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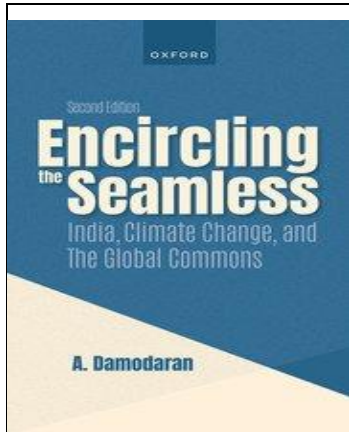
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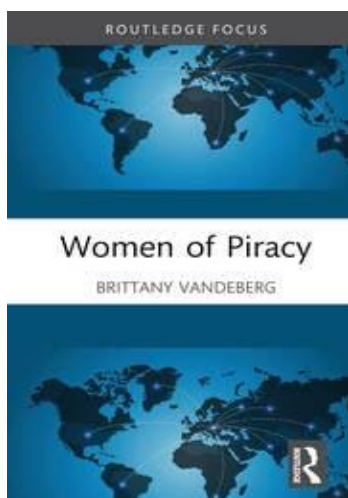
[India, Climate Change, and The Global Commons](#)

Author: A. Damodaran

Publisher: OUP, 2023

ISBN: 9780192899828

This book explores the genesis of the concept of global commons against the backdrop of the global environmental problems of climate change, biodiversity conservation, desertification, and the transboundary movement of hazardous wastes. It highlights blockchains and cryptocurrencies, and their role in transforming global institutions. It delves on the advent of COVID-19 as a global common and the way the pandemic has been handled by the world community. The book also explores the way the current geopolitics of the world is contributing to the resolution of the conservation problem associated with global commons. [More Details...](#)



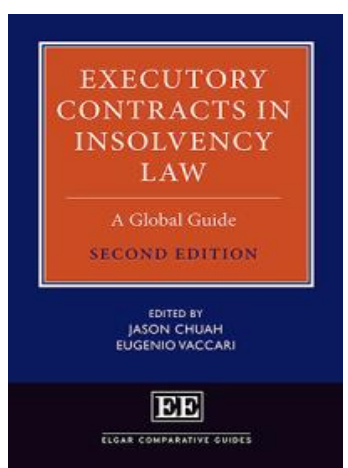
[Women of Piracy](#)

Author: Brittany Vandenberg

Publisher: Routledge, 2023

ISBN: 9781032119120

Drawing from an interdisciplinary body of research and data, Women of Piracy employs a criminological lens to explore how women have been involved in, and impacted by, maritime piracy operations from the 16th century to present day piracy off the coast of Somalia. The book challenges and resists popular understandings of women as peripheral to the criminal enterprise of piracy by presenting and analysing their roles and experiences as victims, perpetrators, and criminal justice actors, showing that women have been, and continue to be, central figures in maritime piracy. Unfolding in three parts, part one sets the context by providing readers with a history of the masculinization of the sea. Part two focuses on the gendered division of labour in piracy operations, discussing how and why the roles and responsibilities associated with this gendered labour have emerged, persisted, evolved, and/or ceased over time, as well as considering which roles and responsibilities appear to be context-specific and which seem to transgress geographical locations. Part three explores how women have (or have not) been brought to justice for their participation in crimes of piracy as well as the roles of women in efforts to combat piracy. The overarching objective is to ignite a broader discussion about the various cultural, social, historical, and economic forces that create opportunities for women to participate in maritime piracy and counter-piracy, why women continue to be invisible figures of piracy, and what implications this has for how we study, police, and bring pirates to justice. [More Details...](#)



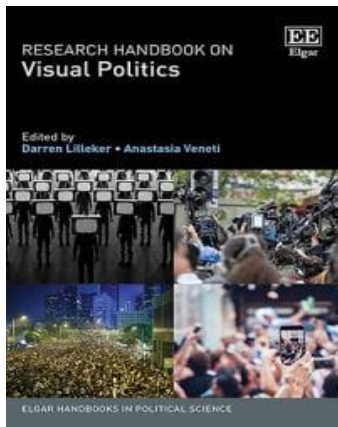
[Executory Contracts in Insolvency Law: A Global Guide](#)

Author: Jason Chuah

Publisher: Edward Elgar, 2023

ISBN: 978 1 80392 341 3

Executory Contracts in Insolvency Law offers a unique and wide-ranging transnational study of the treatment of ongoing contracts when one of the parties becomes insolvent. This second edition not only updates existing material, but also extends the analysis to key developing economies and restructuring hubs. Written by experts with extensive practical and scholarly knowledge in the field, this is a cutting-edge investigation into the philosophies and rationales behind the different policy choices adopted by more than 30 jurisdictions across the globe. [More Details...](#)



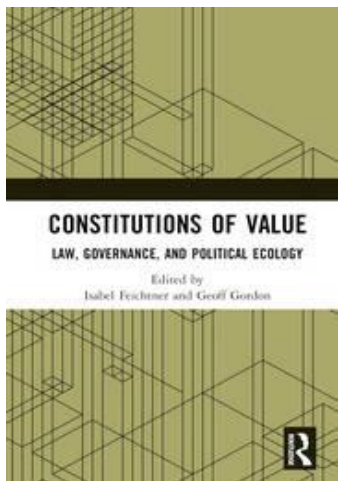
[Research Handbook on Visual Politics](#)

Author: Darren Lilleker and Anastasia Veneti

Publisher: Edward Elgar, 2023

ISBN: 978 1 80037 692 2

The Research Handbook on Visual Politics focuses on key theories and methodologies for better understanding visual political communication. It also concentrates on the depictions of power within politics, taking a historical and longitudinal approach to the topic of placing visuals within a wider framework of political understanding. The Handbook introduces the theoretical underpinning of the study of visual politics as well as an overview of the current thinking and research traditions in the field of visual politics. The impressive selection of contributors explores all types of media, including studies of the tools utilised for visual politics such as social media, art and photography, featuring the latest platforms such as TikTok and Instagram. The editors also include discussions of visual politics covering a range of nations and political systems while placing current practices in visual politics within their historical context. [More Details...](#)



[Constitutions of Value: Law, Governance, and Political Ecology](#)

Author: Isabel Feichtner

Publisher: Routledge, 2023

ISBN: 9781032118659

Gathering an interdisciplinary range of cutting-edge scholars, this book addresses legal constitutions of value. Global value production and transnational value practices that rely on exploitation and extraction have left us with toxic commons and a damaged planet. Against this situation, the book examines law's fundamental role in institutions of value production and valuation. Utilizing pathbreaking theoretical approaches, it problematizes mainstream efforts to redeem institutions of value production by recoupling them with progressive values. Aiming beyond radical critique, the book opens up the possibility of imagining and enacting new and different value practices. This wide-ranging and accessible book will appeal to international lawyers, socio-legal scholars, those working at the intersections of law and economy and others, in politics, economics, environmental studies and elsewhere, who are concerned with rethinking our current ideas of what has value, what does not, and whether and how value may be revalued. The Open Access version of this book, available at www.taylorfrancis.com, has been made available under a Creative Commons Attribution-Non-Commercial-No Derivatives 4.0 license. [More Details...](#)



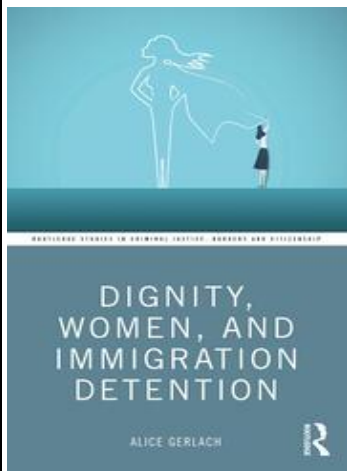
[The Pleasure of Punishment](#)

Author: Magnus Hörnqvist

Publisher: Routledge, 2023

ISBN: 9780367762230

Based on a reading of contemporary philosophical arguments, this book accounts for how punishment has provided audiences with pleasure in different historical contexts. Watching tragedies, contemplating hell, attending executions, or imagining prisons have generated pleasure, according to contemporary observers, in ancient Greece, in medieval Catholic Europe, in the early-modern absolutist states, and in the post-1968 Western world. The pleasure was often judged morally problematic, and raised questions about which desires were satisfied, and what the enjoyment was like. This book offers a research synthesis that ties together existing work on the pleasure of punishment. [More Details...](#)



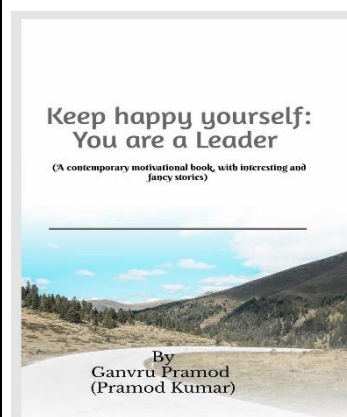
[Dignity, Women, and Immigration Detention](#)

Author: Alice Gerlach

Publisher: Routledge, 2023

ISBN: 9781032410814

This book explores the experience of immigration enforcement for women who have been detained in immigration detention in the UK. Drawing upon in-depth interviews with women who have been in immigration detention centres, Dignity, Women, and Immigration Detention demonstrates how immigration detention violates women's sense of dignity and in doing so, causes women to suffer pains that are incongruent with the administrative purpose of immigration removal centres. The women interviewed were either detained in an Immigration Removal Centre, had spent time in this centre before being released into the UK community, or had been removed to Jamaica following time in immigration detention. This book argues that the current system used by the UK government is unfit for purpose and damaging to many of those who are ensnared within it. In examining dignity violation, lack of autonomy and diminishment, the book also considers possible alternatives to the current practice of incarceration and what can be done to alleviate the harms that are currently inflicted on women during the process of immigration enforcement in the UK. [More Details...](#)



[Keep Happy Yourself - You are a Leader: \(A contemporary motivational book, with interesting and fancy stories\)](#)

Author: Ganvru Pramod (Pramod Kumar)

Publisher: Notion Press, Dec-22

ISBN: 979-8889231349

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[COME, LET'S LIVE ONCE AGAIN: Are you willing to start again, even if you think that there's no way out ?](#)

Author: Smriti Garg Jain

Publisher: Notion Press, 2023

ISBN: 979-8889237709

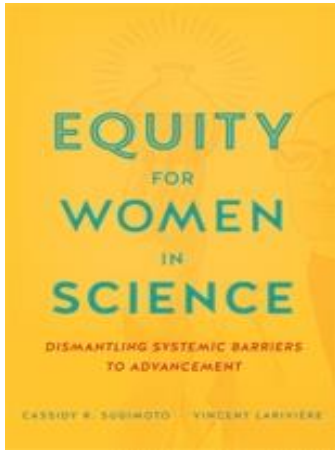
Are you someone who feels stuck because of your age?
Are you someone who hasn't realized the worth of the most precious gift i.e., relationships?
Are you someone who fears voicing your opinion, especially when it means going against your community?
Do you feel that social media is a waste of time?
Do you get bogged down by challenges in life?

If any of these resonates with you then the stories in this book will change your views forever.

Based on real-life incidents, this book presents to you a collection of eight extraordinary stories of ordinary people like you and me, who felt stuck at some point of time in life, and

it appeared that there was no way out. But with strong willpower and unwillingness to surrender in front of adversities, they not only bounced back strong but also transformed their lives and the lives of others around them.

Real wisdom lies in knowing that good times and bad times are not contradictory but complementary terms, they unite to form one. [More Details...](#)



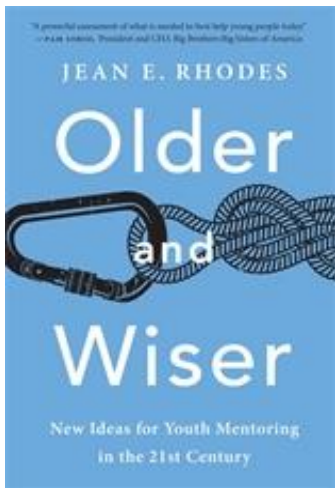
[Equity for Women in Science: Dismantling Systemic Barriers to Advancement](#)

Author: Cassidy R. Sugimoto

Publisher: Harvard University Press, 2023

ISBN: 9780674919297

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[Older and Wiser: New Ideas for Youth Mentoring in the 21st Century](#)

Author: Jean E. Rhodes

Publisher: Harvard University Press, 2023

ISBN 9780674292277

Youth mentoring is among the most popular forms of volunteering in the world. But does it work? Does mentoring actually help young people succeed? In *Older and Wiser*, mentoring expert Jean Rhodes draws on more than thirty years of empirical research to survey the state of the field. Her conclusion is sobering: there is little evidence that most programs—even renowned, trusted, and long-established ones—are effective. But there is also much reason for hope. Mentoring programs, Rhodes writes, do not focus on what young people need. Organizations typically prioritize building emotional bonds between mentors and mentees. But research makes clear that effective programs emphasize the development of specific social, emotional, and intellectual skills. Most mentoring programs are poorly suited to this effort because they rely overwhelmingly on volunteers, who rarely have the training necessary to teach these skills to young people. Moreover, the one-size-fits-all models of major mentoring organizations struggle to deal with the diverse backgrounds of mentees, the psychological effects of poverty on children, and increasingly hard limits to upward mobility in an unequal world. [More Details...](#)

