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first published in 1977 the hong kong region is a historical reconstruction of long settled vil lage and township society in hong kong s new territories between 1850 and 1911 the book s central argument is that the gentry and bureau cracy played almost no role in these commu nities which were run by local peasants and shopkeepers who had to deal virtually unaided with routine administration and with every form of disaster natural or man made a substantial new introduction reviews the research and its wider implications for our understand ing of traditional chinese society in the light of later scholarly studies this book explores the role of institutions in economic growth looking in particular at specific asian countries and at particular cities within those countries it considers a wide range of factors besides institutions including the law cultural factors and overall government arrangements the differences between the countries studied are highlighted and the impact of these differences assessed the impact of english common law on arrangements in hong kong singapore and malaysia sharia law in malaysia the differing lengths of time of colonial rule the extent to which chinese family businesses control an economy also studied are the degree to which the law is effectively applied and a range of other social economic and cultural factors the book s conclusions as to which factors have the greatest impact will be of considerable interest to economists of asia and those interested in economic growth more widely this book provides a comprehensive overview of the organization problems issues and prospects of the civil service in hong kong it examines the origin and development of the civil service efforts to deal with the changes before and after the transition and the process of managing public services with references to its changing role and responsibilities the book will be of interest to academics civil servants professionals and students as well as researchers interested in the role of civil servants in changing societies and can be used for teaching courses on public administration and asian studies the chinese triangle of mainland china hong kong and taiwan constitutes one of the most dynamic regions in the world economy since the late 1970s these three societies have experienced increasing economic integration however studies aimed at analyzing and explaining this integration have often overlooked the very important role social institutions have played in the shaping of this process to fill this gap this book adopts a systematic institutional approach designed to examine the different patterns of institutions in the three countries and to discuss how such social institutions as the economy gender social networks and the chinese diaspora have exerted a profound impact on all three societies the chapters taken together argue that different patterns of institutional configuration have led to divergent paths of development and that this divergence will have significant implications on the prospects for chinese national reunification in the twenty first century the introductory chapter provides a historical discussion on the origins and the transformation of the chinese triangle during the second half of the twentieth century the remainder of the volume is broken into four topics considered crucial for understanding the transformation of the chinese triangle economic transformation gender social networks and the chinese diaspora as globalization impacts the chinese triangle studies that consider the issues from the perspective of social institutions will be increasingly important to understanding the area as it develops in the world economy to reflect the development and history of education in hong kong the author has collected a wide range of fascinating and illuminating material from different sources and wherever appropriate has included his own commentaries the book will be a valuable source of reference for educationalists and others who are interested in the development of education in hong kong the dudek diet plan exposes the mortal misconception that a low fat high carbohydrate diet is heart healthy in truth a low fat high carbohydrate diet will make you overweight obese and increase your risk for atherosclerosis next the dudek diet plan explains in easy to understand terms what the correct healthy diet really is and gives you an easy to follow 8 week eating plan finally the dudek diet plan teaches you how to send your body the message i want you to get thin and watch your body magically respond by burning fat if you want to learn how to be lean and trim the rest of your life then you need to learn the language of metabolism you need to read the dudek diet plan as hong kong transforms from a colonial dependent territory to a chinese special administrative region its international status will be increasingly connected to china s position in the world the nature of hong kong global linkages are shifting as thepo this book considers the role that the hong kong civil service could and should play in the transitional period leading to the resumption of chinese sovereignty in 1997 examining in detail structural issues the changing role of the civil servant and the political environment the contributors argue for a comprehensive program of administrative reform that would maintain civil service credibility stability and efficiency in an increasingly hostile political climate this book explores the impact of cultural identity the internal configurations of the educational field and the struggles both inside and outside the educational systems of post world war ii singapore and hong kong by comparing the school politics of these two nations wong generates a theory that illuminates connections between state formation education and hegemony in countries with dissimilar cultural makeups promoting all round education for girls presents the history of heep yunn school one of the oldest girls schools in hong kong

amalgamated from two british mission schools founded in the 1880s for destitute girls and daughters of christian parents and renamed heep yunn school in 1936 the institution has witnessed and responded to the dramatic changes of hong kong over the years by the time of the outbreak of the second world war heep yunn had expanded to offer a full chinese middle school course for girls based upon christian principles of all round education the school expanded rapidly after the war and became a bilingual institution to meet the demand for english language education eventually english would become the primary medium of instruction soon after the introduction of nine year universal education in 1978 heep yunn strives to provide a full fledged all round education in the midst of political and education reforms the school opted to switch its status from a government aided school to a direct subsidy scheme school in the early 2010s so as to retain a larger degree of autonomy this history of heep yunn school documents the concerted efforts of the school council staff students alumnae and parents to achieve the evolving visions of christian education for girls as hong kong grew from a colonial trading port to a global financial centre in the twenty first century promoting all round education for girls convincingly charts the shifting purposes and practices of girls education in hong kong the text moves seamlessly between the history of the school and the wider context of hong kong s history patricia p k chiu illustrates how the school s educational policy evolved according to the wider strategies and shifts that relate models of femininity and nation building joyce goodman university of winchester this solidly referenced work provides a balanced and detailed outlook on the unique evolving features of education in hong kong it shows the effects on heep yunn school of major historical changes in education policy and how the school has contributed to the education of girls in hong kong in periods of dramatic challenge like the sino japanese war and the disturbances of the late 1960s ruth hayhoe university of toronto much writing on politics in asia revolves around the themes of democracy and democratisation with a particular focus on political systems and political parties this book on the other hand examines the role that parliaments a key institution of democracy play in east southeast and south asia including taiwan and hong kong parliaments in these locations function in a variety of historical political and socio economic circumstances with different implications for institution building and political development this book examines questions like how accessible representative transparent accountable and effective are parliaments to what extent are parliaments able to hold other political actors to account or how far are they constrained by the political environment in which they operate going further this book considers how new media such as the internet 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between town planning and social change this book looks at how a local hong kong identity emerged in the face of conflict and compromise between chinese and european cultures in doing so it brings a fresh perspective to urban research providing historical context and direction for the future development of the city hong kong s urban development experience offers not only a model for other chinese cities but also a better understanding of asian cities more broadly urban studies scholars will find this an exemplary case study of a developing urban landscape town planners and architects will also benefit from reading this comprehensive book as it shows how hong kong can be taken to the next stage of urban development and modernisation a close up look at the struggle for democracy in hong kong hong kong in the shadow of china is a reflection on the recent political turmoil in hong kong during which the chinese government insisted on gradual movement toward electoral democracy and hundreds of thousands of protesters occupied major thoroughfares to push for full democracy now fueling this struggle is deep public resentment over growing inequality and how the political system established by china and dominated by the local business community reinforces the divide between those who have profited immensely and those who struggle for basics such as housing richard bush director of the brookings institution s center on east asia policy studies takes us inside the demonstrations and the demands of the demonstrators and then pulls back to critically explore what hong kong and china must do to ensure both economic competitiveness and good governance and the implications of hong kong developments for united states policy different global healthcare challenges bring threats to the healthcare system like other developed countries hong kong is also focusing on how to manage the ageing population how to meet the rising public expectations and how to finance the ever increasing medical costs strengthening community care services may provide a way out for settling these concerns written by a team of renowned scholars and leading practitioners this book aims at evaluating how different parties can assist in building up local community capacity to achieve sustainable health and wellness the book is divided into three sections the first section discusses the different roles and practices of specialised community care that contribute to the relative success of the healthcare system in hong kong the

second section makes use of various research practices to extrapolate future healthcare needs and practices in hong kong and the last one addresses the values of health care which underlie the healthcare culture structure and practice in hong kong over time apart from pointing out the limitation of the current system this book will also discuss the future directions of the healthcare system in order to cope with the challenges in a changing society published by city university of hong kong press 000000000000 this book reviews and analyses the issues and policies of internationalization and exportation of higher education and investigates the strategies and models of education hub development in the context of globalization with hong kong in the asia pacific region as a case study it examines the close relationship between education hubs and higher education as well as the strategic functions of an education hub in the future development of a society in a competitive global environment it also analyses the major strengths weaknesses opportunities and threats of hong kong s higher education in relation to its potential for exporting higher education to asian markets in particular it reviews the current state of higher education services offered by hong kong in three target markets and their segmentation and proposes the most appropriate market entry strategies for education service providers political boundaries are often porous to finance financial intermediation and financial distress yet they are highly impervious to financial regulation when inhabitants of a country suffering a deficit of purchasing power are able to access and deploy funds flowing in from a country with a surfeit of such power the inhabitants of both countries may benefit they may also benefit when institutions undertaking such cross border financial intermediation experience economies of scale and are able to innovate and to offer funds and services at lower costs inevitably however at least 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distress and on existing hard and soft laws and regulations the book advocates for the creation of a model law that would address the full range of financial institutions including insurance companies and that would enable relevant authorities to cooperate with counterparts in advance of the onset of distress and to give appropriate effect in their jurisdiction to measures taken by counterpart authorities in other jurisdictions in which the distressed institution also operates the seven essays in this volume address some of the critical issues underlining the process of hong kong s reintegration with china in reviewing the drastic changes in hong kong since the mid 1980s the authors provide multi disciplinary perspectives to articulate the major institutions and forces that shape the interaction between beijing and hong kong and help to define the challenges ahead compact living is sustainable living high density cities can support closer amenities encourage reduced trip lengths and the use of public transport and therefore reduce transport energy costs and carbon emissions high density planning also helps to control the spread of urban suburbs into open lands improves efficiency in urban infrastructure and services and results in environmental improvements that support higher quality of life in cities encouraging even requiring higher density urban development is a major policy and a central principle of growth management programmes used by planners around the world however such density creates design challenges and problems a collection of experts in each of the related architectural and planning areas examines these environmental and social issues and argues that high density cities are a sustainable solution it will be essential reading for anyone with an interest in sustainable urban development first published in 1992 this wide ranging volume features 44 articles from 89 contributors on issues of and solutions to modelling of coastal waters around the world in response to an increasing interest in the development and application of numerical hydraulic models as design and management tools the contributors advise on areas including tidal current modelling water quality modelling sediment transport modelling wave kinematics and computational methods along with two keynote articles the main aim of the conference and its resulting volume was to provide a forum whereby engineers scientists and planners involved in multi disciplinary models could collaborate and share their expertise the counterpart to this book is hydraulic and environmental modelling estuarine and river waters hong kong is an intoxicating place exciting mysterious and glamorous there s nowhere quite like this tiny corner of china be inspired to visit by the brand new insight pocket guide hong kong a concise full color guide to this exciting city that combines lively text with vivid photography to highlight the best that hong kong has to offer inside insight pocket guide hong kong where to go details all the key sights in the city from evocative man mo temple to the iconic harbor and the heights of the peak while handy maps on the cover flaps help you find your way around and are cross referenced to the text top 10 attractions gives a run down of the best sights to take in on your trip including the star ferry and the glittering skyscrapers of central perfect day provides an itinerary for one day in the city what to do is a snapshot of ways to spend your spare time including arts entertainment horse racing night cruises and of

course shopping essential information on hong kong s culture including a brief history of the city eating out covers the city s best cuisine curated listings of the best hotels and restaurants a z of all the practical information you ll need about insight guides insight guides has over 40 years experience of publishing high quality visual travel guides we produce around 400 full colour print guide books and maps as well as picture packed ebooks to meet different travellers needs insight guides unique combination of beautiful travel photography and focus on history and culture together create a unique visual reference and planning tool to inspire your next adventure insight guides has spawned many imitators but is still the best of its type wanderlust magazine part of an initial launch of compact size travel guides from the publishers of insight guides known for quality cultural and historical coverage insight pocket guide hong kong is the ideal handy guide to this vibrant city combining concise information on where to go and what to do with great photography and full color maps

rehabilitation a life s work is the autobiography of a remarkable man and his remarkable career sir harry fang a world renowned pioneer in the development of rehabilitation medicine tells a fascinating story of his own emergence as an expert in medical practice and the emergence of a whole new branch of that practice but this book is much more it is the story of hong kong s coming of age in this memoir sir harry proves to be an insightful and articulate witness to hong kong s evolution from colonial outpost to thriving international metropolis with humour wit and deep understanding he brings us a refreshing look not only at the practice of rehabilitative medicine but at the politics economics and personalities that have shaped our times this set of proceedings is based on the international conference on advances in building technology in hong kong on 4 6 december 2002 the two volumes of proceedings contain 9 invited keynote papers 72 papers delivered by 11 teams and 133 contributed papers from over 20 countries around the world the papers cover a wide spectrum of topics across the three technology sub themes of structures and construction environment and information technology the variety within these categories spans a width of topics and these proceedings provide readers with a good general overview of recent advances in building research the volume covers hong kong s medical development in the period from 1841 to early 2005 including the history of hospitals and medical education and the role of the bacteriological institute it is a record of how the health care system has evolved and how the territory has been able to cope with the massive increase in population book jacket the book represents a selection of papers presented at an international symposium in singapore on the role of theory and practice in the mutually interactive and mutating relations between institutions and cultures in effect the papers turn about a single theme the ways in which power is expressed through those institutions by means of which cultures mediate their requirements the symposium brought together scholars and academics from a variety of disciplines including literature philosophy cultural studies sociology comparative literature and comparative religions in terms of the geography of cultures and the history of institutions the range of reference to this book of the symposium is global from hong kong awaiting 1997 through the travails of political democracy in singapore and cultural studies à la greenblatt or under the aegis of shakespeare as cultural idol through german romantic theory and its relevance to current theorizing about theory in america to zen buddhism and nagarjuna and how these two sources refract the concerns of jung lacan and derrida through colonialism and postcoloniality and how they have shaped identity and mediated power to the current crises in education created by these mediations specifically in literary studies the aim of the symposium was twofold to theorize about the impulse to theorize in relation to the plurality of cultures and institutions which comprises our contemporary world and to ground this impulse in those specificities and contingencies which provide resistance to such theorizing the hong kong special administrative region of the people s republic of china is located on the southeastern coast of china and the macao sar can be found off of china s southern coast both regions have recently been released from european colonial rule hong kong from british control in 1997 and macao from portugal in 1999 as sars hong kong and macao retain a high degree of autonomy and they control all issues except those of state e g diplomatic relations and national defense the a to z of the hong kong sar and the macao sar includes maps photographs a list of acronyms a chronology an introductory essay a bibliography and hundreds of cross referenced dictionary entries on important persons places and events as well as political economic and social background however unlike the rest of the series all these sections are presented in duplicate one for hong kong and one for macao the authoritative analysis and informative data presented clearly elucidate the unique situation of these two territories fuel cells are clean and efficient energy conversion devices expected to be the next generation power source during more than 17 decades of research and development various types of fuel cells have been developed with a view to meet the different energy demands and application requirements scientists have devoted a great deal of time and effort accountability is essential for good governance and in many asian countries the ombudsman is the key accountability institution originating in the west the concept of the ombudsman arrived relatively late in asia yet more and more ombudsman offices are being established in asia and they play a critical role in the fight against incompetence and injustice on the part of government officials this report presents in depth research on asian ombudsmen with a focus on best practices and emerging issues especially in the context of the new public management and includes recommendations to policy makers it will be a valuable resource for scholars ombudsmen and anyone else interested in this vital institution this technical note on stress testing the banking supervision was prepared in the context of the financial sector

assessment program fsap for the people s republic of china hong kong special administrative region hksar bank liquidity tests focus on sudden sizable withdrawals of funding and the sufficiency of existing assets to withstand those shocks under stressed conditions the stress test results confirm a high degree of resilience of the sector this reflects the strength of the banks at the starting position which reduces their fundamental vulnerability to shocks banks in hksar hold very high levels of capital are very profitable and have a low level of asset impairments amid stable funding profiles the hong kong monetary authority is encouraged to continue its integration of risk based supervision in the development of stress test scenarios for macroprudential policy and surveillance banking supervisors routinely conduct stress tests and from time to time modify relevant assumptions in order to support thematic reviews of identified vulnerabilities against emerging risks political leadership styles in east asian states are shaped and influenced by a number of domestic factors these factors include the type of political system that an east asian state adopted from their days of independence and decolonization there is a diverse array of political systems in the region ranging from western style liberal democracies like japan and south korea to autocratic one party states like north korea most other east asian countries adopt systems somewhere in between these two polar ends this volume begins with a macro political perspective of leadership it then looks at case studies of political leadership and the factors that influence the shape and outcome of leadership styles in the region the book also examines the concept of community leadership and its impact on community well being several specific case studies are examined in depth while examining political leadership from a macro theoretical and empirical perspective the book also adopts historical anthropological perspectives to analyse case studies the case studies also examine policy formulation and implementation to look at the role of government in handling community level issues finally the book focuses on economic leadership in international political economy and global business

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## **Institutions and Economic Growth in Asia 2018-03-20**

this book explores the role of institutions in economic growth looking in particular at specific asian countries and at particular cities within those countries it considers a wide range of factors besides institutions including the law cultural factors and overall government arrangements the differences between the countries studied are highlighted and the impact of these differences assessed the impact of english common law on arrangements in hong kong singapore and malaysia sharia law in malaysia the differing lengths of time of colonial rule the extent to which chinese family businesses control an economy also studied are the degree to which the law is effectively applied and a range of other social economic and cultural factors the book s conclusions as to which factors have the greatest impact will be of considerable interest to economists of asia and those interested in economic growth more widely

## **The Civil Service in Hong Kong 1998-07-01**

this book provides a comprehensive overview of the organization problems issues and prospects of the civil service in hong kong it examines the origin and development of the civil service efforts to deal with the changes before and after the transition and the process of managing public services with references to its changing role and responsibilities the book will be of interest to academics civil servants professionals and students as well as researchers interested in the role of civil servants in changing societies and can be used for teaching courses on public administration and asian studies

## **The Chinese Triangle of Mainland China, Taiwan, and Hong Kong 2001-07-30**

the chinese triangle of mainland china hong kong and taiwan constitutes one of the most dynamic regions in the world economy since the late 1970s these three societies have experienced increasing economic integration however studies aimed at analyzing and explaining this integration have often overlooked the very important role social institutions have played in the shaping of this process to fill this gap this book adopts a systematic institutional approach designed to examine the different patterns of institutions in the three countries and to discuss how such social institutions as the economy gender social networks and the chinese diaspora have exerted a profound impact on all three societies the chapters taken together argue that different patterns of institutional configuration have led to divergent paths of development and that this divergence will have significant implications on the prospects for chinese national reunification in the twenty first century the introductory chapter provides a historical discussion on the origins and the transformation of the chinese triangle during the second half of the twentieth century the remainder of the volume is broken into four topics considered crucial for understanding the transformation of the chinese triangle economic transformation gender social networks and the chinese diaspora as globalization impacts the chinese triangle studies that consider the issues from the perspective of social institutions will be increasingly important to understanding the area as it develops in the world economy

## **The Open Learning Institute of Hong Kong Ordinance 1989**

to reflect the development and history of education in hong kong the author has collected a wide range of fascinating and illuminating material from different sources and wherever appropriate has included his own commentaries the book will be a valuable source of reference for educationalists and others who are interested in the development of education in hong kong

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## **Education in Hong Kong, Pre-1841 to 1941 1990-05-01**

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## **Academic Freedom in Hong Kong 2006**

this book explores the impact of cultural identity the internal configurations of the educational field and the struggles both inside and outside the educational systems of post world war ii singapore and hong kong by comparing the school politics of these two nations wong generates a theory that illuminates connections between state formation education and hegemony in countries with dissimilar cultural makeups

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## **Hong Kong's Reunion with China 1997-01-01**

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### ***China's Hong Kong Transformed 2011***

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### ***The Hong Kong Civil Service and Its Future 1988***

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### ***Hegemonies Compared 2002-04-24***

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## ***Hong Kong 1979***

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## ***Promoting All-Round Education for Girls 2020-06-02***

the seven essays in this volume address some of the critical issues underlining the process of hong kong s reintegration with china in reviewing the drastic changes in hong kong since the mid 1980s the authors provide multi disciplinary perspectives to articulate the major institutions and forces that shape the interaction between beijing and hong kong and help to define the challenges ahead

## ***The Regulations of Hong Kong 1981***

compact living is sustainable living high density cities can support closer amenities encourage reduced trip lengths and the use of public transport and therefore reduce transport energy costs and carbon emissions high density planning also helps to control the spread of urban suburbs into open lands improves efficiency in urban infrastructure and services and results in environmental improvements that support higher quality of life in cities encouraging even requiring higher density urban development is a major policy and a central principle of growth management programmes used by planners around the world however such density creates design challenges and problems a collection of experts in each of the related architectural and planning areas examines these environmental and social issues and argues that high density cities are a sustainable solution it will be essential reading for anyone with an interest in sustainable urban development

## ***Parliaments in Asia 2013-10-23***

first published in 1992 this wide ranging volume features 44 articles from 89 contributors on issues of and solutions to modelling of coastal waters around the world in response to an increasing interest in the development and application of numerical hydraulic models as design and management tools the contributors advise on areas including tidal current modelling water quality modelling sediment transport modelling wave kinematics and computational methods along with two keynote articles the main aim of the conference and its resulting volume was to provide a forum whereby engineers scientists and planners involved in multi disciplinary models could collaborate and share their expertise the counterpart to this book is hydraulic and environmental modelling

estuarine and river waters

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## ***Hong Kong in the Shadow of China 2016-10-11***

rehabilitation a life s work is the autobiography of a remarkable man and his remarkable career sir harry fang a world renowned pioneer in the development of rehabilitation medicine tells a fascinating story of his own emergence as an expert in medical practice and the emergence of a whole new branch of that practice but this book is much more it is the story of hong kong s coming of age in this memoir sir harry proves to be an insightful and articulate witness to hong kong s evolution from colonial outpost to thriving international metropolis with humour wit and deep understanding he brings us a refreshing look not only at the practice of rehabilitative medicine but at the politics economics and personalities that have shaped our times

## ***Community Care in Hong Kong 2014-10-16***

this set of proceedings is based on the international conference on advances in building technology in hong kong on 4 6 december 2002 the two volumes of proceedings contain 9 invited keynote papers 72 papers delivered by 11 teams and 133 contributed papers from over 20 countries around the world the papers cover a wide spectrum of topics across the three technology sub themes of structures and construction environment and information technology the variety within these categories spans a width of topics and these proceedings provide readers with a good general overview of recent advances in building research

## ***Internationalization of Higher Education 2015-11-03***

the volume covers hong kong s medical development in the period from 1841 to early 2005 including the history of hospitals and medical education and the role of the bacteriological institute it is a record of how the health care system has evolved and how the territory has been able to cope with the massive increase in population book jacket

## ***Financial Institutions in Distress 2023-08-25***

the book represents a selection of papers presented at an international symposium in singapore on the role of theory and practice in the mutually interactive and mutating relations between institutions and cultures in effect the papers turn about a single theme the ways in which power is expressed through those institutions by means of which cultures mediate their requirements the symposium brought together scholars and academics from a variety of disciplines including literature philosophy cultural studies sociology comparative literature and comparative religions in terms of the geography of cultures and the history of institutions the range of reference to this book of

the symposium is global from hong kong awaiting 1997 through the travails of political democracy in singapore and cultural studies à la greenblatt or under the aegis of shakespeare as cultural idol through german romantic theory and its relevance to current theorizing about theory in america to zen buddhism and nagarjuna and how these two sources refract the concerns of jung lacan and derrida through colonialism and postcoloniality and how they have shaped identity and mediated power to the current crises in education created by these mediations specifically in literary studies the aim of the symposium was twofold to theorize about the impulse to theorize in relation to the plurality of cultures and institutions which comprises our contemporary world and to ground this impulse in those specificities and contingencies which provide resistance to such theorizing

## ***The Challenge of Hong Kong's Reintegration with China 1997-07-01***

the hong kong special administrative region of the people s republic of china is located on the southeastern coast of china and the macao sar can be found off of china s southern coast both regions have recently been released from european colonial rule hong kong from british control in 1997 and macao from portugal in 1999 as sars hong kong and macao retain a high degree of autonomy and they control all issues except those of state e g diplomatic relations and national defense the a to z of the hong kong sar and the macao sar includes maps photographs a list of acronyms a chronology an introductory essay a bibliography and hundreds of cross referenced dictionary entries on important persons places and events as well as political economic and social background however unlike the rest of the series all these sections are presented in duplicate one for hong kong and one for macao the authoritative analysis and informative data presented clearly elucidate the unique situation of these two territories

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fuel cells are clean and efficient energy conversion devices expected to be the next generation power source during more than 17 decades of research and development various types of fuel cells have been developed with a view to meet the different energy demands and application requirements scientists have devoted a great deal of time and effort

## **Hydraulic and Environmental Modelling 2019-11-12**

accountability is essential for good governance and in many asian countries the ombudsman is the key accountability institution originating in the west the concept of the ombudsman arrived relatively late in asia yet more and more ombudsman offices are being established in asia and they play a critical role in the fight against incompetence and injustice on the part of government officials this report presents in depth research on asian ombudsmen with a focus on best practices and emerging issues especially in the context of the new public management and includes recommendations to policy makers it will be a valuable resource for scholars ombudsmen and anyone else interested in this vital institution

## **Insight Guides Pocket Hong Kong 2016-04-18**

this technical note on stress testing the banking supervision was prepared in the context of the financial sector assessment program fsap for the people s republic of china hong kong special administrative region hksar bank liquidity tests focus on sudden sizable withdrawals of funding and the sufficiency of existing assets to withstand those shocks under stressed conditions the stress test results confirm a high degree of resilience of the sector this reflects the strength of the banks at the starting position which reduces their fundamental vulnerability to shocks banks in hksar hold very high levels of capital are very profitable and have a low level of asset impairments amid stable funding profiles the hong kong monetary authority is encouraged to continue its integration of risk based supervision in the development of stress test scenarios for macroprudential policy and surveillance banking supervisors routinely conduct stress tests and from time to time modify relevant assumptions in order to support thematic reviews of identified vulnerabilities against emerging risks

## **Rehabilitation 2002-11-01**

political leadership styles in east asian states are shaped and influenced by a number of domestic factors these factors include the type of political system that an east asian state adopted from their days of independence and decolonization there is a diverse array of political systems in the region ranging from western style liberal democracies like japan and south korea to autocratic one party states like north korea most other east asian

countries adopt systems somewhere in between these two polar ends this volume begins with a macro political perspective of leadership it then looks at case studies of political leadership and the factors that influence the shape and outcome of leadership styles in the region the book also examines the concept of community leadership and its impact on community well being several specific case studies are examined in depth while examining political leadership from a macro theoretical and empirical perspective the book also adopts historical anthropological perspectives to analyse case studies the case studies also examine policy formulation and implementation to look at the role of government in handling community level issues finally the book focuses on economic leadership in international political economy and global business

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