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2015 Status of the Nation's Highways, Bridges, and Transit Conditions and Performance Report to Congress

2017-04

this publication is intended to provide decision makers with an objective appraisal of the physical conditions operational performance and financing mechanisms of highways bridges and transit systems based on both their current state and their projected future state under a set of alternative future investment scenarios

Handbook of Human Factors for Automated, Connected, and Intelligent Vehicles

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handbook of human factors for automated connected and intelligent vehicles subject guide ergonomics human factors automobile crashes are the seventh leading cause of death worldwide resulting in over 1 25 million deaths yearly automated connected and intelligent vehicles have the potential to reduce crashes significantly while also reducing congestion carbon emissions and increasing accessibility however the transition could take decades this new handbook serves a diverse community of stakeholders including human factors researchers transportation engineers regulatory agencies automobile manufacturers fleet operators driving instructors vulnerable road users and special populations it provides information about the human driver other road users and human automation interaction in a single integrated compendium in order to ensure that automated connected and intelligent vehicles reach their full potential features addresses four major transportation challenges crashes congestion carbon emissions and accessibility from a human factors perspective discusses the role of the human operator relevant to the design regulation and evaluation of automated connected and intelligent vehicles offers a broad treatment of the critical issues and technological advances for the designing of transportation systems with the driver in mind presents an understanding of the human factors issues that are central to the public acceptance of these automated connected and intelligent vehicles leverages lessons from other domains in understanding human interactions with automation sets the stage for future research by defining the space of unexplored questions

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Bringing SMEs onto the e-Commerce Highway

2017-02-15

this publication studies e commerce related policies that affect smes engagement in cross border e commerce it identifies the bottlenecks and requirements of e commerce participation and presents examples of best practices in regulating cross border e commerce this work addresses competitiveness issues in each segment of the cross border e commerce process chain including establishing business online international e payment cross border delivery and aftersales services it provides a checklist of the essential ingredients for sme success in cross border e commerce by examining enabling factors at the firm level immediate business environment level and national policy level the publication also reviews global cross border e commerce and offers a deeper analysis of selected economies this work serves as a starting point for a public private dialogue on e commerce especially for smes in developing countries

The Broad Highway

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the broad highway is a wonderful story of adventure and romance peter vibart is his uncle s favorite nephew and everyone expected him to inherit his uncle s lands fortune and title but things take a huge turn when the uncle s will reveals something shocking

Nutbrown Roger and I, A Romance of the Highway

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Four Afoot: Being the Adventures of the Big Four on the Highway

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four afoot presents an exciting story of the big four nelson dan bob and tom it tells about their experiences as they go on a simple walking tour of long island but it turns out to be more adventurous than expected

Transport Infrastructure and Systems

2017-03-16

transport infrastructure asset management in transport infrastructure financial viability of transport engineering projects life cycle cost analysis life cycle assessment and sustainability assessment of transport infrastructure infrastructures financing and pricing with equity appraisal operation optimization and energy management low volume roads planning maintenance operations environmental and social issues public private partnership ppp experience in transport infrastructure in different countries and economic conditions airport pavement management systems runway design and maintenance port maintenance and development issues technology relating to cargo handling landside access cruise operations infrastructure building information modelling i bim pavement design and innovative bituminous materials recycling and re use in road pavements environmentally sustainable technologies stone pavements ancient roads and historic railways cementitious stabilization of materials used in the rehabilitation of transportation infrastructure transport systems sustainable transport and the environment protection including green vehicles urban transport land use development spatial and transport planning bicycling bike bike sharing systems cycling mobility human factor in transport systems intelligent mobility emerging technologies to enable the smarter movement of people and goods airport landside access roads parking facilities terminal facilities aircraft apron and the azdjacent taxiway transportation policy planning and design modelling and decision making transport economics finance and pricing issues optimization problems equity appraisal road safety impact assessments road safety audits the management of road network safety and safety inspections tunnels and underground structures preventing incidents accidents mitigating their effects for both people and goods traffic flow characteristics traffic control devices work zone traffic control highway capacity and quality of service track vehicle interactions in railway sy

Along the Indian Highway

2019-08-02

this book is an ethnographic study of the travelling art exhibition indian highway that presented indian contemporary art in europe and china between 2008 and 2012 a significant period for the art world that saw the rise and fall of the national exhibition format it analyses art exhibition as a mobile object and promotes the idea of art as a transcultural product by using participant observation in depth interviews and multi media studies as research method this work encompasses voices of curators artists audiences and art critics spread over different cities sites and art institutions to bridge the distance between europe and india based on vignettes along the indian highway the discussion in the book focuses on power relations the contested politics of representation and dissonances and processes of negotiation in the field of global art it also argues for rethinking analytical categories in anthropology to identify the social role of contemporary art practices in different cultural contexts and also examines urban art and the way national or cultural values are reinterpreted in response to ideas of difference and pluralism rich in empirical data this book will be useful to scholars and researchers of modern and contemporary art indian art art and visual culture anthropology art history mobility and transcultural studies

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Major Infrastructure Planning and Delivery

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major infrastructure planning and delivery introduces the system for planning and consenting nationally significant infrastructure projects nsips in england which has also applied for some schemes in wales these are the major projects involving power stations and large renewable energy schemes motorways railways and a range of other high profile high impact and sometimes controversial development schemes and including some closely linked to the uk s transition to net zero the book explains where this separate system for governing major infrastructure came from and how it operates in practice with a particular focus on the relationship between planning consent and delivery of these infrastructure projects detailed case studies of the a14 highway thames tideway super sewer galloper offshore windfarm and progress power station drawing on research by the authors illustrate issues of the often overlooked continuing role of local government the engagement of local communities and stakeholders and the modification of schemes between consent and construction at a time of ongoing government planning reform increased concern about climate change and still unresolved consequences of brexit as well as timeless debates such as over national need versus local impact this timely book offers rich detail on the particular approach to major infrastructure planning in england but also speaks to wider issues around the governance of development and implementation of government policy under late capitalism

Transportation Planning Handbook

2016-09-19

a multi disciplinary approach to transportation planningfundamentals the transportation planning handbook is a comprehensive practice oriented reference that presents the fundamental conceptsof transportation planning alongside proven techniques this newfourth edition is more strongly focused on serving the needs of allusers the role of safety in the planning process andtransportation planning in the context of societal concerns including the development of more sustainable transportationsolutions the content structure has been redesigned with a newformat that promotes a more functionally driven multimodal approachto planning design and implementation including guidance towardthe latest tools and technology the material has been updated toreflect the latest changes to major transportation resources suchas the hom mutod hsm and more including the most current adaaccessibility regulations transportation planning has historically followed the rational planning model of defining objectives identifying problems generating and evaluating alternatives and developing plans planners are increasingly expected to adopt a moremulti disciplinary approach especially in light of the rising importance of sustainability and environmental concerns this bookpresents the fundamentals of transportation planning in amultidisciplinary context giving readers a practical reference forday to day answers serve the needs of all users incorporate safety into the planning process examine the latest transportation planning softwarepackages get up to date on the latest standards recommendations and codes developed by the institute of transportation engineers thisbook is the culmination of over seventy years of transportation planning solutions fully updated to reflect the needs of achanging society for a comprehensive guide with practical answers the transportation planning handbook is an essential reference

Handbook of Teen and Novice Drivers

2019-11-13

despite a growing body of research and targeted remediation teenage and novice drivers continue to be six to nine times more likely to die in a crash than they are

when they are just a few years older the world health organization reports that road traffic injuries are the leading cause of death globally among 15 to 19 year olds in light of these crash statistics understanding the teen driver problem remains of paramount public health importance around the world the handbook of teen and novice drivers research practice policy and directions provides critical knowledge for a broad range of potential readers including students teachers researchers in academics industry and the federal government public policy makers at all levels insurance companies and automobile manufacturers driving instructors and parents and their teens

Police Response to Riots

2014

this book is a study of the response that the police take to modern urban riots it takes a principally police perspective on the lead up to a riot the police response and the evaluation of the police response the book is based on the development and analysis of four extensive case study riots france 2005 london 2011 ferguson 2014 and baltimore 2015 the methodological approach to the case studies is comparative and includes an interactive framework that incorporates a number of key variables these variables examine how each riot began how they developed the response strategies and tactics used by the police and how the riots eventually ended the first section looks at defining riots and examines the riot literature and research to date the second section analyses the current police response to rioting the third and final section includes an analysis and comparison of the case study riots along with an examination of how the police response to riots could be improved with its focus on police practices this unique volume will be useful for researchers students police law enforcement and policy makers

Overview of Public-private Partnerships in Highway and Transit Projects (113-57), March 5, 2014

2012

the purpose of shrp 2 project c08 community visioning approach to support the shrp 2 collaborative decision making framework for additions to highway capacity was to help transportation agency practitioners assess the possibilities of community visioning efforts identify practical steps and activities when engaging in visioning and establish links between vision outcomes and transportation planning and project development processes to these ends this research presents a model the vision guide or the preparation creation and implementation of a visioning process a companion web tool was also developed shrp 2 report s2 c08 rr 1 linking community visioning and highway capacity planning is available as a pdf and through the trb bookstore the appendices which include case studies and a collection of resources were published as a separate document s2 c08 rw 2 and are available only as a pdf the vision guide is connected to the transportation planning and project development processes identified in related shrp 2 capacity research and presented in the decision guide structure on the website transportation for communities advancing projects through partnership tcapp found at transportationforcommunities com publisher s description

Linking Community Visioning and Highway Capacity Planning

2019-10-10

this book explores what development banks governments and communities have learned in the last decade of careful negotiation between social and environmental protections in the andean amazon and the pressures of a surging infrastructure and development boom while mega dams highways and ports are filling up the

pipelines of planners the national governments of andean and amazon basin countries and major development banks have enacted ambitious social and environmental protections the book traces the development of social and environmental protections after years of struggle by affected communities going beyond official policies to discover how these reforms work in practice and ultimately whether they are enough to stem the risks of infrastructure mega projects as chinese public banks play an increasingly important role in the region the book also demonstrates that there is a risk of governments undercutting their own standards by contrast this book shows that making infrastructure work for everyone involved requires mutually reinforcing networks of support and accountability among communities governments and development banks this book led by an expert multi disciplinary international team will be of considerable interest to researchers in the fields of development and development economics geography anthropology and ecology as well as practitioners in development banks and in government regulatory and foreign aid agencies

Development Banks and Sustainability in the Andean Amazon

2022-11-23

this volume assesses china s belt and road initiative bri as it approaches its tenth year in operation the programme has gone through a difficult transition since its inception in 2013 with an environment developing in a way utterly unanticipated by chinese decision makers despite pragmatic adjustments to the bri the lack of a firm empirical base has impeded the bri and led to its demise in many countries with the accumulation of nearly ten years of project and economic data it is possible to make an in depth assessment of the bri for this purpose the study examines the infrastructure component of the bri in 39 countries stretching from the americas to oceania and finally south asia the study finds a strong relationship between a country s progress in improved governance and the quality of its infrastructure countries that have benefited from the bri have simultaneously achieved progress in governance areas such as the rule of law and control of corruption by not emphasizing improved governance structures china condemns many of its partners to failure researchers students and economic development specialists from latin america to south asia and oceania will find this study a useful departure from the volumes of anecdotal bri assessments

China's Belt and Road Initiative at Ten

2018-09-11

cities across the globe are looking to develop affordable environmentally friendly and socially responsible transportation solutions that can meet the accessibility needs of expanding metropolitan populations and support future economic and urban development when appropriately planned and properly implemented as part of a larger public transportation network urban rail systems can provide rapid mobility and vital access to city centers from surrounding districts high performing urban rail services when carefully approached as development projects can help enhance quality of life by giving citizens access to employment opportunities essential services urban amenities and neighboring communities the purpose of this handbook is to synthesize and disseminate knowledge to inform the planning implementation and operations of urban rail projects with a view towards emphasizing the need for early studies and project planning making projects more sustainable economically socially and environmentally improving socioeconomic returns and access to opportunities for users maximizing the value of private participation where appropriate and building capacity within project implementing and managing institutions this handbook provides experiential advice to tackle the technical institutional and financial challenges faced by decision makers considering urban rail projects it brings together the expertise of world bank staff and the input of numerous specialists to synthesize international good practices and recommendations that are independent of commercial financial political or other interests the material presented is intended as an honest broker guide to maximize the impact and manage the challenges of urban rail systems in cities in both developed and

developing countries rather than identify a single approach this handbook acknowledges the complexities and context necessary when approaching an urban rail development by helping to prepare decision makers to ask the right questions consider the key issues perform the necessary studies apply adequate tools and learn from international good practice all at the right time in the project development process

The Urban Rail Development Handbook

2017-06-15

historical inquiry forms the foundation for much research undertaken in art education while traversing paths of historical investigation in this field we may discover undocumented moments and overlooked or hidden individuals as well as encounter challenging ideas in need of exploration and critique in doing so history is approached from multiple and at times vitally diverse perspectives our hope is that the conversations generated through this text will continue to strengthen and encourage more interest in histories of art education but also more sophisticated and innovative approaches to historical research in this field the overarching objective of the text is to recognize the historical role that many overlooked individuals particularly african americans and women have played in the field of art education and acknowledge the importance of history and historical research in this digital age this text opens up possibilities of faculty collaborations across programs interested in history and historical research on a local national and international level by assembling the work of various scholars from across the united states this text is intended to elicit rich conversations about history that would be otherwise beyond what is provided in general art education textbooks

Revitalizing History

2021-08-30

this handbook offers a comprehensive overview of south asian foreign policy examining the complex history and present state of south asian foreign policy the foreign policy of the countries of the region as well as their relationships with their neighbors and key external players such as china and the united states in an effort to understand south asia s place in the world order it illustrates the future trajectory of foreign policy in the region and analyses future of regional arrangements like saarc south asian association for regional cooperation and bimstec the handbook is structured in five parts each representing a focused area of enquiry foreign policy relations within south asia relations within indo pacific relations with china europe and the united states security a carefully selected collection of 26 chapters written by experts on south asian foreign economic and security policy this handbook provides an objective yet accessible overview of the history and current state of foreign policy of each country and the region it is an authoritative reference work for academics and students as well as international think tanks research institutes and non governmental organizations working on south asian politics asian politics foreign politics international affairs world history and international relations

Routledge Handbook on South Asian Foreign Policy

2015

this report focuses on the challenges of governing infrastructure investment and public private partnerships ppps at the subnational level subnational governments cities and regions play a vital role in the infrastructure landscape

Saving Lives on Our Nation's Highways

2018-11-12

hegel s highway of despair introduced in his phenomenology of spirit is the tortured path traveled by natural consciousness on its way to freedom despair the passionate residue of hegelian critique also indicates fugitive opportunities for freedom and preserves the principle of hope against all hope analyzing the works of an eclectic cast of thinkers robyn marasco considers the dynamism of despair as a critical passion reckoning with the forms of historical life forged along hegel s highway the highway of despair follows theodor adorno georges bataille and frantz fanon as they each read resist and reconfigure a strand of thought in hegel s phenomenology of spirit confronting the twentieth century collapse of a certain revolutionary dialectic these thinkers struggle to revalue critical philosophy and recast left hegelianism within the contexts of genocidal racism world war and colonial domination each thinker also re centers the role of passion in critique arguing against more recent trends in critical theory that promise an escape from despair marasco shows how passion frustrates the resolutions of reason and faith embracing the extremism of what marx in the spirit of hegel called the ruthless critique of everything existing she affirms the contemporary purchase of radical critical theory resulting in a passionate approach to political thought

OECD Multi-level Governance Studies Subnational Public-Private Partnerships Meeting Infrastructure Challenges

2020-02-27

on highway 61 explores the historical context of the significant social dissent that was central to the cultural genesis of the sixties the book is going to search for the deeper roots of american cultural and musical evolution for the past 150 years by studying what the western european culture learned from african american culture in a historical progression that reaches from the minstrel era to bob dylan the book begins with america s first great social critic henry david thoreau and his fundamental source of social philosophy his profound commitment to freedom to abolitionism and to african american culture continuing with mark twain through whom we can observe the rise of minstrelsy which he embraced and his subversive satirical masterpiece huckleberry finn while familiar the book places them into a newly articulated historical reference that shines new light and reveals a progression that is much greater than the sum of its individual parts as the first post civil war generation of black americans came of age they introduced into the national culture a trio of musical forms ragtime blues and jazz that would with their derivations dominate popular music to this day ragtime introduced syncopation and become the cutting edge of the modern 20th century with popular dances the blues would combine with syncopation and improvisation and create jazz maturing at the hands of louis armstrong it would soon attract a cluster of young white musicians who came to be known as the austin high gang who fell in love with black music and were inspired to play it themselves in the process they developed a liberating respect for the diversity of their city and country which they did not see as exotic but rather as art it was not long before these young white rebels were the masters of american pop music big band swing as bop succeeded swing and rhythm and blues followed each had white followers like the beat writers and the first young rock and rollers even popular white genres like the country music of jimmy rodgers and the carter family reflected significant black influence in fact the theoretical separation of american music by race is not accurate this biracial fusion achieved an apotheosis in the early work of bob dylan born and raised at the northern end of the same mississippi river and highway 61 that had been the birthplace of much of the black music he would study as the book reveals the connection that began with thoreau and continued for over 100 years was a cultural evolution where at first individuals and then larger portions of society absorbed the culture of those at the absolute bottom of the power structure the slaves and their descendants and realized that they themselves were not free

Factors Underpinning and Influencing Drivers' Aberrant Behaviours Across the Life Course

2015-03-24

navigating the maze how science and technology policies shape america and the world offers a captivating deep dive into the inner workings of the world of public policy written by prominent science advocate and renowned physics researcher and educator michael's lubell this valuable book provides insights and real world examples for anyone looking to understand how policy works in reality for students scientists and the public well organized and featuring a compelling historical narrative this unique resource will enable researchers educators elected officials industrialists financial managers science lobbyists and readers in general to easily navigate the complex world of science and technology s t policy as science communication and stem policy occupy rapidly growing areas of interest and provide important career paths this book provides invaluable insights into the public policy arena as well as lessons for effective science advocacy presents compelling narratives about climate change the internet the human genome the brain initiative the manhattan project the science stimulus the origin of the national institutes of health and the national science foundation and more provides insights into the future of s t through a 225 year american policy retrospective highlighting impacts on health and medicine stem education economic growth energy defense innovation and industrial competitiveness illuminates the role of s t on the global stage from diplomatic engagement to military intervention and from scientific collaboration to technological competition

The Highway of Despair

2015-10-13

this edited collection by internationally recognized authors provides essays on police behavior in the categories of police administration police operations and combating specific crimes individual chapters strike at critical issues for police today such as maintaining the well being of officers handling stress hiring practices child sexual exploitation gunrunning crime prevention strategies police legitimacy and much more understanding how police are hired and behave is a way of understanding different governments around the world the book will cover the practices of countries as diverse as china germany india japan turkey south africa the united states and others readers will be exposed to aspects of police that are rarely if ever explored the book is intended for a wide range of audiences including law enforcement and community leaders and students of criminal justice

On Highway 61

2019-04-06

the construction industry is amidst a digital transformation that is focused on addressing well documented issues and calls for significant improvements and changes through increased productivity whole life value client focus reduction of waste and being more sustainable the key aspect to driving change and transformation is the education and upskilling of the required workforce towards developing the required capacities various approaches can be taken to embed digital construction within education and through collaborative efforts in order to drive change and facilitate improvements the handbook of research on driving transformational change in the digital built environment focuses on current developments in practice and education towards facilitating transformation in the built environment this book provides insight from a practice perspective in relation to the client's understanding digitally enabled collaboration interoperability and open standards and maturity capability covering topics that include digital transformation and construction digitally enabled infrastructure building information modelling collaborative digital education and

the digital built environment this book is an ideal reference source for engineers professionals and researchers in the field of digital transformation as well as doctoral scholars doctoral researchers professionals and academicians

Navigating the Maze

2021-09-27

this book examines non traditional forms of security and expands the notion of security to include non state actors and non human actors with a wide ranging look into some of the new security threats facing state and non state actors today this book is designed to specifically offer new angles on tackling these threats in the caribbean region it explores issues relating to viruses war and conflict migration geopolitics climate change and terrorism through multi and interdisciplinary perspectives on global in securities each chapter clearly elucidates the connectedness of these non traditional threats drawing on a remarkable number of the most recent reports and scholarly works most importantly there is a lack of caribbean studies in the security themes that are studied this book is a much needed and timely addition to intellectual thought on caribbean security in an increasingly fragmented world it will be of great interest to students of international security studies human security global politics and international relations

Police Behavior, Hiring, and Crime Fighting

2021-05-07

fully updated the second edition of neuropsychology of art offers a fascinating exploration of the brain regions and neuronal systems which support artistic creativity talent and appreciation this landmark book is the first to draw upon neurological evolutionary and cognitive perspectives and to provide an extensive compilation of neurological case studies of professional painters composers and musicians the book presents evidence from the latest brain research and develops a multidisciplinary approach drawing upon theories of brain evolution biology of art art trends archaeology and anthropology it considers the consequences of brain damage to the creation of art and the brain's control of art the author delves into a variety of neurological conditions in established artists including unilateral stroke dementia alzheimer's disease parkinson's disease and also evidence from savants with autism written by a leading neuropsychologist neuropsychology of art will be of great interest to students and researchers in neuropsychology cognitive psychology neuroscience and neurology and also to clinicians in art therapy

Handbook of Research on Driving Transformational Change in the Digital Built Environment

2022-08-31

the congressional record is the official record of the proceedings and debates of the united states congress it is published daily when congress is in session the congressional record began publication in 1873 debates for sessions prior to 1873 are recorded in the debates and proceedings in the congress of the united states 1789 1824 the register of debates in congress 1824 1837 and the congressional globe 1833 1873

Managing New Security Threats in the Caribbean

2015-11-06

this cutting edge book explores the role of the media in the highly disputed area of china africa relations notably how various aspects of the issue have been portrayed negotiated and contested in media and academic discourses as africa s biggest trading partner and creditor china explores africa not only as a marketplace for importing primary commodities and exporting manufactured goods but also as a preferred testing ground for its media and telecommunication sector aspiring for further internationalization at a time when the influence from global north has been on the wane in the continent emerging powers are regarded as new inspirations for africa s development china in particular tries to bolster multipolarity in africa by factoring in media influence and facilitating the digitalization process of the continent this book offers an up to date geopolitical analysis of china africa examining the role of communication and telecommunication in the power shift especially in constructing social and cultural realities in which the idea of development has been recurrently redefined and negotiated in the public domain this volume tackles the issue from the new perspective of mediatization considering how the media on the one hand shapes public opinion with its narratives and a logic of its own and on the other hand simultaneously becomes an integrated part of other institutions like politics trade business as more of these institutional activities are performed through both interactive and mass media

Neuropsychology of Art

2009

creating culturally affirming and meaningful assignments offers principles strategies and examples to aid in the development of inclusive college coursework in which all students feel seen and valued this resource prepares instructors to proactively consider ways to honor and engage with students varied identities and lived experiences through assignments chapters cover the course design process methods on getting to know your students assignment options beyond the exam and more reflection questions at the end of each chapter serve as a springboard for faculty and leadership conversations on equitable and inclusive teaching practices while the appendix features 20 example assignments sourced from various higher education disciplines an accessible practical read this guidebook is for any higher education instructor who wants to reimagine their assignments to center and celebrate students varied cultural backgrounds and experiences

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this book discusses the socioeconomic effects of right to work rtw laws on state populations rtw laws forbid requiring union membership even at union represented worksites the core of the 22 long term rtw states was the confederacy cultural descendants of rigidly hierarchical agrarian feudal england rtw laws buttress hierarchy and power imbalance which unions minimize at the worksite and by encouraging higher educational attainment social mobility and individual empowerment through group validation contrary to claims of rtw proponents rtw and non rtw states do not differ significantly in unemployment rates rtw states have higher poverty rates lower median household incomes and lower educational attainment on average and median than non rtw states rtw states on average and median have lower life expectancy higher obesity prevalence and higher rates of all cause mortality early mortality from chronic conditions child mortality and risk behaviors than non rtw states the higher mortality rates result in startlingly higher annual numbers of years of life lost before age 75 stroke mortality at age 55 64 in rtw states results in

nearly 10 000 years annually lost in excess of what it would be if the mortality rate were that of non rtw states a review of respected publications describes the physiological mechanisms and epidemiology of accelerated aging due to socioeconomic stress unions challenge hierarchy directly at work sites and indirectly through encouraging college education social mobility and community and political engagement how startling that feudal hierarchy lives in 21st century america shaping vast differences between states in macro and micro economics educational attainment innovation life expectancy obesity prevalence chronic disease mortality infant and child mortality risk behaviors and other public health markers readers will gain insight about the coming clash between feudal individualism and adaptive collectivism and in the last chapter on ways to win the clash by missionary work for collectivism

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