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Sharing Our Worlds 2008-04

women today are being instructed on how they can raise their self esteem love their inner child survive their toxic families overcome codependency and experience a revolution from within by holding up the ideal of a pure and happy inner core psychotherapists refuse to acknowledge that a certain degree of unhappiness or dissatisfaction is a routine part of life and not necessarily a cause for therapy lesbians specifically are now guided to define themselves according to their frailties inadequacies and insecurities an incisive critique of contemporary feminist psychology and therapy changing our minds argues not just that the current practice of psychology is flawed but that the whole idea of psychology runs counter to many tenets of lesbian feminist politics recognizing that many lesbians do feel unhappy and experience a range of problems that detract from their well being changing our minds makes positive prescriptive suggestions for non psychological ways of understanding and dealing with emotional distress written in a lively and engaging style changing our minds is required reading for anyone who has ever been in therapy or is close to someone who has and for lesbians feminists psychologists psychotherapists students of psychology and women s studies and anyone with an interest in the development of lesbian feminist theory ethics and practice

An Anthropological lifetime in Japan 2016-12-05

a collection of the publications and other writings of joy hendry with a biographical introduction also explaining the choice and rationale for the research topics addressed

An Introduction to Social Anthropology 2017-09-16

an essential core textbook that leads the reader from social anthropology s foundational approaches and theories to the fundamental areas that characterise the field today taking a truly global and holistic view it includes a wide range of case studies touching on topics that both divide and connect us such as family marriage and religion fully updated and revised the third edition of this popular textbook continues to introduce students to what social anthropology is what anthropologists do how and what they contribute and how even a limited knowledge of anthropology can help people flourish in today s world this is an inviting engaging and enjoyable text that has established itself as a comprehensive introduction to social and cultural anthropology written in an accessible style and including a wide range of pedagogical features it is ideally suited to new or prospective students seeking to better understand the discipline and its roots new to this edition includes a new chapter on the role of social and cultural anthropologists and the specific methods they use in a fast changing world features a number of new first hand accounts to explore difficult concepts through people s real world experiences updated sections for further exploration including books articles novels films and websites

Understanding Japanese Society 2012-10-02

with the ever growing contact between japan and the rest of the world comes an increasingly important need to understand a society that is

fascinating but still often confusing to the outsider in this brand new fourth edition of understanding japanese society joy hendry brings the reader up to date both with recent changes as japan hit the world headlines under the triple 2011 disasters and with underlying continuities in ways of thinking that have matured over a long history of dealing with foreign influences and an unpredictable environment this welcome new edition of hendry s bestselling introductory textbook provides a clear accessible and readable introduction to japanese society which does not require any previous knowledge of the country fully updated revised and expanded the fourth edition contains new material on the effects of the earthquake tsunami and nuclear disasters of 2011 a renewed interest in politics and popular participation increased frequency of local spiritual support as unemployment continues to grow and marriage gets later and later the effects of a dramatic drop in the birth rate on japan s education system the continuing global success of japanese animation manga and computer games despite a turn away from international travel the cool new ainu the attraction of healing okinawa and changes among other japanese minorities a new role for japanese fathers in child rearing this book will be invaluable to all students studying japan it will also enlighten those travellers and business people wishing to gain an understanding of the japanese people

An Anthropologist in Japan 2002-01-04

in this highly personal account joy hendry relates her experiences of fieldwork in a japanese town and reveals a fascinating cross section of japanese life she sets out on a study of politeness but a variety of unpredictable events including a volcanic eruption a suicide and her son s involvement with the family of a powerful local gangster begin to alter the direction of her research the book demonstrates the role of chance in the acquisition of anthropological knowledge and demonstrates how moments of insight can be embedded in everyday activity an anthropologist in japan illuminates the education system religious beliefs politics the family and the neighbourhood in modern japan

Marriage in Changing Japan 2010-10-18

this book approaches its subject from two angles first there is a detailed and descriptive analysis of the social organisation of and place of marriage in one community in kyushu to this extent the study is a regional one and provides valuable ethnographic information the second angle however is to analyse this material in the light of other historical ethnographical writings on japan which puts the regional material in a national context and brings together a great deal of information about japanese marriage hitherto unpublished in english

Sharing Our Worlds (Third Edition) 2016-09

an accessible and comprehensive introduction to cultural and social anthropology sharing our worlds offers readers the perfect introduction to cultural and social anthropology introducing the classic theoretical ideas of its key founders and placing them in their historical and geographical context this new edition is fully updated including topics for reflection at the end of each chapter which offer topics for debate and further discussion as well as a new final chapter illuminating the valuable ways in which anthropology may be used in the world at large this comprehensive text covers the anthropology s core topics in an even handed and illuminating manner introducing the reader to divergent views on all of the most basic subjects

including food hygiene gift exchange rites of passage symbolism religion politics and the environment and raising awareness of the emotional value people place on those views incorporating a wide array of countries it brings the subject of cultural and social anthropology right into the neighborhood of the readers wherever they are in the world written in a refreshingly accessible style the volume offers a compelling introduction to an enigmatic and exciting subject drawing out its relevance and value for the complex multicultural world in which we live

An Affair with a Village 2021-02-15

anthropologist joy hendry relates her experiences spanning six decades with the remarkable japanese village of kurotsuchi providing cultural insights and observations gained during her time spent with its fascinating community

Becoming Japanese 1989-01-01

the children are more than mere pictures they tell us the truths about japan so wrote a visitor to japan at the turn of the century and this view underlies the title of this book the first few years of a child s life are vitally important for preparing it to be a member of the society to which it belongs japanese methods of childcare are consequently directed towards taking advantage of the receptivity of the early years they are also different in many ways from western methods and much of the colorful detail in this book will be of great interest to mothers everywhere from family beds and toilet training to the elaborate religious ceremonies of childhood joy hendry looks at customs and traditions at rewards and punishments and at the day to day life of children at home at school and in the wider world joy hendry s research involved working with japanese mothers and other care takers and with kindergartens and day nurseries she has drawn on the work of sociologists psychologists and educationalists in english and japanese but the theoretical framework for the study is drawn from social anthropology

Wrapping Culture 1993

wrapping culture examines problems of intercultural communication and the possibilities for misinterpretation of the familiar in an unfamiliar context starting with an examination of japanese gift wrapping joy hendry demonstrates how our expectations are often influenced by cultural factors which may blind us to an appreciation of underlying intent she extends this approach to the study of polite language as the wrapping of thoughts and intentions garments as body wrappings constructions and gardens as wrapping of space hendry shows how this extends even to the ways in which people may be wrapped in seating arrangements or meetings and drinking customs may be constrained by temporal versions of wrapping throughout the book hendry considers ways in which groups of people use such symbolic forms to impress and manipulate one another and points out a western tendency to underestimate such nonverbal communication or reject it as mere decoration she presents ideas that should be valid in any intercultural encounter and demonstrates that japanese culture so often thought of as a special case can supply a model through which we can formulate general theories about human behavior

Anthropology 2012-08-01

in this illuminating tour of humanity joy hendry and simon underdown reveal the origins of our species and the fabric of human society through the discipline of anthropology via fascinating case studies and discoveries they unravel our understanding of human behaviours and beliefs including how witchcraft has been used to justify misfortune and debunk old fashioned ideas about race based upon the latest genetic research they even share what our bathroom tells us about our concept of the body and ourselves from our evolutionary ancestors through our rites of passage to our responses to globalization hendry and underdown provide the essential first step to understanding the world as an anthropologist would in all its diversity and commonality

Understanding Japanese Society 2003-09

fully updated revised and expanded this is a welcome new edition of this bestselling book providing a clear accessible and readable introduction to japanese society

Interpreting Japanese Society 2002-09-11

first published in 1986 interpreting japanese society became something of a classic in the field in this newly revised and updated edition the value of anthropological approaches to help understand an ancient and complex nation is clearly demonstrated while living and working in japan the contributors have studied important areas of society religion ritual leisure family and social relations are covered as are japanese preconceptions of time and space often so different from western concepts this new edition of interpreting japanese society shows what an important contribution research in such a rapidly changing industrialised nation can make to the subject of anthropology it will be welcomed by students and scholars alike who wish to find refreshing new insights on one of the world s most fascinating societies

Other People's Worlds 1999-03

other people s worlds offers the perfect introduction to cultural and social anthropology for anyone approaching the subject for the first time hendry introduces classic theoretical ideas of the key founders of cultural and social anthropology placing them in their historical and geographical context carefully structured so that one chapter builds on the next other people s worlds covers the core topics in an even handed and illuminating manner introducing the reader to divergent views on all the most basic subjects food hygiene gift exchange rites of passage symbolism religion politics and the environment and raising awareness of the emotional value people place on those views covering a wide array of countries it brings the subject of cultural and social anthropology right into the neighborhood of the reader wherever they are in the world combining an abundance of references and further readings for the serious student with an immensely readable and engaging writing style other people s worlds offers a compelling introduction to an enigmatic and exciting subject drawing out its relevance and value for the complex multicultural world in which we live

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Science and Sustainability 2014-09-18

indigenous peoples have passed down vital knowledge for generations from which local plants help cure common ailments to which parts of the land are unsuitable for buildings because of earthquakes here hendry examines science through these indigenous roots problematizing the idea that western science is the only type that deserves that name

□□□□□□ 2002-07

this book focuses on the renewal or rekindling of cultural identity especially in populations previously considered extinct at the same time hendry sets out to explain the importance of ensuring the survival of these cultures by drawing a fine and textured picture of these cultures hendry illuminates extraordinary diversity that was at one point seriously endangered and explains why it should matter in today's world

Reclaiming Culture 2005-10-20

this book explores the myth so abused by the mass media that the japanese are a grey anonymous mass of efficient obedient workers the articles shed light on a japan outside officialdom a lively japan of tumultuous and independent thought inefficient and aesthetic pleasure loving aggressive and wasteful creative and anti authoritarian the book's truly international contributors examine the role in modern japanese society of a range of leisure and play activities from drinking to travel football to karaoke tattoos to rock fandom they explore how things which seem like play in one context are deadly serious in another and how the fun and enjoyment may be achieved in unexpected ways they also draw attention to the importance of such activities in understanding the deeper structure and meaning pervading all areas of the society in which they take place this book will be of great interest to students and scholars of japanese studies sociology anthropology and cultural studies

Japan at Play 2005-08-10

at the turn of the 20th century japanese villages and their exotic occupants delighted and mystified visitors to the great exhibitions and worlds fairs at the beginning of the 21st century japanese tourists have reversed the gaze and now may visit a range of european countries as well as several other cultural worlds without ever leaving the shores of japan this book suggests that these and other exciting asian theme parks pose a challenge to western notions of leisure education and entertainment is this a case of reverse orientalism or is it simply a commercial follow up on the success of tokyo disneyland is it an appropriation by one rich nation of a whole world of cultural delights from the countries that have influenced its twentieth century success can the parks be seen as political statements about the heritage on which japan now draws so freely or are they new forms of ethnographic museum examining japanese parks in the context of a variety of historical examples of cultural display in europe the u s and australia as well as other asian examples the author calls into question the too easy adoption of postmodern theory as an ethnocentrically western phenomenon and clearly shows that japan has given theme parks an entirely new mode of interpretation

The Orient Strikes Back 2020-06-07

top scholars in the field of japan anthropology examine challenge and attempt to move beyond the notion of an east west divide in the study of japan anthropology this is a timely and important examination of the current state of the academic study of japan anthropology

Dismantling the East-West Dichotomy 2006-09-27

この本は、東洋と西洋の二分法を解体し、東洋と西洋の両方を理解するための新しい視点を提供する。著者は、東洋と西洋の両方を理解するための新しい視点を提供する。著者は、東洋と西洋の両方を理解するための新しい視点を提供する。

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Japan at Play 2005

documents the great diversity in how people perceive their natural environment and how they come to terms with nature be it through brute force rituals or idealization the main message of the book is that nature and the natural are concepts very much conditioned by their context

Japanese Images of Nature 1997

as japan enters the 21st century with a new emperor this title continues to be an indispensable guide through often enigmatic and historical idiosyncrasies of japanese culture and politics that are often confusing to the outsider this title includes information on the latest social developments customs rituals business culture medicine and arts

Understanding Japanese Society 2003

drawing on their experiences in the field from a mormon theme park in hawaii through carnival time on montserrat to the exclusive domain of the market contributors explore indirect communication from an anthropological perspective

An Anthropology of Indirect Communication 2003-12-16

sometimes we convey what we mean not by what we say but by what we do this type of indirect communication is sometimes called indirection from patent miscommunication through potent ambiguity to pregnant silence this incisive collection examines from a rare anthropological perspective the many aspects of indirect communication from a mormon theme park to carnival time on montserrat the contributors analyse indirection by illustrating how food silence sunglasses martial arts and rudeness call constitute powerful ways of conveying meaning an anthropology of indirect communication is an engaging text which provides a challenging introduction to this subject

An Anthropology of Indirect Communication 2003-12-16

this study is the first exploration of the impact of world war two on scottish poets of both the front line and the home front world war one has always been thought of as a poet s war one of horror and futility the poetry of world war two by contrast has long languished in its shadow though there was a much greater amount of it written this book asks whether these poets felt they were grown for war or rather that they grew through war experience with an emphasis on the possibilities of the future instead of cataloguing the senseless horror of the battlefield how were the hopes of scottish poets

different from their english counterparts how was their poetry different and how did it impact on their later lives

Marriage in Changing Japan 2011

the material symbol has become central to understanding religion in late modernity overtly theological approaches use words to express the values and faith of a religion but leave out the incarnation of religion in the behavioural performative or audio visual form this book explores the lived experience of religion through its material expressions demonstrating how religion and spirituality are given form and are thus far from being detached or ethereal cutting across cultures senses disciplines and faiths the contributors register the variety in which religions and religious groups express the sacred and numinous including chapters on music architecture festivals ritual artifacts dance dress and magic this book offers an invaluable resource to students of sociology and anthropology of religion art culture history liturgy theories of late modern culture and religious studies

Scotland's Harvest 2023-07-24

this collection offers the fruits of a stimulating workshop that sought to bridge the fraught relationship which sometimes continues between anthropologists and indigenous native aboriginal scholars despite areas of overlapping interest participants from around the world share their views and opinions on subjects ranging from ideas for reconciliation the question of what might constitute a universal science indigenous heritage postcolonial museology the boundaries of the term indigeneity different senses as ways of knowing and the very issue of writing as a method of dissemination that divides and excludes readers from different backgrounds this book represents a landmark step in the process of replacing bridges with more equal patterns of intercultural cooperation and communication

Materializing Religion 2017-03-02

recent years have witnessed an explosive growth in the literature published about japan yet it seems that the more that is written about japan and japanism its culture society people the more mysterious it becomes as well as exploring issues relating to advertising tourism women festivals and the art world the book depicts how the study of japanese society contributes to anthropological theory and understanding the editors use the term unwrapping to provide insights into japanese culture and relate these insights to broader problems and questions prevalent in contemporary anthropological discourse the issues explored include the contribution of applied anthropology to theory the relationship between tourism and nostalgia the interplay of marginality and belonging the role of advertising in gender relations status in the art world and the place of japanese genres of writing within anthropology texts

Anthropologists, Indigenous Scholars and the Research Endeavour 2012-11-27

given the highly trained library workforce now available and the vast and growing array of packaging information and knowledge libraries have the

capacity to become pre eminent places of learning research and teaching yet despite this potential libraries remain divided from their constituencies and their governing bodies be they students faculties university administrations municipal governments or ordinary citizens indeed many modern university administrators viewing librarians as ancillary citizens in academe have allowed their libraries to wither under the burden of shrinking budgets staffing inadequacies and deteriorating facilities this thought provoking volume by a 35 year veteran of academic libraries identifies diagnoses and provides remedies to the damaging divisions in and between libraries and librarianship arguing that the processes of teaching constitute the genuine context in which to steer librarianship into the future

Unwrapping Japan 1990

through her detailed description of a particular place kuzaki cho at a particular moment in time the 1980s d p martinez addresses a variety of issues currently at the fore in the anthropology of japan the construction of identity both for a place and its people the importance of ritual in a country that describes itself as nonreligious and the relationship between men and women in a society where gender divisions are still very much in place kuzaki is for the anthropologist both a microcosm of modernity and an attempt to bring the past into the present but it must also be understood as a place all of its own in the 1980s it was one of the few villages where female divers ama still collected abalone and other shellfish and where some of its inhabitants continued to make a living as fishermen kuzaki was also a kambe or sacred guild of ise shrine the most important shinto shrine in modern japan home to amaterasu the sun goddess kuzaki s rituals affirmed a national identity in an era when attitudes to modernity and japaneseness were being challenged by globalization martinez enhances her fascinating ethnographic description of a single diving village with a critique of the way in which the anthropology of japan has developed the result is a sophisticated investigation by a senior scholar of japanese studies that while firmly grounded in empirical data calls on anthropological theory to construct another means of understanding japan both as a society in which the collective is important and as a place where individual ambitions and desires can be expressed

Divided Libraries 2012-09-12

the split between the gospel and culture is without doubt the drama of our time wrote paul vi in 1975 since that time there has been an increasingly urgent awareness that inculturation is an indispensable task of the church but inculturation the dialogue between church and cultures demands first of all that we who would enter into the dialogue understand what culture itself means and what dialogue entails to that end cultural anthropologist father gerald arbuckle gives us this important volume he traces the history of the development of the concept of culture and the too often negative rarely positive effects of encounters between church and culture he explores how jesus christ approached the cultures of his time and outlines the current treatment of culture and inculturation in church documents and in catholic theology he shows that modest progress in understanding has recently stalled and there are even forces working to turn that progress into regress he concludes with a description of inculturation as it needs to happen and a sharp critique of those who resist with a sense of prophetic hope arbuckle seeks to help us bridge the lamentable split between gospel and culture the drama that continues to unfold in our time

Identity and Ritual in a Japanese Diving Village 2004-04-30

this is the first book to comprehensively examine the phenomenon of japanese city planning japan is one of the world s most urbanized countries with its own traditions of urban management that are remarkably little known in the rest of the world

Culture, Inculturation, and Theologians 2010-09-01

this book explores how the relationship between child and parent develops in japan from the earliest point in a child s life through the transition from family to the wider world first to playschools and then schools it shows how touch and physical contact are important for engendering intimacy and feeling and how intimacy and feeling continue even when physical contact lessens it relates the position in japan to theoretical writing in both japan and the west on body mind intimacy and feeling and compares the position in japan to practices elsewhere overall the book makes a significant contribution to the study of and theories on body practices and to debates on the processes of socialisation in japan

The Making of Urban Japan 2004

the neutrality pact between japan and the soviet union signed in april 1941 lapsed only nine months before its expiry date of april 1946 when the soviet union attacked japan japan s neutrality had enabled stalin to move far eastern forces to the german front where they contributed significantly to soviet victories from moscow to berlin slavinsky suggests that stalin s agreement with churchill and roosevelt to attack japan after germany s surrender allowed him to keep japan in the war until he was ready to attack and thus avenge russia s defeat in the war of 1904 1905 the soviet union s violation of the pact and the detention of japanese prisoners for up to ten years after the end of the war created a sense of victimization in japan to the extent that there is still no formal peace treaty between the two countries to this day slavinsky draws on recently opened russian archival material to demonstrate that the soviet union was passing information about the allies to japan during the second world war he also persuasively argues that vengeance and the re acquisition of land were the primary motives for the attack on japan the book contains empirical data previously unavailable in english and will fascinate anyone with an interest in the history of japan the soviet union and the events of the second world war

The Japanese Family 2014-06-27

the san francisco system determined the post war political and security order in the asia pacific drawing on extensive research and current day analysis kimie hara gives a comprehensive examination of the system uncovering key links between the regional problems in the asia pacific and their underlying association with japan

The Japanese-Soviet Neutrality Pact 2004-03-01

Cold War Frontiers in the Asia-Pacific 2006-12-13

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