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[Book] Geographies Of Developing Areas The Global South In A Changing World

Illustrated with numerous graphics, maps, and charts, the book will best serve as supplementary reading for academics, students, researchers, and as a professional handbook for policy makers involved in communications, media, retailing, and economic development.

Geographies of Development—Robert B. Potter 2004 Geographies of Development second edition Robert B. Potter Tony Bins Jennifer A. Elliott, David Smith This clear and concise text will become the major reference work for the discipline over the coming decades. The Encyclopedia will be available in both limited edition print and online versions, with examples of major contributions made by geographers. Rediscovering Geography provides a blueprint for the future of the discipline, recommending how to strengthen its intellectual and institutional foundation and meet the demand for geographic expertise among professionals and the public.

Different Places, Different Voices Vivien Kinnaird 2002-03-11 Different Places, Different Voices challenges Western feminist and post-colonial approaches in its analysis of the changing lives of women of Asia, Africa, Latin America and Oceania. Recognising the significance of space, this book is informed by the voices of female geographers from the developing world. Twenty case studies present regional perspectives on urban and rural development, household reproduction and political economy. The theoretical and contextual approach and the emphasis on location and positionality highlight the differences created by place to support other ways of seeing.

Rediscovering Geography-Rediscovering Geography Committee 1997-04-11 As political, economic, and environmental issues increasingly spread across the globe, the need for geographers to learn the principles of critical and developmental methodologies is increasing. This book is designed to provide a broad overview of geography's role in contemporary social and environmental issues.

Geographies of Education is an established, innovative and comprehensive introductory textbook for undergraduate students of Development Geography, social capital, and community organisation. The theoretical and contextual approach and the emphasis on location and positionality highlight the differences created by place to support other ways of seeing. The Companion to Development Studies presents concise overviews providing a gateway to further reading and a flexible resource for teaching and learning.

Outlines and Signposts for the Geographies of Developing Areas

- Barney Warf 2020-07-27 This book offers a comprehensive overview of recent research on the internet, emphasizing its spatial dimensions, geospatial applications, and the numerous social and geographic implications such as the digital divide and the mobile internet. Written by leading scholars in the field, the book describes the changing role of the internet in society, the nature and consequences of technological change. The core contents of the book integrate ‘traditional’ concerns of development geographers, such as economic development and social inequality, with aspects of the global South that are usually given less attention, such as cultural identity and political conflict. This edition has been fully updated to reflect recent changes in the field and highlight issues of security, risk and violence: environmental sustainability and climate change; and the impact of ICT on patterns of North-South and South-South exchange. It also challenges students to think about how space is important in both the directions and the outcomes of change in the Global South, emphasizing the inherently spatial nature of political, economic and socio-cultural processes. Students are introduced to the Global South via contemporary debates in development and current research in cultural, economic and political geographies of developing areas. The textbook consider how images of the so-called ‘Third World’ are powerful, and the discourses of the ‘South’ are furthering inequalities. The book concludes by examining the implications of the internet on people’s lives and identities. Finally, the text considers the possibilities and limitations of different development strategies. The main arguments of the book are richly illustrated through case study material drawn from across the Global South and images from around the world. Theoretical perspectives, examples, explanations of key terms, ideas and debates, and introductions to the wider literature and relevant websites in the field. The pedagogical features of the book have been further developed through discussion questions and activities that provide focused tasks for students’ research, including investigation based around the book’s case studies, and in-depth exploration of debates and concepts it introduces.

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The City in the Developing World is a comprehensive and up-to-date introduction to urbanisation in the developing world. By combining historical and geographical perspectives, it offers a critical understanding of the ways in which urban systems and communities have changed over time. The book covers topics such as urbanisation processes, urban growth patterns, and the economic, social, and environmental impacts of urbanisation. It also discusses the challenges of urbanisation, including issues related to housing, transportation, and environmental sustainability. The authors, Robert B. Potter and Sylvia Chant, provide a clear and concise overview of the key themes and debates in urban studies and urban geography.

The City in the Developing World is an excellent resource for students, researchers, and practitioners interested in understanding urbanisation in the developing world. It is also an important contribution to the field of urban studies, offering new insights and perspectives on the complexities of urbanisation in the contemporary world.
learning in the dynamic context of the digital world. It will also be of interest to any students, academics and policymakers wanting to better understand the impact of digital media on education.

Missing Links in Labour Geography—Ann Cecile Bergete 2016-12-05 Addressing a number of ‘missing links’ in the analysis of labour and its geographies, this volume examines how theoretical perspectives on both labour in general and the organizations of the labour movement in particular can be refined and redefined.

Cities and Regions in Crisis—Martin Jones 2019 This book offers a new geographical political economy approach to our understanding of regional and local economic development in Western Europe over the last twenty years. It suggests that governance failure is occurring at a variety of spatial scales and an ‘impediments state’ is emerging. This is derived from the state responding to state intervention and economic development that has become irrational, ambivalent and disoriented.

The book blends theoretical approaches to crisis and contradiction theory with empirical examples from cities and regions.

Guide to Departments of Geography in the United States and Canada—1990

Tourism, Creativity and Development—Geoff Richards 2007-11-07 Destinations across the world are beginning to replace or supplement culture-led development strategies with creative development. This book critically analyses the impact and effectiveness of creative strategies in tourism development and charts the emergence of ‘creative tourism’. Why has ‘creativity’ become such an important aspect of development strategies and of tourism development in particular? Why is this happening now, apparently simultaneously, in so many destinations across the globe? What is the difference between cultural tourism and creative tourism? These are among the important questions this book asks. It critically examines the development relationship between tourism and creativity, the articulation of the ‘creative turn’ in tourism, and the impact this has on theoretical perspectives and practical approaches to tourism development. A wide range of examples from Europe, North America, Asia, Australia and Africa explore the interface between tourism and creativity including: creative spaces and places as cultural and creative clusters and ethnic sites; the role of the creative industries and entrepreneurs in the creation of experiences; creativity and rural areas; the ‘creative class’ and tourism; lifestyle and provisioning, tasting and picking, eating and being eaten, hunger and gardening better by paying attention to race? This collection argues there is an emergent human geography and health geography.

The Death of Asylum—Alison Mountz 2020-08-04 Investigating the global system of detention centers that imprison asylum seekers and conceal persistent human rights violations, Remote detention centers confine tens of thousands of refugees, asylum seekers, and undocumented immigrants around the world, operating in a legal gray area that hides terrible human rights abuses from the international community. Built to temporarily house eight hundred migrants in transit, the infamous “reception center” on the Italian island of Lampedusa has held thousands of North African refugees under inhumane conditions for weeks on end. Australia’s use of Christmas Island as a detention center for asylum seekers has enabled successive governments to imprison migrants from Asia and Africa, including the Sudanese human rights activist Abdul Aziz Mohamad, held there for five years. In The Death of Asylum, Alison Mountz traces the global chain of remote sites used by states of the Global North to confine migrants fleeing violence and poverty, using cruel measures that, if unchecked, will lead to the death of asylum as an ethical ideal. Through unprecedented access to offshore detention centers and immigrant-processing facilities, Mountz illustrates how authorities in the United States, the European Union, and Australia have created a new and shadowy geopolitical formation allowing them to externalize their borders to distant islands where harsh treatment and deadly force deprive migrants of basic human rights. Mountz details how states use the geographic inaccessibility of places like Christmas Island, almost a thousand miles off the Australian mainland, to isolate asylum seekers far from the scrutiny of humanitarian NGOs, human rights groups, journalists, and their own citizens. By focusing on borderlands and spaces of transit between regions, The Death of Asylum shows how remote detention centers effectively curtail the basic human right to seek asylum, forcing refugees to take more dangerous risks to escape war, famine, and repression.

Postcolonialism, Decoloniality and Development—Cheryl McEwan 2018-12-07 Postcolonialism, Decoloniality and Development is a comprehensive revision of Postcolonialism and Development (2009) that explains, reviews and critically evaluates recent debates about postcolonial and decolonial approaches and their implications for development studies. By outlining contemporary theoretical debates and examining their implications for how the developing world is thought about, written about and engaged with in policy terms, this book unpacks the difficult, complex and important aspects of the relationships between postcolonial theory, decoloniality and development studies. The book focuses on the importance of development discourses, the relationship between development knowledge and power, and agency within development. It includes significant new material exploring the significance of postcolonial approaches to understanding development in the context of rapid global change and the discontinuities and interconnections between postcolonial theory and decolonial politics. It includes a new chapter on postcolonial theory, development and the Anthropocene that considers the challenges posed by the current global environmental crisis to both postcolonial theory and ideas of development. The book sets out an original and timely agenda for exploring the intersections between postcolonialism, decolonialism and development and provides an outline for a coherent and reinvigorated project of postcolonial development studies. Engaging with new and emerging debates in the fields of postcolonialism and development, and illustrating these through current issues, the book continues to set agendas for diverse scholars working in the fields of development studies, geography, anthropology, politics, cultural studies and history.

World Regional Geography. (PRODUCT ID 25958336)—Caitlin Finlayson 2019

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Geographies of Race and Food—Rachel Slocum 2016-04-15 While interest in the relations of power and identity in food explodes, a hesitancy remains about calling these racial. What difference does race make in the fields where food is grown, the places it is sold and the manner in which it is eaten? How do we understand farming and provisioning, tasting and picking, eating and being eaten, hunger and gardening better by paying attention to race? This collection argues there is an emergent human geography and health geography.

New Geographies of Language—Rhy Junes 2018-11-19 This book develops a novel approach to the study of language, bringing it into dialogue with the latest geographical concepts and concerns and provides a comprehensive account of the geography of Welsh language policy, language use, ability and shift. The authors examine in particular: the different ways in which languages can be mapped; how geographical insights can be used to develop understandings of language use; the value of assemblage theory as a way of interpreting the social, technical and spatial aspects of language policy development; and the geographies that characterize institutional engagements with languages. This book will set a research agenda for the geographical study of language, developing a conceptual framework that will offer fresh insights to researchers in the fields of Applied Linguistics, Sociolinguistics, Minority Languages, Geolinguistics, and Public Policy.