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Pilgrimage, Landscape, and Identity: Reconstructing Sacred Geographies in Norway explores the ritual geography of a pilgrimage system that arose around medieval saints in Norway, a country now being transformed by petroleum riches, neoliberalism, migration and global warming. What it means to be Norwegian and Christian in this changing context is constantly being renegotiated. The contemporary revival of pilgrimage to the burial site of St. Olav at Nidaros Cathedral in Trondheim is one site where this negotiation takes place. St. Olav played a major role in the unification of regions of Norway into a nation united by Christian law and faith, though most contemporary pilgrims have only a passing interest in the historical background of the pilgrimage. The pilgrimage network comprises a wide variety of participants: individuals, casual groups, guided group pilgrimages, activist pilgrims raising awareness for causes such as climate change and hospice services, as well as increasing numbers of local and foreign pilgrims of various ages, government officials, pilgrimage activists, and pilgrimage priests supplied by the Church of Norway (Lutheran). Part of the study focuses on the Olavsfest, a cultural and music festival that engages the heritage of St. Olav and the Church of Norway through theater, music, lectures, and discussions, and theological and interreligious conversations. This festival offers an opportunity for creative and critical engagement with a difficult historical figure and his contested, violent heritage and constitutes one of the ways in which this pilgrimage network represents a critical Protestant tradition engaging a legacy through ritual creativity. This study maps how pilgrims, hosts, church officials, and government officials participate in reshaping narratives of landscape, sacrality, and pilgrimage as a symbol of life journey, nation, identity, Christianity, and Protestant reflections on the durability of medieval Catholic saints.

Taking a cross-cultural perspective, this book explores how privatization and globalization impact contemporary feminist and social justice approaches to public responsibility. Feminist legal theorists have long problematized divisions between the private and the political, an issue with growing importance in a time when the welfare state is under threat in many parts of the world and private markets and corporations transcend national boundaries. Because vulnerability analysis emphasizes our interdependency within social institutions and the need for public responsibility for our shared vulnerability, it can highlight how neoliberal policies commodify human necessities, channeling unprofitable social relationships, such as caretaking, away from public responsibility and into the individual private family. This book uses comparative analyses to examine how these dynamics manifest across different legal cultures. By highlighting similarities and differences in legal responses to vulnerability, this book provides important insights and arguments against the privatization of social need and for a more responsive state.

INVASIVE ALIEN SPECIES *Invasive Alien Species: Observations and Issues from Around the World Volume 1: Issues and Invasions in Africa* Invasive alien species are spreading into new ecosystems each year. The impacts caused by these invaders can be swift and devastating. The topic of invasive alien species is large, complex, and globally significant at various scales, exacerbated by the globalization of world economies and increased trade and commerce that has overcome natural barriers to

species movement. Invasive alien species threaten global food supplies, water quality and availability, and energy production and delivery. With the added risks associated with global climate change, the global homogenization of plants, animals, and microbes is a major factor in the decline in ecosystem health and ecosystem services worldwide. To counter this trend, there is a critical need to unify governments, cultures, and programs to improve cross-boundary coordination to effectively address the wide range of invasive alien species threats to the environment, economies, and to plant and animal health; particularly human health. This 4-volume work is the first to compile a set of useful material for key topics, to provide a better understanding of the overall global threat of invasive alien species and the diverse array of problems faced around the world, and assemble material that includes potential replicable solutions to overcome these threats. The books also highlight the threat posed by invasive alien species in terms of a global 'call to action'. Since invasive species know no boundaries, it is our hope that by compiling material from different scientific and social perspectives around the world, and sharing knowledge and examples of a diverse array of associated topics, we can advance global awareness and improve unified national responses to the threat posed by invasive alien species. The Nordic agreement on admission to higher education aims to ensure that in all the Nordic countries applicants to higher education from another Nordic country should be considered for admission on the same or equivalent basis as local applicants. In 2014 the Nordic Institute of Studies in Innovation, Research and Education (NIFU) evaluated the agreement. In the report the evaluators give a description and a mapping of Nordic student mobility in a European context, as well an evaluation how appropriate and effective the agreement is. It is concluded that the agreement and Nordic cooperation is largely taken for granted and that the agreement has both a practical and symbolic value for Nordic cooperation. For the future development four possible scenarios and a set of general recommendations are given.

RESEARCH THESIS by Viswas Purohit PhD, Plasma Physics University of Pune, MAH, India "To study the ECR assisted Growth of III-V nitride (such as GaN) and nanostructures". • The aim of the work carried out was to design and develop a permanent magnet based Electron Cyclotron Resonance (ECR) plasma system as well as to study the plasma assisted material synthesis and modifications with the ECR plasma. Overall the aims were, a) Development of an ECR plasma system b) Carrying out plasma diagnostics using Langmuir double probe and Retarding field analyzer. c) Use of hollow cathode discharge for synthesizing metallic nanomaterials, which spawned two more projects in our department. d) Depositing GaN by MOCVD within an ECR plasma reactor.

This intermediate-level anthology offers a lively collection of writings for students learning Norwegian. Introductions to selected Norwegian authors, vocabulary lists, and maps promote discussions of Norwegian history, culture, geography and literature. This is the second in a series of five volumes on the lexicon of Proto Oceanic, the ancestor of the Oceanic branch of the Austronesian language family. Each volume deals with a particular domain of culture and/or environment and consists of a collection of essays each of which presents and comments on lexical reconstructions of a particular semantic field within that domain. Volume 2 examines how Proto Oceanic speakers described their geophysical environment. An introductory chapter discusses linguistic and archaeological evidence that

locates the Proto Oceanic language community in the Bismarck Archipelago in the late 2nd millennium BC. The next three chapters investigate terms used to denote inland, coastal, reef and open sea environments, and meteorological phenomena. A further chapter examines the lexicon for features of the heavens and navigational techniques associated with the stars. How Proto Oceanic speakers talked about their environment is also described in three further chapters which treat property terms for describing inanimate objects, locational and directional terms, and terms related to the expression of time.

The Graduate Management Admission Test (GMAT) is a computer adaptive test intended to assess certain analytical, writing, quantitative, verbal, and reading skills in written English for use in admission to a graduate management program, such as an MBA program. Wikipedia By referring to latest GMAT and GRE syllabus and CEFR, we cover 2500 vocabulary. Many students call it "LIFE SAVING" for their exam. Our 26 years' expertise are shared with you here! Grab it! Thanks for your support for us creating better contents for you!

1. 43 Years' Chapterwise and Topicwise Solved papers for JEE Main & Advanced 2. The book is divided into 33 Chapters 3. Ample Questions are given [2021-1979] for practice 4. JEE Advanced Solved Papers 2021 are provided to know the paper pattern Cracking one of the toughest examinations requires great deal of determination and efforts from the students that can only be achieve from the previous year's solved papers, that provide complete idea of types of questions asked and pattern of paper. Prepared under the observation of the subject expert, the updated edition of 43 years' Chapterwise Topicwise Solved Papers [2021 -1979] of Physics is a one stop solution for the preparation of IIT JEE Mains and Advanced. Giving complete coverage to the syllabus, this book has been categorized under 33 chapters that are supplemented with good number of questions of both JEE Mains and Advanced in Chapterwise and Topicwise manner. For further practice 'Previous Years' Solved Papers and Selected Questions of JEE advanced 2021' are given at the end of the book to help aspirants for the forthcoming exam. Table of Content General Physics, Kinematics, Laws of Motion, Work, Power and Energy, Centre of Mass, Rotation, Gravitation, Simple Harmonic Motion, Properties of Matter, Wave Motion, Heat and Thermodynamics, Optics, Current Electricity, Electrostatics, Magnetics, Electromagnetic Induction and Alternating Current, Modern Physics, JEE Advanced Solved Paper 2021. English has six levels within the CEFR are A1, A2, B1, B2, C1 and C2. CEFR (Common European Framework of Reference for Languages.) Beginner Level: A1 A2 Intermediate Level: B1 B2 Advance Level: C1 C2. With these levels, you can easily work out your ability and assess your progress. The vocabulary in the book is arranged in alphabetical order. Refer to Oxford Dictionary, Cambridge Dictionary and Google and other resources to give bilingual explanations in Chinese and English. If the word has multiple meanings, only select CEFR covered interpretation. If there are confusing vocabulary, I give bilingual example sentences in Chinese and English to help understanding. Beginner Level: A1 Vocabulary 780 Beginner Level: A2 Vocabulary 1540 Intermediate Level: B1 Vocabulary 2800 Intermediate Level: B2 Vocabulary 3800 Advance Level: C1 Vocabulary 2100 Advance Level: C2 Vocabulary 3000 Expert level: GRE Vocabulary 2500 The total vocabulary is about 16800.

A biography of the American Gilbert Imlay (c 1754 - c 1828), revolutionary war veteran - and infamous lover of Mary Wollstonecraft. It also highlights how Imlay unwittingly acted as an intermediary between figures of greater significance, whose ideas, ambitions and schemes he frequently borrowed and disseminated across the Atlantic and continents.

IIT JEE Main and Advanced test the conceptual knowledge of aspirants by asking real-life application based problems on Physics, Chemistry, and Mathematics. Keeping this in mind, we have been publishing our best-selling series of books exclusively on different topics of all three subjects to enable aspirants for advanced ability to tackle any type of questions asked from them. "Understanding Physics" is one of those

best-selling series written by renowned author, D.C. Pandey which carries five fully comprehensive textbooks presenting 36 essential chapters of Physics. The second book on Mechanics Volume 2 has been revised thoroughly to reinforce the foundation of Mechanics simply and coherently with 6 scoring chapters promoting in-depth discussions on each theory. The focused study material for concept building along with applications for solidifying the problem-solving skills given in this book are highly advantageous. It also provides the last 6 years' questions of JEE Main and Advanced to know the trend and patterns of questions. Enclosed with well-organized and premier set of study material to develop the substantial knowledge of Physics required for acing IIT JEE Main and Advanced, this book is the absolute best in terms of both quality and quantity.

This book constitutes the proceedings of the 11th International Conference on Computational Logistics, ICCL 2020, held in Enschede, The Netherlands, in September 2020. The 49 papers included in this book were carefully reviewed and selected from 73 submissions. They were organized in topical sections named: maritime and port logistics; vehicle routing and scheduling; freight distribution and city logistics; network design and scheduling; and selected topics in logistics. Due to the Corona pandemic ICCL 2020 was held as a virtual event.

An invaluable resource for linguists, learners and users of Lithuanian, this is the first dictionary of the language generally available in the West for a number of years. Special supplemental section includes a guide to Lithuanian pronunciation and grammar. Over 25,000 entries in each section make this a standard reference.

This book contributes to the international debate on Indigenous Peoples Law, containing both in-depth research of Scandinavian historical and legal contexts with respect to the Sami and demonstrating current stances in Sami Law research. In addition to chapters by well-known Scandinavian experts, the collection also comments on the legal situation in Norway, Sweden and Finland in relation to other jurisdictions and indigenous peoples, in particular with experiences and developments in Canada and New Zealand. The book displays the current research frontier among the Scandinavian countries, what the present-day issues are and how the nation states have responded so far to claims of Sami rights. The study sheds light on the contrasts between the three countries on the one hand, and between Scandinavia, Canada and New Zealand on the other, showing that although there are obvious differences, for instance related to colonisation and present legal solutions, there are also shared experiences among the indigenous peoples and the States. Filling a gap in an under-researched area of Sami rights, this book will be a valuable resource for academics, researchers and policy-makers with an interest in Indigenous Peoples Law and comparative research.

An alphabetical arrangement of the ships of the continental and United States Navies, with a historical sketch of each one.

In today's society, women - having entered the workplace in growing numbers worldwide - are increasingly expected to earn wages whilst still being primarily responsible for raising children. While all parents confront the tensions of this double burden, for lone mothers, the situation can be especially acute as there is no other adult to share responsibilities and no access to a male wage. The revealing essays in this volume address a range of the dilemmas lone mothers routinely face, whilst also distinguishing important situational differences, and considering other social perspectives. It asks: * How can governments help without undermining their ability to enter the workforce? * Should the state indefinitely support lone mothers? * How should we measure the success of a policy? * What roles do ethnicity, race, religion, class and sexual orientation play? The impressive range of contributors to this volume speak from numerous contrasting perspectives. Here they study a variety of international settings such as Sri Lanka, the US, Germany, England and Norway, and in so doing, they allow the reader to draw powerful conclusions by comparing such issues and potential resolutions in varying countries and contexts. This book was previously

published as a special issue of Feminist Economics.

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Norwegian: An Essential Grammar is a reference guide to the most important aspects of contemporary Norwegian as used by native speakers. The Grammar presents a fresh and accessible description of the language. Explanations are clear, free from jargon and often accompanied by exercises. The book gives a simple, step-by-step presentation of the grammatical systems of Norwegian and demonstrates and explains usages which have proved difficult for those learning the language in the past. It is clearly laid-out for easy reference making it accessible for those at a beginner/intermediate level. This is the ideal reference source for all learners, whether studying independently or in a class.

The Arctic has often been seen as a natural area, or even a “wilderness”, where mainly indigenous and subsistence activities have been prominent. Contrary to this, the present volume highlights the very long historical development of resource use systems in northern Europe, across multiple actors and multiple levels, and including varying population groups. The book takes a past-present-future perspective that illustrates the paths to institutional emergence, change or persistence over time. It also illustrates how institutions may themselves drive changes, through a focus on resource use cases in northern Europe. This volume demonstrates that understanding “northern” issues is less about understanding sets of geophysical, climatological or environmental conditions than about understanding social and institutional structures. Understanding these trajectories into the future is seen as a key way of understanding what responses to future change may be likely and what the institutions are that will shape, limit or enable our responses to climate change. This book will be of great use to scholars and graduates in the fields of Arctic and northern-region politics, and to researchers of resource use and climate change with a focus on vulnerability, social vulnerability, adaptation and mitigation.

From the squares of Spain to indigenous land in Canada, protest camps are a tactic used around the world. Since 2011 they have gained prominence in recent waves of contentious politics, deployed by movements with wide-ranging demands for social change. Through a series of international and interdisciplinary case studies from five continents, this topical collection is the first to focus on protest camps as unique organisational forms that transcend particular social movements’ contexts. Whether erected in a park in Istanbul or a street in Mexico City, the significance of political encampments rests in their position as distinctive spaces where people come together to imagine alternative worlds and articulate contentious politics, often in confrontation with the state. Written by a wide range of experts in the field the book offers a critical understanding of current protest events and will help better understanding of new global forms of democracy in action.

Questions the doctrinal construction of environmental law and looks for innovative legal approaches to ecological sustainability.

New edition of the classic work by Daniel Jones includes up-to-date entries and new study pages.

"This book provides a comprehensive collection of knowledge on interactive media based on different perspectives on quantitative and descriptive studies, what goes on in the contemporary media landscape, and pedagogical research on formal and non-formal

learning strategies"--Provided by publisher.

Techniques to Perform Optimally Learn More Effectively Get Better Grades Learn Effectively, Perform Optimally, GET BETTER GRADES! Many people think that they are not as good because great results are reserved for the very intelligent. The author of this book is proof of the opposite! From being an average pupil in elementary school, Olav Schewe went on to become a super student at some of the finest universities in the world. In this book, he tells you everything you need to know to succeed in your studies. He provides techniques for reading and memory, and guides you through acing oral and written exams. Super Student is not only about discipline, efficiency, and taking responsibility, but also about motivation, finding the right balance, and having fun while learning. Those who want to learn more effectively and get better grades, and how to be the best student without sacrificing all their free time must read this. Olav Shewe is an author, learning expert and public speaker. From being an average student in school, he went on to win a Fulbright scholarship, earn straight A-s as an exchange student at University of California, Berkeley (USA), and graduate with a distinction at the University of Oxford(UK). Olav is interested in researching the relationship between learning techniques, motivation, study habits, personal beliefs and learning outcomes.

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