated into courses in media studies, journalism, and communications and enjoyed by anyone interested in learning more about mass media. . . . Recommended.” —Choice

Covering print, photography, film, radio, television, and new media, this textbook instructs readers on how to take a critical approach to media and interpret the information overload that is disseminated via mass communication.

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DON MILLER is faculty at Webster University.
JULIE SMITH is professor at Webster University.
NIKOLE BROWN is a graduate student at Webster University.

The Praeger Handbook of Media Literacy
2 VOLUMES | ART SILVERBLATT, EDITOR

November 2013, 1,007pp. 7x10
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We Are What We Sell
How Advertising Shapes American Life. . . and Always Has

3 VOLUMES | DANIELLE SARVER COOMBS AND BOB BATEHOR, EDITORS

January 2014, 1,004pp. 6 1/8x9 1/4
Print: 978-0-313-39244-3
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FORTHCOMING

Oy Oy Oy Gevalt!
Jews and Punk
MICHAEL CROLAND

April 2016, 183pp, 6 1/8x9 1/4
Print: 978-1-4408-3219-2
$37.00, £24.00, €29.00
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Step inside a fascinating world of Jews who relate to their Jewishness through the vehicle of punk—from prominent figures in the history of punk to musicians who proudly put their Jewish identity front and center.

HIGHLIGHTS
• Provides a fascinating exploration of alternative, against-the-grain expressions of Jewish identity in the contemporary United States as seen in music, documentaries, young adult novels, zines, and more
• Shows the prominent role of Jewish individuals in the history of punk, including such major bands as the Ramones, the Dictators, the Clash, Bad Religion, and NOFX as well as Malcolm McLaren, the manager of the Sex Pistols
• Documents the significant role that punk has played in shaping key contemporary Jewish music, including klezmer and Radical Jewish Culture

MICHAEL CROLAND has written about Jews and punk for the Forward, New Voices, and his former blog, heebnvegan.

God and Popular Culture
A Behind-the-Scenes Look at the Entertainment Industry’s Most Influential Figure
2 VOLUMES
STEPHEN BUTLER MURRAY AND AIMEE UPJOHN LIGHT, EDITORS

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This contributed two-volume work tackles a fascinating topic: how and why God plays a central role in the modern world and profoundly influences politics, art, culture, and our moral reflection—even for nonbelievers.

HIGHLIGHTS
• Supplies a broad conception of “God” that provides readers with a fuller and more accurate portrait of a phenomenon that evolved substantially over time but also remains an enduring—and enduringly influential—element of popular culture

The Reverend STEPHEN BUTLER MURRAY is president and professor of systematic theology and preaching at Ecumenical Theological Seminary in Detroit, MI.

AIMEE UPJOHN LIGHT, PhD, is assistant professor of theology at Duquesne University and specializes in interreligious work and feminist theologies.

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Scientology in Popular Culture
Influences and Struggles for Legitimacy
STEPHEN A. KENT AND SUSAN Raine, EDITORS

August 2016, 321pp, 6 1/8x9 1/4
Print: 978-1-4408-3249-9
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This multidisciplinary study of Scientology examines the organization and the controversies around it through the lens of popular culture, referencing movies, television, print, and the Internet—an unusual perspective that will engage a wide range of readers and researchers.

HIGHLIGHTS
• Discusses Scientology within the framework of popular culture, which is how most people outside the religion come in contact with it

STEPHEN A. KENT, PhD, is professor of sociology at the University of Alberta, where he teaches undergraduate and graduate courses on the sociology of religion and the sociology of sectarian groups.

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This introduction to media literacy from a Christian perspective provides the tools to find and assess the beneficial—or harmful—ideologies depicted in notable films, programs, and trends. This three-volume collection demonstrates the depth and breadth of evangelical Christians’ consumption, critique, and creation of popular culture, and how evangelical Christians are both influenced by—and influence—mainstream popular culture, covering comic books to movies to social media.

**Remote Virtue**
**A Christian Guide to Intentional Media Viewing**

**JEN LETHERER**

“This splendid book is wise, insightful, and practical. You’ll appreciate TV and movies more, be a more discerning and informed viewer, and know how to discuss the latest ones with friends and family.”

—Quentin J. Schultze, Professor of Communication Emeritus, Calvin College

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