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NBER Macroeconomics Annual 2013 2014-05-22 the twenty eighth edition of the nber macroeconomics annual continues its tradition of featuring theoretical and empirical research on central issues in contemporary macroeconomics as in previous years this volume not only addresses recent developments in macroeconomics but also takes up important policy relevant questions and opens new debates that will continue for years to come the first two papers in this year s issue tackle fiscal and monetary policy asking how interest rates and inflation can remain low despite fiscal policy behavior that appears inconsistent with a monetary policy regime focused only on inflation and output and not on fiscal balances as recently observed in the u s the third examines the implications of reference dependent preferences and moral hazard in employment fluctuations in the labor market the fourth paper addresses money and inflation analyzing the long run inflation rate the coexistence of money with pledgeable and money like assets and why inflation did not increase in response to business cycle fluctuations in productivity and the fifth looks at the stock market and how it relates to the real economy the final chapter discusses the large and public shift towards more expansionary monetary policy that has recently occurred in japan

Urban and Regional Data Management 2013-05-23 the urban data management society has organised international symposia at various locations throughout europe since 1971 and udms 2013 marks its second visit to london from its outset udms has highlighted changes and trends in urban data and urban data management however the rate of emergence of new data and new technologies has never been as rapid as it is now trends including smart cities smart phones social media 3d modelling volunteered geographic information building information modelling and the internet of things all generate information about the urban environment and the people who live there additionally the volume of data generated in part through such techniques has in turn resulted in research into big data how best to handle the data analyse it visualise it in different contexts thus the challenges and opportunities facing those working with these new types of urban data are manifold given this the general theme for udms 2013 was recent and emerging trends in the management of new urban data this book contains 20 papers selected from the long papers that were submitted for udms 2013 each paper was reviewed by three independent academic reviewers from around the world both for academic quality and for clarity in communication the book is intended to be suitable for different readers from city planners and architects to academics students and policy makers and those involved in urban planning

Information Committee Annual Report 2013-14- 1st Report of Session 2013-14 2014-05-15 the report was written by senior scholars of international studies and indian ocean studies and focuses on international relations in indian ocean region and covers many aspects of indo pacific the report includes both strategic review and major events and related data in this region this book also includes the origin the aims frameworks and regional and global impact of indo pacific the book includes the authors from 5 different institutes in china which provide readers with a full and authentic picture of indo pacific most recent development this year s annual report is the sixth of this kind and the only one which covers exclusive on the indian ocean

region in china

Annual Report on the Development of the Indian Ocean Region (2018) 2019-06-11
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business and management studies ecrm 2013 print version published by academic
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ECRM2013-Proceedings of the 12th European Conference on Research Methods
2013-04-07 following the 2008 global financial crisis canada appeared to escape the
austerity implemented elsewhere but this was spin hiding the reality a closer look
reveals that the provinces responsible for delivering essential public and social
services such as education and healthcare shouldered the burden the public sector in
an age of austerity examines public sector austerity in the provinces and territories
specifically addressing how austerity was implemented what forms austerity agendas
took from regressive taxes and new user fees to public sector layoffs and privatization
schemes and what if any political responses resulted contributors focus on the period
from 2007 to 2015 the global financial crisis and the period of fiscal consolidation
that followed while also providing a longer historical context austerity is not a new
phenomenon a granular examination of each jurisdiction identifies how changing
fiscal conditions have affected the delivery of public services and restructured public
finances highlighting the consequences such changes have had for public sector
workers and users of public services the first book of its kind in canada the public
sector in an age of austerity challenges conventional wisdom by showing that canada
did not escape post crisis austerity and that its recovery has been vastly overstated
The Public Sector in an Age of Austerity 2018-07-23 in the next twenty years the
world economy will enjoy one of its strongest periods of growth greater innovation
and technical change will increase opportunities life expectancy income and
educational standards will rise the west s share in the global economic cake may get
smaller but there will be more cake than ever before these are the predictions of
gerard lyons a leading international economist who spent nearly thirty years working
in the city he is now the chief economic adviser to the mayor of london over the last
quarter century he has been ahead of the game in predicting the major economic
trends that we now take as a given the consolations of economics is a lucid and
accessible expert s attempt to look objectively at the changing global economy what
is happening and what it means he shows how we can embrace change rather than
hide from it the results are fascinating refreshing and unusually cheering
The Consolations of Economics 2014-06-17 this book explores financial stability
issues in the context of east asia in the east asian region financial stability has been a
major concern ever since the asian crisis of 1997 98 which still looms large in the
collective memory of the affected countries the global crisis which had its starting
point in 2007 only served to exacerbate this concern safeguarding financial stability
is therefore a major goal of any country in the region diverging cultural political and
economic backgrounds may however pose different stability challenges and necessary
cooperation may be complicated by this diversity against this backdrop the
contributions of this book by leading academics from the fields of economics and law
as well as by practitioners from central banks shed light on various financial stability

issues the volume explores the legal environment of central banks as lenders of last resort and analyzes challenges to financial stability such as shadow banking and the choice of exchange rate regimes case studies from china japan and indonesia are contrasted with experiences from europe

Central Banking and Financial Stability in East Asia 2015-06-18 membership in service clubs provides the first rigorous assessment of the activities of rotary a global service organization founded in 1905 that implements projects and helps build goodwill and peace throughout the world

Membership in Service Clubs 2014-04-04 this publication discusses the impacts of innovation and innovation policies on industrial territorial and social inclusiveness in the world economy

Innovation Policies for Inclusive Growth 2015-05-22 this book provides a unique map of the focus and directions of contemporary research on school leadership since 2000 in 24 countries each of these directions has its own particular cultural educational and policy history taken together the various chapters in the volume provide a rich and varied mosaic of what is currently known and what is yet to be discovered about the roles and practices of principals and their contributions to the improvement of teaching and the learning and achievement of students the particular foci and methodological emphases of the research reported illustrate the different phases in the development of educational policies and provision in each country this collection is an important addition to existing international research that has shown beyond any reasonable doubt that the influence of school principals is second only to that of teachers in their capacity to impact students progress and achievement and to promote equity and social justice

Rural White Paper Action Plan 2014 this research based book investigates the effects of digital transformation on the cultural and creative sectors through cases and examples the book examines how artists and art institutions are facing the challenges posed by digital transformation highlighting both positive and negative effects of the phenomenon with contributions from an international range of scholars the book examines how digital transformation is changing the way the arts are produced and consumed as relative late adopters of digital technologies the arts organizations are shown to be struggling to adapt as issues of authenticity legitimacy control trust and co creation arise leveraging a variety of research approaches the book identifies managerial implications to render a collection that is valuable reading for scholars involved with arts and culture management the creative industries and digital transformation more broadly

A Decade of Research on School Principals 2015-11-13 this volume of essays is focused on the significance of the book of exodus for studies in the septuagint second temple jewish literature the new testament and christian theology a diverse group of scholars from various parts of the world many of whom are well known in their fields employs a range of methodologies in the treatment of text critical linguistic literary historical cultural exegetical intertextual and theological topics parts of the relevant literary corpus that are dealt with in relation to the book of exodus include genesis leuiticus deuteronomy psalms zechariah 3 maccabees the gospels of matthew and

mark the epistles of 1 thessalonians hebrews and 1 peter as well as the dead sea scrolls this book will be a valuable resource for scholars and students in the areas of biblical and theological studies as well as clergy the distinguished contributors include emanuel tov albert pietersma daniela scialabba craig a evans james m scott martin g abegg jr and wolfgang kraus

Digital Transformation in the Cultural and Creative Industries 2020-12-29 best practices from australia s high performing school systems empowered educators in australia is one volume in a series that explores how high performing educational systems from around the world achieve strong results the anchor book empowered educators how high performing systems shape teaching quality around the world is written by linda darling hammond and colleagues with contributions from the authors of this volume the authors of empowered educators in australia take an in depth look at the policies and practices surrounding teaching quality in two different states new south wales nsw and victoria nsw offers significant support for government schools in areas such as staffing and teacher professional development victoria operates a highly devolved school system each provides a contrasting view of how federal and state policies combine to shape learning outcomes for students in australia the interplay between state and federal policy characterizes an intriguing centralizing decentralization initiatives to create national curricular teaching and teacher education standards all sit in balanced tension with a movement towards greater devolution of authority to schools together the nsw and victoria case studies provide insights into policies that can support high quality teaching in a federal education system australia s current educational reforms place increasing emphasis on issues of teaching quality reshaping teaching as a standards based evidence informed profession and one that seeks to foster collegiality and professional exchange these reforms encompass many aspects of a system that supports teaching quality and highlight the way teachers are trained how they are inducted into the teaching profession and supported with mentors the professional learning they receive how they are appraised on their work and the career pathways for teachers

Themes and Texts, Exodus and Beyond 2024-01-25 the failure of many governments to provide basic rights for their citizens has given rise to the expectation that globally operating corporations should step in and fill governance gaps for example in the area of human rights today many large multinational corporations claim to conduct business in a socially responsible manner yet no tools exist to assess whether and to what degree they have indeed systematically revised their business practices to take on these new responsibilities managing corporate legitimacy addresses these research gaps by clarifying the role of the corporation as a private actor in global governance at conceptual and empirical levels by contributing to our theoretical understanding of cc as a new phenomenon in globalization and by furthering the development of appropriate approaches to cc in practice through its toolkit the tool structures the implementation process in five learning stages defensive compliance managerial strategic and civil the final civil stage describes political corporate behaviour the author includes an empirical assessment of five swiss multinationals in this book which reveals that most companies even those with relatively long standing

and mature policies on social and environmental issues have only just started to learn how to become corporate citizens the book therefore concludes with a discussion of an issue specific extension of the assessment tool and presents methods for setting priorities in the approach to corporate citizenship that may also facilitate corporate engagement with stakeholders the tools developed in this book provide practical and detailed guidance for implementing and embedding cc and managing corporate legitimacy it will be essential reading for practitioners looking for ways to legitimize their engagement with societal issues and for academics considering how we can better measure the engagement of business with cc

Empowered Educators in Australia 2017-02-22 this book explores new grounds that public diplomacy is entering today as domestic publics come to the forefront of the policy acting both as foreign policy constituencies and public diplomacy actors cooperating with their foreign counterparts the author discusses the phenomena of public diplomacy s domestic dimension described as government s ability to engage its own society in foreign policy practices through information cooperation and identity defining by analysing data from over 80 recorded interviews with australian norwegian and american public diplomacy practitioners this volume illustrates both successful and unsuccessful models of such cooperation from norwegian peace diplomacy through australia s ambivalent engagement with asia to u s government sponsored exchange programs the author argues that governments around the world are slowly accepting a paradigm shift in diplomatic practice from monological dialogical to a more collaborative public diplomacy this book is an essential resource for students scholars experts and diplomats interested in world s best practices of engaging domestic civil society actors in foreign policy statecraft

Managing Corporate Legitimacy 2017-09-08 an eye opening deep dive into the sources and consequences of how china has financed its rise to global economic prominence in the red dream the chinese communist party and the financial deterioration of china veteran finance executive carl walter uses his unique experience in chinese finance to deepen his exploration of how the chinese communist party finances its obsession with gdp growth and social control overwhelmingly debt fueled the party s financial strategy has driven an unsustainable growth in banking and state enterprise assets inevitably the party s own financial health is being severely weakened and china s future over the next decades put in doubt you ll also find a discussion of the financial power of local governments and the ponzi scheme created by their sale of land use rights how china s entry into the world trade organization gave rise to today s china how the party and china s regulators enable banks to present outstanding performance metrics an exploration of the party s financial assets and liabilities since 1979 examples of financial crisis management and related costs incurred by china and the us a look at japan s experience as a potential guide for china future development an essential read for anyone interested in international economics geopolitics and finance the red dream will also earn a place in the hands of finance professionals bankers policymakers corporate strategists and investors

The Domestic Dimension of Public Diplomacy 2016-10-15 stpm past year q a series

stpm 2013 mathematics m term 3 paper 3 all questions are sorted according to the sub chapters of the new stpm syllabus questions and sample answers with full workings are provided some of sample solutions included are collected from the forums online please be reminded that the sample solutions are not 100 following the real stpm marking scheme

The Red Dream 2022-08-31 stem integration in k 12 education examines current efforts to connect the stem disciplines in k 12 education this report identifies and characterizes existing approaches to integrated stem education both in formal and after and out of school settings the report reviews the evidence for the impact of integrated approaches on various student outcomes and it proposes a set of priority research questions to advance the understanding of integrated stem education stem integration in k 12 education proposes a framework to provide a common perspective and vocabulary for researchers practitioners and others to identify discuss and investigate specific integrated stem initiatives within the k 12 education system of the united states stem integration in k 12 education makes recommendations for designers of integrated stem experiences assessment developers and researchers to design and document effective integrated stem education this report will help to further their work and improve the chances that some forms of integrated stem education will make a positive difference in student learning and interest and other valued outcomes

STPM 2013 MM Term 3 Paper 3 - STPM Mathematics (M) Yearly Past Year Q & A 2014-02-28 this book investigates whether a power shift has taken place in the asia pacific region since the end of the cold war by systematically examining the development of power dynamics in asia pacific it challenges the notion that a wealthier and militarily more powerful china is automatically turning the regional tides in its favour with a special emphasis on sino us competition the book explores the alleged linkage between the regional distribution of relevant material and immaterial capabilities national power and the much cited regional power shift the book presents a novel concept for measuring power in international relations by outlining a composite index on aggregated power ciap that includes 55 variables for 44 regional countries and covers a period of twenty years moreover it develops a middle power theory that outlines the significance of middle powers in times of major power shifts by addressing political military and economic cooperation via a structured focused comparison and by applying a comparative historical analysis the book analyses in depth the bilateral relations of six regional middle powers to washington and beijing

STEM Integration in K-12 Education 2016-11-03 the standard resource for teachers of the uniform series

Shifting Power in Asia-Pacific? 2012-05 transnational corporations is a policy oriented journal for the publication of research on the activities of transnational corporations and their implication for economic development articles accepted for publication in this issue report on the following research themes international tax

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Transnational Corporations 2017-02-17 this book provides key insights into how educational leaders can successfully navigate the turbulence of political debate surrounding leading student assessment and professionalised practice given the highly politicised nature of assessment it addresses leaders and aspiring leaders who are open to being challenged willing to explore controversy and capable of engaging in informed critical discourse the book presents the macro concepts that these audiences must have to guide optimal assessment policy and practice collectively the chapters highlight important assessment purposes and models including intended and unintended effects of assessment in a globalised context the book provides opportunities to explore cultural similarities and particularities it invites readers to challenge taken for granted assumptions about ourselves and colleagues in other settings the chapters highlight the cultural clashes that may occur when cross cultural borrowing of assessment strategies policies and tools takes place however authors also encourage sophisticated critical analyses of potential lessons that may be drawn from other contexts and systems readers will encounter challenges from authors to deconstruct their assessment values beliefs and preconceptions indeed one purpose of the book is to destabilise certainties about assessment that prevail and to embrace the assessment possibilities that can emerge from cognitive dissonance

ACCA P3 Business Analysis 2015-10-20 a rare insider s account of the inner workings of the japanese economy and the bank of japan s monetary policy by a career central banker the japanese economy once the envy of the world for its dynamism and growth lost its shine after a financial bubble burst in early 1990s and slumped further during the global financial crisis in 2008 it suffered even more damage in 2011 when a severe earthquake set off the fukushima daiichi nuclear disaster however the bank of japan soldiered on to combat low inflation low growth and low interest rates and in many ways it served as a laboratory for actions taken by central banks in other parts of the world masaaki shirakawa who led the bank as governor from 2008 to 2013 provides a rare insider s account of the workings of japanese economic and monetary policy during this period and how it challenged mainstream economic thinking

Assessment in Education 2014 books have long been objects of beauty for many centuries and in societies across the world bookmakers have lavished great care on the paper binding materials and illustrations that surround the words on a page as well as on the lettering or type in which those words appear this volume featuring an array of beautiful books from the british library s collection focuses on the sensory experience of holding these objects in your hands each book represents a specific moment in the development of the object from scrolls and bound illuminated manuscripts to paperbacks and formatted digital information the books range from the seventh century to the present and include examples from china japan southeast asia and the middle east as well as europe and north america with separate features on book traditions in africa and oceania expert curators and other specialists explore these books from the perspective of design and manufacturing with original art

photographs that zero in on their texture and materials as well as graphics that detail their size number of folios and other specifications offering a wide ranging look at the creation and use of books this volume is itself an object of beauty

Annual Report 2021-08-10 brookings papers on economic activity bpea provides academic and business economists government officials and members of the financial and business communities with timely research on current economic issues contents on secular stagnation in the industrialized world lukasz rachel and lawrence h summers a forensic examination of china s national accounts wei chen xilu chen chang tai hsieh and zheng song a unified approach to measuring u richard k crump stefano eusepi maric giannoni and ays egül s ahin fiscal space and the aftermath of financial crises how it matters and why christina d romer and david h romer okun revisited who benefits most from a strong economy stephanies r aaronson mary c daly william l wascher and david w wilcox on the economics of a carbon tax for the united states gilbert e metcalf

Tumultuous Times 2023 a globalization process epitomised by historically large cross border population movements with rapidly improving networking and communication technologies has resulted in the growth of ethnic diversity across newly industrialised economies instead of adapting to a dominant host country culture many ethnic minorities seek to preserve their identities both as diasporic communities and within their adopted countries for marketers it has been recognised as crucial to understand the unique needs of these individuals and to develop superior marketing strategies that meet their preferences ethnic marketing shows the rich opportunities that ethnic minority communities have to offer as well as offering instruction on the design and implementation of effective social and business marketing strategies the text offers practical guidance on assessing the needs of individual ethnic communities and a guide to marketing to these communities within various countries since the publication of pires and stanton s 2005 book there has been continuing changes in the political social and economic environment in many countries which have growing ethnic minorities incorporating new research across disciplines on the marketing relevance of ethnic minorities this book also integrates contributions and excerpts from in depth interviews conducted with leading marketing experts whose views and insights stimulate discussion and result in in an invaluable guide to best practice in ethnic marketing across the world plus expert insights into the future of this dynamic area this is an excellent resource for researchers and advanced marketing students taking both postgraduate and undergraduate courses in marketing management or strategy as well as government marketing practitioners and businesses seeking ways to reach ethnic communities

The Book by Design 2019-12-10 this collection asks questions about the received wisdom of the debate about capital punishment woven through the book questions are asked of and remedies proposed for a raft of issues identified as having been overlooked in the traditional discourse it provides a long overdue review of the disparate groups and strategies that lay claim to abolitionism the authors argue that capital litigators should use their skills challenging the abuses not just of process but of the conditions in which the condemned await their fate namely prison conditions

education leisure visits medical services etc in the aftermath of successful constitutional challenges it is the beneficiaries arguably those who are considered successes having been saved from the death penalty and now serving living death penalties of one sort or another who are suffering the cruel and inhumane alternative part i of the book offers a selection of diverse nuanced examinations of death penalty phenomena scrutinizing complexities frequently omitted from the narrative of academics and activists it offers a challenging and comprehensive analysis of issues critical to the abolition debate part ii offers examinations of countries usually absent from academic analysis to provide an understanding of the status of the debate locally with opportunities for wider application

Brookings Papers on Economic Activity: Spring 2019 2014-12-05 with the development of chinese infrastructure the consumption of silicate building materials has been increasing yearly meanwhile the requirements of sustainable development for silicate building materials are also increasing due to the strengthening of people s consciousness of environment protection the aim of this book is to publish the latest research progress on silicate building materials which have been discussed on 2013 annual meeting of chinese ceramic society s building materials branch moreover this book will provide the platform for researchers all over the world to exchange their ideas on building materials this collection contains 73 papers from the 2013 annual meeting of the chinese ceramic society s building materials professional committees of stone aggregate and utilization of solid waste held in november and december of 2013 in wuhan china papers focus on silicate building materials and their sustainable development including cement based materials asphalt based materials and other materials and technology and specific aspects like performance preparation treatment processes technological conditions environmental impact analysis life cycle assessment properties and effects paper authors are engineers and other scientists from china ceramics material science sustainability

Ethnic Marketing 2014 this book analyses the role of businesses in regulating and influencing the exercise of free speech on the internet

Memoirs of the Institute of Scientific and Industrial Research, Osaka University 2014-01-28 advancements in the field of information technology have transformed the way businesses interact with each other and their customers businesses now require customized products and services to reflect their constantly changing environment yet this results in cutting edge products with relatively short lifecycles innovative solutions for implementing global supply chains in emerging markets addresses the roles of knowledge management and information technology within emerging markets this forward thinking title explores the current trends in supply chain management knowledge acquisition and transfer mechanisms among supply chain partners and knowledge management paradigms this book is an invaluable resource for researchers business professionals and students business analysts and marketing professionals

Capital Punishment: New Perspectives 2014 recently technology and aging have been key research areas in human cognition the research topic digital skills and life long learning digital learning as a new insight of enhanced learning by the innovative

approach joining technology and cognition investigated technology's impact on cognitive and intellectual processes highlighting how intensively technology can change and or enhance the cognitive functioning throughout one's lifespan the aim of this research topic was to provide an outlook through multidisciplinary research and development while addressing the dynamic intersection of cognition mind and technology our scope was 1 to favor the cognitive technology debate 2 to overcome the dichotomies of technology and psychology 3 to emphasize the advances in knowledge and well being this research topic comprises review studies and original articles focused on digital skills that enhance human potential transversal approaches and cross sectorial analysis were encouraged leading to investigation areas related to cognitive and mental processing in educational rehabilitation clinical settings across aging articles of high relevance to the research topic were submitted on the subjects of a research in human performance and human factors b new research and technologies addressing the needs of a growing populace and c cognitive aging and cognitive rehabilitation research

Silicate Building Materials 2015-08-07 viewed from a global scale steady progress has been made in reducing extreme poverty defined by the 1.25 a day poverty line over the past three decades this success has sparked renewed enthusiasm about the possibility of eradicating extreme poverty within a generation however progress is expected to become more difficult and slower over time this book will examine three central changes that need to be overcome in traveling the last mile breaking cycles of conflict supporting inclusive growth and managing shocks and risks by uncovering new evidence and identifying new ideas and solutions for spurring peace jobs and resilience in poor countries the last mile in ending extreme poverty will outline an agenda to inform poverty reduction strategies for governments donors charities and foundations around the world contents part i peace breaking the cycle of conflict external finance for state and peace building marcus manuel and alistair mckechnie overseas development institute reforming international cooperation to improve the sustainability of peace bruce jones brookings and new york university bridging state and local communities through livelihood improvements ryutaro murotani jica and yoichi mine jica ri and doshisha university postconflict trajectories and the potential for poverty reduction gary milante sipri part ii jobs supporting inclusive growth structural change and africa's poverty puzzle john page brookings public goods for private jobs lessons from the pacific shane evans michael carnahan and alice steele department of foreign affairs and trade government of australia strategies for inclusive development in agrarian sub saharan countries akio hosono jica ri the role of agriculture in poverty reduction john mcarthur brookings un foundation and fung global institute part iii resilience managing shocks and risks environmental stress and conflict stephen smith george washington university and brookings toward community resilience the role of social capital after disasters go shimada jica ri social protection and the end of extreme poverty raj desai georgetown university and brookings

Regulating Speech in Cyberspace 2016-01-28 american higher education is at a crossroads technological innovations and disruptive market forces are buffeting

colleges and universities at the very time their financial structure grows increasingly fragile disinvestment by states has driven up tuition prices at public colleges and student debt has reached a startling record high of one trillion dollars cost minded students and their families and the public at large are questioning the worth of a college education even as study after study shows how important it is to economic and social mobility and as elite institutions trim financial aid and change other business practices in search of more sustainable business models racial and economic stratification in american higher education is only growing in american higher education in crisis what everyone needs to know goldie blumenstyk who has been reporting on higher education trends for 25 years guides readers through the forces and trends that have brought the education system to this point and highlights some of the ways they will reshape america s colleges in the years to come blumenstyk hones in on debates over the value of post secondary education problems of affordability and concerns about the growing economic divide fewer and fewer people can afford the constantly increasing tuition price of college blumenstyk shows and yet college graduates in the united states now earn on average twice as much as those with only a high school education she also discusses faculty tenure and growing administrative bureaucracies on campuses considers new demands for accountability such as those reflected in the u s department of education s college scorecard and questions how the money chase in big time college athletics revelations about colleges falsifying rankings data and corporate style presidential salaries have soured public perception higher education is facing a serious set of challenges but solutions have also begun to emerge blumenstyk highlights how institutions are responding to the rise of alternative educational opportunities and the new academic and business models that are appearing and considers how the obama administration and public organizations are working to address questions of affordability diversity and academic integrity she addresses some of the advances in technology colleges are employing to attract and retain students outlines emerging competency based programs that are reshaping conceptions of a college degree and offers readers a look at promising innovations that could alter the higher education landscape in the near future an extremely timely and focused look at this embattled and evolving arena this primer emphasizes how open ended the conversation about higher education s future remains and illuminates how big the stakes are for students colleges and the nation

Innovative Solutions for Implementing Global Supply Chains in Emerging Markets

2019-03-01 a systematic and wide ranging survey of the scholarship on regionalism regionalisation and regional governance unpacking the major debates leading authors of the field synthesise the state of the art provide a guide to the comparative study of regionalism and identify future avenues of research

Digital Skills and Life-long Learning: Digital Learning as a New Insight of Enhanced Learning by the Innovative Approach Joining Technology and Cognition 2015-07-20

this volume book brings together nine background papers prepared for an evaluation by the imf independent evaluation office of the imf and the crises in greece ireland and portugal it presents an authoritative work on the evolving relationship between

the imf and the euro area a common currency area founded in 1999 consisting of advanced highly integrated economies in europe the euro area or any common currency area for that matter has posed challenges to the imf s operational activities as its articles of agreement contain no provision for joint membership the challenges became intense when a series of crises erupted in greece ireland and portugal from 2009 to 2011 and the fund was called upon to help intervene by offering its financing and crisis management expertise the imf found itself in uncharted territory where there was no precedent or established procedure the chapters many of which are prepared by prominent academics and former senior imf officials who are thoroughly familiar with internal procedures discuss various aspects of the imf s engagement with the euro area including precrisis surveilliance how key decisions were made how the imf collaborated with european institutions and how it designed and implemented its lending programs with the three crisis countries the book gives prominence to governance related issues given the large voting share of more than 20 percent within the imf of euro area members and the subsequent public perception that the imf treated the euro area more favorably than it does developing and emerging market members the approaches are both cross cutting and country based some chapters deal with issues related to the euro area as a whole while others focus on how the fund engaged with individual euro area countries the book contains a statement on the ieo evaluation by the imf managing director and a summing up of the executive board discussion held in july 2016

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