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NIKAH PADA MASA COVID -19 Tinjauan Hukum Islam & Surat Edaran Dirjen Bimas Islam Global Aksara Pers Pada akhir-akhir ini dunia sedang mengalami sebuah wabah yang disebut virus corona atau covid-19. Virus ini berasal dari Cina yang menyebarluas ke seluruh dunia termasuk indonesia . karena persebarrannya yang begitu cepat ke berbagai kota dan daerah, maka pemerintah mengambil kebijakan untuk membentuk SATGAS penanganan Covid-19 dan berbagai kota dan daerah, maka pemerintah mengambil kebijkan untuk membentuk SATGAS penanganan covid-19 dan berbagai regulasi dalam rangka pengendalian penyebaran virus di segala sektor. Salah satu sektor yang menjadi titik perhatian layanan nikah. **Kacamata Hukum; Analisa Kebijakan Masa Pandemi Covid-19** GUEPEDIA Kacamata Hukum; Analisa Kebijakan Masa Pandemi Covid-19 PENULIS: Vika Zeny A., dkk. Editor: Darania Anisa, M.H. Ukuran : 14 x 21 cm ISBN : 978-623-270-209-7 Terbit : Juni 2020 www.guepedia.com Sinopsis: Penyebaran virus SARS-coV-2 sebagai penyebab pandemi Covid-19 menjadi kegelisahan dan kekhawatiran banyak kalangan, termasuk Indonesia. Ada banyak kebijakan yang diambil pemerintah sebagai langkah strategis mengatasi masalah ini. Perlu ada penyesuain yang harus dijalankan oleh masyarakat dalam menerima kebijakan tersebut. Dari semua kebijakan yang telah diterapkan di masyarakat menimbulkan berbagai tanggapan, baik pro maupun kontra. Sehingga melalui buku ini, para kontributor ingin berbagi terkait hasil analisa terhadap beberapa kebijakan pemerintah yang telah diterapkan kepada masyarakat selama Pandemi Covid-19 ini. www.guepedia.com Email : guepedia@gmail.com WA di 081287602508 Happy shopping & reading Enjoy your day, guys

Urgensi Pembentukan Rancangan Peraturan Daerah Kota Tangerang Tentang Pengelolaan Zakat Penerbit Adab Judul : Urgensi Pembentukan Rancangan Peraturan Daerah Kota Tangerang Tentang Pengelolaan Zakat Penulis : Dr. Evan Hamzah Muchtar, S.E., M.E.Sy Dr. Irwan Maulana, Lc., M.Si M. Maulidi Alif Utama, M.Pd Abdul Wajid, S.H., M.E Ukuran : 14,5 x 21 cm Tebal : 144 Halaman No ISBN : 978-623-5687-57-5 Persoalan Pengelolaan Zakat saat ini relatif kompleks. Tidak hanya menyangkut aspek hablum minallah akan tetapi juga hablum minannas yang mana pengaturan, pengolaan, serta distribusi harus secara real dan tepat sasaran sehingga mampu menjadi problem solving untuk menuju pengolalan zakat Kota Tangerang menjadi lebih baik. Maka peraturan Daerah tentang Pengelolaan Zakat harus dibuat agar semuanya terkendali dengan sistematis dan profesional. Penyusunan Rancangan Peraturan Daerah ini merupakan komitmen berbagai pihak terhadap Optimalisasi Pengelolaan Zakat terutama DPRD Kota Tangerang yang menginisiasi Rancangan Peraturan Daerah ini. **Indahnya Pernikahan & Rumahku, Surgaku Kado Pernikahan & Panduan Pengantin Baru** Nas Media Pustaka “ Setelah sukses menulis buku berjudul “Badai Bahtera Rumah Tangga & Solusinya”, sekarang buku kedua karya Kang Ade berjudul “Indahnya Pernikahan & Rumahku, Surgaku”. Saya sangat mengapresiasi terbitnya buku ini. Dalam buku ini, Kang Ade –mantan penghulu yang berpengalaman dalam melayani pernikahan- mengulas seputar pernikahan dan upaya membangun keluarga bahagia. Saya berharap agar para calon pengantin dapat melaksanakan pernikahan sesuai syariat Islam dan dapat membangun keluarga bahagia dengan meneladani Keromantisan Keluarga Nabi SAW. “Bayti Jannati (Rumahku, Bagai Surga Bagiku”), demikian sabda Nabi SAW . Pernikahan merupakan bagian dari ibadah kepada Allah dan mengharap ridla-Nya. Seiring dengan perkembangan zaman, tantangan membangun rumah tangga dan mendidik anak dewasa ini semakin kompleks, selain kesiapan yang berupa materi, juga perlu kesiapan iman dan mental yang kuat. Karena itu, buku ini sangat penting dibaca oleh masyarakat, terutama oleh calon pengantin atau pengantin baru, praktisi perkawinan seperti penghulu, hakim, advokat dan tokoh agama.” ----- Assoc.Prof.Dr.H.Fahmy Lukman, M.Hum, Dosen UNPAD dan Atase Kebudayaan & Pendidikan di KBRI Mesir dan Filipina (Th.2013-2017). ===== Ana uhibbuk ! I love You ! Aku Cinta padamu! Itu kalimat yang diucapkan oleh hampir semua orang Cinta pada lawan jenis, antara laki-laki dan perempuan Itu normal dan dapat mengantarkan kebahagiaan dan keindahan Tetapi keindahan dan kebahagiaan itu harus dapat ridla Tuhan Itu bisa didapat dengan pintu gerbang pernikahan Cinta dapat terwujudkan Nafsu seksual dapat tersalurkan Pahala terus mengalir deras Pintu surga terbuka lebar Itulah Indahnya Pernikahan ----- adesaroni----- **Badai Bahtera Rumah Tangga & Solusinya Catatan Harian Sang Penghulu** Nas Media Pustaka Perkawinan di satu sisi mengandung dimensi ilahiyah, sebagai bentuk ketaatan kepada Allah. Di sisi lain, perkawinan juga mengan- dung dimensi ijtimaiyyah (kemasyarakatan). Aspek kemasyarakatan akan terlaksana dengan baik atau tertib, bila ada perangkatnya yang disebut pranata sosial. Salah satu pranata sosial adalah hukum. Dalam hal ini, negara perlu terlibat dalam membuat hukum. Indonesia adalah negara hukum, sedangkan tujuan hukum adalah terciptanya ketertiban (order), keadilan (justice) dan kesejahteraan (welfare). Karena itu, pembentukan Undang-Undang Nomor 1 Tahun 1974 tentang Perkawinan dan pembentukan Kompilasi Hukum Islam dengan Instruksi Presiden Nomor 1 Tahun 1991, tidak lepas dari tujuan hukum secara umum yaitu ketertiban, keadilan dan kesejahteraan. **Dinamika hukum perjanjian perkawinan di Indonesia : kajian terhadap lembaga eksekutorial dan solusi permasalahannya** INTELIGENSIA MEDIA (KELOMPOK INTRANS PUBLISHING) Tindakan preventif untuk mengantisipasi terjadinya konflik sebelum melakukan perkawinan adalah dengan membuat perjanjian perkawinan. Meski harus diakui bahwa perjanjian perkawinan belum merupakan lembaga hukum yang terbiasa dilakukan oleh masyarakat Indonesia. Secara umum, perjanjian perkawinan mengatur ketentuan bagaimana harta kekayaan (suami-istri) akan dibagi jika terjadi perpisahan hubungan antar-keduanya, baik itu karena perceraian maupun kematian. Buku ini hadir di tengah-tengah masyarakat Indonesia sebagai salah satu ikhtiar penulis, untuk memberikan informasi berkenaan dengan perjanjian perkawinan. Di dalamnya memuat materi yang didasarkan pada sumber hukum seperti keputusan Mahkamah Konstitusi. Maka, buku ini penting untuk dibaca dan dimiliki sebagai salah satu referensi, khususnya berkenaan dengan perkawinan. **Bunga Rampai : CORONA** GUEPEDIA Bunga Rampai : CORONA Penulis : KKN Kelompok 40 Ukuran : 14 x 21 cm ISBN : 978-623-319-520-1 Terbit : Maret 2021 www.guepedia.com Sinopsis : Buku bunga rampai ini merupakan sajian kecil yang disuguhkan oleh teman-teman kelompok 40, Kuliah Kerja Nyata (KKN), Mandiri Inisiatif Terprogram (MIT), Dari Rumah (DR) angkatan XI Universitas Islam Negeri (UIN), Walisongo Semarang. Buku ini merupakan kumpulan tulisan hasil refleksi teman-teman selama melaksanakan KKN. Tema-tema yang disuguhkan cukup menarik, dan beragam berdasarkan latar belakang daerah asal yang berbeda. Sebagai hasil refleksi, tulisan-tulisan itu terkesan singkat dan ringan, tapi tetap memberikan wacana pembuka yang berarti bagi penulisan tahap lanjut (berupa laporan akhir) melalui riset pengembangan yang lebih mendalam. Tulisan-tulisan tentang dampak pandemik Covid-19 terhadap berbagai aspek kehidupan sosial kemasyarakatan menjadi tema umum dalam bunga rampai ini. Seperti program vaksinasi dari pemerintah, sosialisasi kondisi normal-baru. Selain itu ada pula ulasan tentang peluang yang muncul selama pandemi yang dapat diambil misalnya dalam bidang UMKM. Kemudian ada juga tulisan yang menyoroti berbagai tantangan yang dialami selama pandemi, terutama dalam bidang pendidikan. www.guepedia.com Email : guepedia@gmail.com WA di 081287602508 Happy shopping & reading Enjoy your day, guys **Pengelolaan wakaf dan pemberdayaannya di Indonesia** Management on waqf in Indonesia: collection of articles. **Bitcoin and Cryptocurrency Technologies The Ultimate Guide to Everything You Need to Know About Bitcoin and Other Cryptocurrencies (Ethereum, Blockchain, Mining, Trading, Investing)** Createspace Independent Publishing Platform **BONUS OFFER!** Buy the Paperback version of this book, and get the Kindle eBook version included for FREE! Cryptocurrencies have really grown in popularity and exploded onto the scene in recent years, and for good reason. Cryptocurrencies are exciting and have a lot of potential to grow in value and change the way other currencies around the world operate. This book will go into everything you need to learn when it comes to cryptocurrencies, which means that you need to know what many might call the less desirable information as well. So understand that this book will give you the Good, the Bad, and the Ugly of cryptocurrencies too. This book is not a get rich quick scheme and does not promise that you will do well if you engage in the CC markets. Think of this book more like a textbook that goes over everything in relation to cryptocurrencies (specifically Bitcoin), and includes some helpful advice on what you need to do to get your feet wet. However with all of this said, I can promise you that you will learn a lot from reading this book. Here is a short preview of the topics that are covered in this book: Introduction to BTC and Cryptocurrencies What are Altcoins? Cryptocurrency Storage Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs) How to get Started with Bitcoin and Cryptocurrencies Trading Advice Scams to avoid If Bitcoin, cryptocurrencies or anything that you have read above seems to strike your fancy, then you must read this book to learn more! See you on the inside. **Surfside Style** Ryland Peters & Small Surfside Style is a celebration of the simple colours, natural textures, and sun-bleached beauty of living by the sea. **Fiqh Al-Zakāh A Comprehensive Study of Zakah Regulations and Philosophy in the Light of the Qur'an and Sunnah** The Other Press **The Distinguished Jurist's Primer** Ithaca Press A critical analysis of the opinions of famous Muslim jurists and their methodologies. This is the second volume of the 12th-century work, translated from the Arabic. **Administration of Islam in Indonesia** Equinox Pub With the size of its Muslim population greater than in any other country-an overwhelming majority of its 135 million people regarding themselves as adherents of Islam-it is natural that for Indonesia serious questions should arise as to the position of Islam within the state. Indeed that has been the case, and ever since the country proclaimed its independence there has been an ongoing tension between the attempts of Muslims to shape society in conformity with the tenets of Islam and the efforts of successive governments to control that religion as a political and social force. Although an increasing number of scholarly studies have been concerned with the endeavors of Muslim leaders to influence the course of Indonesia's social and political development, very little has been written about the other side of this equation-the politics of the government for controlling and regulating Islam. In this essay Deliar Noer has broken important new ground by providing significant insights into this badly neglected aspect of the relationship. For this task Noer brings to bear strong credentials-extensive research on the political and social history of Islam in twentieth-century Indonesia, a solid training in political science and an intellectual integrity that has won him respect abroad as well as in Indonesia. He is the author of The Modernist Muslim Movement in Indonesia: 1900-1942 (Oxford University Press, 1973) and of numerous scholarly articles. After securing his Ph.D. in Political Science at Cornell University, he served as a lecturer or professor of political science at the University of North Sumatra, the Jakarta IKIP, where he was also Rector, the University of Indonesia, and at Griffith University in Australia. Under both the Sukarno and Suharto regimes he has won the reputation of being a principled scholar unwilling to compromise his honesty and objectivity-despite the pressures exerted by government. It was because of such pressure that in 1974 he was prevented from delivering his professorial address, "Partisipasi Dalam Pembangunan" (Participation in Development). This was a valuable contribution to the pool of ideas relevant to his country's development, and for this infringement of academic freedom his country is the poorer. Those concerned with understanding contemporary Indonesia are sure to be grateful to Noer for this present study. - George McT. Kahin, January, 1978 **Slavery and Islam** Simon and Schuster What happens when authorities you venerate condone something you know is wrong? Every major religion and philosophy once condoned or approved of slavery, but in modern times nothing is seen as more evil. Americans confront this crisis of authority when they erect statues of Founding Fathers who slept with their slaves. And Muslims faced it when ISIS revived sex-slavery, justifying it with verses from the Quran and the practice of Muhammad. Exploring the moral and ultimately theological problem of slavery, Jonathan A.C. Brown traces how the Christian, Jewish and Islamic traditions have tried to reconcile modern moral certainties with the infallibility of God's message. He lays out how Islam viewed slavery in theory, and the reality of how it was practiced across Islamic civilization. Finally, Brown carefully examines arguments put forward by Muslims for the abolition of slavery. **When Religion Meets New Media** Routledge This lively book focuses on how different Jewish, Muslim, and Christian communities engage with new media. Rather than simply reject or accept new media, religious communities negotiate complex relationships with

these technologies in light of their history and beliefs. Heidi Campbell suggests a method for studying these processes she calls the "religious-social shaping of technology" and students are asked to consider four key areas: religious tradition and history; contemporary community values and priorities; negotiation and innovating technology in light of the community; communal discourses applied to justify use. A wealth of examples such as the Christian e-vangelism movement, Modern Islamic discourses about computers and the rise of the Jewish kosher cell phone, demonstrate the dominant strategies which emerge for religious media users, as well as the unique motivations that guide specific groups. **Law and Justice in a Globalized World Proceedings of the Asia-Pacific Research in Social Sciences and Humanities, Depok, Indonesia, November 7-9, 2016: Topics in Law and Justice** CRC Press The book consists of a selection of papers presented at the Asia-Pacific Research Conference on Social Sciences and Humanities. It contains essays on current legal issues in law and justice, and their role and transformation in a globalizing world. Topics covered include human rights, criminal law, good governance, democracy, foreign investment, and regional integration. The conference focused on Asia and the Pacific, two regions where law has taken an important position in creating and shaping the regional integrations, new legal institutions, and norms. This reconfirms the idea that the legal system is extremely important in the global world. This book provides new insights and new horizons on how law and justice took part in globalizing human interaction, especially in the Asia-Pacific region. **Midnight Magic** Jo-Ann Carson Terpstra As the janitor in a haunted house, single mom Abby Jenkins has many contacts with the living and the dead in the small Pacific Northwest town of Sunset Cove, which puts her in a perfect position to solve local mysteries. Or so she thinks. Hired to find diamonds hidden in a haunted manor she gets help from a Viking ghost with existential issues. Will she survive? This book contains bad-boy ghosts, mischievous magic, and a woman who knows what she wants in a Viking hayloft. **Kudeta Mekkah Sejarah yang Tak Terkuak** Pustaka Alvabet Pada 20 November 1979, sebuah peristiwa besar terjadi di Kota Suci Mekkah. Sekelompok orang bersenjata pimpinan Juhaiman al-Utaibi, seorang Islamis radikal, menguasai Masjid al-Haram. Mereka memprotes kebobrokan Pemerintah Arab Saudi dan aliansinya dengan Barat. Gejolak politik di tanah suci meledak. Lalu, baku tembak antara pengikut Juhaiman dengan tentara Arab Saudi pun tak terelakkan. Mulanya, tentara Saudi dibuat keteteran oleh perlawanan Juhaiman dan pengikutnya. Tetapi akhirnya, dengan bantuan beberapa pimpinan militer Prancis, tentara Saudi berhasil melumpuhkan "pemberontakan" kelompok Islam radikal tersebut. Sebagai hukumannya, Juhaiman dan pengikutnya yang tertangkap hidup-hidup kemudian dipenggal kepalanya--eksekusi penggal kepala ini dilaksanakan di beberapa kota di Saudi sebagai peringatan bagi siapa pun yang berusaha makar terhadap pemerintah. Merujuk fatwa para ulama berpengaruh, Pemerintah Saudi mendakwa mereka melakukan tindakan sesat: mendeklarasikan munculnya Imam Mahdi--yang tewas dalam pertempuran itu--sebagai penyelamat dunia; serta menguasai dan menjadikan Masjid al-Haram, tempat tersuci umat Muslim, sebagai medan pertempuran dan kekerasan, yang sangat jelas dilarang oleh agama. Peristiwa itu menjadi bagian penting dari sejarah modern Kota Mekkah. Meski demikian, kebanyakan orang, terutama kaum Muslim, tak paham apa yang sejatinya terjadi saat itu. Maklum, ketika peristiwa itu berlangsung, Pemerintah Saudi melarang keras media massa meliput dan memberitakannya. Tak hanya itu, jaringan telepon, telegram, dan surat-menyurat pun diputus. Alhasil, tak ada celah bagi siapa pun untuk dapat mengakses peristiwa itu dari luar tempat kejadian. Pada tahun 2006, dua puluh tahun kemudian, Yaroslav Trofimov berusaha menyusun kembali serpihan sejarah atas kejadian itu. Untuk menyibak detail peristiwa yang tak terkuak khalayak itu, Trofimov memburu sumber-sumber penting dan tepercaya, antara lain: pelaku 'gerakan 1979' yang masih hidup; Paul Barril, kepala misi pasukan Prancis saat itu; tentara Arab Saudi; Perpustakaan British, satu-satunya tempat di Eropa yang menyimpan pelbagai surat kabar Saudi tahun 1979; arsip Pemerintah AS dan Inggris yang berisi laporan rahasia dari para diplomat dan mata-mata; serta CIA dan British Foreign Office. Para pengamat politik dan sejarawan menganggap kejadian itu sebagai insiden lokal semata dan karena itu tak bersangkut-paut dengan peristiwa internasional yang belakangan merebak: terorisme. Tetapi penulis buku ini, Yaroslav Trofimov, berpendapat sebaliknya. Menurutnya, peristiwa itu merupakan akar sejarah gerakan terorisme global, terutama yang dimotori al-Qaeda. Siapa dan di mana Osama Bin Laden kala itu, sehingga petinggi al-Qaeda ini dihubung-kaitkan dengan peristiwa tersebut? Padahal ketika peristiwa itu terjadi, keluarga besar Bin Laden termasuk dalam barisan Pemerintah Kerajaan Arab Saudi yang mendukung penumpasan gerakan 1979. **The Modernist Muslim Movement in Indonesia, 1900-1942** Singapore : New York : Oxford University Press **Reforms in Islamic Education International Perspectives** A&C Black In recent times, there has been intense global interest on and scrutiny of Islamic education. In reforming Islamic schools, what are the key actions initiated and are they contested or negotiated by and among Muslims? This edited collection brings together leading scholars to explore current reforms in Islamic schools. Drawing together international case studies, Reforms in Islamic Education critically discusses the reforms, considering the motivations for them, nature of them and perceptions and experiences of people affected by them. The contributors also explore the tensions, resistance, contestations and negotiations between Muslims and non-Muslims, and among Muslims, in relation to the reforms. Highlighting the need to understand and critique reforms in Islamic schools within broad historical, political and socio-cultural contexts, this book is a valuable resource for academics, policymakers and educators. **Religion on the Internet Research Prospects and Promises** JAI Press Incorporated Offers an inquiry into the nature, scope and content of religion in cyberspace. This volume provides a conceptual mapping of religion in cyberspace. It is intended for those who seek to understand how religion is being presented on the Internet, and how this topic is likely to unfold. **Basic Financial Management** Prentice Hall **Facilitating Freedom of Religion or Belief: A Deskbook** Springer **Halaal Love Starts After Nikah Each soul striving hard to fall in Halaal love which Al-Malik has made, unknown to them their names were woven in crate.** OrangeBooks Publication Love feeling that can make you cry and smile at the same time. Running with this brother and father, the S.J.S empire, that stood as one of the top 10 business companies across the whole of Asia, Syed Imaduddin had achieved success in his very young age. What happens when is life takes a huge turn, a turn that he never thought that existed, the start of his feelings, the sprouting of love. What happens when he accidentally bumps into the girl of his dreams while his family plans of setting him up with a pious girl. Conflicted with the reality of life and splitted between his heart's desire and the happiness of his family, his life takes a huge turn. As he accepts the new changes and life, life throws another twist, which takes him far away from his family. **Halaal Love Starts After Nikah** is a Spiritual-Romance Novel that leaves you interguine with roller coaster emotions, life and it's twists and turns, it's intricacies it's hidden blessings, patience, comfort and, loves overall it teaches the right teachings of Love according to Islam, as to what is Halaal and Haram which is the important ingredient that every Muslim should be aware of, every adult Muslim who enters the phase of hormones. **Faith and the State A History of Islamic Philanthropy in Indonesia** BRILL Faith and the State offers a historical development of Islamic philanthropy from the time of the Islamic monarchs, through the period of Dutch colonialism and up to contemporary Indonesia. **The Everyday Life of the State A State-in-Society Approach** University of Washington Press Today there are more states controlling more people than at any other point in history. We live in a world shaped by the authority of the state. Yet the complexion of state authority is patchy and uneven. While it is almost always possible to trace the formal rules governing human interaction to the statute books of one state or another, in reality the words in these books often have little bearing upon what is happening on the ground. Their meanings are intentionally and unintentionally misrepresented by those who are supposed to enforce them and by those who are supposed to obey them, generating a range of competing authorities, voices, and allegiances. The Everyday Life of the State explores this "everyday" transformation of state authority into multiple scripts, narratives, and political activities. Drawing upon case studies from across the Middle East, North Africa, and Asia, the chapters in this book investigate the many ways in which those subjects traditionally regarded as being weak, passive, and obedient manage not only to resist the authority of state actors but to actively subvert and appropriate it, in the process making, unmaking, and remaking the boundaries between state and society over and over again. Collectively, these chapters make an important contribution to the expanding literature on "everyday politics." The "state in society" concept used in this volume has been developed by political scientist Joel S. Migdal, the Robert F. Philip Professor of International Studies in the University of Washington's Henry M. Jackson School of International Studies. **The Middle Path of Moderation in Islam The Qur'anic Principle of Wasatiyyah** Oxford University Press Winner of the I.R. Iran World Award for Book of the Year In The Middle Path of Moderation in Islam, leading Islamic law expert Mohammad Hashim Kamali examines the concept of wasatiyyah, or moderation, arguing that scholars, religious communities, and policy circles alike must have access to this governing principle that drives the silent majority of Muslims, rather than focusing on the extremist fringe. Kamali explores wasatiyyah in both historical/conceptual terms and in contemporary/practical terms. Tracing the definition and scope of the concept from the foundational sources of Islam, the Qu'ran and Hadith, he demonstrates that wasatiyyah has a long and well-developed history in Islamic law and applies the concept to contemporary issues of global policy, such as justice, women's rights, environmental and financial balance, and globalization. Framing his work as an open dialogue against a now-decades long formulation of the arguably destructive Huntingtonian "clash of civilizations" thesis as well as the public rhetoric of fear of Muslim extremism since the attacks of September 11, 2001, Kamali connects historical conceptions of wasatiyyah to the themes of state and international law, governance, and cultural maladies in the Muslim world and beyond. Both a descriptive and prescriptive meditation on a key but often neglected principle of Islam, The Middle Path of Moderation in Islam provides insight into an idea that is in the strategic interest of the West both to show and practice for themselves and to recognize in Muslim countries. **The Cannibals The Curse of the Jolly Stone Trilogy, Book II** Laurel Leaf As Tom Tin nears Australia, where he's to serve a lengthy sentence for a murder he didn't commit, he and his fellow convict, Midgely, plot their escape. No matter that the ship carrying them and the other juvenile criminals is captained by Tom's father. Tom knows his father can't help him clear his name and regain his freedom--not as long as Mr. Goodfellow, a man who wants the ruin of the Tin family, wields power back in London. So Tom and Midgely decide to go overboard! So do other boys who seize their chance at liberty--boys who aren't so innocent, and who have it in for Tom. To make things worse, the islands in the Pacific look inviting, but Tom remembers his father's warnings: headhunters and cannibals lurk there! The boys go anyway. And as conflict among them mounts, as they encounter the very dangers Captain Tin spoke of, Tom must fight to keep himself and Midgely alive. **The Chinese 2: Glory of the Martyrs** Liverpool University Press Contains a series of anecdotes about the lives and cults of Christians who suffered and usually died for their beliefs. These anecdotes provide important historical evidence, first, for the ways bishops and their congregations manipulated traditions about the development of the early Church, and second, for the contemporary functions and meanings of the cults of saints during the sixth century. The spontaneity and literary modesty of many of the anecdotes make them especially valuable for modern historians intent upon understanding the early Frankish Church. In addition to the translation, this volume includes an introduction and commentary. The introduction summarizes essential information about the chronology, composition and purposes of the "Glory of the Martyrs", and also discusses other relevant topics, such as the role of these anecdotes in the celebration of the liturgy and the contrast between 'rusticity' and correct behaviours and belief. The commentary provides only basic identifications, dates, background and references to other secondary scholarly literature. **Gender and Human Rights** Oxford University Press on Demand In this book feminist scholars from a range of areas including international law, rights, citizenship, queer theory, constitutional law and migration studies bring fresh perspectives to gender and human rights. By relating women's international human rights to broader debates about feminism, rights and international society, this collection of essays both provides a sophisticated introduction to gender and human rights and offers a variety of fresh theoretical perspectives and methods. **Organization and Management: Basic Systems Concepts** McGraw-Hill/Irwin **Marketing and Selling Design Services The Designer Client Relationship** Van Nostrand Reinhold Company Competition in the design world is ferocious. It's not designer against designer or designer against architect. The competition comes from office supply stores, factory-direct phone numbers, and a multitude of other sources. It is imperative for designers to use marketing and selling strategies effectively. The key to this is the designer/client relationship. This step-by-step manual helps you design the marketing program that best fits your unique practice. Because it is written by a practicing interior designer and business consultant, it is a vocabulary you are familiar with. Mary Knackstedt guides you through all aspects of promoting a design business, including design specialization, promotional resources, market research, and personal interactions. Examples from successful, highly profitable firms make it easy to apply the book's marketing techniques to your own business. Proven strategies help you target the right clients, present yourself and your company in the best possible light during interviews, and build and maintain strong relationships with clients. Business forms such as a design staff questionnaire, meeting planning guides, and the design services outline help keep you on target and can be easily adapted to the specific needs of your practice. Business growth techniques include how to: establish a company profile that attracts clients and accurately conveys the image you want; find clients who are most likely to want your services; "pre-sell" clients so they're more receptive to future sales pitches; budget marketing efforts accurately to avoid unnecessary expenses; set up a reliable customer service operation; handle complaints diplomatically and with minimum problems; build a better relationship with clients; create proper contracts and letters of agreement; and set prices that are appropriate for your services. Marketing and Selling Design Services is an essential survival guide for interior designers in the 1990s. **Perspectives of Equality Work, women and family in the Nordic Countries and EU** Nordic Council of Ministers Engelsk tekst. 332 s., hf., 2000. (Nord 2000 : 5) **Consumer Behavior A Strategic Approach** Houghton Mifflin College Division Tailored for upper-level undergraduate and MBA students, Assael's Consumer Behavior applies behavioral concepts to market strategy (domestic and international) with special emphasis on web-related issues and applications. Assael presents the content from a managerial perspective, focusing on decision making as the framework for understanding

consumer behavior. The text also features a unique, three-chapter Marketing Action section, covering marketing communications, marketing segmentation and micromarketing, as well as consumer rights and social responsibility. **Creative Philanthropy Toward a New Philanthropy for the Twenty-First Century** Routledge Philanthropy and endowed foundation are vitally important institutions of modern society, yet in recent years, they've faced new threats such as declining resources and questions of accountability and performance. To address these questions, individual philanthropists and foundation leaders have looked to strategic philanthropy to become more effective and efficient. This important book provides an overview of creative philanthropy along with an analysis of its theory and practice. The authors spell out the implications of their study for management and policy and provide readers with vital tools and techniques. Drawing on case study examples and incorporating sections on key questions and dilemmas, this revealing book covers: the philanthropic deficit finding a distinctive role to do more with less characteristics of the creative foundation beyond strategic philanthropy the strength of creative philanthropy developing creative foundations and philanthropic practices. Essential reading for all those who study or work in foundations, philanthropy and non-profit organizations, this volume clearly navigates a path through this significant yet highly complex subject area. **Islamic Populism in Indonesia and the Middle East** Cambridge University Press This book compares the evolution of Islamic populism in Indonesia and the Middle East to shed new light on contemporary Islamic politics. **Forensic Microbiology** John Wiley & Sons Forensic Microbiology focuses on newly emerging areas of microbiology relevant to medicolegal and criminal investigations: postmortem changes, establishing cause of death, estimating postmortem interval, and trace evidence analysis. Recent developments in sequencing technology allow researchers, and potentially practitioners, to examine microbial communities at unprecedented resolution and in multidisciplinary contexts. This detailed study of microbes facilitates the development of new forensic tools that use the structure and function of microbial communities as physical evidence. Chapters cover: Experiment design Data analysis Sample preservation The influence of microbes on results from autopsy, toxicology, and histology Decomposition ecology Trace evidence This diverse, rapidly evolving field of study has the potential to provide high quality microbial evidence which can be replicated across laboratories, providing spatial and temporal evidence which could be crucial in a broad range of investigative contexts. This book is intended as a resource for students, microbiologists, investigators, pathologists, and other forensic science professionals. **Sense & Sensibility** HarperCollins UK Joanna Trollope's much-anticipated contemporary reworking of Jane Austen's Sense and Sensibility launches The Austen Project and is already one of the most talked about books of the year. **Woman at Point Zero** Zed Books "All the men I did get to know, every single man of them, has filled me with but one desire: to lift my hand and bring it smashing down on his face. But because I am a woman I have never had the courage to lift my hand. And because I am a prostitute, I hid my fear under layers of make-up." --Excerpt