

## Breaking Through

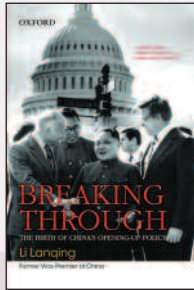
*The Birth of China's Opening-up Policy*

Li Lanqing

The first account by a senior Chinese official of the creation and implementation of China's Opening-up Policy available in English. A particularly detailed history, the book describes many of the specific people, political challenges, and policy steps involved in China's economic reform and opening to the outside world.

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David I. Steinberg

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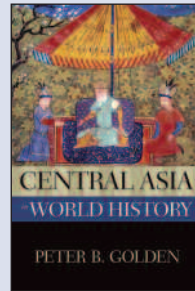
Peter B. Golden,  
Emeritus, Rutgers  
University

This compact book traces the history of the nomadic steppe tribes and sedentary inhabitants of the oasis city-states of Central Asia from pre-history to the present. Golden covers themes of trade, religion, empire, technology, and language as he introduces readers to the people who have inhabited this region.

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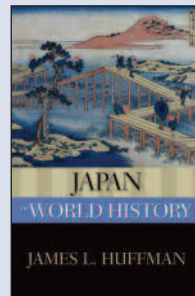
James L. Huffman,  
Emeritus, Wittenberg  
College

Here is a page-turning, compact history of Japan from earliest times to the present, with a focus on its often tempestuous, often creative relationships with other countries. The book ranges from Japan's prehistoric interactions with Korea and China, to the Western challenge of the late 1500s, the partial isolation under the Tokugawa family (1600–1868), and the tumultuous interactions of more recent times, when Japan modernized ferociously, turned imperialist, lost a world war, then became the world's second largest economy—and its greatest foreign aid donor.

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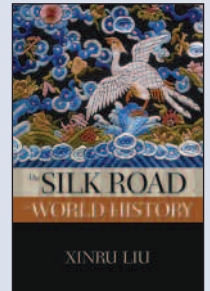
Xinru Liu, College of  
New Jersey, and Chinese  
Academy of Social  
Sciences

The Silk Road was the name for a complex of ancient trade routes linking East Asia with Central Asia, South Asia, and the Mediterranean world. Using demand and supply as the framework for analysing the formation and development of the Silk Road, this book examines the dynamics of the interactions of the nomadic pastoralists with sedentary agriculturalists, and the spread of new ideas, religions, and values into the world of commerce thus illustrating the cultural forces underlying material transactions.

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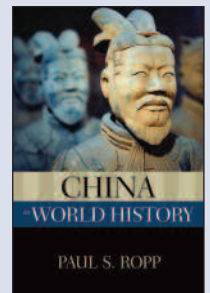
Paul Ropp, Clark  
University

Chinese history is packed with dramatic stories of individuals, including the prominent (emperors, generals, scholars, and artists), and the humble (peasants, artisans, mothers, courtesans, and concubines). In this history of China from Neolithic times to the present, Paul Ropp uses the stories of people—groups and individuals—to illustrate key themes of China's political, social, and cultural history.

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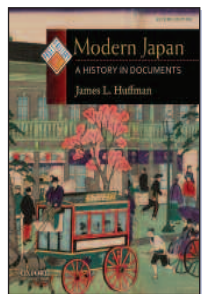
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SECOND EDITION



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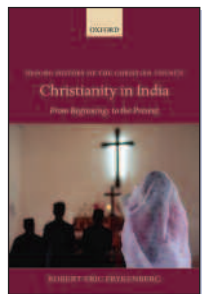
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Flora Annie Steel and Grace Gardiner

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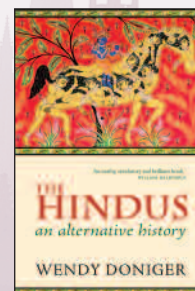
Jonathan Wright, *Sunday Herald*

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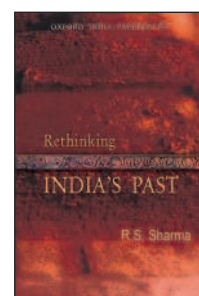
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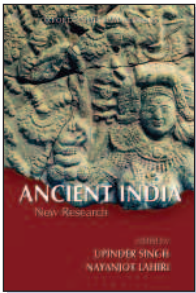
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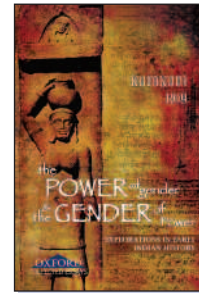
**Sajida Sultana Alvi**, McGill University

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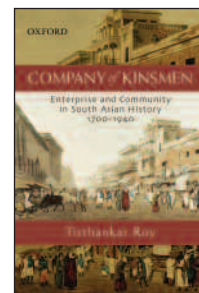
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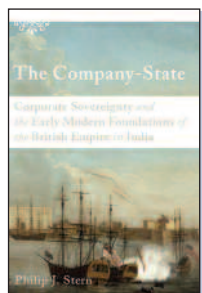
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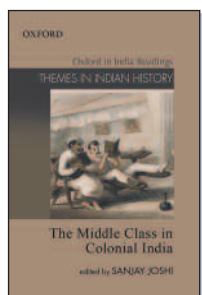
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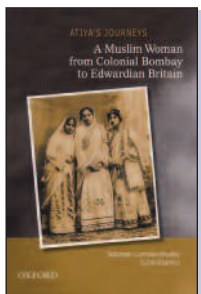
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A Reader



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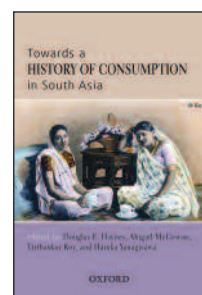
This reader provides a multilayered analysis of different aspects of history, politics, economy and its interface with environment and ecology in early India.

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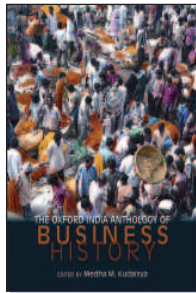
**Images and Contexts***The Historiography of Science and Modernity in India***Dhruv Raina**, Jawaharlal Nehru University

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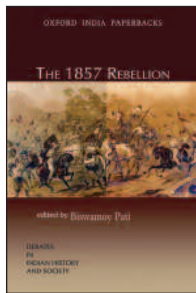
characterize the role played by Indian business in the making of modern India.

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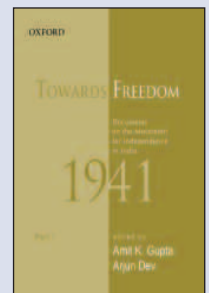
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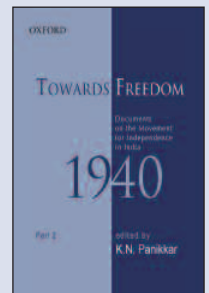
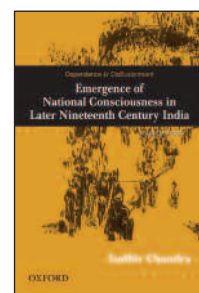
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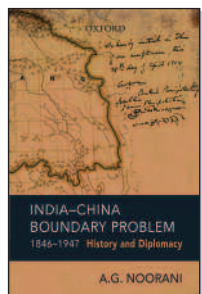
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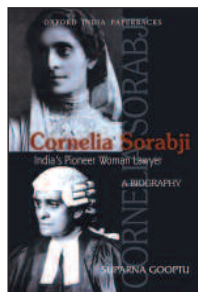
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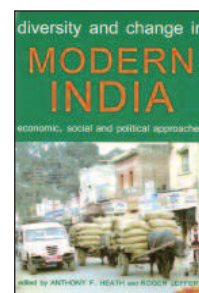
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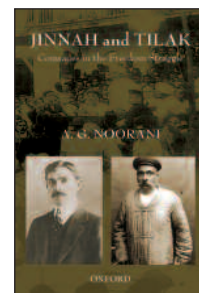
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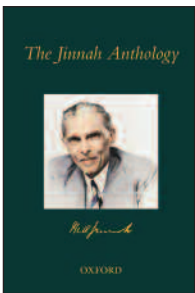
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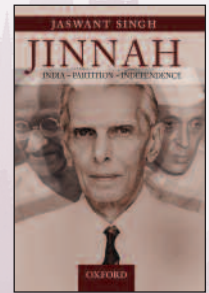
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