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A to Zoo 2018-06-21 whether used for thematic story times program and curriculum planning readers advisory or collection development this updated edition of the well known companion makes finding the right picture books for your library a breeze generations of savvy librarians and educators have relied on this detailed subject guide to children's picture books for all aspects of children's services and this new edition does not disappoint covering more than 18 000 books published through 2017 it empowers users to identify current and classic titles on topics ranging from apples to zebras organized simply with a subject guide that categorizes subjects by theme and topic and subject headings arranged alphabetically this reference applies more than 1 200 intuitive as opposed to formal catalog subject terms to children's picture books making it both a comprehensive and user friendly resource that is accessible to parents and teachers as well as librarians it can be used to identify titles to fill in gaps in library collections to find books on particular topics for young readers to help teachers locate titles to support lessons or to design thematic programs and story times title and illustrator indexes in addition to a bibliographic guide arranged alphabetically by author name further extend access to titles

Augmented Reality Art 2014-06-17 written by a team of world renowned artists researchers and practitioners all pioneers in using augmented reality based creative works and installations as a new form of art this is the first book to explore the exciting new field of augmented reality art and its enabling technologies as well as investigating augmented reality as a novel artistic medium the book covers cultural social spatial and cognitive facets of augmented reality art intended as a starting point for exploring this new fascinating area of research and creative practice it will be essential reading not only for artists researchers and technology developers but also for students graduates and undergraduates and all those interested in emerging augmented reality technology and its current and future applications in art

Best STEM Resources for NextGen Scientists 2015-06-30 intended to support the national initiative to strengthen learning in areas of science technology engineering and mathematics this book helps librarians who work with youth in school and public libraries to build better collections and more effectively use these collections through readers advisory and programming a versatile and multi faceted guide best stem resources for nextgen scientists the essential selection and user's guide serves as a readers advisory and collection development resource for youth services and school librarians seeking to bring stem related titles into their collections and introduce teachers and young readers to them this book not only guides readers to hundreds of the best stem related titles fiction and non fiction printed materials as well as apps dvds websites and games it also includes related activities or programming ideas to help promote the use of the

collection to patrons or students in storytime afterschool programs or passive library programs after a detailed discussion of the importance of stem and the opportunities librarians have for involvement the book lists and describes best stem resources for young learners resources are organized according to the reading audiences for which they are intended from toddlers through teens and the book includes annotated lists of both fiction and nonfiction stem titles as well as graphic novels digital products and online resources in addition the author offers a selection of professional readings for librarians and media specialists who wish to further expand their knowledge

Small-Scale Public Transportable and Pre-Fabricated Buildings

2018-04-09 this book investigates the design operation and use of contemporary transportable buildings and explores how functional performance can be assessed in small scale examples for public use alongside their relationship to other design elements the research focuses on three case studies chengdu hualin elementary school exxopolis and kreod that do not require a high technology building environment or complex construction skills transportable buildings are defined as those that are transported in a number of parts for assembly on site contemporary transportable buildings respond to ecological issues social impacts technological innovation and economic demands they can be used to measure a society s development in environmental sustainability innovation and economic growth through various forms small scale transportable buildings fulfil many temporary habitation needs in diverse roles such as non emergency transitional housing ephemeral exhibition buildings and seasonal entertainment facilities small scale public transportable and pre fabricated buildings will be a useful research text for academics and students in architecture design and sustainable building performance

Making Black History 2021-10-04 this study proposes that rather than trying to discern the normative value of afropolitanism as an identificatory concept politics ethics or aesthetics afropolitanism may be best approached as a distinct historical and cultural moment that is a certain historical constellation that allows us to glimpse the shifting and multiple silhouettes which africa as signifier as real and imagined locus embodies in the globalized yet predominantly western cultural landscape of the 21st century as such making black history looks at contemporary fictions of the african or black diaspora that have been written and received in the moment of afropolitanism discursively this moment is very much part of a diasporic conversation that takes place in the us and is thus informed by various negotiations of blackness race class and cultural identity yet rather than interpreting afropolitan literatures merely as a rejection of racial solidarity as some commentators have they should be read as ambivalent responses to post racial discourses dominating the first decade of the 21st century particularly in the us which oscillate between moments of intense hope and acute disappointment

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The New Digital Storytelling 2017-07-20 newly revised and updated this is the essential guide to state of the art digital storytelling for audiences creators and teachers written for everyone interested in the communication potential of digital media including educators marketers communication professionals and community activists this is the ultimate guide to harnessing technology for storytelling no other book covers the digital storytelling movement as thoroughly as this updated second edition of a popular work nor does any incorporate as many technologies from video to augmented reality mobile devices to virtual reality the book combines history analysis and practical guidance about digital storytelling it begins with a history that encompasses an exploration of storytelling itself as well as a description of narratives using digital tools from the 1980s through 2000 from there the author dives into modern digital storytelling offering analysis and guidance regarding the use of digital video podcasting social media gaming mobile devices and virtual and augmented reality the work concludes with practical advice about how to create and share digital stories using the most current tools so even the new would be storyteller can create their first digital narrative of course the second edition is updated to take into account the many ways the field has advanced since the original book appeared with many new examples of digital stories this edition s evidence base is current and fresh new or transformed technologies are also addressed including virtual reality mobile devices that have become mainstream tools for creating sharing and experiencing digital stories and the wide variety of new storytelling apps and services

The Oxford Handbook of Reciprocal Adult Development and Learning

2011-09-06 rev ed of handbook of adult development and learning edited by carol hoare 2006

The Death and Life of Aida Hernandez 2019-04-16 one of esquire s 50 best biographies of all time winner of the 2020 pacific northwest book award winner of the 2020 washington state book award named a 2019 southwest book of the year shortlisted for the 2019 brooklyn public library literary prize what happens when an undocumented teen mother takes on the u s immigration system when aida hernandez was born in 1987 in agua prieta mexico the nearby u s border was little more than a worn down fence eight years later aida s mother took her and her siblings to live in douglas arizona by then the border had become one of the most heavily policed sites in america undocumented aida fought to make her way she learned english watched friends and after having a baby at sixteen dreamed of teaching dance and moving with her son to new york city but life had other plans following a misstep that led to her deportation aida found herself in a mexican city marked by violence in a country that was not hers to get back to the united

states and reunite with her son she embarked on a harrowing journey the daughter of a rebel hero from the mountains of chihuahua aida has a genius for survival but returning to the united states was just the beginning of her quest taking us into detention centers immigration courts and the inner lives of aida and other daring characters the death and life of aida hernandez reveals the human consequences of militarizing what was once a more forgiving border with emotional force and narrative suspense aaron bobrow strain brings us into the heart of a violently unequal america he also shows us that the heroes of our current immigration wars are less likely to be perfect paragons of virtue than complex flawed human beings who deserve justice and empathy all the same

John Gerstner and the Renewal of Presbyterian and Reformed

Evangelicalism in Modern America 2017-11-09 john gerstner 1914 96 was a significant leader in the renewal of presbyterian and reformed evangelicalism in america during the second half of the twentieth century gerstner s work as a church historian sought to shape evangelicalism but also northern mainline presbyterianism in order to promote evangelical thought he wrote taught lectured debated and preached widely in pursuing his aims he promoted the work of the great colonial theologian jonathan edwards he also defended and endorsed biblical inerrancy and the old princeton theology gerstner was a sharp critic of theological modernism and what he considered its negative influence on the church part of gerstner s fame was his active participation in mainline presbyterianism and in so many of the smaller presbyterian denominations and in the wider evangelical movement his renewal efforts within the united presbyterian church usa later pcusa were largely a failure but they did contribute to the surprising resurgence of presbyterian and reformed evangelicalism evangelical marginalization in the mainline led gerstner and other evangelicals to redirect their energy into new evangelical institutions groups and denominations gerstner s evangelical united presbyterian church of north america upcna background influenced the young scholar and the legacy of the upcna s heritage can be detected in the popular forms of the presbyterian and reformed evangelical movement that exist today moreover he was significant for the revival of reformed teaching beyond the bounds of presbyterianism this book establishes gerstner s significance in american church history and provides a thorough analysis of the evangelical movement he sought to reinvigorate

The Best American Short Stories 2011 2011 presents twenty of the best works of short fiction of the past year from a variety of acclaimed sources

Disaster Culture 2010-11 drawing on decades of research on the most infamous human and environmental calamities button shows how states corporations and other actors attempt to create meaning and control social relations in post disaster struggles for the redistribution of

power

Merce Cunningham 2020-01-23 one of the most influential choreographers of the twentieth century merce cunningham is known for introducing chance to dance far too often however accounts of cunningham s work have neglected its full scope focusing on his collaborations with the visionary composer john cage or insisting that randomness was the singular goal of his choreography in this book the first dedicated to the complete arc of cunningham s career carrie noland brings new insight to this transformative artist s philosophy and work providing a fresh perspective on his artistic process while exploring aspects of his choreographic practice never studied before examining a rich and previously unseen archive that includes photographs film footage and unpublished writing by cunningham noland counters prior understandings of cunningham s influential embrace of the unintended demonstrating that cunningham in fact set limits on the role chance played in his dances drawing on cunningham s written and performed work noland reveals that cunningham introduced variables before the chance procedure was applied and later shaped and modified the chance results chapters explore his relation not only to cage but also marcel duchamp robert rauschenberg james joyce and bill t jones ultimately noland shows that cunningham approached movement as more than movement in itself and that his work enacted archetypal human dramas this remarkable book will forever change our appreciation of the choreographer s work and legacy

Constructions of Gender 2017-10-16 a ground swell of activism on campus is underway to recognize a wider understandings of gender to support long time marginalized populations and to open up leadership pipelines that result in a reflection of the populations community colleges servewhich include women minorities and diverse stakeholders this issue expands on the research regarding the stubborn persistence of the glass ceiling and thinking about constructions of gender inclusivity and strategies to advance equity for all tackling new and extended conceptions of gender to include issues facing the lgbtq community it highlights the intersections of race and gender addresses how gender performance continues to influence the experiences of men and women in the 2 year college sector presents strategies for supporting women leaders updates readers on the clery act on campus and includes strategies for inclusivity this is the 179th volume of this jossey bass quarterly report series essential to the professional libraries of presidents vice presidents deans and other leaders in today s open door institutions new directions for community colleges provides expert guidance in meeting the challenges of their distinctive and expanding educational mission

The Book of Cthulhu 2011-09-01 the cthulhu mythos is one of the 20th century s most singularly recognizable literary creations initially created by h p lovecraft and a group of his amorphous contemporaries the so called lovecraft circle the cthulhu mythos story cycle has
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taken on a convoluted cyclopean life of its own some of the most prodigious writers of the 20th century and some of the most astounding writers of the 21st century have planted their seeds in this fertile soil the book of cthulhu harvests the weirdest and most corpulent crop of these modern mythos tales from weird fiction masters to enigmatic rising stars the book of cthulhu demonstrates how mythos fiction has been a major cultural meme throughout the 20th century and how this type of story is still salient and terribly powerful today

Write a Romance in 5 Simple Steps 2013-01-01 romance writing is a billion dollar a year industry authors are busy creating new titles every single day because hungry readers have been known to gobble up as many as forty new romance novels every month author suzanne lieurance shows aspiring writers how to write a sweeping tale of epic romance

The Hidden Hands of Justice 2018-08-09 as the first comprehensive analysis of ngo participation at international criminal and human rights courts this book will interest a global and wide range of students scholars and ngos in the fields of human rights public international law politics and international relations and law and society

And Hell Followed With Her 2013-03-26 it began with a frantic 911 call from a woman in a dusty arizona border town a gang claiming to be affiliated with the border patrol had shot her husband and daughter it was initially assumed that the murders were products of border drug wars ravaging the southwest until the leader of one of the more prominent offshoots of the minutemen movement was arrested for plotting the home invasion as part of a scheme to finance a violent antigovernment border militia and hell followed with her crossing to the dark side of the american border is award winning journalist david neiwert s riveting account of the life and death of america s minutemen and the terrifying story and psychology of movement leader shawna forde a compulsive and brilliant portrait of cold blooded killers and true believers and hell followed with her is at once a horrifying crime story and a frontline report on america s nativist foot soldiers

Psychological Approaches to Pain Management, Third Edition 2018-07-03 this authoritative handbook now significantly revised with more than 50 new material has introduced thousands of practitioners and students to the state of the art in psychological interventions for managing pain leading experts review the most effective treatment approaches for enhancing patients coping and self efficacy and reducing pain related disability including cognitive behavioral therapy biofeedback clinical hypnosis group therapy and more strategies for integrating psychosocial and medical treatments for specific populations are described with chapters on back pain headache cancer and other prevalent chronic pain disorders attention is given to customizing intervention for individual patients maximizing treatment adherence

and preventing overuse of opioids and other medications • new to this edition chapter on resilience focusing on mindfulness and acceptance based approaches chapters on managing pain with comorbid psychological disorders posttraumatic stress disorder and substance use disorder chapter on emerging uses of technology even more practitioner friendly every chapter concludes with bulleted clinical highlights many new authors extensively revised with over 15 years of research and clinical advances •

Pedagogies, Physical Culture, and Visual Methods 2013-02-11 to understand and more creatively capture the social world visual methods have increasingly become used by researchers in the social sciences and education however despite the rapid development of visual based knowledge and despite the obvious links between human movement and visual forms of understanding visual research has been scarce in the fields of physical culture and physical education pedagogy this groundbreaking book is the first to mark a visual turn in understanding and researching physical culture and pedagogies offering innovative image based research that reveals key issues in the domains of sport health and physical education studies integrating visual research into physical culture and pedagogy studies the book provides the reader with different ways of seeing looking at and critically engaging with physical culture since human movement is increasingly created established and pedagogized beyond traditional educational sites such as schools sport clubs and fitness gyms the book also explores the notion of visual pedagogy in wider physical culture helping the reader to understand how visual based technologies such as television the internet and mobile phones are central to people s engagement with physical culture today the book demonstrates how the visual creates dynamic pedagogical tools for revealing playful forms of embodiment and offers the reader a range of visual methods from researcher produced photo analysis to participatory centred visual approaches that will enhance their own study of physical culture pedagogies physical culture and visual methods is important reading for all advanced students and researchers with an interest in human movement physical education physical culture sport studies and research methods in education

Learning Outcomes, Academic Credit and Student Mobility 2020-10-30 there is increasing interest in the use of learning outcomes in postsecondary education and deliberations have surfaced with regard to their potential to serve as a tool for advancing credit transfer learning outcomes academic credit and student mobility assesses the conceptual foundations assumptions and implications of using learning outcomes for the purposes of postsecondary credit transfer and student mobility through a critical review of current approaches to the use of learning outcomes across national and international jurisdictions scholars and practitioners in postsecondary education provide a multivalent examination of their potential impacts in the unique

context of ontario and recommend future directions for the system the collected works are the culmination of a multi year study entitled learning outcomes for transfer funded by the ontario council on articulation and transfer contributions are authored by prominent international scholars across countries with significant outcomes based experience and education reforms south africa the united states australia europe and the united kingdom and an ontario research consortium comprising college and university experts working to advance student pathways

Support Systems and Services for Diverse Populations 2011-06-01 more than identity politics intersectionality regards the inability of institutional structures to remedy discrimination because of the intersection between social dynamics which are often discretely conceived crenshaw dill 2009 this book focuses on the subpopulation of black female college students

The Designer's Field Guide to Collaboration 2016-11-18 the designer s field guide to collaboration provides practitioners and students with the tools necessary to collaborate effectively with a wide variety of partners in an increasingly socially complex and technology driven design environment beautifully illustrated with color images the book draws on the expertise of top professionals in the allied fields of architecture landscape architecture engineering and construction management and brings to bear research from diverse disciplines such as software development organizational behavior and outdoor leadership training chapters examine emerging and best practices for effective team building structuring workflows enhancing communication managing conflict and developing collective vision all to ensure the highest standards of design excellence case studies detail and reflect on the collaborative processes used to create award winning projects by studio gang perkins will tod williams billie tsien architects partners gensler cdr studio mahlum architects in site architecture and thornton tomasetti s core studio the book also provides pragmatic ideas and formal exercises for brainstorming productively evaluating ideas communicating effectively and offering feedback by emphasizing the productive influence and creative possibilities of collaboration within the changing landscape of architectural production the book proposes how these practices can be taught in architecture school and expanded in practice in a changing world that presents increasingly complex challenges optimizing these collaborative skills will prove not only necessary but crucial to the process of creating advanced architecture

Interactivity in E-Learning: Case Studies and Frameworks 2011-12-31 this book provides a comprehensive examination of interactivity combining key perspectives from communication and media studies distributed cognition system affordances user control and social interaction intended for researchers working in the fields of communication and media educational media e learning and instructional

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Embedded Racism 2015-11-06 despite domestic constitutional provisions and international treaty promises japan has no law against racial discrimination consequently businesses around japan display japanese only signs denying entry to all foreigners on sight employers and landlords routinely refuse jobs and apartments to foreign applicants japanese police racially profile foreign looking bystanders for invasive questioning on the street legislators administrators and pundits portray foreigners as a national security threat and call for their segregation and expulsion nevertheless japan s government and media claim there is no discrimination by race in japan therefore no laws are necessary how does japan resolve the cognitive dissonance of racial discrimination being unconstitutional yet not illegal *Embedded Racism* carefully untangles japanese society s complex narrative on race by analyzing two mutually supportive levels of national identity maintenance starting with case studies of hundreds of individual japanese only businesses it carefully analyzes the construction of japanese identity through legal structures statute enforcement public policy and media messages it reveals how the concept of a japanese has been racialized to the point where one must look japanese to be treated as one the product of a quarter century of research and fieldwork by a scholar living in japan as a naturalized japanese citizen *Embedded Racism* offers an unprecedented perspective on japan s deeply entrenched poorly understood and strenuously unacknowledged discrimination as it affects people by physical appearance

Wine and Place 2018-01-02 the concept of terroir is one of the most celebrated and controversial subjects in wine today most will agree that well made wine has the capacity to express somewhere a set of consistent aromatics flavors or textures that amount to a signature expression of place but for every advocate there is a skeptic and for every writer singing praises related to terroir there is a study or a detractor seeking to debunk terroir as myth *Wine and Place* examines terroir using a multitude of voices and points of view from winemakers to wine critics from science to literature seeking not to prove its veracity but to explore its pros cons and other aspects this comprehensive anthology lets readers come to their own conclusions about terroir

Sustainability, Human Well-Being, and the Future of Education

2018-09-17 this open access book explores the key dimensions of a future education system designed to enable individuals schools and communities to achieve the twin twenty first century challenges of sustainability and human well being for much of the twentieth century western education systems prepared students to enter the workforce contribute to society and succeed in relatively predictable contexts today people are at the controls of the planet making decisions that are dramatically reshaping social economic and environmental systems at a global scale what is education s purpose in this new reality what

and how must we learn now the volatility and uncertainty caused by digitalization globalization and climate change weave a common backdrop through each chapter using case studies drawn from finland and the us chapter authors explore various aspects of learning and education system design through the lenses of sustainability and human well being to evaluate how our understanding and practice of education must transform using their scholarly research and experience as practitioners the authors propose new approaches to preparing learners for a new frontier of the human experience fraught with risks but full of opportunity

Routledge Handbook of Democratization 2012-03-15 this exciting new handbook provides a global overview of the process of democratization offering chapter by chapter discussion at both the country and regional levels and examining the interaction between the domestic and external factors that affect the progression of countries from authoritarian to democratic rule bringing together 29 key experts in the field the work is designed to contrast the processes and outcomes of democratic reform in a wide range of different societies evaluating the influence of factors such as religion economic development and financial resources it is structured thematically into four broad sections section i provides a regional tour d horizon of the current state of democratisation and democracy in eight regions around the world section ii examines key structures processes and outcomes of democratisation and democracy section iii focuses on the relationship between democratisation and international relations through examination of a range of issues and actors including the third and fourth waves of democracy political conditionality the united nations the european union the african union and the organisation of african states section iv examines the interaction between democratisation and development with a focus on poverty and inequality security human rights gender war and conflict resolution a comprehensive survey of democratization across the world this work will be essential reading for scholars and policy makers alike

Street Lit 2013-11-15 over the last few decades the genre of urban fiction or street lit has become increasingly popular as more novels secure a place on bestseller lists that were once the domain of mainstream authors in the 1970s pioneers such as donald goines iceberg slim and claude brown paved the way for today s street fiction novelists poets and short story writers including sister souljah kenji jasper and colson whitehead in street lit representing the urban landscape keenan norris has assembled a varied collection of articles essays interviews and poems that capture the spirit of urban fiction and nonfiction produced from the 1950s through the present day providing both critical analyses and personal insights these works explore the street lit phenomenon to help readers understand how and why this once underground genre has become such a vital force in contemporary literature interviews with literary icons david bradley

gerald early and lynel gardner are balanced with critical discussions of works by goines jasper whitehead and others with an introduction by norris that explores the roots of street lit this collection defines the genre for today s readers and provides valuable insights into a cultural force that is fast becoming as important to the american literary scene as hip hop is to music featuring a foreword by bestselling novelist omar tyree flyy girl and comprised of works by scholars established authors and new voices street lit will inspire any reader who wants to understand the significance of this sometimes controversial but unquestionably popular art form

Handbook of Theory and Practice of Sustainable Development in Higher Education 2016-12-01 this handbook approaches sustainable development in higher education from an integrated perspective addressing the dearth of publications on the subject it offers a unique overview of what universities around the world are doing to implement sustainable development i e via curriculum innovation research activities or practical projects and how their efforts relate to education for sustainable development at the university level the handbook gathers a wealth of information ideas best practices and lessons learned in the context of executing concrete projects and assesses methodological approaches to integrating the topic of sustainable development in university curricula lastly it documents and disseminates the veritable treasure trove of practical experience currently available on sustainability in higher education

Integrative Approaches to Sustainable Development at University Level 2014-10-09 this book documents and compares the experiences of a wide range of universities across the five continents with regard to sustainable development making it of special interest to sustainability researchers and practitioners by showcasing how integrative approaches to sustainable development at the university level can be successfully employed to bridge the gaps between disciplines the book provides a timely contribution to the literature on sustainability and offers a valuable resource for all those interested in sustainability in a higher education context

The Mobile Story 2013-09-11 what happens when stories meet mobile media in this cutting edge collection contributors explore digital storytelling in ways that look beyond the desktop to consider how stories can be told through mobile locative and pervasive technologies this book offers dynamic insights about the new nature of narrative in the age of mobile media studying digital stories that are site specific context aware and involve the reader in fascinating ways addressing important topics for scholars students and designers alike this collection investigates the crucial questions for this emerging area of storytelling and electronic literature topics covered include the histories of site specific narratives issues in design and practice space and mapping mobile games narrative interfaces and the interplay between memory history and community

An Invitation to Environmental Sociology 2012 the highly praised fourth edition of an invitation to environmental sociology brings out the sociology of environmental possibility inviting students to delve into this rapidly changing field written in a lively engaging style bell covers the broad range of topics in environmental sociology with a personal passion rarely seen in sociology textbooks with extensively updated material on the environmental situation this edition challenges readers with the complexity of environmental puzzles

Oliver! 2014 this book tells the full story of the genesis and legacy of lionel bart s most famous musical oliver the beloved english musical from the golden age of broadway

Digital Cultures and the Politics of Emotion 2012-03-13 fifteen thought provoking essays engage in an innovative dialogue between cultural studies of affect feelings and emotions and digital cultures new media and technology the volume provides a fascinating dialogue that cuts across disciplines media platforms and geographic and linguistic boundaries

Black-Brown Solidarity 2014-01-01 houston is the largest city in the gulf south a region sometimes referred to as the black belt because of its sizeable african american population yet over the last thirty years latinos have become the largest ethnic minority in houston which is surpassed only by los angeles and new york in the number of latino residents examining the history and effects of this phenomenon black brown solidarity describes the outcomes of unexpected coalitions that have formed between the rapidly growing latino populations and the long held black enclaves in the region together minority residents have put the spotlight on prominent old south issues such as racial profiling and police brutality expressions of solidarity john d márquez argues have manifested themselves in expressive forms such as hip hop music youth gang cultural traits and the storytelling of ordinary residents in working class communities contrary to a growing discourse regarding black brown conflict across the united states the blurring of racial boundaries reflects broader arguments regarding hybrid cultures that unsettle the orders established by centuries old colonial formations accentuating what the author defines as a racial state of expendability the lynchpin of vigilante violence and police brutality the new hybridization has resulted in shared wariness of a linked fate black brown solidarity also explores the ways in which the significance of african american history in the south has influenced the structures through which latinos have endured and responded to expendability mining data from historical archives oral histories legal documents popular media and other sources this work is a major contribution to urban studies ethnic studies and critical race theory

The Forgotten Marlins 2013-06-06 the forgotten marlins pays tribute to the original miami marlins of the aaa international league bringing to life one of the most colorful and flamboyant teams to play in baseball s minor leagues during their five years of existence the marlins

featured prominent personalities such as eccentric manager pepper martin zany mickey mcdermott and maverick promoter bill veeck including rarely heard stories about baseball icon and hall of famer satchel paige s years in miami and containing interviews between the author and several of the surviving ballplayers this book is a unique and comprehensive account of a truly original baseball team the forgotten marlins is an entertaining and engaging read for all baseball fans and historians

Exploring Polar Regions 2014-01-01 throughout history people have always explored new frontiers adventure fame and scientific discovery have all driven humans to forge into the unknown this title examines the exploration of polar regions easy to read engaging text takes readers to the arctic and antarctic examines the explorers who journeyed to these frigid areas and traces the development of the technology and techniques that made this exploration possible well placed sidebars vivid photos helpful maps and a glossary enhance readers understanding of the topic additional features include a table of contents a selected bibliography source notes and an index plus a timeline and essential facts aligned to common core standards and correlated to state standards essential library is an imprint of abdo publishing a division of abdo

The Tender Soldier 2014-08-12 part of the pentagon s most daring and controversial attempt since vietnam to bring social science to the afghanistan battlefield three tough minded american civilians find their humanity tested and their lives forever changed by this little known mission

Social Science Goes to War 2015-01-11 the human terrain system hts was catapulted into existence in 2006 by the us military s urgent need for knowledge of the human dimension of the battlespace in iraq and afghanistan its centrepiece was embedded groups of mixed military and civilian personnel known as human terrain teams hts whose mission was to conduct social science research and analysis and to advise military commanders about the local population bringing social science and actual social scientists to the wars in iraq and afghanistan was bold and challenging despite the controversy over hts among scholars there is little good reliable source material written by those with experience of hts or about the actual work carried out by teams in theatre this volume goes beyond the anecdotes snippets and blogs to provide a comprehensive objective and detailed view of hts the contributors put the program in historical context discuss the obstacles it faced analyse its successes and detail the work of the teams downrange most importantly they capture some of the diverse lived experience of hts scholars and practitioners drawn from an eclectic array of the social sciences

Information Literacy as a Student Learning Outcome 2011-06-29 this nationwide analysis documents how institutions of higher education are responding to demands for accountability and transparency by

implementing and assessing learning goals for information literacy stakeholders in higher education across the country including students parents research and policy organizations and government agencies are demanding greater accountability and transparency from institutions in how they are promoting quality and improvement in colleges and universities indeed as the cost of tuition rises colleges and universities as well as the organizations which accredit them are coming under increased scrutiny logically student learning outcomes assessment and accreditation are all constantly under the magnifying glass information literacy as a student learning outcome the perspective of institutional accreditation fills a gap in the current literature by inspecting how institutions nationwide are fulfilling accreditation standards in the area of information literacy while the bulk of the book looks at institutions accredited by the middle states commission on higher education all six of the regional accreditation areas are addressed the author also conducted campus visits and interviews at selected institutions in order to provide a more in depth analysis of these institutions programs for information literacy

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