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Staple Security

Bread and Wheat in Egypt

Jessica Barnes

October 2022 320pp 45 illus. 9781478018520 £22.99/ \$27.95 PB 9781478015864 £90.00/ \$104.95 HB

DUKE UNIVERSITY PRESS

Explores the process of sourcing domestic and foreign wheat for

the production of bread and its consumption across urban and rural settings. Theorizes the nexus between food and security, drawing attention to staples and the lengths to which people go to secure their consistent availability and quality.



Understanding Crime and Place

A Methods Handbook

Edited by Elizabeth R. Groff and Cory P. Haberman

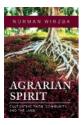
February 2023 552pp 33 color photos, 23 tables, 53 figures

9781439920671 £64.00/ \$74.95 PB 9781439920664 £119.00/ \$149.50 HB

TEMPLE UNIVERSITY PRESS

An introduction to the fundamental techniques and methods used for understanding geography of crime. Capturing state of the art crime and place research methods and analysis, this is a comprehensive Handbook focused on the specific skills researchers need.

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ENVIRONMENT

Agrarian Spirit

Cultivating Faith, Community, and the Land

Norman Wirzba

August 2022 268pp 9780268203092 £23.99/ \$29.00 HB

UNIVERSITY OF NOTRE DAME PRESS

Demonstrates how agrarianism is of vital and continuing significance for spiritual life today. Far from being the exclusive concern of a dwindling number of farmers, this book shows how agrarian practices are an important corrective to the political and economic policies that are doing so much harm to our society and habitats.



Aquaman and the War against Oceans

Comics Activism and Allegory in the Anthropocene

Rvan Poll

Encapsulations: Critical Comics Studies November 2022 270pp 20 illus., index 9781496225856 £24.99/ \$30.00 PB

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Ryan Poll argues that the New 52 Aquaman develops the superhero into a figure of ecological justice who charts the environmental apocalypse caused by global capitalism and helps readers connect the violences occurring in the ocean to those occurring on the surface, including sexism and racism.



An Inconvenient Apocalypse

Environmental Collapse, Climate Crisis, and the Fate of Humanity

Wes Jackson and Robert Jensen

September 2022 248pp 9780268203665 £19.99/ \$24.00 PB 9780268203658 £86.00/ \$100.00 HB

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For decades, our world has understood that we are on the brink of an apocalypse—and yet the only implemented solutions have been convenient initiatives that avoid unpleasant truths about the root causes of our impending disaster. This book argues that we must reconsider the origins of the consumption crisis and the challenges we face.



Born with a Copper Spoon

A Global History of Copper, 1830-1980

Edited by Robrecht Declercq, Duncan Money and Hans Otto Otto Frøland

November 2022 328pp 17 tables, 17 charts, 4 b&w photos, 2 maps

9780774864855 £77.00/ \$89.95 HB

UBC PRESS

Large-scale production has affected ecologies, states, and companies, while creating and even destroying local communities. From copper cartels to the consequences of resource nationalism, this book delivers a global perspective on one of the world's most important metals.

Excludes Japan, SE Asia, Indian SC & ANZ



Breathing Aesthetics Jean-Thomas Tremblay

October 2022 240pp 17 illus. 9781478018865 £20.99/ \$25.95 PB 9781478016229 £86.00/ \$99.95 HB

DUKE UNIVERSITY PRESS

Argues that difficult breathing indexes the uneven distribution of risk in the contemporary era.

Examines the prominence of breathing in responses to contemporary crises within literature, film, and performance cultures, showing how breathing has emerged as a medium through which biopolitical and necropolitical forces are increasingly exercised and experienced.



Citizens of Worlds

Open-Air Toolkits for Environmental Struggle

Jennifer Gabrys

November 2022 360pp 119 b&w figures; 7 color plates

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Modern environments are awash with pollutants churning through the air, from toxic gases and intensifying carbon to carcinogenic particles and novel viruses. The effects on our bodies and our planet are perilous. *Citizens of Worlds* is the first thorough study of the increasingly widespread use of digital technologies to monitor and respond to air pollution. *Excludes Japan & ANZ*



Climate Change and the New Polar Aesthetics

Artists Reimagine the Arctic and Antarctic

Lisa E. Bloom

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DUKE UNIVERSITY PRESS

Considers the way artists, filmmakers, and activists in the Arctic and Antarctic use their art to illustrate our current environmental crises and to reconstruct public understanding of them. Engages feminist, Black, Indigenous, and non-Western perspectives.



Climate Change, Interrupted

Representation and the Remaking of Time

Barbara Leckie

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In this moment of climate precarity, Victorian studies scholar Barbara Leckie considers the climate crisis as a problem of time. Spanning the long nineteenth century through our current moment, her interdisciplinary treatment of climate change at once remakes time and illustrates that the time for climate action is now.



Does the Earth Care?

Indifference, Providence, and Provisional Ecology

Mick Smith and Jason Young

Forerunners: Ideas First June 2022 132pp 9781517913205 £9.00/ \$10.00 PB

UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA PRESS

Does the Earth Care? offers an Earthly alternative to either cold realism or alienated despair in the face of impending ecological disaster. It outlines a "provisional ecology," drawing on a variety of literary and philosophical sources from Richard Jefferies and Robert Macfarlane to Martin Heidegger and Gaia theory.

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Field Guide to a Hybrid Landscape

Introduction by Katie Anania

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UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA PRESS

Dana Fritz's photographs of Nebraska's hand-planted forest

make visible the forces such as sand, wind, water, planting, thinning, sowing, and burning that have shaped this unique landscape. Fritz's contemporary photographs of this unique ecosystem illuminate the complex environmental and natural history of the site, especially as it relates to built environments, land use, and climate change.



Heaven on the Half Shell

The Story of the Oyster in the Pacific Northwest

David George Gordon, Samantha Larson and MaryAnn Barron Wagner, Foreword by Kenneth K. Chew

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Offers a thoroughly researched and richly illustrated history of the Pacific Northwest's beloved bivalve, the oyster.



Hydronarratives

Water, Environmental Justice, and a Just Transition

Matthew S. Henry

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The story of water in the United States is one of ecosystemic disruption and social injustice. Focusing on creative responses to intensifying water crises in the United States, *Hydronarratives* explores how narrative and storytelling support environmental justice advocacy in Black, Indigenous, and low-income communities.



Oceanographers and the Cold War

Disciples of Marine Science

Jacob Darwin Hamblin

September 2022 368pp 10 illus. 9780295751276 £24.99/ \$30.00 PB

UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON PRESS

This is the first book to examine the study of the oceans during

the Cold War era and explore the international focus of American oceanographers, taking into account the roles of the US Navy, US foreign policy, and scientists throughout the world. Hamblin demonstrates that to understand the history of American oceanography, one must consider its role in both conflict and cooperation with other nations.



Homewaters

A Human and Natural History of Puget Sound

David B. Williams

August 2022 264pp 8 maps, 38 b&w illus.

9780295751009 £16.99/ \$19.95 NIP

UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON PRESS

Transformed by settlement and resource extraction, Puget Sound and its future health now depend on a better understanding of the region's ecological complexities. Witty, graceful, and deeply informed, *Homewaters* weaves history and science into a fascinating and hopeful narrative, one that will introduce newcomers to the astonishing life that inhabits the Sound and offers longtime residents new insight into and appreciation of the waters they call home.



In the Name of Wild

One Family, Five Years, Ten Countries, and a New Vision of Wildness

Phillip Vannini and April Vannini, With Autumn Vannini

October 2022 288pp 16-page full-colour insert, 20 b&w photos

9780774890403 £20.99/ \$24.95 PB

UBC PRESS

Takes you on the five-year journey one family made across five continents to re-imagine the meaning of wildness. Part travelogue, part ethnography, this book takes us on a journey into the lives of the people who call places such as Tasmania, Patagonia, and Iceland home. Excludes Japan, SE Asia, Indian SC & ANZ



Out of Breath

Vulnerability of Air in Contemporary Art

Caterina Albano

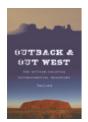
Forerunners: Ideas First April 2022 96pp 9781517913557 £8.00/ \$10.00 PB

UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA PRESS

Caterina Albano examines the

cultural significance of breath and air to a wide array of forces in our midst, including economy, politics, infection, and ecological violence. Conceived in response to the Covid-19 pandemic and systemic inequalities that it has laid bare, *Out of Breath* shows the potential of artistic practices to mobilize affect as a form of cultural and political critique.

Excludes Japan & ANZ



Outback and Out West

The Settler-Colonial Environmental Imaginary

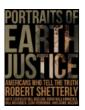
Tom Lynch

November 2022 366pp 31 photos, 2 maps, index

9781496221971 £52.00/ \$60.00 HB

UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA PRESS

Examines the ecological consequences of a settler-colonial imaginary by comparing the expressions of settler colonialism in the literary output of the American West and Australian Outback. Lynch studies the implications of our settlement heritage on history, art, and the environment through the cross-national comparison of spaces.



Portraits of Earth Justice

Americans Who Tell the Truth Robert Shetterly

September 2022 128pp 51 color illus. 9781613321874 £28.99/\$34.95 HB

NEW YORK UNIVERSITY PRESS

Features Robert Shetterly's magnificent color portraits and

profiles of fifty environmental and climate activists—people who diagnose the truth of the greatest crisis humanity has ever confronted and take action. The book also features 5 original essays by revered environmentalists, whose words illuminate the plight and its causes, and point a way forward.

Excludes Taiwan, Japan, SE Asia & ANZ



Restoring Nature

The Evolution of Channel Islands National Park

Lary M. Dilsaver and Timothy J. Babalis

America's Public Lands

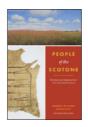
January 2023 426pp 32 photos, 1 illus., 15 maps, 2 charts, index

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UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA PRESS

Presents an innovative regional and environmental history of a little-known corner of the Pacific West, and examines how the National Park Service has sought to reestablish native species and eradicate the exotic flora and fauna from Channel Islands National Park, and explores why the damage happened in the first place.



People of the Ecotone

Environment and Indigenous Power at the Center of Early America

Robert Michael Morrissey, Foreword by Paul S. Sutter, Series edited by Paul S. Sutter

Weyerhaeuser Environmental Books

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Tracing dynamic chains of causation from microscopic viruses to massive forces of climate. This book offers new insight on Indigenous power and Indigenous logics.



Preserving Yellowstone's Natural Conditions

Science and the Perception of Nature

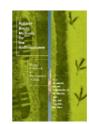
James A. Pritchard

October 2022 370pp 42 photos, 2 maps, index

9781496233059 £20.99/ \$25.95 PB

UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA PRESS

In this new edition about preserving Yellowstone's natural conditions James A. Pritchard had added a summary of recent developments in wildlife science and management and discusses historical continuities in the role of the park as a wildlife refuge and the inestimable values of the park for wildlife conservation.



Rubber Boots Methods for the Anthropocene

Doing Fieldwork in Multispecies Worlds

Edited by Astrid Oberborbeck Andersen, Nils Bubandt and Rachel Cypher

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Answering methodological challenges posed by the Anthropocene, this collection retools the empirical study of the socioecological chaos of the contemporary moment across the arts, human science, and natural science.

Excludes Japan & ANZ



Settling the Boom

The Sites and Subjects of Bakken Oil

Edited by Mary E. Thomas and Bruce Braun

February 2023 248pp 36 b&w illus. 9781517913878 £21.99/ \$27.00 PB 9781517913861 £93.00/ \$108.00 HB

UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA PRESS

Over the past decade, new oil plays have unsettled U.S. energy landscapes and imaginaries. *Settling the Boom* studies how the disruptive forces of an oil boom in the northern Great Plains are contained through the extension of settler temporalities, reassertions of heteropatriarchy, and the tethering of life to the volatility of oil and its cruel optimisms. *Excludes Japan & ANZ*



Solarities

Seeking Energy Justice

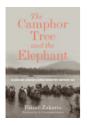
Edited by Ayesha Vemuri and Darin Barney

Forerunners: Ideas First June 2022 92pp 1 b&w illus. 9781517914141 £9.00/ \$10.00 PB

UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA PRESS

Solarities considers the possibilities of organizing societies and economies around solar energy, and the challenges of a just and equitable transition away from fossil fuels. Far from presenting solarity as a utopian solution to the climate crisis, it critically examines the ambiguous potentials of solarities: plural, situated, and often contradictory.

Excludes Japan & ANZ



The Camphor Tree and the Elephant

Religion and Ecological Change in Maritime Southeast Asia

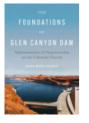
Faizah Zakaria, Series edited by K. Sivaramakrishnan, Foreword by K. Sivaramakrishnan

Culture, Place, and Nature

December 2022 254pp 5 b&w illus., 3 maps, 1 chart, 4 tables 9780295751184 £24.99/ \$30.00 PB 9780295751191 £85.00/ \$99.00 HB

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Traces the conversion of the Batak people in upland Sumatra and the Malay Peninsula to Islam and Christianity during the long nineteenth century.



The Foundations of Glen Canyon Dam

Infrastructures of Dispossession on the Colorado Plateau

Erika Marie Bsumek

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UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS PRESS

Reorients the story of the Glen Canyon Dam to reveal a pattern of Indigenous erasure by weaving together the stories of religious settlers and Indigenous peoples, engineers and biologists, and politicians and spiritual leaders. This book is a provocative and essential piece of modern history, particularly as water in the West becomes increasingly scarce and fights over access to it unfold.



The Cultivated Forest

People and Woodlands in Asian History

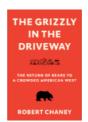
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This examination of wood and woodlands in East and Southeast Asia brings together case studies from China, Japan, Korea, Taiwan, and Sumatra to explore continuities in the history of forest management across these regions as well as the distinctive qualities of human-forest relations within each context.



The Grizzly in the Driveway

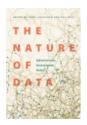
The Return of Bears to a Crowded American West

Robert Chaney

May 2022 288pp 11 b&w illus., 2 maps 9780295750972 £16.99/ \$19.95 NIP

UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON PRESS

Mixing fast-paced storytelling with details about the hidden lives of grizzly bears, this book chronicles the resurgence of this charismatic species against the backdrop of the country's long history with the bear. Chaney captures the clash between groups with radically different visions: ranchers frustrated at losing livestock, environmental advocates, hunters, and conservation and historic preservation officers of tribal nations.



The Nature of Data

Infrastructures, Environments, Politics

Edited by Jenny Goldstein and Eric Nost

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This book analyzes how new digital technologies affect environments and their control. This innovative volume presents some of the first innovative volume presents some of the first but rapidly growing subfield that addresses the role of data infrastructures in critical environmental politics.



The Plastic Turn Ranjan Ghosh

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Offers a novel way of looking at plastic as the defining material

of our age and at the plasticity of plastic as an innovative means of understanding the arts and literature. Ghosh terms this approach the material-aesthetic and, through this concept, traces the emergence and development of plastic polymers along the same historical trajectory as literary modernism.



The Promise of Multispecies Justice Edited by Sophie Chao, Karin Bolender and Eben Kirksey

September 2022 296pp 23 illus. 9781478018896 £21.99/ \$26.95 PB 9781478016250 £86.00/ \$99.95 HB

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What are the possibilities for multispecies justice? How do social justice struggles intersect with the lives of animals, plants, and other creatures? Leading thinkers in anthropology, geography, philosophy, speculative fiction, poetry, and contemporary art answer these questions from diverse grounded locations.



The Settler Sea

California's Salton Sea and the Consequences of Colonialism

Traci Brynne Voyles

Many Wests

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UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA PRESS

An environmental history of Southern California's Salton Sea, and the complex politics of environmental and human health in the West. Examining how settler colonialism restructures physical environments in ways that further Indigenous dispossession, racial capitalism, and degradation of the natural world, this book asks how settler colonialism entraps nature to do settlers' work for them.



Toxic Timescapes

Examining Toxicity across Time and Space

Edited by Simone M. Müller and May-Brith Ohman Nielsen

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Explores human-environment relationships on our permanently polluted planet. From radioactive waste to coral reefs, this environmental humanities volume reconsiders contamination and pollution as toxic timescapes: dynamic events with both temporal and spatial dimensions.



Vanishing Sands

Losing Beaches to Mining

Orrin H. Pilkey, Norma J. Longo, William J. Neal, Nelson G. Rangel-Buitrago, Keith C. Pilkey and Hannah L. Hayes

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DUKE UNIVERSITY PRESS

Travelling from Africa, Asia, and the Caribbean to South America and the eastern United States, the authors of *Vanishing Sands* track the devastating environmental, social, and economic impact of legal and illegal sand mining over the past twenty years.



What Is Extinction?

A Natural and Cultural History of Last Animals

Joshua Schuster

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Life on Earth is facing a mass extinction event of our own making. Human activity is changing the biology and the meaning of extinction. What Is Extinction? examines several key moments that have come to define the terms of extinction over the past two centuries, exploring instances of animal and human finitude and the cultural forms used to document and interpret these events.



Against the Commons

A Radical History of Urban Planning

Álvaro Sevilla-Buitrago

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Characterized by shared, self-managed access to food, housing, and the basic conditions for a creative life, the commons are essential for communities to flourish and protect spaces of collective autonomy from capitalist encroachment. In a narrative spanning more than three centuries, this book provides a radical counterhistory of urban planning that explores how capitalism and spatial politics have evolved to address this challenge. Excludes Japan & ANZ



China Urbanizing

Impacts and Transitions

Edited by Weiping Wu and Qin Gao

The City in the Twenty-First Century October 2022 240pp 5 b&w, 4 maps, 24 tables, 12 charts/graphs 9781512823011 £65.00/ \$75.00 HB

UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA

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China turned majority urban only in the recent decade, a dramatic leap given that less than 20 percent of its population lived in cities before 1980. This book situates China's urbanization in the interconnected forces of historical legacies, contemporary state interventions, and human and ecological conditions.



URBAN

A Good Place to Do Business

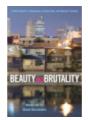
The Politics of Downtown Renewal since 1945

Roger Biles and Mark H. Rose

Urban Life, Landscape and Policy
October 2022 362pp 3 halftones, 1 duotone, 6 maps
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How six industrial cities in the American Rust Belt reacted to deindustrialization in the years after World War II. Excludes Asia Pacific



Beauty and Brutality

Manila and Its Global Discontents

Edited by Martin F. Manalansan IV, Robert Diaz and Roland B. Tolentino

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Diverse perspectives on Manila that suggest the city's sights and sounds broaden how Philippine histories are defined and understood. Essays also map out of geographies of repression and resistance in the urban war of classes, genders and sexualities, ethnicities and races, and generations, along with the violence of urban life and growth. Excludes Asia Pacific



Fearing the Immigrant

Racialization and Urban Policy in Toronto

Parastou Saberi

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Argues that Toronto's urban

policies are influenced by a territorialized and racialized security agenda—one that parallels the "War on Terror." Focusing on the figure of the immigrant and so-called immigrant neighborhoods as the targets of urban policy, Saberi offers an innovative, multidisciplinary approach to the politics of racialization and the governing of alterity through space in contemporary cities.



Global Sustainable Cities

City Governments and Our Environmental Future

Edited by Danielle Spiegel-Feld, Katrina Miriam Wyman and John J. Coughlin

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Perspectives from worldwide experts on how major cities across the globe are responding to the major environmental threats of our time, including global climate change. Excludes Taiwan, Japan, SE Asia & ANZ



Ruderal City

Ecologies of Migration, Race, and Urban Nature in Berlin

Bettina Stoetzer

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Traces the more-than-human relationships between people, plants, and animals in contemporary Berlin, showing how Berlin's "urban nature" becomes a key site in which notions of citizenship and belonging as well as racialized, gendered, and classed inequalities become apparent. Helps us rethink the space of nature and culture and the categories through which we make sense of urban life in inhospitable times.



Urban Planning in a World of Informal Politics

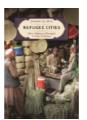
Chandan Deuskar

The City in the Twenty-First Century October 2022 250pp 15 b&w, 3 maps, 2 tables, 4 graphs 9781512823066 £60.00/ \$69.95 HB

UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA

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Chandan Deuskar explores how politicians in developing democracies provide urban land and services to the urban poor in exchange for their political support, demonstrates how this impacts urban growth, and suggests innovative and practical ways in which urban planners can try to be more effective in this challenging political context.



Refugee Cities

How Afghans Changed Urban Pakistan

Sanaa Alimia

September 2022 248pp 5 b&w halftones

9781512822861 £34.00/ \$39.95 PB 9781512822809 £86.00/ \$99.95 HB

UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA

PRESS

Situated between the 1970s Soviet Union's invasion of Afghanistan and the post–2001 War on Terror, *Refugee Cities* tells the story of how global wars affect everyday life for Afghans who have been living as refugees in Pakistan. This book provides a necessary glimpse of what ordinary life looks like for a long-term refugee population, beyond the headlines of war, terror, or helpless suffering.



The Politics of Trash

How Governments Used Corruption to Clean Cities, 1890–1929

Patricia Strach and Kathleen S. Sullivan

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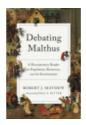
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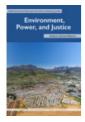
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