

A Possible Anthropology

Methods for Uneasy Times

ANAND PANDIAN

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In a time of intense uncertainty, social strife, and ecological upheaval, what does it take to envision the world as it yet may be? The field of anthropology, Anand Pandian argues, has resources essential for this critical and imaginative task. Anthropology is no stranger to injustice and exploitation. Still, its methods can reveal unseen dimensions of the world at hand, and radical experience as the seed of a humanity yet to come. *A Possible Anthropology* is an ethnography of anthropologists at work: canonical figures like Bronislaw Malinowski and Claude Lévi-Strauss, ethnographic storytellers like Zora Neale Hurston and Ursula K. Le Guin, contemporary scholars like Jane Guyer and Michael Jackson, and artists and indigenous activists inspired by the field. In their company, Pandian explores the moral and political horizons of anthropological inquiry, the creative and transformative potential of an experimental practice.



Fencing In Democracy

Border Walls, NecroCitizenship, and the Security State

MIGUEL DÍAZ-BARRIGA & MARGARET E. DORSEY

Global Insecurities

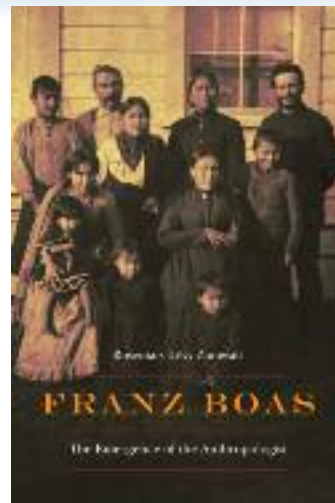
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Anthropologists Margaret E. Dorsey and Miguel Díaz-Barriga argue that border wall construction manifests transformations in citizenship practices that are aimed not only at keeping migrants out but also enmeshing citizens into a wider politics of exclusion. For a decade, the authors studied the U.S.-Mexico border wall constructed by the Department of Homeland Security and observed the political protests and legal challenges that residents mounted in opposition to the wall. In *Fencing In Democracy* Dorsey and Díaz-Barriga take us to those border communities most affected by the wall and often ignored in national discussions about border security to highlight how the state diminishes citizens' rights. That dynamic speaks to the citizenship experiences of border residents that is indicative of how walls imprison the populations that they are built to protect. Dorsey and Díaz-Barriga brilliantly expand conversations about citizenship, the operation of U.S. power, and the implications of border walls for the future of democracy.



Franz Boas

The Emergence of the Anthropologist

ROSEMARY LÉVY ZUMWALT

Critical Studies in the History of

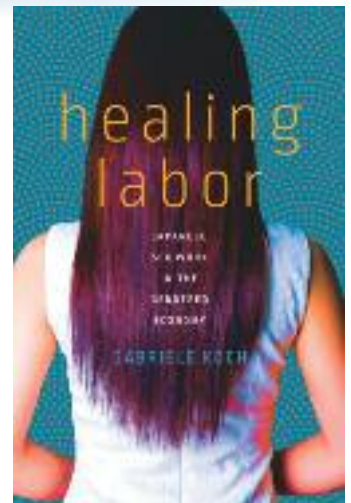
Anthropology

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Rosemary Lévy Zumwalt tells the remarkable story of Franz Boas, one of the leading scholars and public intellectuals of the late nineteenth and early twentieth centuries. The first book in a two-part biography, *Franz Boas* begins with the anthropologist's birth in Minden, Germany, in 1858 and ends with his resignation from the American Museum of Natural History in 1906 while also examining his role in training professional anthropologists from his berth at Columbia University in New York City. Zumwalt follows the stepping-stones that led Boas to his vision of anthropology as a four-field discipline, a journey demonstrating especially his tenacity to succeed, the passions that animated his life, and the toll that the professional struggle took on him. *Franz Boas* presents the remarkable life story of an American intellectual giant as told in his own words through his unpublished letters, diaries, and field notes. Zumwalt weaves together the strands of the personal and the professional to reveal Boas's love for his family and for the discipline of anthropology as he shaped it.



Healing Labor

Japanese Sex Work in the Gendered Economy

GABRIELE KOCH

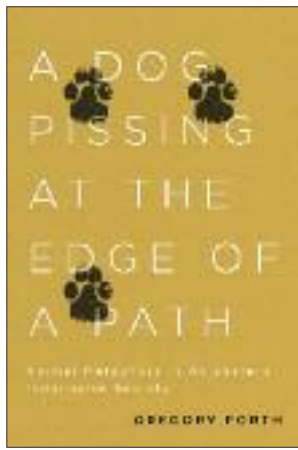
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Contemporary Japan is home to one of the world's largest and most diversified markets for sex. Widely understood to be socially necessary, the sex industry operates and recruits openly, staffed by a diverse group of women who are attracted by its high pay and the promise of autonomy—but whose work remains stigmatized and unmentionable. Based on fieldwork with adult Japanese women in Tokyo's sex industry, *Healing Labor* explores the relationship between how sex workers think about what sex is and what it does and the political-economic roles and possibilities that they imagine for themselves. Gabriele Koch reveals how Japanese sex workers regard sex as a deeply feminized care—a healing labor—that is both necessary and significant for the well-being and productivity of men. In this nuanced ethnography that approaches sex as a social practice with political and economic effects, Koch compellingly illustrates the linkages between women's work, sex, and the gendered economy.



A Dog Pissing at the Edge of a Path

Animal Metaphors in an Eastern Indonesian Society

GREGORY FORTH

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Forth focuses on how the Nage people understand metaphor and use their knowledge of animals to shape specific expressions. Theoretically engaging with anthropology's recent ontological turn, this book considers whether metaphors reveal significant differences in conceptions of human-animal and human-human relations. **Excludes Asia Pacific**



Action=Vie

A History of AIDS Activism and Gay Politics in France

CHRISTOPHE BROQUA

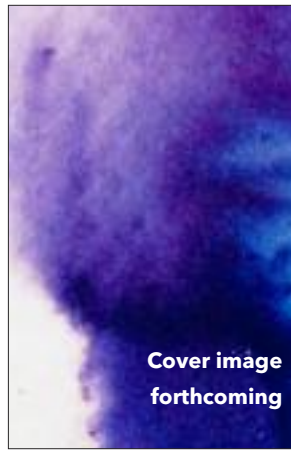
FOREWORD BY DAVID M. HALPERIN

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Act Up-Paris became one of the most notable protest groups in France in the mid-1990s, representing the interests of those affected by HIV through openly political activism. *Action=Vie*, the English-language translation of Christophe Broqua's study, explains the reasons for the group's success and sheds light on Act Up's defining features. **Excludes Asia Pacific**



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Affective Justice

The International Criminal Court and the Pan-Africanist Pushback

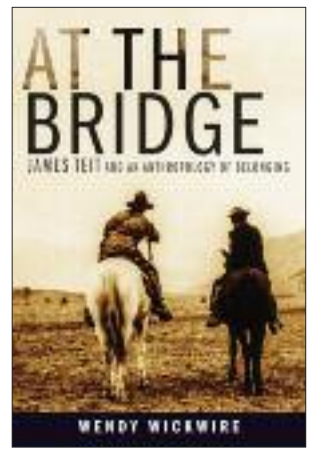
KAMARI MAXINE CLARKE

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Since its inception in 2001, the International Criminal Court (ICC) has been met with resistance by various African states and their leaders, who see the court as a new iteration of colonial violence and control. Kamari Maxine Clarke explores the African Union's pushback against the ICC in order to theorize affect's role in shaping forms of justice in the contemporary period.



At the Bridge

James Teit and an Anthropology of Belonging

WENDY WICKWIRE

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At the Bridge lifts from obscurity the story of James Teit (1864–1922), an outstanding Canadian ethnographer and Indian rights activist whose thoughtful scholarship and tireless organizing have been largely ignored. **Excludes SE Asia, Indian sc & ANZ**



Back to America

Identity, Political Culture, and the Tea Party Movement

WILLIAM H. WESTERMEYER

Anthropology of Contemporary North America

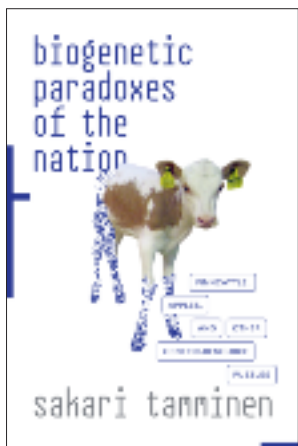
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Back to America is one of the few ethnographies of local activist groups within the Tea Party Movement. Westermeyer explains the significance of grassroots groups in individual as well as collective political identity formation and how both contribute to the success of the wider movement.



Biogenetic Paradoxes of the Nation

Finncattle, Apples, and Other Genetic-Resource Puzzles

SAKARI TAMMINEN

Experimental Futures

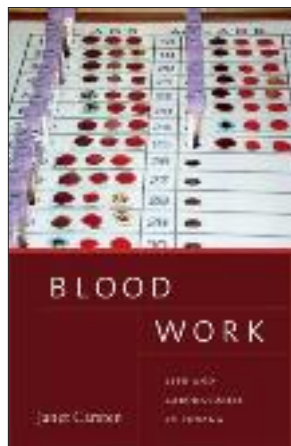
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Sakari Tamminen traces the ways in which the mandates of 1992's Convention on Biological Diversity—hailed as the key symbol of a common vision for saving Earth's biodiversity—contribute less to biodiversity conservation than to individual nations using genetic resources for economic and cultural gain.



Blood Work

Life and Laboratories in Penang

JANET CARSTEN

The Lewis Henry Morgan Lectures

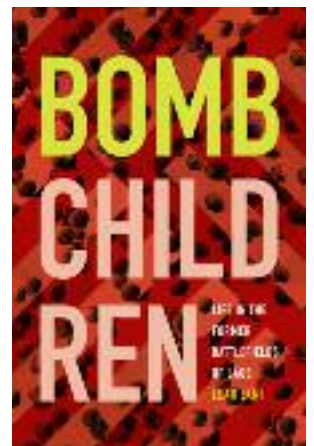
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Janet Carsten traces the multiple meanings of blood as it moves from donors to labs, hospitals, and patients in Penang, Malaysia, showing how those meanings provide a gateway to understanding the social, political, and cultural dynamics of modern life.



Bomb Children

Life in the Former Battlefields of Laos

LEAH ZANI

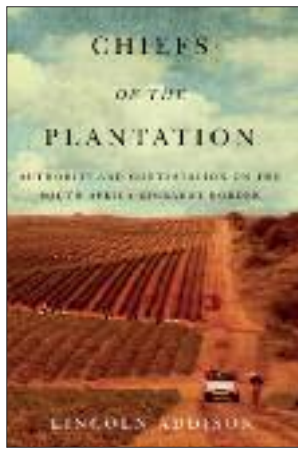
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Zani offers a perceptive analysis of the long-term, often subtle, and unintended effects of massive air warfare. Zani traces the sociocultural impact of cluster submunitions—known in Laos as “bomb children”—through stories of explosives clearance technicians and others living and working in these old air strike zones.



Chiefs of the Plantation

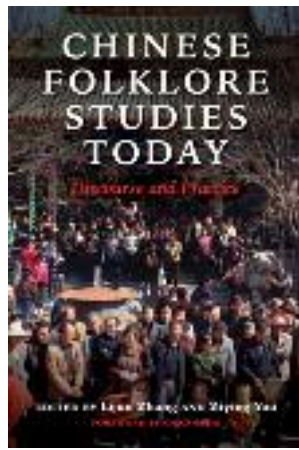
Authority and Contestation on the South Africa-Zimbabwe Border

LINCOLN ADDISON

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Addison examines how labour conflict is fuelled by changing management practices and how workers respond and resist. Depicting, in rich ethnographic detail, daily life on a plantation, Addison describes how agriculture has been restructured in the post-apartheid era through a delegation of authority from white landowners to black intermediaries.

Excludes Asia Pacific



Chinese Folklore Studies Today

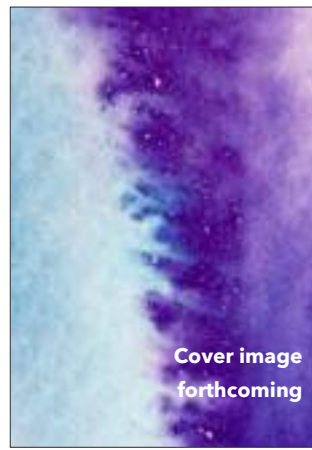
Discourse and Practice

FOREWORD BY CHAO GEJIN

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INDIANA UNIVERSITY PRESS

Chinese folklorists are well acquainted with the work of their English-language colleagues, but until recently the same could not be said about American scholars' knowledge of Chinese folkloristics. This book aims to address this knowledge gap by illustrating the dynamics of contemporary folklore studies in China.



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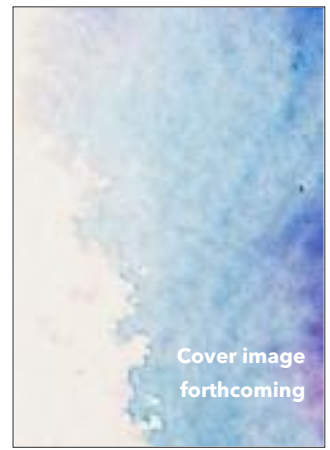
Concrete Dreams

Practice, Value, and Built Environments in Post-Crisis Buenos Aires

NICHOLAS D'AVELLA

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Nicholas D'Avella offers an ethnographic reflection on the value of buildings in post-crisis Buenos Aires, showing how everyday practices transform buildings into politically, economically, and socially consequential objects, and arguing that such local forms of value and practice suggest possibilities for building better futures.



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Demanding Images

Democracy, Mediation, and the Image-Event in Indonesia

KAREN STRASSLER

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Karen Strassler explores the role of public images as they gave visual form to the ideals, aspirations, and anxieties of democracy. Considering photographs, posters, contemporary art, graffiti, selfies, memes, and other visual media, she argues that people increasingly engage with politics through acts of making, circulating, manipulating, and scrutinizing images.



Disruptive Voices and the Singularity of Histories

EDITED BY REGNA DARNELL & FREDERIC W. GLEACH

Histories of Anthropology Annual
November 2019 408pp 46 figures, 1 table, 1 timeline
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UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA PRESS

In *Disruptive Voices and the Singularity of Histories*, Regna Darnell and Frederic W. Gleach explore the interplay of identities and scholarship through the history of anthropology, with a special section examining fieldwork predecessors and indigenous communities in Native North America.



Driving toward Modernity

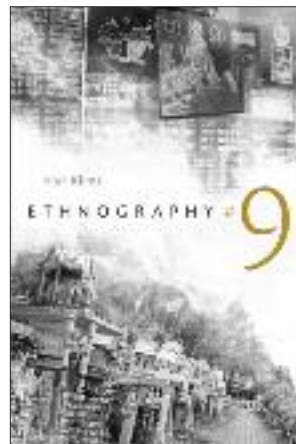
Cars and the Lives of the Middle Class in Contemporary China

JUN ZHANG

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Zhang explores the entanglement between the rise of the automotive regime and emergence of the middle class in South China. Focusing on the Pearl River Delta, Zhang shows how private cars have shaped everyday middle-class sociality, solidarity, and subjectivity, and how the automotive regime has helped make the new middle classes of the PRC.

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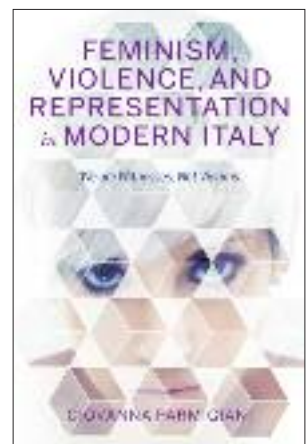


Ethnography #9

ALAN KLIMA

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In this experimental ethnography, Alan Klima examines moneylending, gambling, funeral casinos, and the consultations of spirits and mediums to predict winning lottery numbers to illustrate the relationship between contemporary Thai spiritual and financial practices and global capitalism's abstraction of monetary value.



Feminism, Violence, and Representation in Modern Italy

"We are Witnesses, Not Victims"

GIOVANNA PARMIGIANI

New Anthropologies of Europe
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Parmigiani traces the use of the word "femminicidio" (or "femicide") as a tool to mobilize Italian feminists, particularly the Union of Women in Italy (UDI). She provides a searing consideration of the ways in which representations of violence and the politics of this representation are shaping the future of women in Italy and beyond.



Food in Cuba

The Pursuit of a Decent Meal

HANNA GARTH

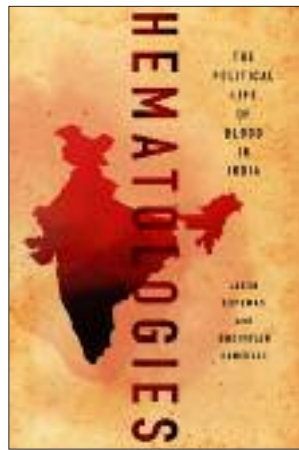
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Based on extensive fieldwork with families in Santiago de Cuba, the island's second largest city, *Food in Cuba* follows Cuban families as they struggle to maintain a decent quality of life in Cuba's faltering, post-Soviet welfare state by specifically looking at the social and emotional dimensions of shifts in access to food.



Hematologies

The Political Life of Blood in India

JACOB COPEMAN &

DWAIPAYAN BANERJEE

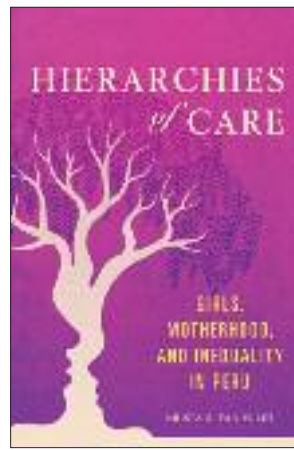
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In this ground-breaking account of the political economy and cultural meaning of blood in contemporary India, Jacob Copeman and Dwaipayan Banerjee examine how the giving and receiving of blood has shaped social and political life. *Hematologies* traces how the substance congeals political ideologies, biomedical rationalities, and activist practices.

Excludes ANZ



Hierarchies of Care

Girls, Motherhood, and Inequality in Peru

KRISTA E VAN VLEET

Interp Culture New Millennium

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Krista E. Van Vleet offers a rich ethnography of the young women of Palomítay. Groundbreaking and original, *Hierarchies of Care* highlights the moral engagement of young women seeking to understand themselves and their place in society in the presence of circumstances that are both precarious and full of hope.

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Hutu Rebels

Exile Warriors in the Eastern Congo

ANNA HEDLUND

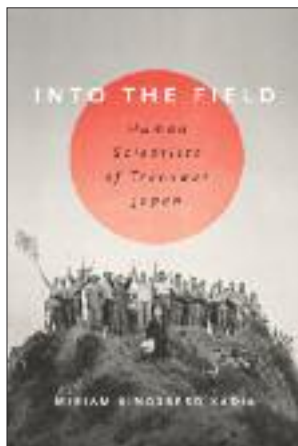
The Ethnography of Political Violence

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Drawing on ethnographic fieldwork in a rebel camp located deep in the Congo forest, Anna Hedlund explores the micropolitics and practices of everyday life in a community of Hutu rebel fighters and their families and attempts to understand why they continue to fight in what appears to be an endless conflict.



Into the Field

Human Scientists of Transwar Japan

MIRIAM L. KINGSBERG KADIA

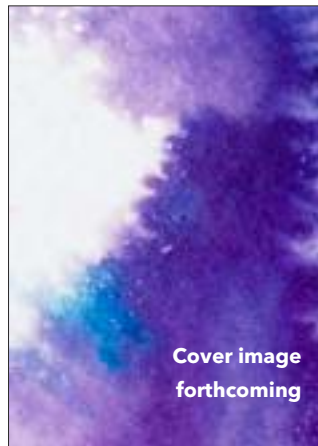
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Into the Field is a collective biography of the generation of Japanese human scientists who created "objective" field knowledge of human diversity to support imperial expansionism. Their legacy lives on in the disciplines they developed and the beliefs they incorporated into Japanese and global understandings of human diversity.



Living Tangier

Migration, Race, and Illegality in a Moroccan City

ABDELMAJID HANNOUM

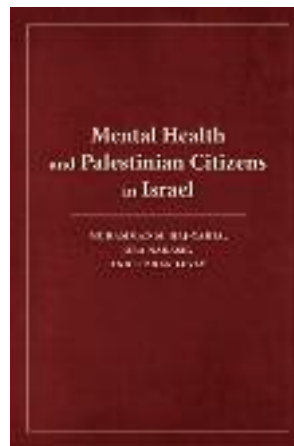
Contemporary Ethnography

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Living Tangier examines African migration to Europe and European migration to Africa, focusing on the dynamics of migration in terms of race and legal standing in Tangier, a Moroccan city at the intersection of Africa and Europe. Based on extensive ethnographic work, it explores how migrants experience and affect the city.



Mental Health and Palestinian Citizens in Israel

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ORA NAKASH & ITZHAK LEVAV

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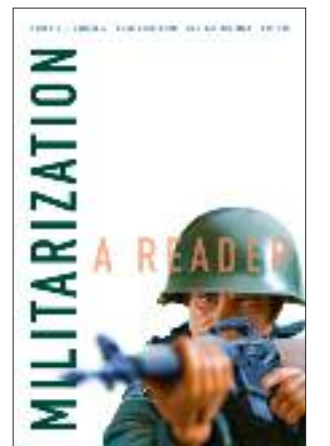
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The work collected here draws on the first-hand experience of experts working with Israeli Palestinians to highlight the problems faced by service users, their families, and their communities. It offers research and observation on three central topics: socio-cultural determinants of mental health, mental health needs, and mental health service utilization.



Militarization

A Reader

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Militarization: A Reader offers an anthropological perspective on militarization's origin and sustained presence as a cultural process in its full social, economic, political, cultural, environmental, and symbolic contexts throughout the world.



Political Life in the Wake of the Plantation

Sovereignty, Witnessing, Repair

DEBORAH A. THOMAS

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Deborah A. Thomas uses the 2010 military and police incursion into the Kingston, Jamaica, Tivoli Gardens neighborhood as a point of departure for theorizing the roots of contemporary state violence in Jamaica and other post-plantation societies.



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Politics of Rightful Killing

Civil Society, Gender, and Sexuality in Weblogistan

SIMA SHAKHSARI

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Sima Shakhsari analyzes the growth of Weblogistan—the online and real-life transnational network of Iranian bloggers in the early 2000s—and the ways in which despite being an effective venue for Iranians to pursue their political agendas, it was the site for surveillance, cooptation, and self-governance.



Reciprocal Ethnography and the Power of Women's Narratives

ELAINE J LAWLESS

FOREWORD BY AMY SHUMAN

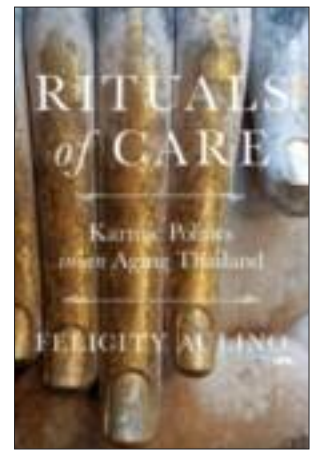
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Collected here for the first time are Elaine J. Lawless's key articles on the topics of reciprocal ethnography and women's narrative which influenced not only folklore, but also the allied fields of anthropology, sociology, performance studies, and women's and gender studies. Lawless's methods and research continue to be critically relevant in today.



Rituals of Care

Karmic Politics in an Aging Thailand

FELICITY AULINO

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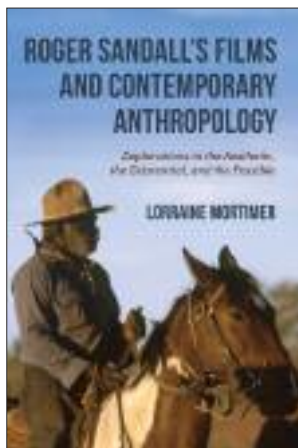
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End-of-life issues are increasingly central to discussions within medical anthropology, the anthropology of political action, and the study of Buddhist philosophy and practice. Felicity Aulino's *Rituals of Care* speaks directly to these important anthropological and existential conversations, challenging common presumptions about the universal nature of "caring."

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Roger Sandall's Films and Contemporary Anthropology

Explorations in the Aesthetic, the Existential, and the Possible

LORRAINE MORTIMER

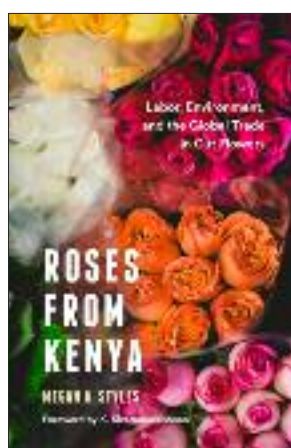
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In this book Lorraine Mortimer reunites film and anthropology through the works of Roger Sandall, a New Zealand-born filmmaker and Columbia University graduate, who was part of the vibrant avant-garde and social documentary film culture in New York in the 1960s.



Roses from Kenya

Labor, Environment, and the Global Trade in Cut Flowers

MEGAN A. STYLES

FOREWORD & SERIES EDITED BY

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Culture, Place, and Nature

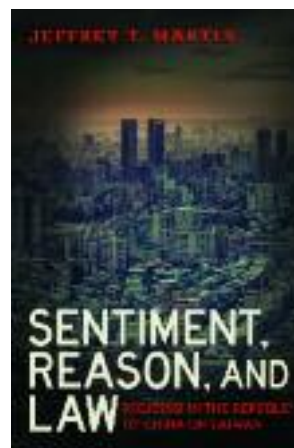
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UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON PRESS

In this rich portrait of Kenyan floriculture, Megan Styles presents the point of view of local workers and investigates how the industry shapes Kenyan livelihoods, landscapes, and politics.



Sentiment, Reason, and Law

Policing in the Republic of China on Taiwan

JEFFREY T. MARTIN

Police/Worlds: Studies in Security, Crime, and Governance

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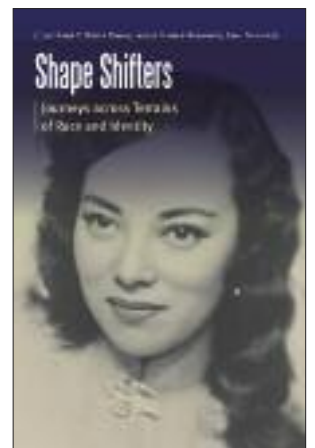
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What if the job of police was to cultivate the political will of a community to live with itself (rather than enforce law, keep order, or fight crime)? In *Sentiment, Reason, and Law*, Jeffrey T. Martin describes a world where that is the case.

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Shape Shifters

Journeys across Terrains of Race and Identity

EDITED BY LILY ANNE Y. WELTY TAMAI,

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PAUL SPICKARD

Borderlands and Transcultural Studies

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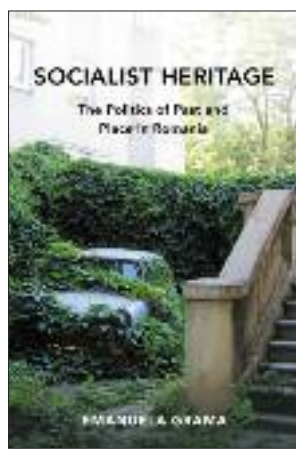
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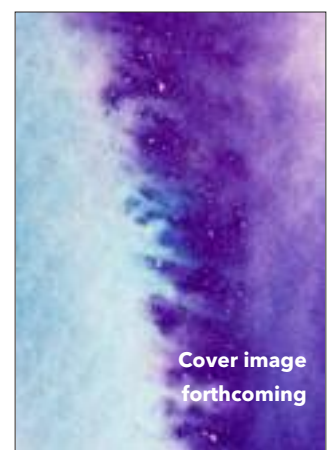
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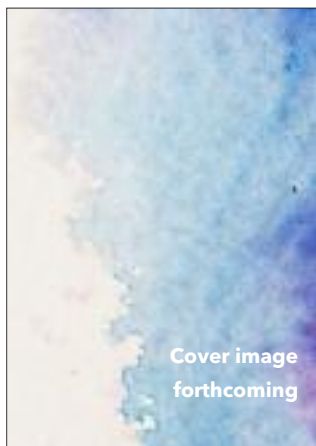
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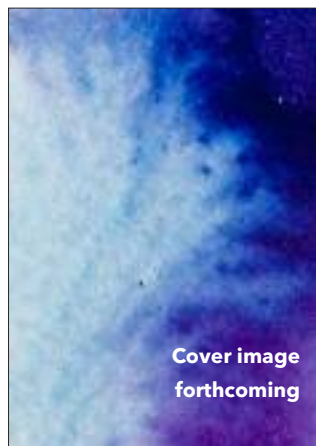
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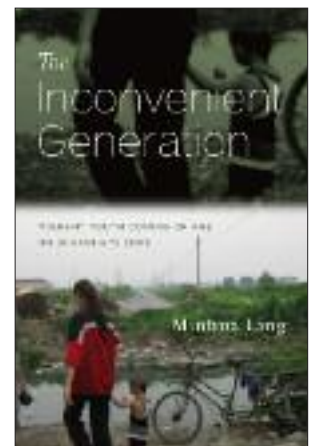
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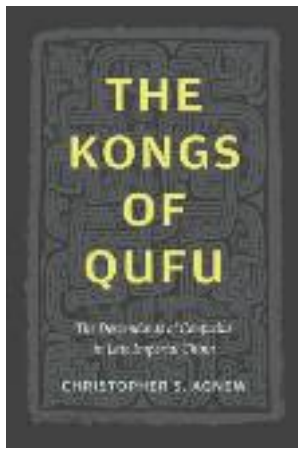
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Drawing on ten years of ethnographic data collected from multi-sited field research, Ling's book traces the journeys of dozens of second-generation migrants from middle school to the labor market in Shanghai and reveals the ongoing process of inclusion and exclusion that shapes the politics of citizenship in urban China.



The Kongs of Qufu

The Descendants of Confucius in Late Imperial China

CHRISTOPHER S. AGNEW

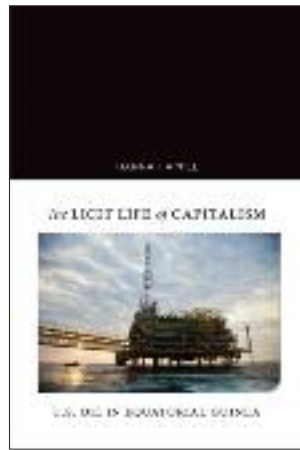
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The city of Qufu, in north China's Shandong Province, is famous as the hometown of Kong Qiu (551–479 BCE)—known as Confucius in English. In *The Kongs of Qufu*, Agnew chronicles the history of the sage's direct descendants from the inception of the hereditary title Duke of Fulfilling the Sage in 1055 CE through its dissolution in 1935.



The Licit Life of Capitalism

U.S. Oil in Equatorial Guinea

HANNAH APPEL

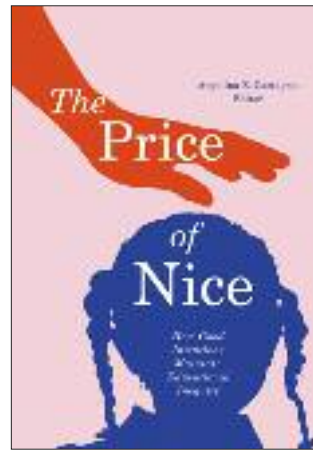
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The Licit Life of Capitalism is both an account of a specific capitalist project—U.S. oil companies working off the shores of Equatorial Guinea—and a sweeping theorization of more general forms and processes that facilitate diverse capitalist projects around the world.



The Price of Nice

How Good Intentions Maintain Educational Inequity

EDITED BY ANGELINA E. CASTAGNO

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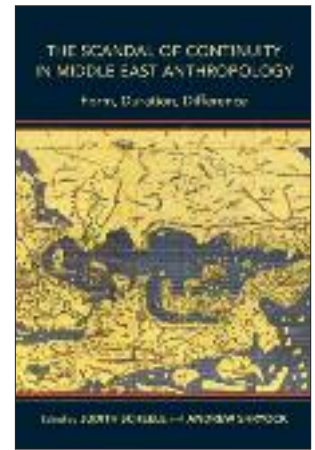
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Being nice is difficult to critique. Niceness is almost always portrayed and felt as a positive quality. In *The Price of Nice*, an interdisciplinary group of scholars explores Niceness in educational spaces from elementary schools through higher education to highlight how this seemingly benign quality reinforces structural inequalities.

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The Scandal of Continuity in Middle East Anthropology

Form, Duration, Difference

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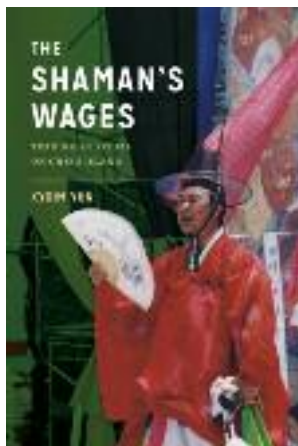
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The contributors to this volume reject this view and show how the Middle East is in fact vital to the discipline and how Middle Eastern anthropologists have developed theoretical and methodological tools that address and challenge the region's political, ethical, and intellectual concerns.



The Shaman's Wages

Trading in Ritual on Cheju Island

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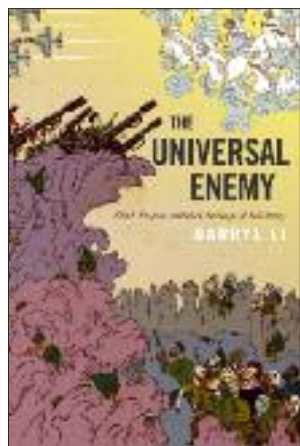
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This book offers the first in-depth study of simbang, hereditary shamans on Cheju Island off the peninsula's southwest coast. Yun explores the ambivalence toward practitioners, whose services have long been sought out yet derided as wasteful by anti-shaman commentators and occasionally by their clients.



The Universal Enemy

Jihad, Empire, and the Challenge of Solidarity

DARRYL LI

Stanford Studies in Middle Eastern and Islamic Societies and Cultures

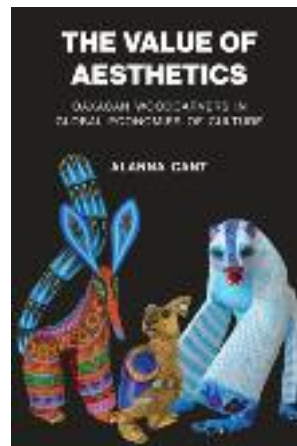
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This book argues that transnational jihadists are engaged in their own form of universalism: these fighters struggle to realize an Islamist vision directed at all of humanity. Developed from more than a decade of research with former fighters, Li explores the relationship between jihad and American empire to shed critical light on both.



The Value of Aesthetics

Oaxacan Woodcarvers in Global Economies of Culture

ALANNA CANT

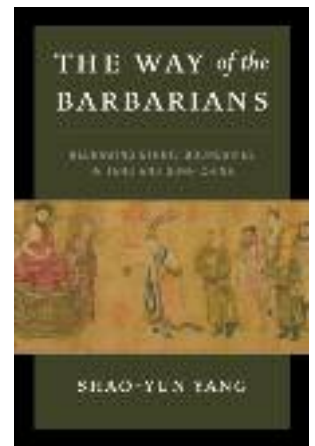
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The Value of Aesthetics is an ethnographic study of the economic and cultural impact of aesthetics, focusing on an internationally renowned workshop where Oaxacan woodcarvings, or alebrijes, are highly profitable. Cant also shows how aesthetic practices produce and redefine social and political relationships.



The Way of the Barbarians

Redrawing Ethnic Boundaries in Tang and Song China

SHAO-YUN YANG

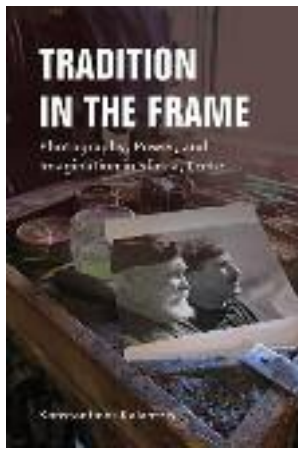
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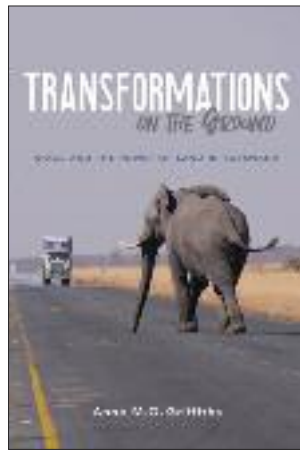
Yang challenges assumptions that the cultural and socioeconomic watershed of the Tang-Song transition (800–1127 CE) was marked by a xenophobic or nationalist hardening of ethnocultural boundaries in response to growing foreign threats. In that period, reinterpretations of Chineseness and its supposed antithesis, "barbarism," were not straightforward products of political change but had their own developmental logic.



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Sfakians on the island of Crete are known for their distinctive dress and appearance, fierce ruggedness, and devotion to traditional ways. Konstantinos Kalantzis explores how Sfakians live with the burdens and pleasures of maintaining these expectations of exoticism for themselves, for their fellow Greeks, and for tourists.



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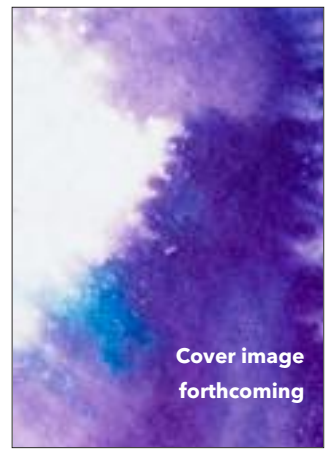


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Technologies of Development in Urban Ethiopia

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Contributors to this special issue examine the discourse and practices of policing, providing insights into how policing transforms societal relationships and develops and maintains order. Identifying parallels between police and military power, contributors argue that policing is the violence work of maintaining a specific social order.

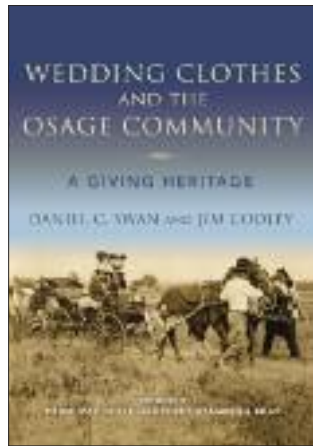


Waste Siege

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Waste Siege depicts the environmental, infrastructural, and aesthetic context in which Palestinians are obliged to forge their lives. Stamatopoulou-Robbins considers how multiple authorities governing the West Bank rule by waste siege, whether intentionally or not. *Waste Siege* thus not only describes a stateless Palestine, but also becomes a metaphor for our besieged planet.

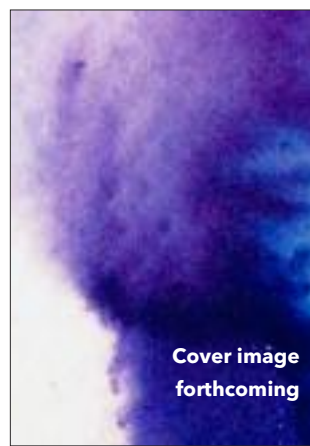


Wedding Clothes and the Osage Community

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This book explores how gift exchange serves as a critical component in the preservation and perpetuation of Osage society. The authors collaborate with members of the Osage Nation to discuss this foundational cultural practice over two centuries and in multiple social contexts.

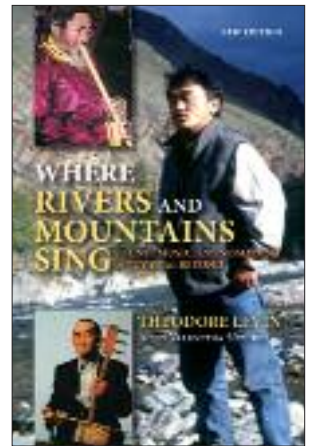


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