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A growing number of nonprofit organizations have been created by immigrants and refugees to serve their communities in North America. These immigrant- and refugee-led organizations (IRLOs) work to provide services and meet a variety of needs, while at the same time building the infrastructure of these communities. Through a grant from the W. K. Kellogg Foundation Innovation Fund, Fieldstone Alliance initiated the two-year project in January 2004. The goal of Nexus was to enhance the knowledge and skills of capacity builders across North America in working with immigrant- and refugee-led organizations. The Nexus Project had two main components: research on capacity building with IRLOs and formation of a peer learning community among those who build the capacity of these organizations. This report draws three broad lessons for the capacity building field, with implications for the funding community, IRLOs, and capacity builders: effective capacity building takes time, which requires resources; more immigrant and refugee capacity builders are needed; and capacity builders need continuous learning and development. The Introduction describes the formation of the Nexus Project, its goals, and its working definitions. Chapter 1 describes the factors that result in effective capacity building with immigrant- and refugee-led organizations. Chapter 2 presents case studies from each of the Nexus partners. Each case study illustrates a practice used by Nexus partners when working with IRLOs. Chapter 3 details lessons Nexus partners learned through the course of this project. It further states implications of these lessons for those who fund work with IRLOs, for IRLO leaders, and for capacity building providers. The Appendices include a summary of IRLO research conducted by Wilder Research Center specifically for Nexus; a bibliography; and descriptions of the organizations and individuals who contributed to this report.

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This report outlines seven broad factors that contribute to effective capacity building with immigrant- and refugee-led organizations, and presents a case study from each Nexus Project partner that illustrates a practice used when working with IRLOs.

Crossing Borders

My Name is Eddie Nilsson, and when I was 19 I packed up what little I had and moved 2000 miles to really start my life. I love my family but sometimes you have to take matters into your own hands and carve a path all your own. Now, years later I look back at the wild decision I made, the big dreams I followed, and all the sorts of people I've met. Although not a unique story it is one that I believe resonates with people because we all in our own way make absurd leaps to become ourselves. Using a mixture of life experiences from myself and friends this book is fiction but with heavy helpings of reality and a lot of relatable moments and fun times. Although I wrote the book as a passion project to prove to myself I could do it, I have had positive responses from those who have read it, however, because it was such a personal project I am reluctant to involve big publishing houses, that's why I bring it here, to perhaps connect my story with other that might need it on a more personal platform. The book will be printed in Sweden. The size of this book is A5 with a matt finish. I consider this book Young adult as it deals with themes of change, growing up, and family (both the ones you're born with and the ones you aren't). The story focuses on 'Oscar' a boy from a tiny village in Bosnia who bets his future on a risky application to a University in Sweden. After getting accepted he must wrestle the excitement of a new start with the fear of leaving his family and comfort zone. With the promise to stay in touch and a suitcase full of hope, he has to move to another country, make new friends, study hard, learn a language ... oh and he doesn't even know where he will be living when he arrives. Along his way, friends new and old help in any way they can, and a cast of colourful characters promise they aren't getting in the way deliberately. Characters Oscar is well-mannered if not a little stubborn, his family is full of love and laughs despite being poor. He dreams of becoming a doctor and has studied hard all his life in order to make this a reality. Oscar loves helping people but can he sit still long enough to allow others to help HIM. Selma is the girl next door. They've grown up together and live on the same streets but they might as well be from different worlds. Her family are rich and it's not just their big house that keeps them distant. Maybe money can solve some problems but when money is the problem, will Selma see the solution might be closer than she realises. Erik, the roommate likes to make jokes, sometimes at Oscars expense but underneath it all he realises that if they are going to live together they might as well get along, and even helps him acclimate to his new surroundings. Nora is the letting agent and she ... well she is hard to summarise you'll have to see her antics for yourself.

Soul Truth: A memoir about a journey across borders and within

Perhaps the greatest journey we'll ever have is the journey to meet ourselves. At the age of twenty-eight, Bianca had a flourishing career with one of Australia's largest supermarket chains. She had climbed the corporate ladder and was well on her way to achieving the "Great Australian Dream". But one autumn day, as she sat in her office staring at the grey, confining walls of expectations, deadlines and detachment, she had one of the most profound epiphanies of her life. She realised that her lifestyle and core values were fundamentally misaligned. In this unmasked memoir, Bianca Caruana – the woman behind the renowned travel blog, The Altruistic Traveller – shares the events that unfolded after her courageous decision to steer away from her charted course and lead a life guided by her heart. Bianca's romantic, adventurous tale spans Australia, Southeast Asia, and South Asia. It is a story of love, loss, community, and connection, infused with sage wisdom about the journey to meet our untethered selves for the first time.

The Fieldstone Alliance Nonprofit Guide to Crafting Effective Mission and Vision Statements

Bring focus and direction to your work Too often, if you ask four people in a nonprofit what their organization's mission is, you'll get four different answers. Organizations without clearly defined and agreed-to mission and vision statements frequently find themselves adrift at sea, in real financial trouble, and unable to make an ongoing, positive impact on the community. But an effective mission and vision statement can help an organization unify services and create a consistent approach to new program development. Crafting Effective Mission and Vision Statements will help your organization develop (or revise) mission and vision statements that bring focus and direction to your work. With orderly, easy-to-follow steps, this engaging guide helps you: Build ownership for the mission and vision statements among board and staff Create a common understanding of your organization's goals Understand how mission and vision statements differ and how to use both for greatest benefit Develop a mission statement that captures exactly what your organization does Create a vision statement based on stakeholders' ideas and the organization's history, capacity for growth, and fundraising potential Use

this guide to create mission and vision statements that help your organization stay focused and keep it moving toward a positive future.

Egyptian Monuments

Discover the Majestic Legacy of Egypt: Unearth the Secrets of the Sphinx, the Epic Story of Abu Simbel Temples, the Untold Legacy of the Temple of Hatshepsut, and the Mysteries of Philae Temple Embark on a captivating journey through the sands of time with our "Egyptian Monuments" book bundle, an enthralling collection that unveils the secrets, mysteries, and profound significance of Egypt's most iconic landmarks. Dive into the mysteries of the Sphinx, stand in awe of the Abu Simbel Temples, uncover the untold legacy of the Temple of Hatshepsut, and explore the ethereal beauty of Philae Temple. What's Included in the Bundle: Book 1 - Secrets of the Sphinx: Unveiling the Enigma of Giza Unravel the enigma shrouding the Sphinx of Giza as you journey through its symbolism, purpose, and the mysteries that have puzzled historians for centuries. Explore its role as an enigmatic sentinel that has withstood the sands of time and ignited the imaginations of explorers and scholars alike. Book 2 - Guardians of Eternity: The Epic Story of Abu Simbel Temples Venture into the sun-soaked lands of Nubia and witness the colossal Abu Simbel Temples, testaments to pharaonic grandeur and astronomical precision. Immerse yourself in the awe-inspiring story of Ramses II, whose vision carved monumental legacy into the very cliffs of the land. Book 3 - Rising Queen: The Untold Legacy of the Temple of Hatshepsut Discover the remarkable journey of Hatshepsut, the pharaoh queen who defied convention and left an indelible mark on history. Traverse through the intricate halls of her temple and witness the harmonious blend of architectural ambition and artistic brilliance that defined her reign. Book 4 - Echoes of Divinity: Uncovering the Mysteries of Philae Temple Set sail to the serene island of Philae and explore its role as a sanctuary of spirituality and devotion. Uncover the mysteries that surround this ethereal temple, from its mythic origins to its enduring influence on culture and faith. Why Choose the "Egyptian Monuments" Book Bundle: Immerse Yourself in History: Dive deep into the stories, legends, and enigmas that have captivated historians, explorers, and curious minds for centuries. Unveil Ancient Mysteries: Unlock the secrets behind each monumental landmark, from the Sphinx's silent watch to the ethereal echoes of Philae Temple. Embark on a Visual Journey: Immerse yourself in vivid descriptions and captivating imagery that transport you to the heart of these awe-inspiring sites. €xperience Four Eras: Traverse through ancient Egypt's shifting sands, exploring the reigns of pharaohs, queens, and the echoes of devoted worshippers. Perfect for Enthusiasts and Curious Minds: Whether you're an Egyptology enthusiast or simply eager to uncover the marvels of the past, this bundle offers a fascinating exploration. Limited-Time Offer: Experience the allure of Egypt's most iconic monuments with our "Egyptian Monuments" book bundle, an immersive collection that takes you on an unforgettable journey through history, culture, and the enduring legacy of ancient Egypt. Indulge your curiosity and spark your sense of adventure today! Get Your Bundle Now!

Embracing Cultural Competency

Start the Conversation No "how-to" manual exists on cultural competency. And, compared to other topics in nonprofit management, little exists on the skills and strategies needed to address racism and inequity. Building cultural competency is an ongoing journey that nonprofit leaders choose to take because they know the end result will be a more inclusive, connected, and effective organization. Patricia St. Onge and her contributing authors help readers grapple with the urgent issues that can transform capacity builders into change agents in the nonprofit sector. Embracing Cultural Competency starts the dialogue on how organizations can start building capacity. Nonprofit capacity builders will • discover a framework to help discuss issues related to cultural competency • learn about methods, practices, and values that define cultural competency and culturally based work in nonprofit capacity building • understand the complexities within ethnic communities • gain insights into the nature of institutionalized racism Through a range of methods—literature review, personal interviews, peer dialogue, insights of contributing authors—readers get a mosaic of perspectives that surround cultural competency. Plus, the book presents the insights of authors who represent five major ethnic communities in the United States: Asian-Pacific Islander, American Indian, African American, White, and Latino.

Beyond Borders

A celebration of the theology of Virgilio Elizondo that brings together his significant essays, previously unpublished in book form, along with critical reflections by a range of scholars. Beyond Borders is an indispensable treatment of the breadth of Virgilio Elizondo's theological and pastoral vision.

Contributors include Thomas H. Groome, Orlando O. Espin, Jeeanette Rodriguez, Roberto S. Goizueta, Justo L. Gonzalez, John A. Coleman, Alejando Garcia-Rivera, Rosino Gibellini, Gloria Ines Loya, Anita de Luna, R. Stephen Warner, Carlos Mendoza, and Jacques Audinet.

The Collaborative Economy in Action: European Perspectives

The book titled The Collaborative Economy in Action: European Perspectives is one of the important outcomes of the COST Action CA16121, From Sharing to Caring: Examining the Socio-Technical Aspects of the Collaborative Economy (short name: Sharing and Caring; sharingandcaring.eu) that was active between March 2017 and September 2021. The Action was funded by the European Cooperation in Science and Technology - COST (www.cost.eu/actions/CA16121). The main objective of the COST Action Sharing and Caring is the development of a European network of researchers and practitioners interested in investigating the collaborative economy models, platforms, and their socio-technological implications. The network involves scholars, practitioners, communities, and policymakers. The COST Action Sharing and Caring helped to connect research initiatives across Europe and enabled scientists to develop their ideas by collaborating with peers. This collaboration opportunity represented a boost for the participants' research, careers, and innovation potential. The main aim of this book is to provide a comprehensive overview of the collaborative economy (CE) in European countries with a variety of its aspects for a deeper understanding of the phenomenon as a whole. For this reason, in July 2017, an open call for country reports was distributed among the members of the COST Action Sharing and Caring. Representatives of the member countries were invited to produce short country reports covering: definition(s) of the CE; types and models of the CE; key stakeholders involved; as well as legislation and technological tools relevant for the CE. Submitted reports varied in length and regarding the level of detail included, in accordance with how much information was available in each respective country at the time of writing. Editors of the book have compiled these early reports into a summary report, which was intended as a first step in mapping the state of the CE in Europe. The Member Countries Report on the Collaborative Economy, edited by Gaia Mosconi, Agnieszka Lukasiewicz, and Gabriela Avram (2018) that was published on the Sharing and Caring website, represented its first synergetic outcome and provided an overview of the CE phenomenon as interpreted and manifested in each of the countries part of the network. Additionally, Sergio Nassare-Aznar, Kosjenka Duman i, and Giulia Priora compiled a Preliminary Legal Analysis of Country Reports on Cases of Collaborative Economy (2018). In 2018, after undertaking an analysis of the previous reports' strengths and weaknesses, the book editors issued a call for an updated version of these country reports. Prof. Ann Light advised the editorial team, proposing a new format for country reports and 4000 words limit. The template included: Introduction, Definition, Key Questions, Examples, Illustration, Context, Developments, Issues, Other Major Players, and Relevant Literature. The new template was approved by the Management Committee in October 2018. The task force that had supported the production of the first series of country reports (Dimitar Trajanov, Maria del Mar Alonso, Bálint Balázs, Kosjenka Duman i, and Gabriela Avram) acted as mentors for the team of authors in each country. The final reports arrived at the end of 2018, bringing the total number of submissions to 30 (twenty-nine European countries plus Georgia). A call for book editors was issued, and a new editorial team was formed by volunteers from the participants of the COST Action: Andrzej Klimczuk, Vida esnuityte, Cristina Miguel, Santa Mijalche, Gabriela Avram, Bori Simonovits, Bálint Balázs, Kostas Stefanidis, and Rafael Laurenti. The editorial team organized the double-blind reviews of reports and communicated to the authors the requirements for improving their texts. After reviews, the authors submitted updated versions of their country reports providing up-to-date interdisciplinary analysis on the state of the CE in 2019, when the reports were collected. During the final phase, the chapters were again reviewed by the lead editors together with all editorial team members. At the time, the intention was to update these reports again just before the end of the COST Action Sharing and Caring in 2021 and to produce a third edition. However, the COVID-19 pandemic changed these plans. Thus, this final volume was created by 82 scholars-editors and contributors-and consists of reports on 27 countries participating in the COST Action.

Border Crossings

'His marginalisation in dual cultures ascribed to him allows him a brilliant birds-eye view of both, which he employs in his bid to untangle the cultural mindsets he comes across' Muslim News 'Offers invaluable insights into how a modern cosmopolitan navigates the complex and delicate contours of faith, identity and belonging in an otherwise globally, interconnected world' Ekow Nelson, reimagining Whether negotiating the mind-games of the Israeli intelligence services or performing ablutions in a London

bathroom, Mohammad Chowdhury's life as a British Muslim travelling the world brings daily challenges. Border Crossings is the story of Chowdhury's journey, gripping in some parts and shame-inducing in others, as he describes a lifelong struggle to reconcile the British, Asian and Muslim sides of his identity, constantly dealing with the mistrust of Westerners alongside the hypocrisies of his own community and their misunderstanding of Islam. Chowdhury's story echoes the experience of thousands of Western Muslims who since 9/11 have been subjected to a constant barrage of questions that cast doubt over the very goodness of their faith. It is the story of a man who cries when England win the Ashes, yet still finds himself screaming in the face of racism and religious bigotry. This timely book powerfully rejects the poisonous narrative that Muslims can no longer be trusted as honest citizens of the West.

Valuing Your Collection

This book addresses the issue of valuing objects in cultural collections, ranging from high-value to low or no-value and featuring a range of collections including fine art, archives, science and photography. Practical advice is given on how to assign values and best practice examples are drawn from museums, libraries and archives. The subject of valuation has always been challenging for museums and public collections and is becoming more urgent as monetary values of many items continue to break records. There is an increase in lending, with more loans requiring a value for insurance. Cultural collections and exhibitions are expanding to all corners of the world, while, at the same time, lenders are becoming more risk-averse. Valuing Your Collection will address the issues and offer some solutions. Content covered includes: questions of valuing public and private cultural collectionsassigning values to individual objects or an entire collectionlegal and ethical considerations discussion of authentication and attribution the insurance business and valuation guides to valuing different types of collectionsa range of case studies showing valuation across multiple sectors ample templates with criteria for valuing different objects. This book will be useful for curators of cultural collections, professionals in museums, libraries and archives, cultural heritage students, private collectors, those involved with art insurance, art business and anyone requiring practical guidance on valuation.

Global Perspectives on Micro-Learning and Micro-Credentials in Higher Education

In the rapidly evolving landscape of higher education, where the acquisition of knowledge is a lifelong pursuit, educators and institutions are redefining the paradigms of learning through innovative approaches. Global Perspectives on Micro-Learning and Micro-Credentials in Higher Education delves into the intricate tapestry of contemporary education, where the convergence of advanced pedagogies and cutting-edge technologies is reshaping traditional boundaries. As the realms of chatbots, gamification, and hybrid learning intersect, a new era of holistic education emerges, seamlessly blending theoretical prowess with experiential wisdom. The book unfurls with meticulous exploration of pivotal themes, embracing the nuanced realms of instructional design, learning analytics, and library services tailored for the modern educational era. From the granular landscapes of microlearning to the macroscopic view of global teacher retention strategies, the book leaves no stone unturned. This book is a symphony of intellectual rigor, orchestrated to resonate with educators, administrators, researchers, and all stakeholders vested in the future of learning.

The Thrilling World of Birdwatching

Birdwatching is a celebration of diversity—of species, habitats, and the community of enthusiasts that spans the globe. Within these pages, you will encounter a rich tapestry of information, anecdotes, and insights, reflecting the vast array of birds and the passionate individuals who dedicate their time to observing and understanding them. Birdwatching knows no boundaries, and neither does this guide. Whether you're interested in the acrobatic displays of hummingbirds, the majestic flights of raptors, or the delicate charm of songbirds, there's a place for you in these chapters. As we celebrate the diversity of birds, we also celebrate the diversity of birdwatchers—from the casual observer to the dedicated conservationist, each playing a vital role in the collective story of birdwatching.

Travel Guide 2019 South East Asia

The author travelled all over South East Asia researching destinations for ZeNLP meditation. How to reach, where to stay and where to eat are described. Also this book is vefriendly. Destinations include Kratie and Ratnakiri in Cambodia, Chiang Mai and Phuket in Thailand and Penang and Pangkor in Malaysia.

The Gratitude Imprint

Set in contemporary Africa, "The Gratitude Imprint" unfolds the tale of a visionary individual, whose early life struggles and transformative experiences shape their desire to leave a lasting legacy in the world, akin to an eternal tattoo on the universe. This central character, drawing inspiration from the lives of great historical figures, recognizes the impermanence of material wealth and the enduring power of knowledge and ideas. The narrative weaves through the protagonist's journey as they influence a diverse range of individuals, including a gangster whose life takes a new turn due to their encounter. It's a story that highlights the profound impact one's words and actions can have, extending far beyond immediate effects and transforming lives in unforeseen ways. "The Gratitude Imprint" is as much a philosophical treatise as it is a story, exploring themes of interconnectedness within the universe. The protagonist's actions, from writing a book to expressing gratitude, ripple through the fabric of time, touching lives and altering futures. The story emphasizes that everyone holds the potential to make significant impacts, with the protagonist's journey serving as a testament to the unseen yet powerful forces of human kindness, generosity, and positive action. The novel also delves into the nature of legacy, the transformative power of ideas, and the interconnectedness of all life. As the protagonist's influence grows, they remain largely unknown, a subtle yet powerful force for change. Their story is one of selfless giving and understanding the profound impact of gratitude in all its forms – a message that resonates deeply in a world seeking meaning and connection. "The Gratitude Imprint" is not just about the change one individual can bring but also about how every act of kindness and every word of wisdom can become a part of a larger, universal tapestry of positive energy and transformation. It is a story that invites readers to reflect on their own lives and the imprints they leave on the universe.

Blood Ties: Beyond Race

Human diversity is a rich tapestry that goes far beyond the superficial distinctions of race. Our shared humanity transcends the boundaries that society has imposed on us. By reducing individuals to mere categories based on external factors, we overlook the intricate web of connections that binds us all together. When we acknowledge the profound interconnectedness of humanity, we begin to appreciate the beauty of our shared heritage. Our blood carries within it the stories of countless generations, weaving a common thread that binds us all together. Through this shared ancestry, we find a sense of unity that transcends the artificial barriers of race and ethnicity. Blood, the life force that pulses through our veins, serves as a powerful symbol of our shared humanity. It is a tangible reminder that beneath the surface, we are all connected by a common bond that transcends societal divisions. Regardless of our differences in wealth, power, or social status, our blood flows with the same life-giving vitality, indifferent to the external labels that seek to define us. In its purest form, blood knows no prejudice or bias. It does not discriminate based on race, gender, or background. It simply fulfills its essential purpose of nourishing and sustaining every individual with equal strength and determination. This unifying force of nature underscores the fundamental equality that exists among all human beings, reminding us that we are more alike than we are different. The universal nature of blood serves as a powerful metaphor for the interconnectedness of humanity. Just as our blood circulates throughout our bodies, carrying oxygen and nutrients to every cell, so too does our shared humanity bind us together in a web of mutual dependence and support. In times of crisis or need, it is this shared life force that unites us, inspiring acts of compassion, solidarity, and kindness that transcend the artificial barriers that divide us. By recognising the unifying power of our blood type, we can strive to build a more inclusive and compassionate world. We can embrace our shared humanity and work together to create a more just and equitable society, where the life-giving force that flows through our veins serves as a reminder of our inherent interconnectedness and shared responsibility to one another. Our blood is a powerful emblem of harmony, that goes beyond its mere medical significance. It signifies a shared bond that unites us all, regardless of race or ethnicity. Fundamentally, it is our shared blood that paves the way for a future where connections run deeper than the constraints of race. Our blood holds the key to our future—a future, where blood ties extend far beyond the realm of our respective race, and where the fallacies of racial disparities are finally laid to rest.

My Good Man

A literary tour-de-force sure to turn the coming-of-age genre on its head from Printz honor author, Eric Gansworth Brian, a 20-something reporter on the Niagara Cascade's City Desk, is navigating life as the only Indigenous writer in the newsroom, being lumped into reporting on stereotypical stories that homogenize his community, the nearby Tuscarora reservation. But when a mysterious roadside

assault lands Tim, the brother of Brian's mother's late boyfriend in the hospital, Brian must pick up the threads of a life that he's abandoned. The narrative takes us through Brian's childhood and slice of life stories on the reservation, in Gansworth's signature blend of crystal sharp, heartfelt literary realist prose. But perhaps more importantly, it takes us through Brian's attempt to balance himself between Haudenosaunee and American life, between the version of his story that would prize the individual over all else and the version of himself that depends on the entire community's survival.

Ashes of Wars

It is 1890 when three young women head toward a meadow hidden in the woods outside the village of Shipkovtsi, Bulgaria. As Trina, Vella, and Dobrinka meet in front of an old monastery, a family treasure held secret for generations is revealed. In the end, there are three piles of gold--one in front of each sister--but one pile is bigger than the others. An inheritance has been unfairly divided, leaving two sisters feeling cheated. In ASHES of WARS, Radka Yakimov narrates the story of the descendents of two of those Bulgarian sisters. Reconstructed historically on the basis of recorded facts, stories handed down from generation to generation, and her own personal recollections, Yakimov chronicles the main events that impacted the lives of four generations of Bulgarians throughout the twentieth century. As she relays a saga about the twenty-three men, women, and children who escaped in search of a safer place, Yakimov takes her readers beyond the confines of Bulgaria into Yugoslavia, to a refugee camp in Trieste, and finally to new lives in Canada and America. ASHES of WARS profiles the courage, grit, and determination of the people of a beautiful Balkan country torn by wars and oppression, but sustained by hopes for a brighter future.

Discovering Andorra

Embark on a journey to the heart of the Pyrenees with "Discovering Andorra," your ultimate companion for an enriching and immersive travel experience. This comprehensive travel guide is crafted for the discerning traveler seeking not just destinations but the essence of a principality that captivates with its unique blend of natural beauty, rich culture, and warm hospitality. Unveiling Andorra's Allure: Dive into the enchanting world of Andorra, a hidden gem nestled between Spain and France, where rugged mountains and serene valleys paint a landscape that transcends the ordinary. This guide opens the door to the principality's diverse offerings—from the bustling urban hubs of Andorra la Vella to the tranquil charm of picturesque villages like Ordino and Canillo. Chapters of Exploration: Explore Andorra's diverse chapters, each meticulously covered in this guide. Whether you're an adventure seeker, a history enthusiast, a gastronomic connoisseur, or someone seeking relaxation and wellness, "Discovering Andorra" unfolds the tales of outdoor adventures, cultural treasures, delectable gastronomy, and rejuvenating wellness experiences that await your discovery. Insider Insights: Unlock the secrets of Andorra with insider insights that go beyond the conventional tourist trails. Delve into the principality's rich history, cultural nuances, and hidden gems as you navigate its charming towns, historic sites, and scenic landscapes. The guide provides not just practical information but a tapestry of stories and anecdotes, offering a deeper understanding of Andorra's soul. Day Trips and Beyond Borders: Venture beyond Andorra's borders with captivating day trips to neighboring realms—Catalonia, France, and Spain. From medieval towns and historic castles to coastal paradises, each day trip becomes a new chapter in your Pyrenean exploration, seamlessly woven into the broader narrative of your Andorran odyssey. Practical Wisdom for the Traveler: Equip yourself with practical wisdom tailored for the adult traveler. From navigating the diverse Pyrenean seasons to understanding local customs, language lingo, and transportation tactics, this guide ensures that every moment in Andorra is not just memorable but also hassle-free. Long-Term Success: For those considering a prolonged stay, "Discovering Andorra" provides a checklist for long-term success, offering guidance on language learning, local connections, sustainable living, and more. Whether you're staying for a week or a year, this guide ensures that your time in Andorra is marked by fulfillment and success. Your Andorran Odyssey Awaits: "Discovering Andorra" invites you to go beyond the surface and immerse yourself in the essence of the Pyrenees. With detailed maps, captivating narratives, and practical tips, this travel guide is more than a companion—it's a key to unlocking the secrets of Andorra, ensuring that every chapter of your journey is a testament to the beauty, culture, and adventure that define this captivating principality. Embark on your Andorran odyssey today with "Discovering Andorra," and let the Pyrenees whisper their tales of enchantment as you navigate the landscapes, traditions, and hidden treasures that await your discovery.

Virgin Crossing Borders

The Turkish-language release of Hanne Blank's Virgin: The Untouched History is a politically engaged translation aimed at disrupting Turkey's heteropatriarchal virginity codes. In Virgin Crossing Borders, Emek Ergun maps how she crafted her rendering of the text and draws on her experience and the book's impact to investigate the interventionist power of feminist translation. Ergun's comparative framework reveals translation's potential to facilitate cross-border flows of feminist theories, empower feminist interventions, connect feminist activists across differences and divides, and forge transnational feminist solidarities. As she considers hopeful and woeful pictures of border crossings, Ergun invites readers to revise their views of translation's role in transnational feminism and examine their own potential as ethically and politically responsible agents willing to search for new meanings. Sophisticated and compelling, Virgin Crossing Borders reveals translation's vital role in exchanges of feminist theories, stories, and knowledge.

Sustainagility

Sustainagility is about the ability to solve some of the world's most complex sustainability challenges with rapidly evolving business innovations, applications, methods, products and processes, adapted to changing situations. The book looks at how innovation and agility can save the world from the environmental disasters that face it. In addition, it sets forth positive ways in which businesses and individuals can deal with the issues and positively benefit from them. Sustainagility includes text boxes containing shocking statistics about the destruction of our planet, short inspiring examples of how innovation has created new profitable business and helped the world, and personal messages from global leaders about sustainable innovation. Case studies of numerous well-known, high-profile companies are featured - demonstrating companies that have successfully used innovative and agile ideas and processes to improve their businesses and fight some of the greatest threats to the world's ecosystems. Subjects covered include: Power; future cities; transport; manufacturing; water and wood; health and food; venture capital; carbon offsetting and banks; business agility and open innovation; 10 steps to profitable sustainability.

German Division as Shared Experience

Despite the nearly three decades since German reunification, there remains little understanding of the ways in which experiences overlapped across East-West divides. German Division as Shared Experience considers everyday life across the two Germanies, using perspectives from history, literary and cultural studies, anthropology and art history to explore how interconnections as well as fractures between East and West Germany after 1945 were experienced, lived and felt. Through its novel approach to historical method, the volume points to new understandings of the place of narrative, form and lived sensibility in shaping Germans' simultaneously shared and separate experiences of belonging during forty years of division from 1945 to 1990.

Crossing the Border

Problems with key M4 transport route continue to risk damage to Welsh economy. The route has suffered from under-investment and congestion for too long. The UK and Welsh Governments must work together to find attainable, funded solutions to these problems. The Committee also says the high toll on the Severn Crossing is still hampering the development of businesses in Wales and deterring inward investment to Wales and the UK Government should bring forward proposals for reducing it. The Committee also welcomes the new investment in cross-border rail links into Wales but the exclusion of South Wales from the HS2 proposals means businesses and people may relocate eastwards across the border. The development of a high speed rail link from Wales to England would be an important boost to the Welsh economy and help to achieve the aim of successive Governments of rebalancing the UK economy. There are good examples of joint working between the two governments to secure improvements to strategic cross-border routes, and especially welcome is the almost £2 billion of rail investment on the electrification of the Great Western Main Line and a proposed new rail link to Heathrow Airport. But the Committee says it is unclear why the Welsh Government should be entitled to a "Barnett" consequential payment in respect of the Crossrail project but not HS2. It also notes that rail connectivity between North and Mid Wales and England has been overlooked for too long and calls for more frequent rail connections from Mid Wales to England.

Using a thematic approach, this innovative textbook explores the history of the world, from its earliest prehistory to the present age of globalization.

Chasing Signals: A Journey into Shortwave Radio DXing

Are you ready to embark on an exhilarating journey that will transport you into the captivating world of shortwave radio DXing? Look no further than "Chasing Signals: A Journey into Shortwave Radio DXing." This comprehensive guide is your passport to exploring the far reaches of the electromagnetic spectrum and connecting with voices and cultures from around the globe. Shortwave radio DXing is a time-honoured hobby that has captured the imaginations of radio enthusiasts for decades. It is a quest for distant signals, an exploration of the airwaves, and a thrilling pursuit of unravelling the mysteries that traverse the invisible realm of radio waves. In "Chasing Signals," we invite you to join us on this captivating journey. Written by a team of experienced DXers and radio enthusiasts, this book is a treasure trove of knowledge, techniques, and inspiration. Whether you are a beginner eager to dip your toes into the world of DXing or a seasoned DXer looking to enhance your skills, "Chasing Signals" is your ultimate guidebook. From the very first chapter, you will dive into the essentials of setting up your DXing station. Discover the best antennas, receivers, and accessories to optimize your listening experience. Learn how to fine-tune your equipment for maximum performance and overcome common challenges faced by DXers. As you venture further, you will gain a deep understanding of propagation and how radio signals travel. Unravel the influence of weather conditions, sunspots, and atmospheric phenomena on DXing conditions. Armed with this knowledge, you will be able to anticipate optimal listening times and unlock the secrets of long-distance reception. "Tuning In" takes you on a journey of mastering the art of dialling in the bands. Explore techniques to fine-tune your receiver, adjust filters, and optimize your antenna for precise tuning. With these skills, you will be able to capture even the faintest signals and bring distant stations to life. But what about DXing on a budget? Fear not! In "DXing on a Budget," you will discover insider tips and tricks for acquiring affordable yet reliable DXing equipment. From DIY antenna projects to budget-friendly receivers, you will find creative solutions that won't break the bank. The world of international broadcasters awaits you in "The World at Your Fingertips." Immerse yourself in the rich tapestry of cultural programs, news broadcasts, and exotic music from around the world. Learn how to identify and decipher foreign stations, and embrace the joy of encountering rare and elusive content. "Hunting Rare Signals" takes you on a thrilling adventure into the pursuit of tracking down elusive stations and uncovering exotic content. From decoding utility stations and numbers stations to uncovering rare broadcasts, this chapter will ignite your passion for the chase and leave you hungry for more DXing adventures. As the sun sets and darkness descends, "The Night-time DXer" emerges. Discover the secrets of maximizing long-distance reception after dark, when the ionosphere comes alive with distant signals. Equip yourself with techniques to conquer the challenges of night-time DXing and unlock the magic of nocturnal propagation. Throughout the book, you will gain insights into the impact of weather and sunspots on DXing conditions, understand the importance of DXing etiquette and good listener practices, learn how to record and log your DXing expeditions, and explore the vibrant world of DXing contests and clubs. "Chasing Signals: A Journey into Shortwave Radio DXing" is your guide to embracing the call of the airwaves. It is a gateway to a world of discovery, connection, and lifelong fascination. Whether you seek distant voices, cultural immersion, or the sheer joy of exploring the unseen, this book will be your trusted companion on this thrilling DXing adventure. So, dust off your receiver, adjust your antenna, and get ready to chase signals like never before. Your journey into the captivating world of shortwave radio DXing starts here. Order your copy of "Chasing Signals: A Journey into Shortwave Radio DXing" today and embark on an unforgettable expedition into the fascinating realm of radio waves.

Food Across Borders

The act of eating defines and redefines borders. What constitutes "American" in our cuisine has always depended on a liberal crossing of borders, from "the line in the sand" that separates Mexico and the United States, to the grassland boundary with Canada, to the imagined divide in our collective minds between "our" food and "their" food. Immigrant workers have introduced new cuisines and ways of cooking that force the nation to question the boundaries between "us" and "them." The stories told in Food Across Borders highlight the contiguity between the intimate decisions we make as individuals concerning what we eat and the social and geopolitical processes we enact to secure nourishment, territory, and belonging. Published in cooperation with the William P. Clements Center for Southwest Studies, Southern Methodist University..

Education for Refugees and Forced (Im)Migrants Across Time and Context

Education for Refugees and Forced (Im)Migrants Across Time and Context follows the journey of refugee and forced (im)migrant youths as their educational needs and opportunities vary according to resettlement communities' immigration policies, dominant culture and language, geography, and other key factors.

China's New Journey to the West

Women at the Border analyzes border policing practices currently informed by paradigms of securitization against unauthorized mobility and explores the potential for a paradigm shift to a more ethical regulation of borders. By focusing on the ways women have sought to cross borders in 'extra'-legal fashion, the book shows how border enforcement differentially impacts on some populations and makes the case that unauthorized migration requires management rather than repulsion and criminalization. When facing the emerging and future challenges of unauthorized mobility, border policing must be recast as a function of human rights that results in greater human security at the border. Examining gender and border policing across Europe, North America and Australia, this book enhances our understanding of the gendered determinants of 'extra'-legal border crossing, border policing and the changing dynamics of unauthorized mobility.

The Emory-Tibet Science Initiative, a Novel Journey in Cross-Cultural Science Education

Life presents us with challenges as well as opportunities. It confronts us with obstacles as we journey on, but it also offers us various pathways and routes that we can take. Comparing our life-journey to the travels we make in life, this book is an invitation to readers to face up to those challenges and to meet them through a series of reflections called "comma-moments": the chance to "stop momentarily and mull things over," or to "create space in time" as they go about the business of living from day to day. Like commas in a sentence, which help us to read and interpret its meaning properly, a life punctuated with short reflective breaks enables us to draw out its meaning and significance. Drawing on his vast educational background and diverse global travels, the author shares with readers some "thoughts for food" while on our life-journeys. These reflections, as well as anecdotes and stories, also avail themselves of the real-life experiences of others and the wisdom of many contemporary voices and historical figures throughout the world, especially those who have been concerned with the kind of reflection that will help as we move on in life. In particular, it discusses a conceptual life-map to aid us navigate our way in life and to step up to its challenges.

Women, Borders, and Violence

Kingdom beyond Borders is a collection of true stories, told by refugees—unwanted people living in extraordinarily difficult circumstances. Helping Hands Ministry in Athens, Greece, shines as a bright beacon on the long and treacherous refugee highway. There, the heroes of this book—like thousands of others—found help, acceptance, and friendship; but above all, they found the key that unlocked the secret to the Kingdom. These are their stories. A must read for anyone whose faith ever needs encouragement or wonders if true, holistic Christianity exists anywhere in the world. Craig L. Blomberg Distinguished Professor of New Testament Denver Seminary, Littleton, Colorado, USA It is my hope and prayer as you read these daily devotionals that your concern for modern day aliens—refugees—will go deeper and wider, reflecting God's heart of grace and love. Dr. Geoff Tunnicliffe CEO/Secretary General World Evangelical Alliance

Life Is a Journey, Not a Race

This autoethnography highlights the experiences of school leaders, teachers, university staff and students, and globally minded citizens working alongside local communities to enhance the quality of education for children in rural and remote schools in eight developing countries.

Kingdom Beyond Borders

East Africa not only offers the world's most exotic wildlife, but some of the most spectacular national parks and trekking routes as well. Covers preparing for a trek, what equipment to bring, what to rent and how to arrange for a guide, and more. Includes trekking routes for East African mountains. color.

Share Engage Educate

What does it mean to cross half a continent without documents or rights? The self-told story of African migration.

Trekking in East Africa

An illustrated travelogue that brilliantly captures artist and illustrator Emma Fick's epic train journey on the Trans-Siberian Railway—from Beijing through Mongolia to Moscow—including more than 200 watercolor illustrations and handwritten text that includes cultural and historical information as well as invaluable travel tips. In May 2015, on a trip through the Baltics and Scandinavia, artist and illustrator Emma Fick and her boyfriend (now husband) Helvio discovered a worn copy of the Trans-Siberian Handbook at a secondhand shop in Helsinki. Many travelers from around the globe had used the guide to journey on the longest train ride in the world. Emma and Helvio took their find as a sign to embark on their own adventure on the legendary railway that has captured the imaginations and curiosities of many travelers and explorers since its construction a century ago. A year and a half later, with Trans-Siberian Handbook in hand, they boarded the train in Beijing. Their odyssey was just beginning. Border Crossings is the chronicle of their unforgettable 26-day, 8-city journey across Asia to Moscow. Emma offers a concise history of the railway and in vivid, visual language, takes you across a vast landscape of rural villages and bustling urban centers, through open food markets brimming with delicacies and a snowy mountain wilderness dotted with clusters of gers—nomadic homes. Emma's detailed observations and lush descriptions, accompanied by detailed colorful illustrations, bring this remarkable journey of discovery and adventure—the landscapes, food, people and cultures—to life. Experience drinking salty milk tea, eating shoe sole cake (fried cakes shaped like shoe soles piled high and topped with milk curds and hard candies), and riding camels in Mongolia. In Russia, wander through a snow-draped countryside filled with stands of birch trees, explore the wonders of freshwater Lake Baikal—the source of omul, a ubiquitous and beloved fish delicacy—go ice fishing, and take a self-guided tour of Moscow. With its hand-drawn maps, its wealth of illustrations of every aspect of the experience—from sleeping quarters on a train to the highlights of a monastery or the details of a memorable meal, Border Crossings is an invitation to experience new destinations and cultures first-hand—to travel the Trans-Siberian Railway as never before, whether you're a nomad looking for a new vacation destination, an armchair traveler, or just culturally curious.

Long Journeys. African Migrants on the Road

"Dina Wardi, an Israeli Jewish psychologist noted for her work with Holocaust survivors and their children, has written an account of her experiences leading a multinational group of Catholic nuns and priests during a conference on anti-Semitism, persecutions, and the Holocaust, which included visits to the Auschwitz concentration camp in Poland. The result is a dynamic portrayal of a trip to this most sacred place that has profoundly affected the lives and mission of all involved." "Auschwitz is an important study of the Jewish-Christian dialogue regarding Christian Holocaust guilt, anti-Semitism in the Catholic Church, and ecumenism."--BOOK JACKET. Title Summary field provided by Blackwell North America, Inc. All Rights Reserved

Border Crossings

Are you ready to embark on an extraordinary lunar journey? Dive into the captivating world of lunar exploration with "Chandrayaan-3: Unveiling Lunar Mysteries." This meticulously crafted ebook is not just a collection of words; it's an invitation to discover the wonders of the moon like never before. Pain Thrice Unveiled: Have you ever gazed at the moon and felt an insatiable yearning to understand its enigmatic secrets? Have you felt the pain of unanswered questions about the moon's history, composition, and mysteries? If so, you're not alone. The moon, our closest celestial companion, has kept its secrets hidden for eons, leaving us agitated with the desire to unveil its truths. Agitation Transformed: Prepare to experience a transformation. "Chandrayaan-3: Unveiling Lunar Mysteries" is your key to soothing the agitation caused by unanswered lunar curiosities. This ebook takes you on an exhilarating expedition through the moon's past, present, and future. With meticulously researched insights, you'll gain an in-depth understanding of lunar geology, the moon's role in human culture, and the untold stories of past lunar missions. The Solution You've Been Waiting For: Imagine the satisfaction of finally having the answers you've sought for so long. This ebook is the solution you need to quench your thirst for lunar knowledge. It's more than just a collection of facts – it's a comprehensive guide that deciphers lunar mysteries with clarity and precision. From the moon's mesmerizing phases to the geological formations that make it unique, this ebook leaves no lunar stone unturned. Benefits of "Chandrayaan-3: Unveiling Lunar Mysteries": In-Depth Insight: Gain a profound understanding of lunar science, history, and exploration. Clarity: Clear explanations and visuals ensure complex concepts are easy to grasp. Expert Guidance: Benefit from the expertise of leading lunar scientists and researchers. Engaging Exploration: Immerse yourself in captivating narratives that bring the moon's stories to life. Satisfaction: Finally find the answers you've been seeking and satisfy your lunar curiosity. What You Will Gain: By immersing yourself in the pages of "Chandrayaan-3: Unveiling Lunar Mysteries," you will gain a newfound appreciation for the moon's role in human history, a deeper understanding of lunar science, and the ability to impress your friends and colleagues with fascinating lunar trivia. This ebook empowers you with knowledge that extends beyond the lunar surface, enriching your life in ways you never imagined. Call to Action: Don't let your lunar curiosity go unanswered any longer. Click the "Buy Now" button and embark on an exploration that will transform your understanding of the moon. Join the ranks of lunar enthusiasts, amateur astronomers, and curious minds who have already embarked on this enlightening journey. Unveil the lunar mysteries today and satisfy your yearning for celestial knowledge!

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