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J. M. Ahumada

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K. Arai

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K. Aramaki

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- Offers a cautionary tale for other Asian economies
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The Programming Approach and the Demise of Economics
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F. Archibugi

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K. Ardalan

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About the author
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J. Backhaus, G. Chaloupek, H. A. Frambach (Eds.)

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- Examines how the new research on interregional migration dealt with the concurrent economic and financial crisis
- Seeks to uncover the relationship between migration patterns and the rather new and fashionable concept of regional “resilience”

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I. Bizberg

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A Quantitative Analysis of Inequalities
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- Focuses on salient features of labour outcomes such as occupation and wages
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Ethical and Anthropological Foundations of Market Relations in the First Two Books of the Bible
L. Bruni

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- Offers a reading of some issues relevant for to-day economic and social life

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Fields of Interest
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The Impact of Health, Education and Demographic Change
A. Bucci, K. Prettner, A. Prskawetz (Eds.)

- Highlights the independent causal effects by which human capital accumulation has the potential to affect economic growth
- Explains how fertility choices, education investments, and health investments determine the human capital stock
- Examines human capital decisions and their relations with wage inequality, the environment and recent demographic trends

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W. Buchholz, D. Rübbelke

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J. Cao, G. Illing

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Fields of Interest
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A. Froehlich (Ed.)

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- Discusses economical and political opportunities
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C. Ghosh, A. N. Ghosh

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R. P. Gilles

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Radical Approaches in Dialogue with Contemplative Social Sciences
V. M. B. Giorgino, Z. Walsh (Eds.)

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Interviews Across the Music Business Value Chain
P. Graham

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About the author
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D. Grant

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About the author
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Fields of Interest
Microeconomics; Econometrics; History of Economic Thought/Methodology

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The Diverging Cases of China and Italy
F. Grillo, R. Y. Nanetti

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E. C. Grivoyannis (Ed.)

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Meaning and Understanding of Volunteering and its Societal Impact
K. Hallmann, S. Fairley (Eds.)

- Examines sports economics from a sociological perspective
- Provides insights from scholars based in twenty-five unique countries
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About the author
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J. Hatcher, J. Z. Stephenson (Eds.)

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M. Heise

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About the author
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A. Hosono, N. Hamaguchi, A. Bojanic (Eds.)
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This book is unique and original, constituting a pioneering study in the use of spatial economics and related analytical approaches to Brazil's Cerrado agricultural development and the formation of agro-industrial value chains. […]

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A. Idris, N. Kamaruddin (Eds.)
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• Offers policy recommendations
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Asian Economics; Economic Growth; International Economics; Agricultural Economics; Education Economics; Environmental Economics

New Avenues for Regional Innovation Systems - Theoretical Advances, Empirical Cases and Policy Lessons
A. Isaksen, R. Martin, M. Trippl (Eds.)
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The Automotive Industry and European Integration
The Divergent Paths of Belgium and Spain

A. J. Jacobs

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Fields of Interest
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Workers and Margins
Grasping Erasures and Opportunities

N. Jammulamadaka (Ed.)

- Focuses on workers and margins and seeks to advance the discourse on the concepts of work’, ‘workers’ and ‘margins’
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Fields of Interest
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K. Jayanthakumaran, N. Shukla, C. Harvie, O. Erdenetsogt (Eds.)

- Elaborates on increased trade and logistics cost in land-locked countries
- Argues for incorporating firm heterogeneity analysis in resource curse literature
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Fields of Interest
Development Economics; Regional Development; Energy Policy, Economics and Management; Trade; Logistics
Facets of India’s Economy and Her Society Volume II
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R. Jha

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Development of China’s Cultural Industry
C. Jiang, J. Li, T. Xu, H. Yang (Eds.)

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- Explains the unique production mode for culture industry development in China
- Analyzes both the strengths and weaknesses of culture industry development in China, comparing it with that of the other countries

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Cultural Economics; Cultural Management; Cultural Policy and Politics

Toward Information Justice
Technology, Politics, and Policy for Data in Higher Education Administration
J. A. Johnson

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- Creates both a social theory of information and a practical guide for creating and using it to pursue social justice

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Fields of Interest
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- Offers a hopeful message on the future of China’s environment and also explains why there are grounds for optimism

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G. Karacaoglu, J. B. Krawczyk, A. King

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Diversity of Experimental Methods in Economics
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About the author
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M. M. Keupp

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Fields of Interest
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A. Khan

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H. Kitchen, M. McMillan, A. Shah

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- Written in non-technical language that will appeal to students, policymakers, and scholars alike

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I. Kónya

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- Contributes to economic theories which have tended to exhibit a bias which assumes economic integration to be beneficial and disintegration to be harmful.
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O. M. Levin-Waldman

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J. Li, M. Li, Y. Gao, J. Li, H. Su, M. Huang

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About the author
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Fields of Interest
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X. Liu, D. Burnett

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S. S. Lo, S. C. Hung, J. H. Loo

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Economic History; Asian History; Development Economics; Political Science; Development Studies; Natural Resource and Energy Economics

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Asian Economics; International Economics; Development Economics

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As we tour the 400 year history of capitalism through its various phases of development, financial system instability is always there lurking in the shadows. […]

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Growth, Disparities and Inclusive Development in India
Perspectives from the Indian State of Uttar Pradesh

R. P. Mamgain (Ed.)

- Makes an integrated analysis of complex dimensions of development—accelerating economic growth, decent employment, agricultural growth, industrialisation and human development—with a focus on low income states like Uttar Pradesh
- Measures development disparities and inequality, and provides excellent causal analysis
- Provides strategies for accelerating sustainable economic growth, broadening social inclusiveness, and strengthening social protection through social safety nets

The book critically examines the high growth trajectory in India, particularly since the late 1980s, a period which is characterized by increasing inequality. Through various studies from the Indian state of Uttar Pradesh […]

About the author
Rajendra P. Mamgain is a Development Economist from India. With more than three decades of research experience, he is currently a Professor at Giri Institute of Development Studies, Lucknow, […]

Fields of Interest
Development Economics; Economic Growth; Development Policy; Social Structure, Social Inequality

Series Title
India Studies in Business and Economics
Disability and Economy
A Game Theoretic Approach
A. Matsui

- Studies disability and economy, adopting a game theoretic approach. It relates practical cases (Part I) with theoretical analyses (Part II).
- Includes interviews the author conducted over the last 10 years, while most of the analyses are based on research articles the author has published over the last 30 years.
- Explains disability-related issues by way of game theory and also innovates game theory by contemplating on it.

This book studies disability and economy, adopting a game theoretic approach. Man cannot live alone. We all depend upon each other in an intertwined manner, and the society has been developed in such a way that it accommodates the needs of intertwined people therein. A question arises as to who the “people” are that have been accommodated. Have all of us have been accommodated in an equal […]

Fields of Interest
Game Theory; Disability Studies; Social Structure, Social Inequality

Series Title
Economy and Social Inclusion

Innovation in Developing Countries
Lessons from Vietnam and Laos
N. Matsumaga (Ed.)

- Evaluates the impact of various aspects of firms’ operations on product, process, and organizational innovations.
- Examines what determines innovation and its effects on firm performance of manufacturing SMEs in Vietnam and Laos.
- Summarizes innovation theories succinctly and precisely for understanding innovation in developing countries.

The main focus of this book is innovation for developing countries: what is the innovation for, what are the current conditions of the innovation, and how to effectively innovate in developing economies. It contains the latest insights and analyses of innovation based on intensive interviews as well as primary and secondary data of manufacturing firms in developing countries, Vietnam and Laos […]

Fields of Interest
Development Economics; R & D/Technology Policy; Economic Growth; Economic Policy; Asian Economics

Series Title
Kobe University Monograph Series in Social Science Research

Innovation and the Entrepreneurial University
D. Meissner, E. Erdil, J. Chataway (Eds.)

- Presents a unique conceptual framework for the entrepreneurial university.
- Develops the entrepreneurial university concept further.
- Contributes to the debate about the role and mission of universities in national innovation systems.

The book explores different approaches towards the ‘entrepreneurial university’ paradigm, explores channels and mechanism used by universities to implement the paradigm and contributes to the public discussion on the impact of commercialization on university research and knowledge. It argues that different types of university-industry interaction may have repercussions even on funding of basic […]

About the author
Dirk Meissner is Deputy Head of the Laboratory for Science and Technology Studies at HSE and Academic Director of the Master Program “Governance of Science, Technology and Innovation”, Dr. […]

Fields of Interest
R & D/Technology Policy; Entrepreneurship; Higher Education

Series Title
Science, Technology and Innovation Studies
A Cultural Economic Analysis of Craft
A. Mignosa, P. Kotipalli (Eds.)

- Takes a cultural economics approach to craft
- Offers a multidisciplinary perspective to intangible cultural heritage, craft and craftsmanship
- Provides policy recommendations for the craft sector

Are we aware of the values of craft? In this edited volume, cultural economists, researchers and professionals provide an interdisciplinary discussion of the relevance and contribution of the craft sector to the economy, as well as to society at large. Mignosa and Kotipalli bring together contributors to compare the craft sector across countries, analysing the role of institutions, educational […]

About the author
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Fields of Interest
Cultural Economics; Cultural Heritage; Start-Ups/Venture Capital; Development Economics; Labor Economics; Economic Policy

Intelligent Transport Systems for Everyone’s Mobility
T. Mine, A. Fukuda, S. Ishida (Eds.)

- Summarizes the latest ITS technologies, infrastructure, and their applications in the Asia-Pacific region
- Describes the latest human-centric ITS technologies, infrastructure, and their applications toward next-generation mobility
- Presents the latest ITS technologies, infrastructure, and their applications made possible by big data analysis

This book presents the latest, most interesting research efforts regarding Intelligent Transport System (ITS) technologies, from theory to practice. The book’s main theme is “Mobility for everyone by ITS”; accordingly, it gathers a range of contributions on human-centered factors in the use or development of ITS technologies, infrastructures, and applications. Each of these contributions […]

About the author
Tsunenori Mine received his B.E. degree in Computer Science and Computer Engineering in 1987 and M.E. and D.E. degrees in Information Systems in 1989 and 1993, respectively, all from Kyushu […]

Fields of Interest
R & D/Technology Policy; Regional/Spatial Science; Engineering Economics, Organization, Logistics, Marketing; Transportation Technology and Traffic Engineering; Transportation

The new Japanese Firm as a Hybrid Organization
M. Miyamoto

- Investigates the deep structure of Japanese firms
- Demonstrates an evolving diversity in Japanese firms by using survey data
- Highlights the necessity of involving employees in corporate governance

This book examines corporate reform in Japan by focusing on corporate governance and the employment system. Contrary to a prevailing assertion of radical change, it is revealed that actual change is gradual, and a new type of Japanese firm is generated by reform with gradual change. Throughout the book, Japanese firms are seen to be evolving through gradual institutional change. Chapter 1 […]

About the author
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Fields of Interest
Institutional/Evolutionary Economics; Corporate Governance; Human Resource Management

Series Title
Evolutionary Economics and Social Complexity Science
Environmental and Natural Disaster Resilience of Indonesia
Y. Miyata, H. Shibusawa, I. Permana, A. Wahyuni

- Makes clear, by employing a rigorous economic theory, the principle working behind the existence of illegal settlements in risky areas
- Uses numerical simulations to create possible policies for reducing illegal settlements and protecting the environment
- Provides policy recommendations to reduce illegal settlements and improve the natural environment

This study aims at analyzing the resilience of Indonesia from two aspects: one is natural disaster and the other is environmental protection. Therefore the study comprises two parts. […]

About the author
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Fields of Interest
Urban Economics; Asian Economics; Development Economics; Population Economics; Environmental Economics

Series Title
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Leadership in Regional Community-Building
Comparing ASEAN and the European Union
S. D. Mohamed Pero

- Argues it is ultimately the role of political leadership that determines the design, structures and overall progress of regional community-building
- Focuses on ASEAN, the EU, to examine the role of political leadership in a regional context
- Presents five explanatory factors that are crucial to the provision of political leadership

This book examines the role of political leadership as a driver in the process of regional community-building in the Association of Southeast Asian Nations (ASEAN) and the European Union (EU). It considers under which conditions political leadership constitutes a driver of regional community-building and reconceptualises the very idea of political leadership in order to examine its role in a […]

About the author
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Fields of Interest
Asian Economics; Regionalism; Asian Politics

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Eliminating the IMF
An Analysis of the Debate to Keep, Reform or Abolish the Fund
I. A. Moosa, N. Moosa

- Explores specific examples of how IMF operations have been detrimental to the welfare of people in developing countries
- Considers arguments for keeping, abolishing, and reforming the IMF
- Features criticisms of the IMF from both the left and right sides of the political spectrum

This book offers a concise but thorough analysis of the International Monetary Fund reform debate. Since the advent of the Asian financial crisis in the late 1990s, a lengthy deliberation has ensued over whether the IMF should be reformed, abolished, or left as is. The authors approach this debate from a normative perspective while looking at arguments from all sides, as well as reflecting on […]

About the author
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Fields of Interest
Economic Policy; International Economics; International Political Economy; Development Economics

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Real Option Analysis and Climate Change
A New Framework for Environmental Policy Analysis
B. Morel

- Revisits real option theory and applies it to environmental and climate change policy
- Presents detailed practical examples from different areas of climate change policy
- Relevant for researchers and practitioners of climate change policy

This book sets out to reframe the theory of real options so that it can be used to support environmental investments for climate change adaptation and mitigation. Climate change policy often involves making decisions that concern extended time periods, and doing so under considerable uncertainty. By expanding and broadening the framework of real options, this book first introduces readers to […]

About the author
Benoît Morel did his PhD in theoretical high energy Physics in the university of Geneva. His post-doctoral career took him to Harvard university, Caltech and Stanford university before he joined […]

Fields of Interest
Environmental Economics; Climate Change Management and Policy; Risk Management; Climate Change

Series Title
Springer Climate

Applied Methods for Agriculture and Natural Resource Management
A Festschrift in Honor of Richard E. Howitt
S. Msangi, D. MacEwan (Eds.)

- Provides an overview of valuable empirical methods in agricultural production and water resource management
- Addresses important water policy problems in California and elsewhere
- Analyzes policy implications for environmental decision-makers and resource managers

This book assesses recent developments in the analysis of agricultural policy and water resource management, and highlights the utility and theoretical rigor of quantitative methods for modeling agricultural production, market dynamics, and natural resource management. […]

About the author
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Fields of Interest
Agricultural Economics; Natural Resource and Energy Economics; Water Governance/Water Management; Economic Theory/Quantitative Economics/Mathematical Methods

Series Title
Natural Resource Management and Policy

Ecosystem Services
Economics and Policy
S. Muddiman

- Provides a bridge between economic and ecological theory and practice
- Invaluable reference for policy makers and others active in the political arena
- Presents a blueprint and logical foundation for alternative economic/environmental models

This book bridges the gap between economic and ecological theory and practice. Its main focus is on how the principles of the Austrian School of economics could improve the validity of Ecosystem Services. The concept of ‘Ecosystem Services’ is a relatively recent innovation in environmental thought. The current system is dependent upon mainstream economic theory, in which monetary and fiscal […]

About the author
Stephen Muddiman is Senior Research Scientist at Harwood Biology and has over 30 years’ professional experience. His technical skills lie mainly in the areas of entomology and botany. He has […]

Fields of Interest
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Making the Tunisian Resurgence
M. S. Nabi

- Investigates the socioeconomic factors that triggered Tunisia's Dignity Revolution
- Identifies the multidimensional binding constraints preventing Tunisia from escaping the middle-income trap
- Emphasizes building inclusive institutions, developing a new social contract and reinventing the leadership of Tunisia

This book investigates the socioeconomic factors that triggered Tunisia’s “revolution for dignity” and the current issues and challenges facing its economy while suggesting mechanisms and instruments for their resolution. The author begins by analyzing the roots of the revolution and the post-revolution situation from a political sociology perspective and then diagnoses the Tunisian economy […]

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Fields of Interest
Economic Policy; Development Studies; Development Economics; Economic Growth; African Economics

Relationship Between Quality of Life and Energy Usage
R. Nadimi

- Analyzes overall energy efficiency in terms of human quality of life (QoL) to propose a sustainable global energy strategy
- Measures fundamental energy needs at the household level to ascertain the energy needs and share of renewables for the poor
- Puts forward a QoL indicator with sustainable development goals

This book utilizes statistical techniques to define a quality of life (QoL) indicator combining the three dimensions of economy, health, and education. In turn, it uses modeling to assess the impact of energy consumption on 112 countries’ QoL. What sets the proposed model apart from previous research is its ability to distinguish between pre-developing, developing, and developed countries. One […]

Fields of Interest
Environmental Economics; Regional/Spatial Science; Energy Policy, Economics and Management; Energy Systems; Sustainable Development

Theoretical and Empirical Analysis in Environmental Economics
K. Nakayama, Y. Miyata (Eds.)

- Deals with recent environmental problems using both theoretical and empirical approaches
- Includes interdisciplinary studies in economic and social technology related to environmental problems
- Provides an empirical evaluation of the results of environmental policy

This monograph presents potential remedies for some of the current environmental issues in developed countries in a theoretical or empirical manner with the interdisciplinary approaches of economics, statistics, and engineering. The book illustrates effective economic and environmental policies for environmental challenges and factors where corrective policies to date may have failed. The […]

About the author
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Fields of Interest
Regional/Spatial Science; Environmental Economics; Asian Economics; Environmental Policy; Environmental Management; Sustainable Development

Series Title
New Frontiers in Regional Science: Asian Perspectives
Exchange Rate, Second Round Effects and Inflation Processes
Evidence From South Africa
E. Ndou, N. Gumata, M. M. Tshuma

- Uses a counterfactual approach to separate the direct and indirect effects of shocks
- Argues that the size of second round effects on growth in terms of total remuneration per worker due to exchange rate depreciation shock can vary according to inflation regimes
- Shows that the monetary policy credibility channel impacts the pass-through of exchange rate depreciation shocks to consumer price inflation

This book focuses on the exchange rate pass-through (ERPT), second round effects and the inflation process in South Africa. The authors demonstrate that magnitudes of the second round effects of the exchange rate depreciation and oil price shocks depend on inflation regimes. The impact of positive oil price shocks on inflation is weakened by monetary policy credibility. Evidence shows [...] About the author
Eliphas Ndou is an economist at the South African Reserve Bank, and lectures at the University of the Witwatersrand, South Africa. He holds a PhD in economics from this University. He has [...] Fields of Interest
International Economics; Macroeconomics/Monetary Economics/Financial Economics; Public Economics; Public Finance; International Finance; African Economics

Logistical Asia
The Labour of Making a World Region
B. Neilson, N. Rossiter, R. Samaddar (Eds.)

- Introduces logistics as an heuristic for the analysis of globalization and networks of capital
- Brings together scholars from media studies, critical theory, critical geography, as well as from countries across the world, into discourse about what logistics and infrastructure mean for the nation-state and the global economy
- Sheds critical light on what China’s “One Belt, One Road” means for the re-engineering of the global economy

This book explores how the management science of logistics changes working lives and contributes to the making of world regions. With a focus on the port of Kolkata and changing patterns of Asian regionalism, the volume examines how logistics entwine with political power, historical forces, labour movements, and new technologies. The contributors ask how logistical practices reconfigure both [...] About the author
Brett Neilson is Professor at the Institute for Culture and Society at Western Sydney University. With Sandro Mezzadra, he is author of Border as Method, or, the Multiplication of Labor (2013). [...] Fields of Interest
Asian Economics; Economic Geography; Logistics

Efficiency, Equity and Well-Being in Selected African Countries
P. Nilsson, A. Heshmati (Eds.)

- Analyzes poverty and well-being, vulnerability to poverty, social exclusion, women’s empowerment and smallholder efficiency in selected African countries
- Presents a multidimensional approach to studying women’s empowerment in Ghana
- Examines the effect of climate variability on poverty and food security of rural Ethiopian households

This book addresses poverty and well-being, equity, and efficiency in selected African countries. The chapters focus on three main topics: studies in the measurement and analysis of well-being and vulnerability to poverty, women’s empowerment, and the dynamics and determinants of income and efficiency among smallholders. The chapters in the first section examine poverty, well-being, and [...] About the author
Pia Nilsson is an Assistant Professor in Economics at Jönköping University, affiliated to CEnSE (Centre for Entrepreneurship and Spatial Economics). She has a Ph.D degree in economics from [...] Fields of Interest
African Economics; Economic Policy; African Politics

Series Title
Economic Studies in Inequality, Social Exclusion and Well-Being
The Development of International Banking in Asia
T. Nishimura (Eds.)

- Clarifies the role of international banking in integrating the global market and its impact on the Asian economy
- Focuses on international banking in Asia, the area from which economic globalization was led before WWII and is being led again today
- Sheds light on international banking which facilitates the relationship between Asian economic development and international financial centres

To provide an understanding of financial globalization from a historical point of view, this book sheds light on international banking in Asia before World War II. International banking facilitated the relationship between Asian economic development and international financial centres. Focusing on the origins of a wide variety of banks not just from Europe but beyond Europe, such as the [...]
Making Markets in Australian Agriculture
Shifting Knowledge, Identities, Values, and the Emergence of Corporate Power
P. O’Keeffe

- Analyses wheat export market deregulation in Australia
- Highlights how regional wheat markets have become concentrated, and controlled by transnational agribusiness firms
- Examines the construction of knowledge, values and identities to show how machinations contributed to deregulation appearing as the most logical solution

This book provides a genealogical study of Australian agricultural restructuring, focusing on the case study of wheat export market deregulation. This policy shift was implemented in 2008, ending 60 years of statutory wheat marketing. At the time, policy makers claimed that market liberalisation would empower individual growers, providing them with choice and freedom through uninhibited […]

About the author
Patrick O’Keeffe completed his PhD research at RMIT University in 2018. Patrick’s research has been published by the following peer reviewed journals: Agriculture and Human Values, Space and […]

Fields of Interest
Agricultural Economics; Public Policy; Economic Policy; R & D/Technology Policy

Advances in Spatial and Economic Modeling of Disaster Impacts
Y. Okuyama, A. Rose (Eds.)

- Presents state-of-the-art modeling frameworks for disaster impact analysis
- Covers concepts and general issues, modeling variations, and applications to decision making
- Includes theoretical analyses and empirical case studies for comprehensive investigation of disaster impacts on society and economy

This book presents essential advances in analytical frameworks and tools for modeling the spatial and economic impacts of disasters. In the wake of natural disasters, such as Hurricane Katrina, the Haiti Earthquake, and the East Japan Earthquake and Tsunami, as well as major terrorist attacks, the book analyzes disaster impacts from various perspectives, including resilience, space-time […]

About the author
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Fields of Interest
Regional/Spatial Science; Environmental Economics; Landscape/Regional and Urban Planning; Terrorism and Political Violence

Series Title
Advances in Spatial Science

Nonlinearity, Bounded Rationality, and Heterogeneity
Some Aspects of Market Economies as Complex Systems
T. Onozaki

- Expounds on nonlinear economic dynamics, providing an alternative approach that explains the complex dynamical behavior of market economies
- Goes beyond the neoclassical equilibrium paradigm by focusing on nonlinearity, bounded rationality, and heterogeneity
- Examines recent developments in agent-based simulation studies as a promising extension of nonlinear economic dynamics

This book pursues a nonlinear approach in considering both chaotic dynamical models and agent-based simulation models of economics, as well as their dynamical behaviors. Three key concepts arising in this context are “nonlinearity,” “bounded rationality” and “heterogeneity,” which also make up the title of the book. Nonlinearity is the warp that runs throughout all models because systems that […]

Fields of Interest
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Economic Miracles in the European Economies
M. Osińska (Ed.)

- Undertakes a theoretical and econometric analysis of intense economic growth in select European countries following World War II
- Provides focused country studies rather than a broad continental approach
- Analyzes economic and institutional factors that contributed to the periods of intensive economic growth

This book undertakes a theoretical and econometric analysis of intense economic growth in selected European countries during the end of the twentieth century and the beginning of the twenty first. Focusing on the accelerated economic growth that occurred in Ireland, the Netherlands, Spain, and Turkey, this book investigates the determinants and consequences of this "miracle" growth and […]

About the author
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Fields of Interest
Economic Growth; Econometrics; Economic History; European Economics

Climate Smart Agriculture in South Asia
Technologies, Policies and Institutions
B. D. Pal, A. Kishore, P. K. Joshi, N.K. Tyagi (Eds.)

- Links the concept and components of climate smart agriculture with the existing government interventions for agricultural development in South Asia
- Delineates policy options and institutional arrangements to accelerate adoption of climate smart agriculture in the region
- Provides future directions of agricultural research under progressive climate change impacts

This book discusses various climate smart agro-technologies, their technical and economic feasibility across heterogeneous agro-climatic conditions, assessing farmers’ willingness to adopt those technologies, impact of climate smart technology in agricultural production and possible policy and investment opportunities to upscale it. Containing eight chapters, the book starts with a discussion […]

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Fields of Interest
Agricultural Economics; Climate Change/Climate Change Impacts; Environmental Policy

Climate Change and Future Rice Production in India
A Cross Country Study of Major Rice Growing States of India

- Outlines the trends in rice productivity, and production in India
- Presents models analyzing climate-change impact on future rice production
- Provides detailed analysis of climate change effects, adaptation strategies and economics related to rice productivity

This book explains in depth the issues and challenges faced by rice farmers in India in relation to production and productivity, and the possible adaptation strategies to climate change. Based on five years of groundbreaking research on emerging trends in cultivation in major rice growing regions in India, it begins by describing production and yield trends across different rice growing […]

About the author
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Fields of Interest
Agricultural Economics; Climate Change/Climate Change Impacts; Environmental Policy

Series Title
India Studies in Business and Economics
New Business and Regulatory Strategies in the Postal Sector
P. L. Parcu, T. J. Brennan, V. Glass (Eds.)

- Addresses some of the major issues facing postal and delivery services through the world
- Analyzes and advances new directions for public policy shift in postal delivery
- Provides perspectives from an international panel of academics, industry researchers, and senior industry management

This book addresses major issues facing postal and delivery services throughout the world. Worldwide, there is currently a considerable amount of interest in postal and delivery economics. The industry is reacting to a state of near crisis and is implementing different drastic changes. The European Commission and member States are still wresting with the problem of how to implement entry [...]
Agrarian Change and Urbanization in Southern India
City and the Peasant
S. Purushothaman, S. Patil

- Provides an extensive analysis of existing frameworks addressing the small farm holder, particularly in the Indian context
- Traces the evolution of academic work on small farm holdings and critically examines them in their analysis of the small farm as a sustainable occupation and social identity
- Employs both micro and macro perspectives, zooming in on individual family farms while also analysing the agricultural economy on a broader scale

This book takes readers on a journey through the evolution of agricultural communities in southern India, from their historical roots to the recent global neo-liberal era. It offers insights into a unique combination of themes, with a particular focus on agrarian change and urbanisation, specifically in the state of Karnataka where both aspects are significant and co-exist. Based on case […]

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Fields of Interest
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Inclusive Innovation
Evidence and Options in Rural India
R. S. Raina, K. Das (Eds.)

- Provides a theoretical critique of innovation and economic development in rural India and suggests revisiting the relationships between them
- Presents evidence that demystifies formal S&T as the source of innovation, and demands capacities for S&T organizations to learn from, and with, other components of innovation systems
- Seeks a reassessment and reconfiguration of functional relations between the formal actors in knowledge and policy, and the informal actors in complex and diverse rural spaces and communities

This book discusses the role of inclusive innovation for development in rural India. It uses the evidence of innovation in the context of skewed or limited livelihood options and multiple knowledge systems to argue that if inclusive innovation is to happen, […]

About the author
Rajeswari S. Raina is a Professor at Shiv Nadar University’s School of Humanities and Social Sciences (SHS), Department of International Relations and Governance Studies, and Associate Director […]

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American Exceptionalism
Economics, Finance, Political Economy, and Economic Laws
L. Ramrattan, M. Szenberg

- Addresses the exceptionalism of the United States from economic, legal, financial and political economy standpoints
- Highlights the accomplishments of a wide variety of American economists
- Connects America’s unique perception of political economy to the Enlightenment philosophy, natural laws, and moral philosophy continuum

The publication of Alexis de Tocqueville’s Democracy in America has kindled interest across disciplines to appraise the exceptional nature of U.S. activities. In general, however, all the published works have not focused their analyses from an economic point of view. While economics was for some a “dismal science” following Thomas Carlyle’s characterization of Malthus’s demographic model, it […]

About the author
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Fields of Interest
History of Economic Thought/Methodology; Economic Policy; Political Theory; North American Economics; Financial History; Economic History

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Measurement and Analysis of Performance of Industrial Crop Production: The Case of Iran’s Cotton and Sugar Beet Production
M. Rashidghalam

- Show how to compare the parametric and non-parametric models in technical efficiency measurement
- Assists the policy maker in selecting the most efficient decision maker units
- Show how to use panel data in non-parametric technical efficiency modelling

This book employs different parametric and non-parametric panel data models which have been used in history of developed panel data efficiency measurement literature. It assesses the differences of models based on characteristics and efficiency scores measurement using a systematic sensitivity analysis of the results. On the whole twelve parametric and four nonparametric models were studied. […]

Fields of Interest
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Perspectives on Development in the Middle East and North Africa (MENA) Region

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Sustainable Agriculture and Agribusiness in Iran
M. Rashidghalam (Ed.)

- Brings together for the first time research papers from the three main domains in agribusiness
- Provides an up-to-date overview of Iran’s sustainable agriculture and the challenges faced
- Presents an extensive range of case studies from different regions of Iran that can be applied in the agricultural policy making process

This book presents a collection of ten empirical studies on Iran’s sustainable agriculture and agribusiness, grouped into three domains: agricultural prices and commodity market analysis; risk management and climate change; and natural resources and environmental economics. The various studies elaborate on sustainable agriculture, climate change, pest management, natural resources, land-use, […]

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Fields of Interest
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Capital and Colonialism
The Return on British investments in Africa 1869–1969
K. Rönnbäck, O. Broberg

- Revisits the key debate on the nature of European economic imperialism in Africa
- Establishes whether imperial investments by Britain in sub-Saharan Africa offered profitable returns as has been argued by the dependency school of thought
- Offers a much-needed, well-informed account on African economic history and its relationship to global capitalism

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About the author
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M. Liberadzki, K. Liberadzki

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F. Poli

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