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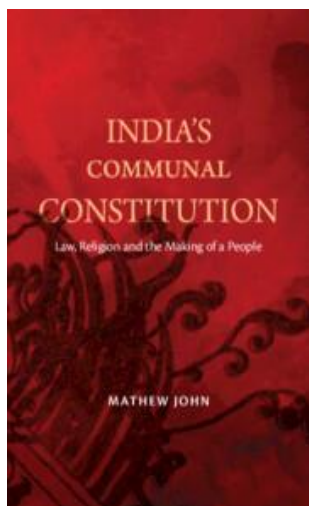
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	<p><u>Legal Research Methodology</u></p> <p>Author: J. Mahalakshmi and P. Balamurugan</p> <p>Publisher: Eastern Book Company, 2023</p> <p>ISBN: 9788119114498</p> <p>The study of law is inextricably linked with legal research. Legal research plays a crucial role in the development of law as a discipline and in the growth of the legal profession. The key objectives of legal research are to train students of law in analytical and critical thinking and enable them to acquire high standards of professional competence. Further, legal research facilitates the enrichment of the legal profession by rewarding and incentivizing specialization in emerging areas of law and in studying these fields with an interdisciplinary lens, using inputs from the various sciences and social science.</p> <p>Legal Research provides a solid basis on which legal policies can be formulated to benefit and rebuild society into a more robust, just, and fair version of itself. Writing research projects is an indispensable requirement that marries theory with practice, as it guides, trains, and encourages the law student to analyse both legal doctrines as well as the real-world impact of law on society... More Details...</p>
	<p><u>CITES as a Tool for Sustainable Development</u></p> <p>Author: Marie-Claire Cordonier Segger</p> <p>Publisher: Cambridge University Press, 2023</p> <p>ISBN: 9781108420006</p> <p>TSaving endangered species presents a critical and increasingly pressing challenge for conservation and sustainability movements, and is also matter of survival and livelihoods for the world's poorest and vulnerable communities. In 1973, a global Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species (CITES) was adopted to stem the extinction of many species. In 2015, as part of the Sustainable Development Goals (SDG 15) the United Nations called for urgent action to protect endangered species and their natural habitats. This volume focuses on the legal implementation of CITES to achieve the global SDGs. Activating interdisciplinary analysis and case studies across jurisdictions, the contributors analyse the potential for CITES to promote more sustainable development, proposing international and national regulatory innovations for implementing CITES. They consider recent innovations and key intervention points along flora and fauna value chains, advancing coherent recommendations to strengthen CITES implementation, including through the regulation of trade.... More Details...</p>
	<p><u>EU Values Before the Court of Justice: Foundations, Potential, Risks</u></p> <p>Author: Luke Dimitrios Spieker</p> <p>Publisher: Oxford University Press, 2023</p> <p>ISBN: 9780198876717</p> <p>The Union’s values—enshrined in Article 2 TEU—are under pressure in several Member States. Against this backdrop, the Court of Justice has set a spectacular development in motion. With its ruling in Associação Sindical dos Juizes Portugueses it started to mobilise these values. Since then, the jurisprudence has evolved at breakneck speed. This book provides a first comprehensive study of the judicial activation of Article 2 TEU. It starts by developing the foundations of this emerging jurisprudence in empirical, doctrinal, and theoretical terms. At its heart it seeks to advance a new understanding of Article 2 TEU. The provision should be understood as featuring a dual character that resonates between two dimensions: an EU dimension limited to the EU legal order and a ‘Verbund’ dimension that extends to the common whole of the Union and its Member States. The second and third parts set out to explore the multifaceted potential of Article 2 TEU in each of ... More Details...</p>



[India's Communal Constitution](#)

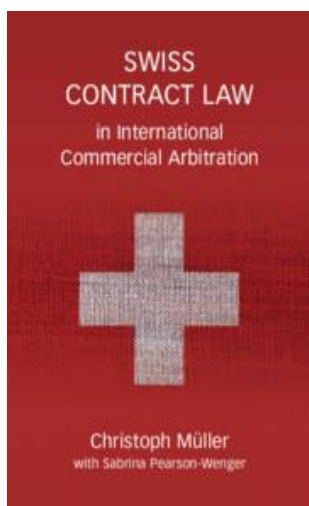
[Law, Religion, and the Making of a People](#)

Author: Mathew John

Publisher: Cambridge University Press, 2023

ISBN: 9781009317726

This book speaks to debates on law, constitutionalism, and the contested terrain of political identity in modern India. Set against the overwhelmingly liberal design of the Indian Constitution, the book demonstrates a tendency in the Constitution and its practice to identify the Indian people in parochial and communal terms. This tendency is identified as India's Communal Constitution and its imprint on contemporary constitutional practice is illustrated by drawing on the constitutional practice as it addresses religious freedom, personal law, minority rights and the identification of caste groups. Thus, casting the Constitution and its practice as a field of contest, the aspiration to define the Indian people as a community of individual citizens is brought face to face with its antagonists. [More Details...](#)



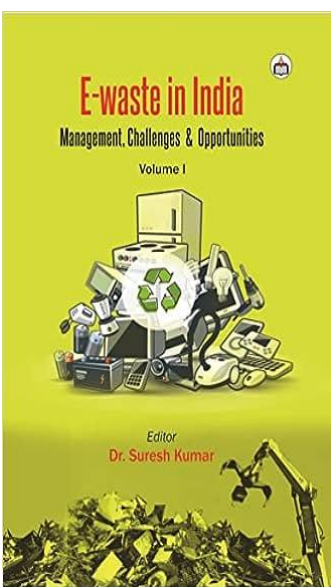
[Swiss Contract Law in International Commercial Arbitration](#)

Author: Christoph Müller

Publisher: Cambridge University Press, 2023

ISBN: 9781108368667

This book provides a systematic presentation of the most important commercial contracts under Swiss law, i.e., the contract of sale, the contract for work and services, the simple mandate contract, and the commercial agency contract, as well as the licence agreement, the exclusive distribution agreement, and the settlement agreement. The book also contains an in-depth introduction of the Swiss law of obligations, covering topics such as the fundamental principles of contract law, the obligation (as the effect of the contract), the formation of contracts, contract interpretation, validity of contracts, agency, general terms and conditions, and breach of contract. After English law, Swiss law is deemed to be the most attractive law applicable to the parties' contract in an international context... At the same time, English is usually chosen as the language of the arbitration proceedings. This book will therefore be an indispensable resource for all English-speaking lawyers interested in international commercial arbitration. [More Details...](#)



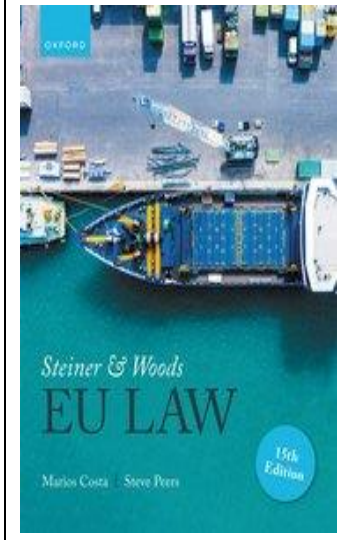
[E-waste in India \(Management, Challenges & Opportunities\)](#)

Author: Dr. Suresh Kumar

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E-waste i.e., electronic waste, arising from the end-of-life electronic products, is one of the rapidly growing waste streams in the world today. E-waste produced annually is worth over \$62.5 billion more than the GDP of most countries. According to the UN's Global E-waste Monitor 2020, the annual global production of E-waste is approximately 53.6 million metric tons (Mt) in 2019 which will exceed to 74 Mt till 2030. While, at present only 9.3 Mt (17.4%) of the total generated E-waste was collected and recycled globally. It means that many precious metals (gold, platinum, silver, copper, etc.) and other high-value recoverable critical materials (cobalt, palladium, indium, germanium, etc.) worth US \$57 billion, dumped or burned in the E-waste every year. Besides in India, the rapid growing population and increased disposal of electrical and electronic products have instigated serious concerns to the environment and human health. India generated 3rd highest volume of E-waste (3.2 Mt) in 2019, behind China & USA. However, India's per capita (2.4 kg) E-waste generation is 1/3rd the global average (7.3 kg per capita) while it is 3-times the global average in the USA. Moreover, India [More Details...](#)

	<p><u>Constitutional Law and Politics of Secession</u></p> <p>Author: Antoni Abat i Ninet</p> <p>Publisher: Routledge, 2023</p> <p>ISBN: 9781032318073</p> <p>This collection presents an analysis of the concept of secession and its constitutional accommodation alongside an assessment of the effects of secession in constitutional and international law. The work proposes a new approach and insights into the existing literature that fill a gap from multidisciplinary and transdisciplinary perspectives.</p> <p>The book approaches the topics of secession, constitutionalism, and their relationship from both theoretical and empirical perspectives, including the analysis of particular secessionist examples, such as Catalonia, the Basque Country, Tigray, the Palestinian minority in Israel, Bosnia and Herzegovina, and the Mapuche Nation, from a comparative constitutional perspective. Elucidating these issues from different methodological and conceptual perspectives produces novelties in the scientific and constitutional debate. The interplay between constitutions, constitutional law, and secession is indeed explored from philosophical, socio-legal, but also from strict constitutional law outlooks. More Details...</p>
	<p><u>Law, Registration, and the State Making Identities through Space, Place, and Movement</u></p> <p>Author: Jess Smith</p> <p>Publisher: Routledge, 2023</p> <p>ISBN: 9781032261034</p> <p>This book provides an original and compelling analysis of registration as a dynamic process which makes and unmakes legal identities.</p> <p>Critical legal and socio-legal scholarship tends to assume that registration is a textually mediated act of statecraft which governs through the technology of writing. Taking a different approach, this book develops movement as socio-legal method to illustrate the legal, social, and bureaucratic layers of movement which unfold in everyday engagements with the law. The book presents empirical and theoretical analysis of historical, contemporary, and future-oriented places of registration: a community hub, a city of pilgrimage, and the General Register Office. Drawing from diverse perspectives across anthropology, geography, sociology, architecture, and mobility studies, the book argues for an understanding of registration as evolving, socially constructed, More Details...</p>
	<p><u>Steiner and Woods EU Law</u></p> <p>Author: Marios Costa and Steve Peers</p> <p>Publisher: Oxford University, 2023</p> <p>ISBN: 9780192884534</p> <p>Steiner & Woods EU Law offers well-balanced and straightforward coverage of EU law, drawing out key case law for a student readership. The book offers the most comprehensive black letter guide to EU law for undergraduates and postgraduates.</p> <p>Demystifies EU law by providing a clear and succinct account of the core areas of institutional and substantive law. Gives students a solid foundation in EU law by clearly explaining the EU's key processes and procedures. Allows students to understand the significance of the most important cases and legislation, signposting them throughout the text, Enables students to put topics in context, using chapter introductions and conclusions to frame each topic and raise key question, Helps students to direct their own research by providing end-of-chapter further reading suggestions and a bibliography .. More Details...</p>



GLOBAL ANIMAL LAW FROM THE MARGINS
INTERNATIONAL TRADE IN ANIMALS AND THEIR BODIES

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Global Animal Law from the Margins: International Trade in Animals and their Bodies (Law, Justice and Ecology)

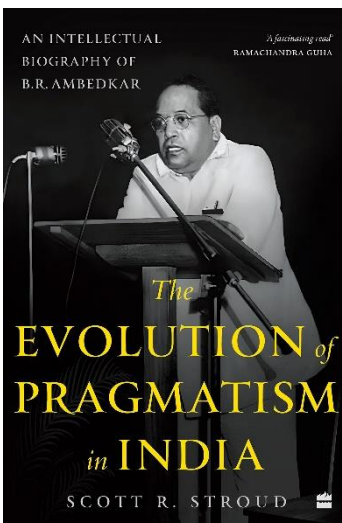
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This book critically engages the emerging field of global animal law from the perspective of an intersectional ethical framework.

Reconceptualising global animal law, this book argues that global animal law overrepresents views from the west as it does not sufficiently engage views from the Global South, as well as from Indigenous and other marginalised communities. Tracing this imbalance to the early development of animal law's reaction to issues of international trade, the book elicits the anthropocentrism and colonialism that underpin this bias. In response, the book outlines a new, intersectional, second wave of animal ethics. Incorporating marginalised viewpoints, it elevates the field beyond the dominant concern with animal welfare and rights. And, drawing on aspects of decolonial thought, earth jurisprudence, intersectionality theory and posthumanism, it offers a fundamental rethinking..... [More Details...](#)



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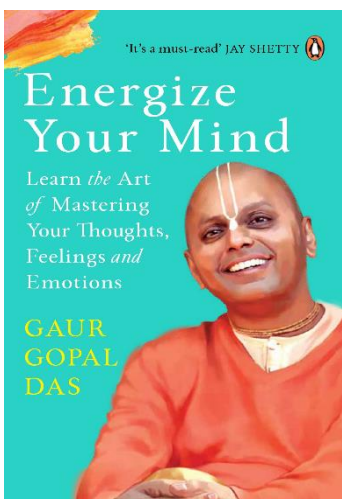
The Evolution of Pragmatism in India : An Intellectual Biography of B.R. Ambedkar

Author: Scott R. Stroud

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The International Criminal Court seeks to end impunity for the world's worst crimes, to contribute to their prevention. But what is its impact to date? This book takes an in-depth look at four countries under scrutiny of the ICC: Afghanistan, Colombia, Libya, and Uganda. It puts forward an analytical framework to assess the impact of the ICC on four levels: on the domestic legal systems (systemic effect); on peace negotiations and agreements (transformative effect); on victims (reparative effect); and on the perceptions of affected populations (demonstration effect). It concludes that the ICC is having a normative impact on domestic legal systems and peace agreements, but it has brought little reparative justice for victims, and it does not necessarily correspond with how affected populations view [More Details...](#)



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Energize Your Mind

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Energize Your Mind: Learn the Art of Mas

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In this book, bestselling author and life coach Gaur Gopal Das decodes how the mind works. He combines his anecdotal style with analytical research to teach us how to discipline our mind for our greater well-being. Throughout this book, he provides interactive exercises, meditation techniques and worksheets to help us take charge of our mind.

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