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Paul A. Sabatier

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Richard D. Leppert

The Body Imagined: Nudity and Cultural Differences in Western Art

This extensively illustrated volume explores nudity and its different meanings in paintings of Western Societies from the fifteenth century to the modern day. Author Richard Leppert relates the visual history of how the naked body intersects with the foundational characteristics of what it is to be human, measured against a range of basic emotions: happiness, desire, and delight to fear, anxiety, and abjection. It offers an in-depth understanding of the nude and the various ways in which it mirrors time and culture by addressing issues such as sexuality, gender, class, age, and race throughout the centuries, in paintings representing both American and European culture and history. • Richard D. Leppert is Morse Alumni Distinguished Teaching Professor in the Department of Cultural Studies and Comparative Literature at the University of Minnesota.

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Rebecca Plante

Sexualities in Context

This is an intriguing and accessible textbook presenting a broad overview of the socio-cultural elements of sexualities. With helpful anecdotes and examples of the social construction of sex and gender roles, readers are empowered to think outside their comfort zones and encouraged to explore the topic of sex in a new context. With eminently readable language and useful pedagogical features this is the ideal textbook to help students recognize sex as not only a personal issue, but a socially constructed issue as well. • Rebecca Plante is Assistant Professor of Sociology at Ithaca College. She is co-editor of the anthology, *Sexualities*, with Michael Kimmel (Oxford, 2003).

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Paul Friedlander

Rock and Roll: A Social History

This is a readable, engaging, and comprehensive overview of rock and roll since its inception in the 1950s, revised and updated to include the advent of other rock and roll trends of the 1990s and the new millennium. In this musical journey, Paul Friedlander offers the melodious strains and hard-edged riffs of Elvis Presley, The Beatles, The Who, Motown, and much more. One of the only supplementary texts that provides students of music history and music sociology courses with a complete social and cultural history, this refreshing and captivating book takes you on a journey through the landscape of rock and roll, and is appealing to both students and general audiences alike. • Paul Friedlander is Director of the Music Industry Program at Chico State University.

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Pamela Chasek, David L. Downie, and Janet Welsh Brown

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This comprehensive guide to the process and politics of global environmental policy-making is a perfect user-friendly guide for students new to the topic. Today, the environment is considered to be the central topic to discussions on political economy and the relationship between foreign and domestic policy. This concise and comprehensive overview meets these current day challenges, with new case studies and a new section on trade and environment, making it more up-to-date than any other survey of international environmental politics on the market. In addition the authors have covered key topics such as the Kyoto Protocol and international forest policy. "As an introductory text, this book could hardly be bettered." —*Times Literary Supplement*

- Pamela Chasek is the founder and editor of *Earth Negotiations Bulletin*.
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- Janet Welsh Brown is a visiting fellow at the World Resources Institute.

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William E. Rosenbach and Robert L. Taylor

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- William Rosenbach is the Evans Professor of Eisenhower Leadership Studies and Professor of Management at Gettysburg College.
- Robert Taylor is Dean at the University of Louisville.

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Audrey Smedley

Race in North America: Origin and Evolution of a Worldview, 3rd edition

In a sweeping work that traces the idea of race for more than three centuries, Audrey Smedley shows that "race" is a cultural invention that has been used variously and opportunistically since the eighteenth century. This third edition incorporates recently published new source materials on the history of race ideology. And because "race" now has global manifestations, it also introduces the work of scholars who are beginning to examine this ideology cross-culturally. This new edition also looks more closely at the positions and arguments of contemporary race scientists who maintain that race is a valid biological concept and that there are significant differences among the races. *Race in North America* offers a compelling analysis of the evolution of the idea of "race" and the cultural contexts from which it emerged.

- Audrey Smedley is professor emeritus of anthropology and African-American studies at Virginia Commonwealth University.

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