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Surveillance in Europe 2014-09-19 surveillance in europe is an accessible definitive and comprehensive overview of the rapidly growing multi disciplinary field of surveillance studies in europe written by experts in the field including leading scholars the companion s clear and up to date style will appeal to a wide range of scholars and students in the social sciences arts and humanities this book makes the case for greater resilience in european society in the face of the growing pervasiveness of surveillance it examines surveillance in europe from several different perspectives including the co evolution of surveillance technologies and practices the surveillance industry in europe the instrumentality of surveillance for preventing and detecting crime and terrorism social and economic costs impacts of surveillance on civil liberties resilience in europe s surveillance society the consequences and impacts for europe of the snowden revelations findings and recommendations regarding surveillance in europe surveillance in europe s interdisciplinary approach and accessible content makes it an ideal companion to academics policy makers and civil society organisations alike as well as appealing to top level undergraduates and postgraduates

Cyber Security: Analytics, Technology and Automation 2015-05-30 the book in addition to the cyber threats and technology processes cyber security from many sides as a social phenomenon and how the implementation of the cyber security strategy is carried out the book gives a profound idea of the most spoken phenomenon of this time the book is suitable for a wide ranging audience from graduate to professionals practitioners and researchers relevant disciplines for the book are telecommunications network security applied mathematics data analysis mobile systems security engineering security of critical infrastructure and military science security

Systems and Software Quality 2014-05-08 software and systems quality is playing an increasingly important role in the growth of almost all profit and non profit organisations quality is vital to the success of enterprises in their markets most small trade and repair businesses use software systems in their administration and marketing processes every doctor s surgery is managing its patients using software banking is no longer conceivable without software aircraft trucks and cars use more and more software to handle their increasingly complex technical systems innovation competition and cost pressure are always present in on going business decisions the question facing all these organisations is how to achieve the right quality of their software based systems and products how to get the required level of quality a level that the market will reward a level that mitigates the organisation s risks and a level that the organisation is willing to pay for although a number of good practices are in place there is still room for huge improvements thus let us take a look into the two worlds of embedded systems and ict systems and let us learn from both worlds from overlaps and individual solutions the next step for industrialisation in the software industry is required now hence three pillars will be focused in this book 1 a fundamental notion of right software and systems quality rissq 2 portfolio management quality governance quality management and quality engineering as holistic approach over the three layers of an enterprise i e strategic tactical and operational layer and 3 an industrialisation framework for implementing our approach

Politics, Markets and EU Gas Supply Security 2015-01-30 sandu daniel kopp investigates whether carbon reduction targets are compatible with market driven competition in gas and power industries and whether security of supply is compatible with competitive markets he examines the policy trade offs which need to be made between the three different elements and whether these policy judgements should be economically or politically based the analysis shows the need for a complex set of politically determined options to protect competitive markets from price risks and emergency events and demonstrates that this has thus far failed the policy test overall the author argues that the three major elements of eu energy policy are incompatible in important respects and thereby challenges much of the conventional wisdom of eu and member state policies of the past decade

Energy Law in South Africa 2022-06-20 derived from the renowned multi volume international encyclopaedia of laws this book provides a systematic approach to legislation and legal practice concerning energy resources and production in south africa the book describes the administrative organization regulatory framework and relevant case law pertaining to the development application and use of such forms of energy as electricity gas petroleum and coal with attention as needed to the pervasive legal effects of competition law environmental law and tax law a general introduction covers the geography of energy resources sources and basic principles of energy law and the relevant governmental institutions then follows a detailed description of specific legislation and regulation affecting such factors as documentation undertakings facilities storage pricing procurement and sales transportation transmission distribution and supply of each form of energy case law intergovernmental cooperation agreements and interactions with environmental tax and competition law are explained its succinct yet scholarly nature as well as the practical quality of the information it provides make this book a valuable resource for energy sector policymakers and energy firm counsel handling cases affecting south africa it will also be welcomed by researchers and academics for its contribution to the study of a complex field that today stands at the foreground of comparative law

Bioethical Insights into Values and Policy 2016-03-29 changes in earth s atmosphere oceans soil weather patterns and ecosystems are well documented by countless scientific disciplines these manifestations of climate change harm public health given their goals and social responsibilities influential health organizations recognize health impacts compounded by geography social values social determinants of health health behaviors and relationships between humans and environments primarily described in feminist ethics and environmental ethics health impacts are relevant to but seldom addressed in bioethics global health public policy or health or environmental policy this book is the first to describe cultural geographic and socioeconomic factors that influence the regional significance of these impacts and frame them for bioethics and policy analyses

<u>Performing Ground</u> 2014-07-31 performing ground explores camouflage as a performance practice arguing that the act of blending into one s environment is central to the ways we negotiate our identities through space the book offers a critically

rich investigation of how the performative practice of camouflage renders the politics of space power and gender in visible *Religion and Human Rights* 2015-01-13 this book examines the relationship between human rights and religiosity it discusses whether the impact of religiosity on human rights is liberational or suppressive and sheds light on the direction in which the relationship between religion and human rights is expected to develop the questions explored in this volume are which are the rights that are currently debated or under pressure what is the position on human rights that churches and religious communities represent are there tensions between churches religious communities and the state which rights are especially relevant for young people and which relate to adolescents life world experiences covering 17 countries the book describes two separate yet connected studies the first study presents research by experts from individual countries describing the state of human rights and neuralgic points anticipated in individual societies the other study presents specific findings on the relationship between these two social phenomena from empirical research in a population of high school students studying this particular population allows insights into social trends value systems and attitudes on human rights as well as an indication of the likely directions of development and potential room for intervention

The Consumer Financial Protection Bureau's Semiannual Report to Congress 2017 this book offers a wealth of interdisciplinary approaches to urbanization strategies in architecture centered on growing concerns about the future of cities and their impacts on essential elements of architectural optimization livability energy consumption and sustainability it portrays the urban condition in architectural terms as well as the living condition in human terms both of which can be optimized by mathematical modeling as well as mathematical calculation and assessment special features include new research on the construction of future cities and smart cities discussions of sustainability and new technologies designed to advance ideas to future city developments graduate students and researchers in architecture engineering mathematical modeling and building physics will be engaged by the contributions written by eminent international experts from a variety of disciplines including architecture engineering modeling optimization and related fields CeDEM15 2015 founded in 1841 by a royal charter gueen s university evolved into a national institution steeped in tradition and an abiding sense of public service propelled initially by its presbyterian instincts and an attachment to gaelic culture gueen s has prospered and adapted over the years to match canada s ever changing dynamics in this third volume of gueen s university s official history duncan mcdowall demonstrates that the late twentieth century was a contest between expediency and tradition waged through crisis and careful evolution testing tradition calibrates the durability of gueen s vaunted traditions in the face of shifts in the broader canadian society during this time of massive postsecondary expansion gueen s grew sevenfold from a small collegial campus of 3 100 students to a sprawling cosmopolitan place of more than 20 000 students from over 120 countries engaged in undergraduate graduate and professional programs measuring queen s university s responses to concerns over social diversity human rights and gender equity through the eyes of its trustees administrators students faculty and the kingston community this volume pays particular attention to the experiences of women and visible minorities at the university copiously illustrated with photographs of important people events and aspects of campus life this volume shows how gueen s in having its traditions tested has worked to retain the best of its past while

Future City Architecture for Optimal Living 2015-04-01 this book defines the phenomenon of mhealth and its evolution explaining why an understanding of mhealth is critical for decision makers entrepreneurs and policy analysts who are pivotal to developing products that meet the collaborative health information needs of consumers and providers in a competitive and rapidly changing environment the book examines trends in mhealth and discusses how mhealth technologies offer opportunities for innovators and entrepreneurs those who often are industry first movers with regard to technology advancement it also explores the changing dynamics and relationships among physicians patients insurers regulators managers administrators caregivers and others involved in the delivery of health services the primary focus is on the ways in which mhealth technologies are revising and reshaping healthcare delivery systems in the united states and globally and how those changes are expected to change the ways in which the business of healthcare is conducted mhealth transforming healthcare consists of nine chapters that addresses key content areas including history to the extent that dynamic technologies have a history projection of immediate evolution and consistent issues associated with health technology such as security and information privacy and government and industry regulation a major point of discussion addressed is whether mhealth is a transient group of products and a passing patient encounter approach or if it is the way much of our health care will be delivered in future years with incremental evolution to achieve sustainable innovation of health technologies

accepting the inevitability of change

Queen's University, Volume III, 1961-2004 2016-04-01 university of florida has an ambitious goal to harness the power of its faculty staff students and alumni to solve some of society s most pressing problems and to become a resource for the state of florida the nation and the world sea levels are rising around the globe and in florida with its 1 200 miles of coastline and mostly flat topography this is of particular concern the state depends on coastal cities where 75 percent of the population lives and where more than four fifths of its economic activity takes place when economists tally up the likely costs of rising seas they rank florida as the most vulnerable state in the nation and miami as one of the most vulnerable major cities in the world when the seas rise takes us on an alarming journey from the dying coastal forests where salt killed tree trunks stand like sentinels of a retreating army to the high tide flooded streets of cities from st augustine to key west meet the scientists at the university of florida researchers in biology geology entomology horticulture urban and regional planning as well as other fields who along with other experts around the state are planning for the sea change already upon us and the greater changes to come they are working around the clock to predict how global climate shifts will affect the state to protect drinking water and slow the effects of flooding to develop new ways to farm to save our butterflies sea turtles key deer and other endangered creatures to preserve the state s economy and to help coastal dwellers plan future

havens for the people and wildlife of florida the stories chronicled in gatorbytes span all colleges and units across the uf campus they detail the far reaching impact of uf s research technologies and innovations and the uf faculty members dedicated to them gatorbytes describe how uf is continuing to build on its strengths and extend the reach of its efforts so that it can help even more people in even more places

mHealth 2014-07-14 state of the indian union his stewardship as chief minister of gujarat being the longest in that state s history modi and his bjp supporters explained his achievement by pointing to economic growth under his leadership yet detractors point out that modi has been more business friendly than market friendly to the benefit of large industrial corporations and at the cost of great social polarization in 2002 an anti muslim pogrom of unparalleled ferocity occurred in gujarat leading to the biggest number of muslim deaths since partition the state s hindu majority immediately rallied around modi no serious riot has occurred in gujarat since but polarization was key to modi s strategy there and he has deployed that strategy again and again since he became prime minister of india in 2014 for modi has cultivated a communal image a marketing genius his messaging combines the politics of hindutva with economic modernization to the clear appreciation of gujarat s middle class christophe jaffrelot s revealing book shows how modi s gujarat served as the laboratory of modi s india not only in terms of hindu majoritarianism and national populism but also of caste and class politics

When the Seas Rise 2016-05-18 the beijing islamabad axis plays a central role in asia s geopolitics from india s rise to the prospects for a post american afghanistan from the threat of nuclear terrorism to the continent s new map of mines ports and pipelines china is pakistan s great economic hope and its most trusted military partner pakistan is the battleground for china s encounters with islamic militancy and the heart of its efforts to counter balance the emerging us india partnership for decades each country has been the other s only all weather friend yet the relationship is still little understood the wildest claims about it are widely believed while many of its most dramatic developments are hidden from the public eye this book sets out the recent history of sino pakistani ties and their ramifications for the west for india for afghanistan and for asia as a whole it tells the stories behind some of its most sensitive aspects including beijing s support for pakistan s nuclear program china s dealings with the taliban and the chinese military s planning for crises in pakistan it describes a relationship increasingly shaped by pakistan s internal strife and the dilemmas china faces between the need for regional stability and the imperative for strategic competition with india and the usa amazon com

Gujarat Under Modi 2024-03-01 this book examines the much debated question of how to unleash the potential of young people with promising intellectual abilities and motivation it looks at the increasingly important topic of excellence in education and the shift in focus towards the provision of programs to support talented students in higher education it provides a systematic overview of programs for talented students at northern european higher education institutions heis starting in the netherlands where nearly all heis have developed honors programs over the past two decades the book explores three clusters of countries the benelux the nordic and the german speaking countries for each of these countries it discusses the local culture towards excellence the structure of the education system and the presence of honors programs in total the book reviews the special talent provisions for nearly four million students at 303 higher education institutions in eleven countries in addition it offers an analysis of the reasons to develop such programs a look into the future of honors education and a practical list of suggestions for further research the sirius program assigned marca wolfensberger to carry out this research

The China-Pakistan Axis 2020 this book develops a comprehensive framework for creating sustainable new business approaches on a massive scale it relates the power of entrepreneurship investment and technology to four areas in which progress is urgently needed to get out of the world's current impasse these are game changing innovations in companies a way forward for the global fashion industry that reconciles competitiveness and worker dignity turning around the energy crisis and restoring capital markets to being the funders of human progress and prosperity that they once were the pieces of the puzzle that is our future numerous case studies and actionable guidelines show how to concretely get the job done Talent Development in European Higher Education 2015-02-10 for more than two hundred years hotels have played a significant role in american history the modern hotel is even an american invention in five case studies of iconic new york hotels this book presents the hotel experience of the white upper class literati young artists african americans and jewish americans in the twentieth century using a variety of texts including autobiographies movies and novels the impact of hotel experience on society and culture which has been neglected until now becomes apparent this unique approach offers a new way of reading new york and helps to better understand the city's special dynamics

Building the Impact Economy 2015-11-25 as the era of ever expanding markets and ample resources ends governments and business will have to behave differently the world is facing weak economic growth limits to affordable resources and increasing concerns about environmental consequences during the boom times governments championed de regulation and business responded by adopting an anything goes attitude in these straitened times strategic analysis has to engage with the challenges that society faces to create resilient corporations fit for the 21st century in corporate strategy in the age of responsibility peter mcmanners who has for nine years run strategy workshops on the henley mba focusing on the global business environment sets about providing a strategic framework for navigating the new economic environment chief sustainability officers csos now exist but they struggle to find the strategic rationale for the improvements they champion the author argues that their good intentions often lack traction partly because others in management don t get it but also because they are not ambitious enough the book is not about preaching semi charitable behaviour or how to enhance the reputation of the corporation instead it is about surviving and thriving in a challenging and changing environment a corporate audience familiar with strategy books will relate to this book but will find it steers them towards radically new strategic thinking suitable for a turbulent period of transition

New York Hotel Experience 2017-03-31 a quick reference to background information on over forty calendars and tables on

Corporate Strategy in the Age of Responsibility 2016-05-13 world geography is designed to help students better understand the importance of geography and the world in which they live this 128 page resource integrates current technology and digital learning opportunities and activities using the five themes of geography teachers can give students the opportunity to think globally and help prepare them for life in a diverse society features reading and writing activities aligned to ela common core plus includes questions that are aligned to higher order thinking skills this book also includes geoquests global summit activity glossary of geography terms websites resources and suggested activities mark twain media publishing company specializes in providing captivating supplemental books and decorative resources to complement middle and upper grade classrooms designed by leading educators the product line covers a range of subjects including mathematics sciences language arts social studies history government fine arts and character

The Book of Calendars 1982 test prep for ccss performance tasks is a 64 page three book series for grades six through eight it focuses on performance tasks aligned with the common core state standards ccss for english language arts literacy the series will help familiarize students with tasks and language they may encounter in common core assessments each book include instruction resources rubrics instructional overview instructional strategies and resources for each performance task mark twain media publishing company specializes in providing captivating supplemental books and decorative resources to complement middle and upper grade classrooms designed by leading educators the product line covers a range of subjects including mathematics sciences language arts social studies history government fine arts and character World Geography Workbook 2015-01-05 this book examines the relationship between regulation and market integration with a special focus on china it pursues a law and economics and comparative law approach china and eu to analyze the current obstacles to market integration and domestic economic growth in china topics covered at the national level include competition law public procurement rules and financial regulation at the regional and local level this book addresses questions related to administrative monopolies self regulation legal services markets and environmental law Test Prep for CCSS Performance Tasks, Grade 6 2015-01-05 help students identify and apply the real world math skills they need for lifelong success math for college and career readiness provides grade appropriate practice that offers early preparation for a variety of career paths for each career your students will strengthen fundamental math skills while gaining background information and becoming proficient problem solvers mark twain media publishing company specializes in providing engaging supplemental books and decorative resources to complement middle and upper grade classrooms designed by leading educators this product line covers a range of subjects including math science language arts social studies history government fine arts and character

Market Integration: The EU Experience and Implications for Regulatory Reform in China 2015-11-06 a groundbreaking and extensively researched account of the 1960s london art scene in the 1960s london became a vibrant hub of artistic production postwar reconstruction jet air travel television arts programs new color supplements a generation of young artists dealers and curators the influx of international film companies the projection of creative britain as a national brand all nurtured and promoted the emergence of london as a new capital of art extensively illustrated and researched this book offers an unprecedented rich account of the social field that constituted the lively london scene of the 1960s in clear fluent prose tickner presents an innovative sequence of critical case studies each of which explores a particular institution or event in the cultural life of london between 1962 and 1968 the result is a kaleidoscopic view of an exuberant decade in the history of british art

Math for College and Career Readiness, Grade 8 2016-01-04 shattering any idea that librarianship is a politically neutral realm this insider s account of seven debates from the floor of the american library association council illustrates the mechanisms the governing body used to maintain the status quo on issues like racism government surveillance and climate change at play in each debate are rules of parliamentary procedure appeals to authority denial and chastisement of librarians who pushed the ala to make real its commitments to human rights and social justice providing a fascinating look at the council s inner workings the author parses debates concerning anti apartheid boycotts partnerships between ala mcdonald s and the boy scouts of america spying by the national security agency censorship in israel and the occupied territories fossil fuel industry divestment and the recent revival by ala s office of intellectual freedom of the infamous film the speaker

London's New Scene 2020-07-07 an engaging compelling and disturbing confrontation with evil a book that will be transformative in its call for individual and collective moral responsibility michael a grodin m d professor and director project on medicine and the holocaust elie wiesel center for judaic studies boston university human subjects research after the holocaust challenges you to confront the misguided medical ethics of the third reich personally and to apply the lessons learned to contemporary human subjects research while it is comforting to believe that nazi physicians nurses and bioscientists were either incompetent mad or few in number they were in fact the best in the world at the time and the vast majority participated in the government program of applied biology they were not coerced to behave as they did they enthusiastically exploited widely accepted eugenic theories to design horrendous medical experiments gas chambers and euthanasia programs which ultimately led to mass murder in the concentration camps americans provided financial support for their research modeled their medical education and research after the germans and continued to perform unethical human subjects research even after the nuremberg doctors trial the german medical association apologized in 2012 for the behavior of its physicians during the third reich by examining the medical crimes of human subjects researchers during the third reich you will naturally examine your own behavior and that of your colleagues and perhaps ask yourself if the best physicians and bioscientists of the early 20th century could do evil while believing they were doing good can i be certain that i will never do the same

Which Side Are You On? 2016-02-12 designing distributed control systems presents 80 patterns for designing distributed machine control system software architecture forestry machinery mining drills elevators etc these patterns originate from state of the art systems from market leading companies have been tried and tested and will address typical challenges in the domain such as long lifecycle distribution real time and fault tolerance each pattern describes a separate design problem that needs to be solved solutions are provided with consequences and trade offs each solution will enable piecemeal growth of the design finding a solution is easy as the patterns are divided into categories based on the problem field the pattern tackles the design process is guided by different aspects of quality such as performance and extendibility which are included in the pattern descriptions the book also contains an example software architecture designed by leading industry experts using the patterns in the book the example system introduces the reader to the problem domain and demonstrates how the patterns can be used in a practical system design process the example architecture shows how useful a toolbox the patterns provide for both novices and experts guiding the system design process from its beginning to the finest details designing distributed machine control systems with patterns ensures high quality in the final product high quality systems will improve revenue and guarantee customer satisfaction as market need changes the desire to produce a guality machine is not only a primary concern there is also a need for easy maintenance to improve efficiency and productivity as well as the growing importance of environmental values these all impact machine design the software of work machines needs to be designed with these new requirements in mind designing distributed control systems presents patterns to help tackle these challenges with proven methodologies from the expert author team they show readers how to improve the quality and efficiency of distributed control systems

Human Subjects Research after the Holocaust 2014-06-30 this book focuses on cell culture produced viral vaccines to meet the needs of the rapidly expanding research and development in academia and industry in the field this book introduces the basic principles of vaccination and the manufacturing of viral vaccines bioprocessing of viral vaccines will provide an overview of the advanced strategies needed to respond to the challenges of new and established viral infection diseases the first few chapters cover the basics of virology and immunology as essential concepts to understand the function and design of viral vaccines the core of the content is dedicated to process development including upstream processing and cell culture of viral vaccines downstream processing and extensive analytical technologies specific to viral vaccines advanced process analytical technologies pat and quality by design qbd concepts are also introduced in the context of vaccine manufacturing the case studies included cover inactivated attenuated vaccines exemplified by influenza vaccines sub unit vaccines exemplified by virus like particles vlps hpv vaccines and sub unit vaccines flublock vectored vaccines adenoviruses and vesicular stomatitis virus vsv vectored vaccines genomic vaccines dna and mrna vaccines as developed for covid 19 response in particular and a review of covid 19 vaccines approved or in advanced clinical trials this book is aimed at graduate engineers and professionals in the fields of vaccinology bioprocessing and biomanufacturing of viral vaccines

<u>Designing Distributed Control Systems</u> 2014-06-09 eating earth written both for environmentalists and animal activists explores vital common ground between these two social justice movements dietary choice this highly readable book complete with detailed figures summary slides and a tough of wry humor exposes the weighty oftentimes astonishing and downright infuriating environmental effects of hunting fishing and animal agriculture with ecofeminist currents and an eye to human population concerns eating earth is an inclusive critical examination of ethics environment and dietary choice inside cover

Bioprocessing of Viral Vaccines 2022-09-06 the period immediately following kenya s 2007 presidential election left a shocking trail of atrocities with over 1 000 people dead and countless thousands left victimised and displaced in response the international criminal court began a series of investigations and trials promising no impunity for even the highest ranking perpetrators when the country's president and vice president were implicated in the crimes the case took on worldwide significance the international criminal court and the end of impunity in kenya is a five year study addressing critical human rights issues with a global reach and is the first detailed account of the icc s intervention in kenya it probes the relationship between the icc and state institutions known as positive complementarity and asks whether the icc s intervention led to an end to impunity the author provides comprehensive analysis of the waki commission s sealed envelope the government s attempts to establish a special tribunal and the trials in the haque he also provides in depth consideration of any influence the icc s intervention may have had on the passing of a new constitution the establishment of a truth commission and important reforms to the judiciary police and witness protection programme documenting the effects of these interventions on the kenyan people and on the country's legal and judicial systems the book provides vital lessons in global justice as it details the icc s involvement in kenya in the aftermath of extreme violence and instability evaluates the icc prosecutor s strategy of positive complementarity identifies optimal conditions for positive complementarity to be effective links cultures of impunity to state sponsored corruption explores the possible impact of the icc on national and global policy discusses implications in responding to future crimes against humanity replete with official government sources the international criminal court and the end of impunity in kenya is necessary reading for researchers and practitioners working in public international law particularly those specialising in conflict and post conflict states

Eating Earth 2015 the routledge introduction to american women writers considers the important literary historical cultural and intellectual contexts of american women authors from the seventeenth century to the present and provides readers with an analysis of current literary trends and debates in women s literature this accessible and engaging guide covers a variety of essential topics such as the transatlantic and transnational origins of american women s literary traditions the colonial period and the puritans the early national period and the rhetoric of independence the nineteenth century and the civil war the twentieth century including modernism the harlem renaissance and the civil rights era trends in twenty first century

american women's writing feminism gender and sexuality regionalism domesticity ethnicity and multiculturalism the volume examines the ways in which women writers from diverse racial social and cultural backgrounds have shaped american literary traditions giving particular attention to the ways writers worked inside outside and around the strictures of their cultural and historical moments to create space for women's voices and experiences as a vital part of american life addressing key contemporary and theoretical debates this comprehensive overview presents a highly readable narrative of the development of literature by american women and offers a crucial range of perspectives on american literary history The International Criminal Court and the End of Impunity in Kenya 2015-02-02 the green economy is widely seen as a potential solution to current global economic and environmental crises and a potential mechanism by which sustainable development might be achieved in practice considerable investments are now being made into the development of green technology renewable energy biodiversity conservation resource efficiency recycling of materials and green infrastructure this textbook provides a comprehensive introduction to the green economy using a strongly interdisciplinary approach based on environmental science rather than treating it as a sub set of economics the scientific principles of sustainability are presented which provide the foundations of the green economy with a particular focus on systems based approaches examples of real world case studies are used to illustrate how the green economy can be achieved in practice in this way the authors provide a thorough overview of both the principles and practice of the green economy drawing from a wide range of disciplines including ecology geography social science psychology sustainability science environmental science law and economics the emphasis is on presenting results of the latest research derived from leading scientific journals rather than focusing on a single definition of what constitutes a green economy the book introduces readers to the diversity of opinion that exists and engages them in what is an active on going debate this reflects the fact that many aspects of the green economy and sustainable development more generally are currently contested in particular the book will help readers to strengthen their ability to critically evaluate the evidence for and against the views presented and to actively contribute to the future development of the green economy

The Routledge Introduction to American Women Writers 2016-04-28 cyberspace in increasingly important to people in their everyday lives for purchasing goods on the internet to energy supply increasingly managed remotely using internet protocols unfortunately this dependence makes us susceptible to attacks from nation states terrorists criminals and hactivists therefore we need a better understanding of cyberspace for which patterns which are predictable regularities may help to detect understand and respond to incidents better the inspiration for the workshop came from the existing work on formalising design patterns applied to cybersecurity but we also need to understand the many other types of patterns that arise in cyberspace

An Introduction to the Green Economy 2014-08-13 providing a timely contribution to the ongoing questions surrounding topics which are by definition subject to varying stakeholder interpretations this book addresses the missing link between theoretical csr concepts and everyday management practice it acts as a guide to awaken managers to the advantages of adopting a csr mindset when developing sustainable business strategies the book consists of three parts 1 a theoretical realm which establishes the key concepts and rationale for the adoption of a sustainable csr approach 2 a practical realm which addresses putting csr and sustainability into business practice 3 an educational realm which proposes how to incorporate the concepts into teaching and training

Cyberpatterns 2014-05-13 introduces digital photography and explains how to import modify organize transfer and present photographs using the latest version of the macintosh photograph editing and management software

New Perspectives on Corporate Social Responsibility 2015-04-14 the book is composed of two parts the first part introduces the concepts of the design of digital systems using contemporary field programmable gate arrays fpgas various design techniques are discussed and illustrated by examples the operation and effectiveness of these techniques is demonstrated through experiments that use relatively cheap prototyping boards that are widely available the book begins with easily understandable introductory sections continues with commonly used digital circuits and then gradually extends to more advanced topics the advanced topics include novel techniques where parallelism is applied extensively these techniques involve not only core reconfigurable logical elements but also use embedded blocks such as memories and digital signal processing slices and interactions with general purpose and application specific computing systems fully synthesizable specifications are provided in a hardware description language vhdl and are ready to be tested and incorporated in engineering designs a number of practical applications are discussed from areas such as data processing and vector based computations e g hamming weight counters comparators the second part of the book covers the more theoretical aspects of finite state machine synthesis with the main objective of reducing basic fpga resources minimizing delays and achieving greater optimization of circuits and systems

IPhoto 2014-03-14 this book researches the study of languages other than english and their place in the australian tertiary sector languages are discussed in the context of the histories of australian universities and the series of reports and surveys about languages across the second half of the twentieth century it demonstrates how changes in the ethnic mix of society are reflected in language offerings and how policies on languages have changed as a result of societal influences also discussed is the extent to which influencing factors changed over time depending on social cultural political and economic contexts and the extent to which governments prioritised the promotion and funding of languages because of their perceived contribution to the national interest the book will give readers an understanding as to whether languages have mattered to australia in a national and international sense and how australia s attention to languages has been reflected in its identity and its sense of place in the world

Synthesis and Optimization of FPGA-Based Systems 2019-01-29 this interdisciplinary study engages with the fields of human rights law health law and public health it analyses how the internationally guaranteed human right to health is realized by

states at a national level it brings together scholars from more than ten different countries with each of them analyzing the right to health in their country or region they all focus on a particular theme that is important in their country such as health inequalities the millennium development goals or the privatization of healthcare this book is relevant for scholars practitioners and policy makers in the field of human rights law health law public health and the intersection between these three fields

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