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【言語学全般】

ダニエル・ロイ・ピアーズ (四天王寺大学教育学部講師) 著

『単一言語国家での複言語教育:日本における語学教育の新しい地平』

Plurilingual Education in a Monolingualised Nation:

Exploring New Frontiers in Language Teaching in Japan

Pearce, Daniel Roy

New Perspectives on Language and Education (Multilingual Matters)

2024:12 224 p. Hardback 9781800417694 £109.95

This book explores alternative approaches to foreign language education in a context which is traditionally dominated by English-only approaches, and widely viewed as highly monolingual. It examines the grassroots classroom practices of teachers and their assistants

involved in plurilingual education in the first longitudinal research of its type in the Japanese context. These practices are grounded in depictions of the practitioners' personal and professional trajectories through explorations of their visual linguistic autobiographies. The holistic ethnography thus deepens understanding of plurilingualism in a hitherto underexplored context, and should be of interest to students and researchers of language teaching, teacher training, language policy, sociolinguistics and plurilingualism.



成瀬巳喜男・監督『女が階段を上る時』

When a Woman Ascends the Stairs (Onna ga kaidan o agaru toki)

Russell, Catherine

BFI Film Classics (British Film Inst.)

2025:04 88 p. Paperback 9781839026430 £12.99

Mikio Naruse's When A Woman Ascends The Stairs (1960) combines high melodrama with modernist film language, telling the story of Keiko, a bar hostess struggling to succeed in Tokyo's Ginza district. Catherine Russell's study of the film provides an in-depth analysis of Naruse's distinctive filmmaking, from his use of two-shots in confined spaces, unique lighting techniques, and his "invisible" and "rhythmic" editing style. She analyses the recurring motif of a woman's white-stockinged feet climbing stairs, considering how this symbolizes the social dynamics of the high-class Japanese sex industry that sustains hostess bar culture.



【参考図書・書誌・伝記】

ザ・マジック・ブック

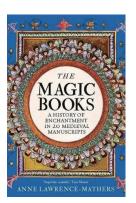
The Magic Books: A History of Enchantment in 20 Medieval Manuscripts

Lawrence-Mathers, Anne

(Yale U.P.)

2025:03 368 p. 66 color illus. Hardback 9780300244434 US\$38.00

In this beautifully illustrated account, Anne Lawrence-Mathers explores the medieval fascination with magic through twenty extraordinary illuminated manuscripts. These books were highly sought after, commissioned by kings and stored in great libraries. They include an astronomical compendium made for Charlemagne's son; *The Sworn Book of Honorius*, used by a secret society of trained magicians; and the highly influential *Picatrix*. This vivid new history shows how attitudes to magic and science changed over the medieval period - and produced great works of art as they did so.



【美術・工芸・デザイン】

フェアリーイズム

Fairey-isms

Fairey, Shepard; Warsh, Larry (ed.)

ISMs (Princeton U.P.)

2025:05 168 p. 2 b/w illus. Hardback 9780691271415 ¥3,270

Shepard Fairey is one of today's most important and influential street artists, activists, and graphic designers. His instantly recognizable designs - "André the Giant has a Posse," "Obey Giant," the Obama "Hope" poster, and the "We the People" posters for the 2017 Women's March - have become an indelible part of visual culture, appearing in countless media, including stickers, stencils, prints, T-shirts, album covers, murals, and fine art. Fairey-isms is a compelling collection of quotations from this fascinating artist. Gathered from interviews, articles, and other sources, these quotations offer rich insights about his life and work, including his thoughts on art, creativity, politics, and propaganda and his reflections on his

【美術・工芸・デザイン】

ミンターイズム

Minter-isms

Minter, Marilyn; Warsh, Larry (ed.)

ISMs (Princeton U.P.)

2025:05 152 p. 2 b/w illus. Hardback 9780691271569 ¥3,270

Madonna, Lady Gaga, and Lizzo, Minter draws on the aesthetics of fashion magazines, depicting cropped women's faces and bodies laden with jewels and couture accessories. In some of her work, she has explored how the meaning of pornographic imagery changes when it's appropriated and transformed by a woman artist. Gathered from interviews, articles, and other sources, Minter-isms is a compelling collection of quotations that presents Minter's revealing thoughts on art, women, power, sexuality, pornography, politics, and more. Filled with wisdom and humor, the book offers new insights about the life, work, and mind of this groundbreaking artist.

kind of imagery is acceptable in fine art, especially when produced by women. In her photorealistic paintings, including of celebrities such as

【美術・工芸・デザイン】

ピンク:色の歴史

Pink: The History of a Color

Pastoureau, Michel / Gladding, Jody (trans.)

The History of a Color (Princeton U.P.)

2025: 02 192 p. 130 color illus. Hardback 9780691266268 ¥7.710

Pink has such powerful associations today that it's hard to imagine the color could ever have meant anything different. But it's only since the introduction of the Barbie doll in 1959 that pink has become decisively feminized. Indeed, in the eighteenth century, pink was frequently masculine, and the color has signified many things beyond gender over the course of its long history - from the prim to the vulgar, and from the romantic to the eccentric. In this richly illustrated book, Michel Pastoureau, a celebrated authority on the history of colors, presents a fascinating visual, social, and cultural history of pink in the West, from antiquity to today.

【建築】

働く女性建築家たち

Women Architects at Work: Making American Modernism

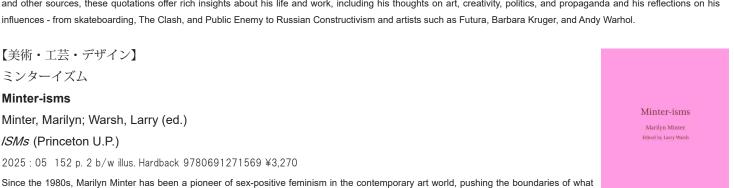
Hunting, Mary Anne & Murphy, Kevin D.

(Princeton U.P.)

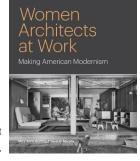
2025: 02 272 p. 74 color + 88 b/w illus. Hardback 9780691206691 ¥12,550

In the decades preceding World War II, professional architecture schools enrolled increasing numbers of women, but career success did not come easily. Women Architects at Work tells the stories of the resilient and resourceful women who surmounted barriers of sexism, racism, and classism to take on crucial roles in the establishment and growth of Modernism across the United States. Mary Anne Hunting and Kevin D. Murphy describe how the Cambridge School of Architecture and Landscape Architecture in Massachusetts evolved for the professional

education of women between 1916 and 1942. While alumnae such as Eleanor Agnes Raymond, Victorine du Pont Homsey, and Sarah Pillsbury Harkness achieved some notoriety, others like Elizabeth-Ann Campbell Knapp and Louisa Vaughan Conrad have been largely absent from histories of Modernism. Hunting and Murphy describe how these innovative practitioners capitalized on social, educational, and professional ties to achieve success and used architecture to address social concerns, including how modernist ideas could engage with community and the environment. Some joined women-led architectural firms while others partnered with men or contributed to Modernism as retailers of household furnishings, writers and educators, photographers and designers, or fine artists.







【経済学全般·経済体制論】

経済学的経験:実験を用いた入門書

The Economic Experience: An Introduction through Experiments

Holt, Charles A. & Sprott, Erica

(Princeton U.P.)

2025:07 248 p. Hardback 9780691264097 ¥23,160 Paperback 9780691264110 ¥7,710

This book presents a unique active-learning approach to economic thinking, providing a behavioral perspective on basic economic concepts ranging from trust to trade. Each chapter features a classroom experiment where students engage directly with the material as market participants, and chapters come with warm-up exercises, quizzes, and incisive summaries. *The Economic Experience* empowers students to develop insights into essential economic principles and goes beyond merely documenting behavioral anomalies by showing students how to navigate and anticipate them through hands-on learning and team building.



【経済学全般·経済体制論】

店頭取引市場の経済学

The Economics of Over-the-Counter Markets: A Toolkit for the Analysis of Decentralized Exchange Hugonnier, Julien et al.

(Princeton U.P.)

2025:05 400 p. Hardback 9780691236285 ¥9,640

Many of the largest financial markets in the world do not organize trade through an exchange but rather operate within a decentralized or over-the-counter (OTC) structure. Understanding how these markets work has become increasingly important in recent years, as illiquidity in certain OTC markets has appeared as the first signs of trouble - if not the cause itself - of the past two financial crises. However, standard models of financial markets are not suitable for studying the causes of illiquidity in OTC markets, nor the optimal policy response. *The*



Economics of Over-the-Counter Markets proposes a unified search-theoretic framework designed to explicitly capture the key features of OTC markets, confront the growing set of stylized facts from these markets, and provide guidance for policies designed to promote liquidity and resiliency. This incisive book covers empirical regularities that are common across OTC markets, develops the methodological tools to analyze the benchmark theoretical models in the academic literature, and extends these models to confront the latest issues facing these markets.

【経済学全般·経済体制論】

無償の賜物:資本主義と自然の政治学

Free Gifts: Capitalism and the Politics of Nature

Battistoni, Alyssa (Princeton U.P.)

2025:08 296 p. Hardback 9780691263465 ¥7,710

Capitalism is typically treated as a force for relentless commodification. Yet it consistently fails to place value on vital aspects of the nonhuman world, whether carbon emissions or entire ecosystems. In *Free Gifts*, Alyssa Battistoni explores capitalism's persistent failure to value nature, arguing that the key question is not the moral issue of why some kinds of nature *shouldn't* be commodified, but the economic puzzle of why they *haven't* been. To understand contemporary ecological problems from biodiversity collapse to climate change, she contends, we have



to understand how some things come to have value under capitalism - and how others do not. To help us do so, Battistoni recovers and reinterprets the idea of the free gift of nature used by classical economic thinkers to describe what we gratuitously obtain from the natural world, and builds on Karl Marx's critique of political economy to show how capitalism fundamentally treats nature as free for the taking. This novel theory of capitalism's relationship to nature not only helps us understand contemporary ecological breakdown, but also casts capitalism's own core dynamics in a new light.

【経済学全般·経済体制論】

成長の尺度

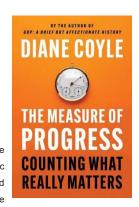
The Measure of Progress: Counting What Really Matters

Coyle, Diane

(Princeton U.P.)

2025:04 320 p. Hardback 9780691179025 ¥5.780

The ways that statisticians and governments measure the economy were developed in the 1940s, when the urgent economic problems were entirely different from those of today. In *The Measure of Progress*, Diane Coyle argues that the framework underpinning today's economic statistics is so outdated that it functions as a distorting lens, or even a set of blinkers. When policymakers rely on such an antiquated conceptual tool, how can they measure, understand, and respond with any precision to what is happening in today's digital economy? Coyle makes the case for a new framework, one that takes into consideration current economic realities.



【各国経済事情·経済史·経済地理】

アメリカの小売資本主義とアマゾン的経済の起源

Attention, Shoppers!: American Retail Capitalism and the Origins of the Amazon Economy

Thelen, Kathleen

Princeton Studies in American Politics (Princeton U.P.)

2025:03 320 p. Hardback 9780691266510 ¥19,290 Paperback 9780691266527 ¥5,780

The United States is widely recognized as the quintessential consumer society, one where huge companies like Walmart and Amazon are famous for enticing customers with cheap goods and speedy delivery. *Attention, Shoppers!* traces the origins and evolution of American retail capitalism from the late nineteenth century to today, uncovering the roots of a bitter equilibrium where large low-cost retailers dominate and vast numbers of low-income families now rely on them to make ends meet.



【公共財政】

危機の周期:ユーロの挑戦・進化・未来

Crisis Cycle: Challenges, Evolution, and Future of the Euro

Cochrane, John H. et al.

(Princeton U.P.)

2025:06 296 p. Hardback 9780691271606 ¥6,760

The euro has survived crises unimagined at its founding: the financial meltdown of 2007-2009, the sovereign debt crisis of 2010-2012, the pandemic, and the Russian invasion of Ukraine. The European Central Bank fought these crises with dramatic policy innovations, buying up vast amounts of debt and providing large loans to banks. But now everyone expects the ECB to intervene routinely, and the euro is more fragile as a result. *Crisis Cycle* recounts this history and offers recommendations for restoring a durable monetary union.



【通貨・金融・保険】

21世紀の法人:なぜビジネスについて言われているほとんどすべてがまちがっているのか

The Corporation in the Twenty-First Century:

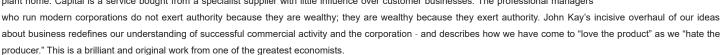
Why (Almost) Everything We Are Told About Business Is Wrong

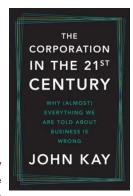
Kay, John

(Yale U.P.)

2025:01 448 p. Hardback 9780300280197 US\$35.00

The goods and services provided by the leading companies of the twenty-first century appear on your screen, fit in your pocket, or occupy your head. Ownership of the means of production is a redundant concept. Workers are the means of production; increasingly, they take the plant home. Capital is a service bought from a specialist supplier with little influence over customer businesses. The professional managers





【通貨・金融・保険】

キング・ダラー:世界で支配的な通貨の過去と未来

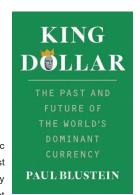
King Dollar: The Past and Future of the World's Dominant Currency

Blustein, Paul

(Yale U.P.)

2025:03 320 p. Hardback 9780300270969 US\$35.00

Contra the doomsayers, Paul Blustein shows that the dollar's standing atop the world's currency pyramid is impregnable, barring catastrophic policy missteps by the US government. Recounting how the United States has wielded the dollar to impose devastating sanctions against adversaries, Blustein explains that although targets such as Russia have found ways to limit the damage, Washington's financial weaponry will retain potency long into the future. His message, however, is that America must not be complacent about the dollar; the great power that its supremacy confers comes with commensurate responsibility.



【社会学・人類学・社会理論】

「恐縮ですが至急回答乞う」:世界初の紙面人生相談室

"I Humbly Beg Your Speedy Answer":

Letters on Love and Marriage from the World's First Personal Advice Column

Norton, Mary Beth

(Princeton U.P.)

2025:04 216 p. Hardback 9780691253992 ¥4,820

The Athenian Mercury - a one-page, two-sided periodical published in 1690s London - included the world's first personal advice column. Acclaimed historian and Pulitzer Prize - finalist Mary Beth Norton's "I Humbly Beg Your Speedy Answer" is a remarkable collection of questions and answers drawn from this groundbreaking publication. In these exchanges, anonymous readers look for help with their most

intimate romantic problems - about courting, picking a spouse, getting married, securing or avoiding parental consent, engaging in premarital sex and extramarital affairs, and much more. Spouses ask how to handle contentious marriages and tense relationships with in-laws. Some correspondents seek ways to ease a conscience troubled by romantic and sexual misbehavior. The lonely wonder how to meet a potential partner - or how to spark a warmer relationship with someone they already have an eye on. And both men and women inquire about how to extract themselves from relationships turned sour.

【社会学・人類学・社会理論】

徴税と憤怒

Taxation and Resentment: Race, Party, and Class in American Tax Attitudes

Campbell, Andrea Louise

Princeton Studies in American Politics (Princeton U.P.)

2025:06 312 p. Hardback 9780691137858 ¥19,290 Paperback 9780691137865 ¥5,780

Most Americans support progressive taxation in principle, and want the rich to pay more. But the specific tax policies that most favor are more regressive than progressive. What is behind such a disconnect? In this book, Andrea Louise Campbell examines public opinion on taxation, exploring why what Americans favor in principle differs from what they accept in practice. Campbell shows that since the federal income tax began a century ago, the rich have fought for lower taxes through reduced rates and a complicated system of tax breaks. The resulting

complexity leaves the public confused about who benefits from the convoluted tax code, and leads to tax preferences that are driven by factors other than principles or interests.



アメリカの幻想:リアリティー番組がいかに能力主義神話を補強するか

The American Mirage: How Reality TV Upholds the Myth of Meritocracy

Kim, Eunji

Princeton Studies in Political Behavior (Princeton U.P.)

2025:05 224 p. Hardback 9780691267197 ¥5,390

In an age of growing wealth disparities, politicians on both sides of the aisle are sounding the alarm about the fading American Dream. Yet despite all evidence to the contrary, many still view the United States as the land of opportunity. *The American Mirage* addresses this puzzle by exposing the stark reality of today's media landscape, revealing how popular entertainment media shapes politics and public opinion in an increasingly news-avoiding nation. Drawing on an eclectic array of original data, Eunji Kim demonstrates how, amid a dazzling array of media

choices, many Americans simply are not consuming the news. Instead, millions flock to entertainment programs that showcase real-life success stories, such as *American Idol*, *Shark Tank*, and *MasterChef*. Kim examines how shows like these leave viewers confoundingly optimistic about the prospects of upward mobility, promoting a false narrative of rugged individualism and meritocracy that contradicts what is being reported in the news.



新型コロナウィルスの影響:いかに政治が役に立たなかったか

In Covid's Wake: How Our Politics Failed Us

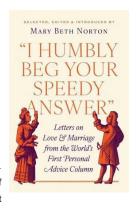
Macedo, Stephen & Lee, Frances

(Princeton U.P.)

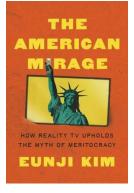
2025:03 392 p. Hardback 9780691267135 ¥5,780

With In Covid's Wake, Macedo and Lee offer the first comprehensive - and candid - political assessment of how our institutions fared during the pandemic. They describe how, influenced by Wuhan's lockdown, governments departed from their existing pandemic plans. Hard choices were obscured by slogans like "follow the science." Benefits and harms were distributed unfairly. The policies adopted largely benefited the laptop class and left so-called essential workers unprotected; extended school closures hit the least-privileged families the hardest. Science

became politicized and dissent was driven to the margins. In the next crisis, Macedo and Lee warn, we must not forget the deepest values of liberal democracy: tolerance and open-mindedness, respect for evidence and its limits, a willingness to entertain uncertainty, and a commitment to telling the whole truth.









【政治社会学・社会運動・紛争・統制】

ヘイトのための安全な避難所

Safe Havens for Hate: The Challenge of Moderating Online Extremism

Mitts, Tamar

(Princeton U.P.)

2025:03 280 p. Hardback 9780691258522 ¥5,780

Drawing on a wealth of original data on more than a hundred militant and hate organizations around the world, Tamar Mitts shows how differing moderation standards across platforms create safe havens that allow these actors to organize, launch campaigns, and mobilize supporters. She reveals how the structure of the information environment shapes the cross-platform activity of extremist organizations and movements such as the Islamic State, the Proud Boys, the Oath Keepers, and QAnon, and highlights the need to consider the online ecosystem, not just individual platforms, when developing strategies to combat extremism.



【地理学・人口学・人間生態学】

つぎはぎだらけの人新世のフィールドガイド

Field Guide to the Patchy Anthropocene: The New Nature

Tsing, Anna Lowenhaupt et al.

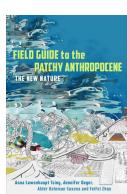
(Stanford U.P.)

2024:05 344 p. Hardback 9781503637320 US\$30.00

「マツタケ 不確定な時代を生きる術」の著者 の最新作

While the global scientific community recently made headlines by ruling the Anthropocene - an era many date to the Industrial Revolution when human action truly began to transform the planet - did not qualify for a geological epoch quite yet, understanding the nature of human transformation of the Earth is more important than ever. The effects of human activity are global in scope, but take shape within distinct social

and ecological "patches," discontinuous regions within which the key actors may not be human, but the plants, animals, fungi, viruses, plastics, and chemicals creating our new world. *Field Guide to the Patchy Anthropocene* takes stock of our current planetary crisis, leading readers through a series of sites, thought experiments, and genrestretching descriptive practices to nurture a revitalized natural history.



【政治学全般】

キリスト教と民主主義の破られた契約

Cross Purposes: Christianity's Broken Bargain with Democracy

Rauch, Jonathan

Politics and Culture (Yale U.P.)

2025:02 168 p. Hardback 9780300273540 US\$27.50

What happens to American democracy if Christianity is no longer able, or no longer willing, to perform the functions on which our constitutional order depends? In this provocative book, the award-winning journalist Jonathan Rauch - a lifelong atheist - reckons candidly with both the shortcomings of secularism and the corrosion of Christianity. Thin Christianity, as Rauch calls the mainline church, has been unable to inspire and retain believers. Worse, a Church of Fear has distorted white evangelicalism in ways that violate the tenets of both Jesus and James

Cross
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CHRISTIANITY'S
BROKEN BARGAIN WITH
DEMOCRACY

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Madison. What to do? For answers, Rauch looks to a new generation of religious thinkers, as well as to the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, which has placed the Constitution at the heart of its spiritual teachings.

【政治学全般】

純粋過剰:資本主義と商品

Pure Excess: Capitalism and the Commodity

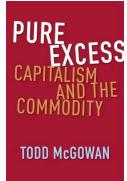
McGowan, Todd

(Columbia U.P.)

2024:12 288 p. Hardback 9780231217583 US\$115.00 Paperback 9780231217590 US\$26.00

Drawing on psychoanalytic theory, McGowan shows how the production of commodities explains the role of excess in the workings of capitalism. Capitalism and the commodity ensnare us with the image of the constant fulfillment of our desires - the seductive but unattainable promise of satisfying a longing that has no end. To challenge this system, McGowan turns to art, arguing that it can expose the psychological mechanisms that perpetuate capitalist society and reveal the need for limits. Featuring lively writing and engaging examples from film,

literature, and popular culture, Pure Excess uncovers the hidden logic of capitalism?and helps us envision a noncapitalist life in a noncapitalist society.



【政治学全般】

韓国と民族主義の政治

South Korea and the Politics of Ethnic Nationalism

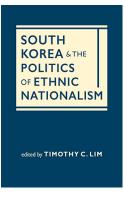
Lim, Timothy C. (ed.)

(Lynne Rienner)

2025:05 225 p. Hardback 9781962551762 US\$95.00

Though for decades South Korea was considered the quintessential homogeneous nation-state, the more recent influx of significant immigration has given rise to intensely debated questions about the nature of the country's national identity. Who is a "real" Korean? Who has a right to be a member of South Korean society? Which immigrants are acceptable? Who qualifies for citizenship? How should the diaspora be considered? And more fundamentally, how well does the concept of ethnic nationalism serve as an analytical concept for explaining

and predicting the contours of identity, belongingness, and citizenship? The authors of South Korea and the Politics of Ethnic Nationalism engage with these debates, highlighting the factors and processes that complicate the many issues involved.



【政治学全般】

真の保守主義

True Conservatism: Reclaiming Our Humanity in an Arrogant Age

Kronman, Anthony T.

(Yale U.P.)

2025:03 328 p. Hardback 9780300277036 US\$30.00

In this bracing book, Anthony Kronman defends a conservative philosophy of life that respects our enlightened ideals but decries the damage their arrogant simplification causes in our moral, political, and spiritual lives. Drawing on the work of Aristotle, Cicero, Spinoza, Burke, Hume, Madison, Tocqueville, Lincoln, Arendt, Heidegger, and others, he argues that humanism is conservatism, today as in the past. He reminds us that our humbling parameters make possible every form of human greatness, every human glory, every human love worthy of the name.



【国際関係論】

ペルシア湾における中国の戦略

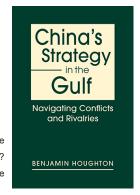
China's Strategy in the Gulf: Navigating Conflicts and Rivalries

Houghton, Benjamin

(Lynne Rienner)

2025:03 230 p. Hardback 9781962551465 US\$110.00

China's foreign and security policy in the Gulf region has been characterized by the cultivation of strong positive relationships with all of the Gulf states, irrespective of their domestic politics and the ubiquitous rivalries between neighbors. Has this "hedging strategy" proven fruitful? Or has it had negative consequences? Addressing this issue, Benjamin Houghton explores the contours of China's hedging strategy in the Gulf from the time of the 1979 Iranian revolution through early 2024.



【国際関係論】

欧米の民主的統治の基礎

The Regime Question: Foundations of Democratic Governance in Europe and the United States

Ahmed, Amel

(Princeton U.P.)

2025:07 320 p. Hardback 9780691269405 ¥19,290 Paperback 9780691269436 ¥5,780

The regime question - often boiled down to "democracy or autocracy?" - has been central to democratic politics from the start. This has entailed not only fights over the extent of the franchise but also, crucially, ongoing struggles over core principles of democracy, the "rules of the game." In this timely study, Amel Ahmed examines the origins and development of the regime question in Western democracies and considers the implications for regime contention today. She argues that battles over the regime question were so foundational and so enduring that they constitute a dimension of politics that polarized political opponents across the regime divide.



【国際関係論】

ライバル関係の危機:大国間競争がいかに平和を脅かし、民主主義を弱体化させたか

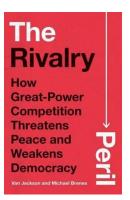
The Rivalry Peril: How Great-Power Competition Threatens Peace and Weakens Democracy

Jackson, Van & Brenes, Michael

(Yale U.P.)

2025:01 248 p. Hardback 9780300272895 US\$30.00

This in-depth assessment of the trade-offs and pitfalls of protracted competition with China reveals how such a policy exacerbates inequality, leads to xenophobia, and increases the likelihood of violence around the world. In addition, it distracts from the priority of addressing such issues as climate change while at the same time undercutting democratic pluralism and sacrificing liberty in the name of prevailing against an enemy "other." Jackson and Brenes provide an informed and urgent critique of current U.S. foreign policy and a road map toward a saner, more democratically accountable strategy of easing tension and achieving effective diplomacy.



【哲学全般】

政治における真実を考える

On Truth in Politics: Why Democracy Demands It

Lynch, Michael Patrick

(Princeton U.P.)

2025:04 272 p. Hardback 9780691231938 ¥5,780

Do any of us really care about truth when it comes to politics? Should we? In a world of big lies, denialism, and conspiracy theories, democracies are experiencing two interlocked crises: a loss of confidence in democracy itself and the growing sense among many that politics is only about power - not truth. In this book, Michael Patrick Lynch argues that truth not only can - but must - matter in politics. He shows why truth is an essential democratic value - a value we need to sustain our democratic way of life - and how it can be strengthened.



Despite evidence that people are rarely motivated by truth when it comes to politics, On Truth in Politics argues that this isn't inevitable. Accessibly written and rigorously argued, it draws on the American pragmatist tradition to develop an original theory of the nature and value of truth in the messy world of politics. Contrary to the belief of many, political beliefs can be true or false. But if democracy is to continue to be a space of reason and not just an arena of power, we must build a better infrastructure of knowledge, including stronger schools and media, and renew our commitment to science and history.

【倫理学】

アメリカにおける納税の道徳性

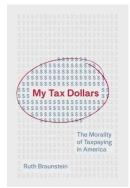
My Tax Dollars: The Morality of Taxpaying in America

Braunstein, Ruth

(Princeton U.P.)

2025:04 224 p. Hardback 9780691254982 ¥19,290 Paperback 9780691254999 ¥5,780

In My Tax Dollars, Ruth Braunstein maps the contested moral landscape in which Americans experience and make sense of the tax system. Braunstein tells the stories of Americans who view taxpaying as more than a mundane chore: antigovernment tax defiers who challenge the legitimacy of the tax system, antiwar activists who resist the use of their taxes to fund war, antiabortion activists against "taxpayer funded abortions," and a diverse group of people who promote taxpaying as a moral good. Though taxpaying is often portrayed as dull and technical,



exposure to collective rituals, civic education, propaganda, and protest transforms the practice for many Americans into either a sacred rite of citizenship or a profane threat to what they hold dear. These sacred and profane meanings can apply to the act of taxpaying itself or to the specific uses of tax dollars. Despite intense disagreement about these meanings, politically diverse Americans engaged in both taxpaying and tax resistance valorize the individual taxpayer and "my tax dollars."

【仏教】

仏教:歴史を巡る旅

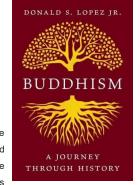
Buddhism: A Journey through History

Lopez, Donald S.

(Yale U.P.)

2025:01 536 p. Hardback 9780300234268 US\$40.00

Over the course of twenty-five centuries, Buddhism spread from its place of origin in northern India to become a global tradition of remarkable breadth, depth, and richness. In this ambitious book, Donald S. Lopez Jr. draws on the latest scholarship to construct a detailed and innovative history of Buddhism - not just as a chronology through the centuries or as geographic movement across a map, but as a dense matrix of interconnections. Beginning with the life and teachings of the Buddha, Lopez shows how a set of evolving ideas and practices



traveled north and east to China, Korea, Japan, Mongolia, and Tibet, south and southeast to Sri Lanka, Burma, Thailand, Cambodia, Laos, Vietnam, and Indonesia, and finally westward to Europe and the Americas. He provides insights on questions that Buddhism has asked and answered in different times and different places - about apocalypse, art, identity, immortality, law, nation, persecution, philosophy, science, sex, war, and writing.

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【古代哲学・中世哲学・古典学】

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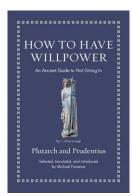
How to Have Willpower: An Ancient Guide to Not Giving In

Prudentius

Ancient Wisdom for Modern Readers (Princeton U.P.)

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How to Have Willpower brings together two profound ancient meditations on how to overcome pressures that encourage us to act against our own best interests - Plutarch's essay On Dysopia or How to Resist Pressure and Prudentius's poetic allegory Psychomachia or How to Slay Your Demons. Challenging the idea that humans are helpless victims of vice, these works - introduced and presented in vivid, accessible new prose translations by Michael Fontaine, with the original Latin and Greek texts on facing pages - emphasize the power of personal choice and the possibility of personal growth, as they offer insights and practical advice about resisting temptation.



【古代哲学・中世哲学・古典学】

いかにいい家をつくるか

How to Make a Home: An Ancient Guide to Style and Comfort

Nichols, Marden Ftizpatrick (trans.)

Ancient Wisdom for Modern Readers (Princeton U.P.)

2025:07 328 p. Hardback 9780691249124 ¥3,460

Edited and elegantly translated by Marden Fitzpatrick Nichols, *How to Make a Home* gathers selections by Cicero, Vitruvius, Seneca, and others, with the original Latin or Greek on facing pages. These writings reveal the pleasures and pitfalls of the Roman practice of making one's home a cornerstone of self-expression. While the ideal home enshrined Roman virtues and could make a career, lavish building projects could lead to financial ruin and moral condemnation. These authors memorably describe such travails as deceptive



staging, decorators run amok, know-it-all owners, unsupervised contractors, and buyer's remorse. Along the way, they also explain why simplicity is bliss, privacy is for nobodies, a neglected house is a sign of a neglected soul, and much more.

【古代哲学・中世哲学・古典学】

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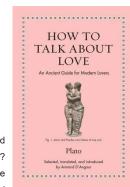
How to Talk about Love: An Ancient Guide for Modern Lovers

Plato / D'Angour, Armand (trans.)

Ancient Wisdom for Modern Readers (Princeton U.P.)

2025:01 208 p. Hardback 9780691256887 ¥3,460

What is love? In poetry, songs, fiction, movies, psychology, and philosophy, love has been described, admired, lamented, and dissected in endless ways. Is love based on physical attraction? Does it bring out our better selves? How does it relate to sex? Is love divine? Plato's Symposium is one of the oldest, most influential, and most profound explorations of such questions - it is even the source of the idea of "Platonic love." How to Talk about Love introduces and presents the key passages and central ideas of Plato's philosophical dialogue in a lively and highly readable new translation, which also features the original Greek on facing pages.



【歴史学全般・世界史・文明論】

ロシア人はいまのロシアをどう見ているか

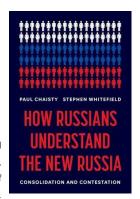
How Russians Understand the New Russia: Consolidation and Contestation

Chaisty, Paul & Whitefield, Stephen

(Princeton U.P.)

2025:02 208 p. Hardback 9780691258645 ¥6,180

How Russians Understand the New Russia provides the first longitudinal study of Russian public opinion on the system of political and economic power that replaced communism. It offers unique insights into how Russian citizens have adapted their views of the new Russia, identifying the issues that are the most - and the least - divisive. Chaisty and Whitefield track Russian public opinion on a broad range of policy questions, discuss the political importance of both voting and not voting and consider problems of nation-building and national identity. Finally, they weigh the impact of the Ukraine war on Russia's hybrid system, and whether consolidation or further contestation is more likely.



【アジア全般・東アジア研究】

インド:インド亜大陸史の五千年

India: 5,000 Years of History on the Subcontinent

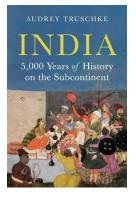
Truschke, Audrey

(Princeton U.P.)

2025:06 712 p. Hardback 9780691221229 ¥7,710

Much of world history is Indian history. Home today to one in four people, the subcontinent has long been densely populated and deeply connected to Asia, Africa, Europe, and the Americas through migration and trade. In this magisterial history, Audrey Truschke tells the fascinating story of the region historically known as India - which includes today's India, Pakistan, Bangladesh, and parts of Afghanistan - and the people who have lived there. A sweeping account of five millennia, from the dawn of the Indus Valley Civilization to the twenty-first

century, this engaging and richly textured narrative chronicles the most important political, social, religious, intellectual, and cultural events. And throughout, it describes how the region has been continuously reshaped by its astonishing diversity, religious and political innovations, and social stratification.



【日本研究】

戦国・江戸時代の日本と西洋の邂逅

Europe and the End of Medieval Japan

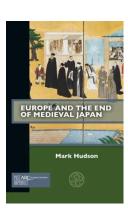
Hudson, Mark

Past Imperfect (Arc Humanities Pr.)

2024:11 130 p. Paperback 9781802701838 £16.95

Japan's transition from medieval to early modern occurred at the time of an emerging global Europe. In the 1540s European traders and missionaries began a century of dynamic cultural and economic interaction with the Japanese Islands. In the midst of civil war, over 300,000 Japanese converted to Christianity and Japan became an influential location in the Counter-Reformation's reinvention of Christianity as the first global religion. At the beginning of the seventeenth century, however, unification of Japan by the Tokugawa shoguns led to persecutions

and strict limits on European presence in the country. Examining a range of topics, including the relationship between Christianity and folk religion, the introduction of firearms, new crops and cuisines, and treponemal disease, this book re-evaluates Japan's transformation from medieval to early modern in a global context.



【アラブ・中東研究】

大いなる裏切り:中東における自由と民主主義のための闘争

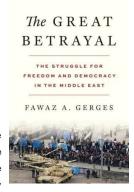
The Great Betrayal: The Struggle for Freedom and Democracy in the Middle East

Gerges, Fawaz A.

(Princeton U.P.)

2025:04 376 p. Hardback 9780691176635 ¥6,760

The Middle East is in upheaval: a widening chasm between state and society, the failure of governing elites to address citizens' genuine grievances, massive economic mismanagement - all made worse by repeated interventions by Western powers. Why has political change been so difficult to achieve? In *The Great Betrayal*, Fawaz Gerges argues that the convergence of political authoritarianism, meddling by the West, and the effects of prolonged regional conflicts have produced political paralysis and economic stagnation. The agency of everyday people has been thwarted by an authoritarian status quo that is maintained by a powerful partnership of external and internal forces.



【アラブ・中東研究】

イランの大戦略

Iran's Grand Strategy: A Political History

Nasr, Vali

(Princeton U.P.)

2025:05 376 p. Hardback 9780691268927 ¥6,760

Iran presents one of the most significant foreign policy challenges for America and the West, yet very little is known about what the country's goals really are. Vali Nasr examines Iran's political history in new ways to explain its actions and ambitions on the world stage, showing how, behind the veneer of theocracy and Islamic ideology, today's Iran is pursuing a grand strategy aimed at securing the country internally and asserting its place in the region and the world. Drawing on memoirs, oral histories, and original in-depth interviews with Iranian decision

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makers, Nasr brings to light facts and events in Iran's political history that have been overlooked until now. He traces the roots of Iran's strategic outlook to its experiences over the past four decades of war with Iraq in the 1980s and the subsequent American containment of Iran, invasion of Iraq in 2003, and posture toward Iran thereafter. Nasr reveals how these experiences have shaped a geopolitical outlook driven by pervasive fear of America and its plans for the Middle East.

【アラブ・中東研究】

サウジアラビア:現代史

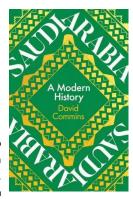
Saudi Arabia: A Modern History

Commins, David

(Yale U.P.)

2025:04 384 p. Hardback 9780300258059 US\$35.00

In this comprehensive account, David Commins narrates the full history of Saudi Arabia from oasis emirate to present-day attempts to leap to a post-petroleum economy. Moving through the ages, Commins traces how the Saud dynasty's reliance on sectarianism, foreign expertise, and petroleum to stabilize power has unintentionally spawned secular and religious movements seeking accountability and justice. He incorporates the experiences of activists, women, religious minorities, Bedouin, and expatriate workers as the country transformed from subsistence agrarian life to urban consumer society.



【動植物・園芸・農林・畜産・水産】

アジア太平洋地域の農業遺産の保護と地域の活性化

Conserving Agricultural Heritage and Revitalizing Communities in the Asia Pacific Region

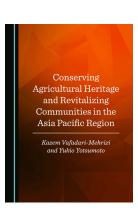
Vafadari-Mehrizi, Kazem & Yotsumoto, Yukio

(Cambridge Scholars)

2024:10 216 p. Hardback 9781036410926 £70.99

This book is an important milestone in our understanding of the development and use of the Globally Important Agricultural Heritage Systems (FAO, GIAHS) and Building Back Better (BBB) community resilience initiatives. GIAHS was designed by the FAO to conserve important agricultural heritage sites of the world through active coordination with local farming communities. Since its inauguration, the program has recognized several extraordinary agricultural systems in the Asia Pacific and in Japan, ranging from the Ifugao terraces in the Philippines

to the Satoyama-Satoumi traditional landscapes throughout Japan. The book looks at the key functions of traditional agriculture while promoting their use in regional revitalization through the promotion of conservation, traditional knowledge, multilateral engagement, and rural tourism.



【数学】

簡明・微分積分学2

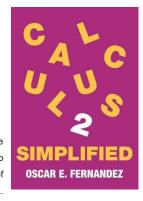
Calculus 2 Simplified: Integration and Infinite Series

Fernandez, Oscar E.

(Princeton U.P.)

2025:04 256 p. Paperback 9780691263755 ¥4,820

Second-semester calculus is rich with insights into the nature of infinity and the very foundations of geometry, but students can become overwhelmed as they struggle to synthesize the range of material covered in class. Oscar Fernandez provides a "Goldilocks approach" to learning the mathematics of integration, infinite sequences and series, and their applications - the right depth of insights, the right level of detail, and the freedom to customize your student experience. Learning calculus should be an empowering voyage, not a daunting task. Calculus 2 Simplified gives you the flexibility to choose your calculus adventure, and the right support to help you master the subject.



【数学】

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Exponential Sums, Hypergeometric Sheaves, and Monodromy Groups

Katz, Nicholas M. & Tiep, Pham Huu

Annals of Mathematics Studies (Princeton U.P.)

2025:06 352 p. Hardback 9780691272269 ¥31,850 Paperback 9780691272252 ¥14,480

This book is devoted to the determination of the monodromy groups attached to various explicit families of exponential sums, especially those attached to hypergeometric sheaves, arguably the simplest local systems on G_m, and to some simple (in the sense of simple to write down) one-parameter families of one-variable sums. These last families turn out to have surprising connections to hypergeometric sheaves. One of the main technical advances of this book is to bring to bear a group-theoretic condition (S+), which, when it applies, implies very strong structural constraints on the monodromy group, and to show that (S+) does indeed apply to the monodromy groups of most hypergeometric sheaves.

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【数学】

ケーラー群に関する講義

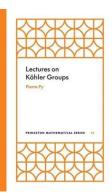
Lectures on Kähler Groups

Py, Pierre

Princeton Mathematical Series, 52 (Princeton U.P.)

2025:03 408 p. Hardback 9780691247151 ¥12,550

This book gives an authoritative and up-to-date introduction to the study of fundamental groups of compact Kähler manifolds, known as Kähler groups. Approaching the subject from the perspective of a geometric group theorist, Pierre Py equips readers with the necessary background in both geometric group theory and Kähler geometry, covering topics such as the actions of Kähler groups on spaces of nonpositive curvature, the large-scale geometry of infinite covering spaces of compact Kähler manifolds, and the topology of level sets of pluriharmonic functions.



Presenting the most important results from the past three decades, the book provides graduate students and researchers with detailed original proofs of several central theorems, including Gromov and Schoen's description of Kähler group actions on trees; the study of solvable quotients of Kähler groups following the works of Arapura, Beauville, Campana, Delzant, and Nori; and Napier and Ramachandran's work characterizing covering spaces of compact Kähler manifolds having many ends. It also describes without proof many of the recent breakthroughs in the field.

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