

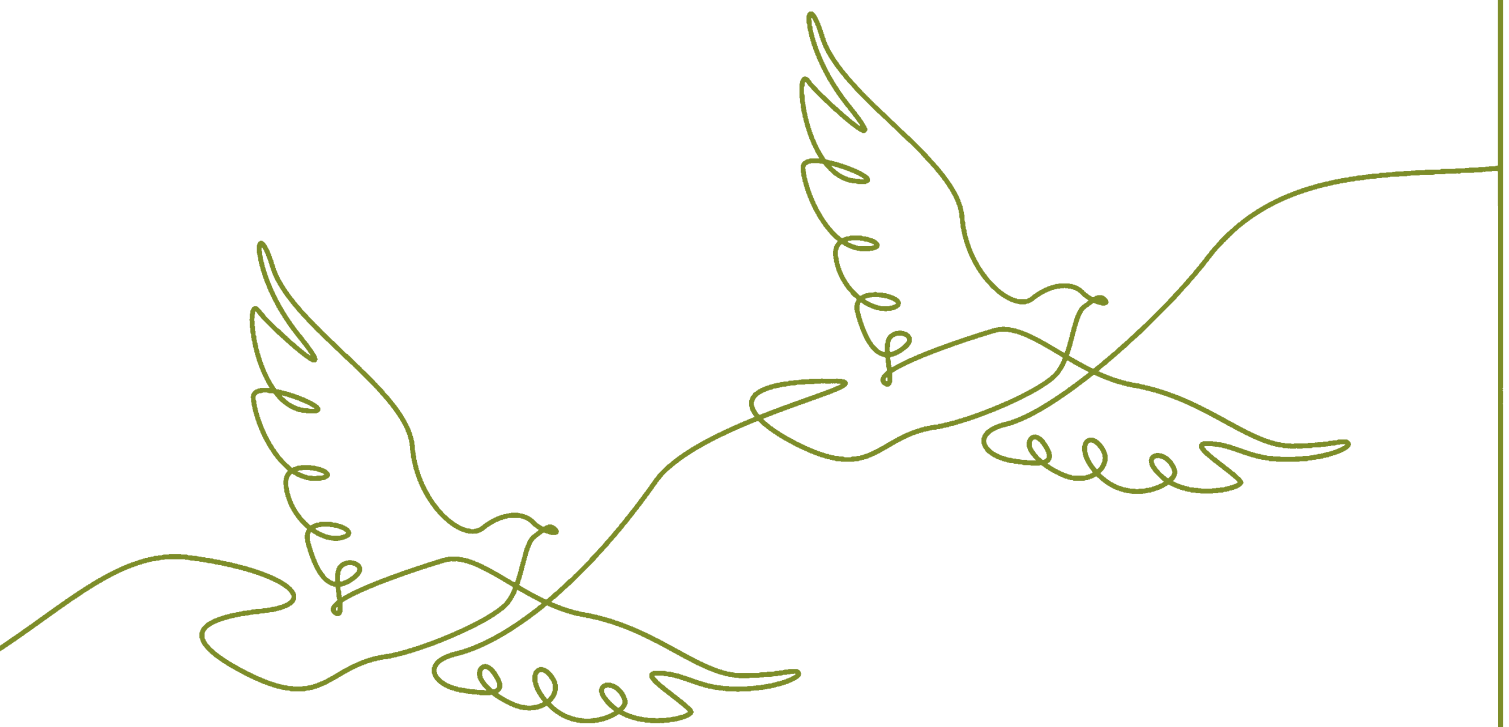
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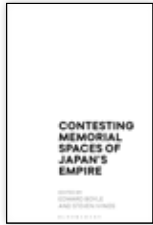
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Edited by Edward Boyle, International Research Center for Japanese Studies, Japan & Steven Ivings, Kyoto University, Japan

Shining a timely spotlight, this book examines the complicated histories and disputed legacies of various sites associated with Japan's empire in

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War, Travel and the Reimagining of History

Ryota Nishino, Nagoya University, Japan

Translating a diverse range of Japanese sources, this book provides the first English-language

analysis of the social and political impact of Japanese interpretations of military action in Papua New Guinea. In bringing travel and war closer together through a comparative analysis of veterans' memoirs and the records of postwar travelers, this book explores how individuals consume, create, and recreate war histories. In doing so, Nishino reveals the extent to which the memory of defeat influenced the Japanese perceptions of Papua New Guinea and shaped future relations between the countries.

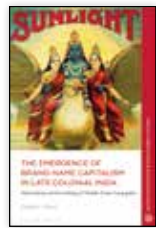
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The Emergence of Brand-Name Capitalism in Late Colonial India

Advertising and the Making of Modern Conjugality

Douglas E. Haynes, Dartmouth College, USA

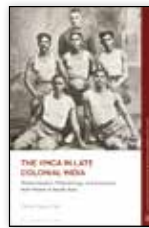
This book examines the emergence of professional advertising in western India during the interwar

period. It explores the ways in which global manufacturers advanced a 'brand-name capitalism' among the Indian middle class by promoting the sale of global commodities during the 1920s and 1930s, a time when advertising was first introduced in India as a profession and underwent critical transformations.

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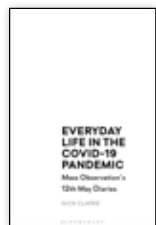
Harald Fischer-Tiné, ETH Zurich, Switzerland

This book explores the history and agendas of the Young Men's Christian Association (YMCA) through its activities in South Asia. Focusing on interactions between American 'Y' workers and the

local population, representatives of the British colonial state, and a host of international actors, it assesses their impact on the making of modern India. In turn, it shows how the knowledge and experience acquired by the Y in South Asia had a significant impact on US foreign policy, diplomacy and development programs in the region from the mid-1940s.

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Mass Observation's 12th May Diaries

Edited by Nick Clarke, University of Southampton, UK

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Phil Child

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David Grealy, Lancaster University, UK

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Raise the Standard High

John Morris, Independent Scholar, South Africa

This book looks at this little-known aspect of music and politics in domestic Britain in 1934. Centered around six key themes: technology, composers and

composing, experimentation and modern music, fascism abroad, fascism and politics at home and national identity, the book brings a fresh perspective to current literature. By including these themes, *Music and Politics in Thirties Britain* provides a thorough analysis of the relationship between music, musicians and fascism.

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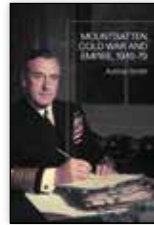
Places and Traces across the UK

Edited by Matt Cook, Birkbeck, University of London, UK, Alison Oram, Leeds Beckett University, UK & Justin Bengry, Goldsmiths, University of London

Ranging from the mid-19th century to the present, and from Edinburgh to Plymouth, this powerful

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Adrian Smith, University of Southampton, UK

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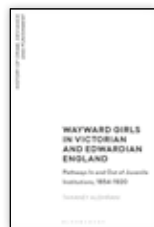
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Edited by Kirrily Freeman, Saint Mary's University, Canada & John Munro, Birmingham University, UK

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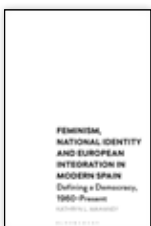
Natural Dyes and Dress in Europe, c. 1400-1800

Edited by *Giorgio Riello, University of Warwick, UK, Maria Hayward, University of Southampton, UK & Ulinka Rublack, Cambridge University, UK*

This highly illustrated book traces the history of colour through its relationship with clothing in Europe over four centuries in the pre-modern period. It reveals how, during this era, dyes spurred on aesthetic experiment, new modes of empirical observation and an intensification of globally interconnected trade. The book demonstrates that merchants and craftspeople generated new aesthetic possibilities through dye tones, successfully arguing that this set off a 'revolution in colour' that intertwined with the first age of globalization and consumerism.

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The Threshold of Disgust

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Right-Wing Terror Tactics, the Intellectual New Right, and the Destabilization of Memory in Germany since 1989

Esther Elizabeth Adaire, The Cooper Union, USA

This book exposes the evolution of right-wing extremism in Germany from 1989 to today. It reveals how disparate groups such as skinhead

neo-Nazis, New Right (*Neue Rechte*) intellectuals, and fringe political parties have merged over time to form a coherent extreme-right network that utilizes the destabilization of truth and historical memory as a tactic in its campaign of terror. This far-right scene, Esther Elizabeth Adaire adeptly demonstrates, embodies what the historian Walter Laqueur once dubbed 'Postmodern Terrorism': a mixture of cell-based terror structures, reliance on Internet technologies for organizational purposes, and the sowing of epistemic chaos via informational warfare.

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Gunter Henle and the Klockner Steel Conglomerate, 1899-1955

Volker R. Berghahn, Columbia University, USA

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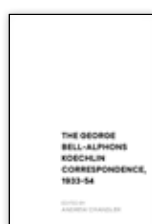
Power and Urban Space in Pre-Modern Holland

Arenas of Appropriation in the Netherlands, 1500-1850

Clé Lesger, University of Amsterdam, The Netherlands

Cities and urban societies have many faces. In this study, the pre-modern cities of Holland are presented as arenas where power relations between social classes are expressed in a more or less permanent appropriation of physical space and through discursive strategies. The continuity of the power relations in the cities of Holland, spanning centuries, makes it urgent to look not only at the assumption of urban space as an expression of power relations within society, but also at the contribution of this appropriation to the acceptance and continuity of the existing power relations in pre-modern Holland.

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Edited by Andrew Chandler, University of Chichester, UK

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Terry Tastard, University of Birmingham, UK

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Protest, Revolution and Commemoration

Edited by Ingrid Sharp, University of Leeds, UK, Matthew Stibbe, Sheffield Hallam University, UK & Corinne Painter, University of Leeds, UK

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Guðni Thorlacius Jóhannesson, President of Iceland

Iceland -- a small nation situated on a rocky and isolated island -- struggled for centuries to survive, but has risen to great prosperity in the modern era. The work provides a comprehensive summary of Iceland's history that shares a tale of independence

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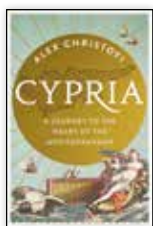
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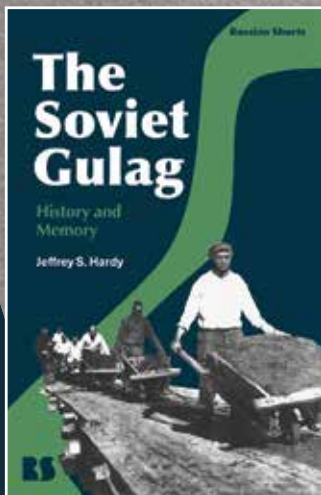
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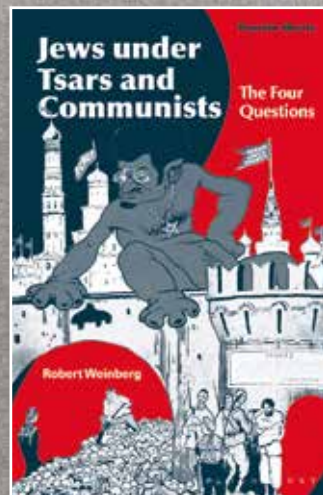
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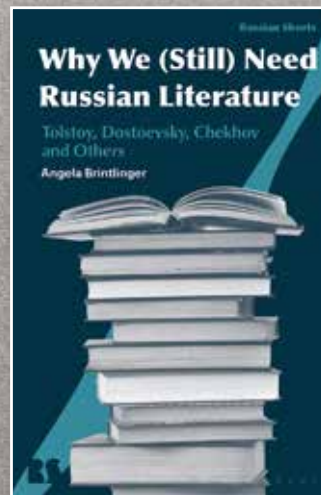
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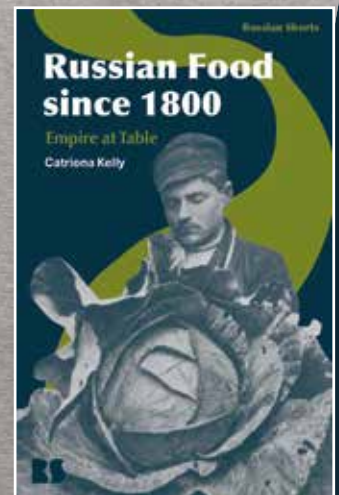
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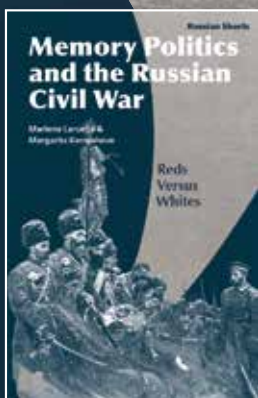
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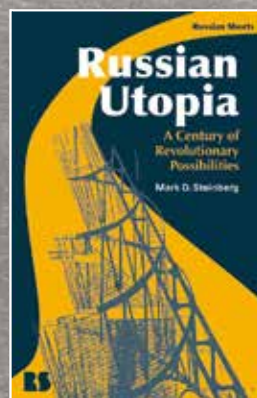
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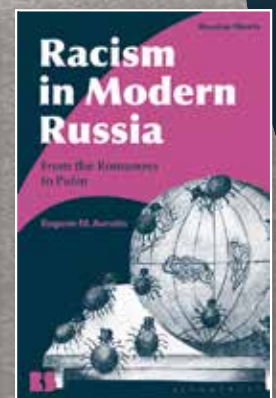
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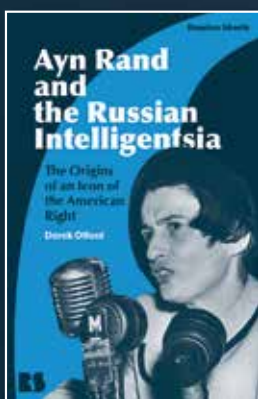
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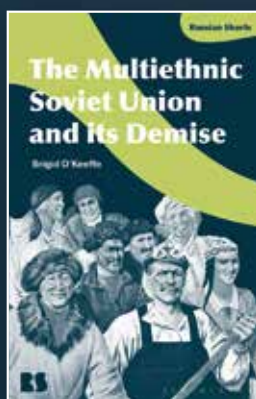
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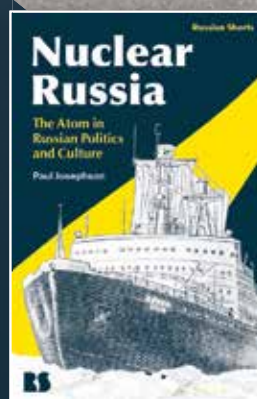
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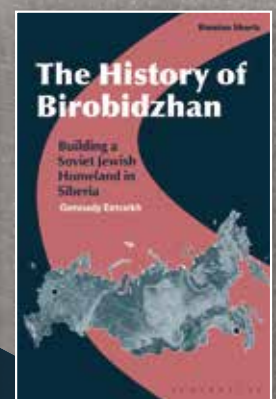
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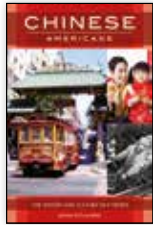
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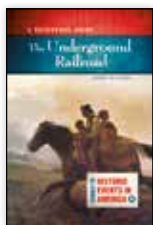
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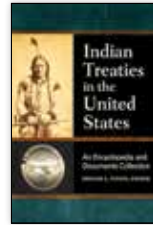
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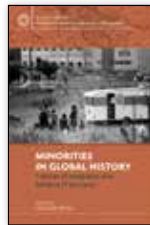
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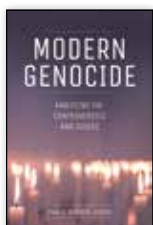
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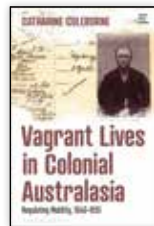
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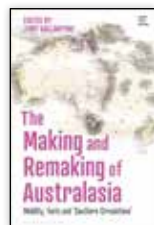
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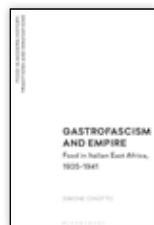
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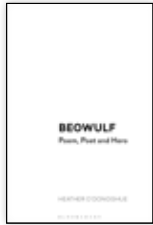
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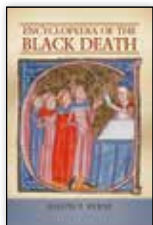
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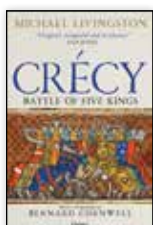
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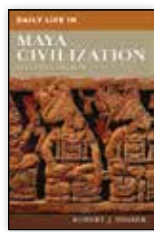
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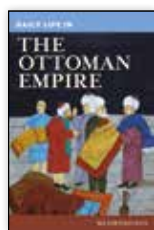
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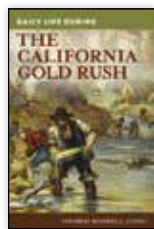
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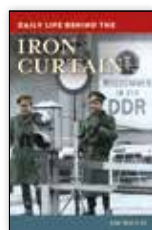
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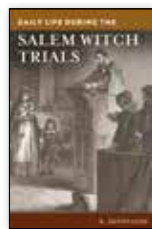
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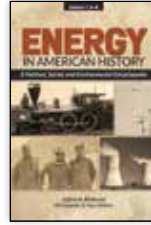


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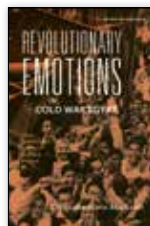
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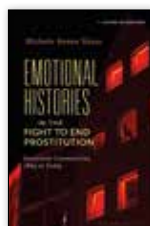
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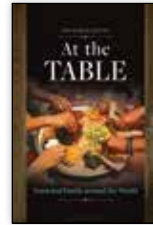
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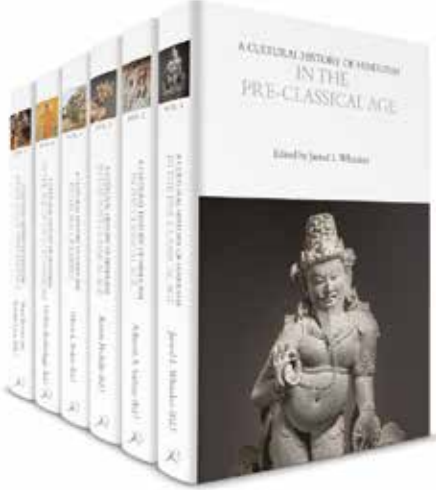
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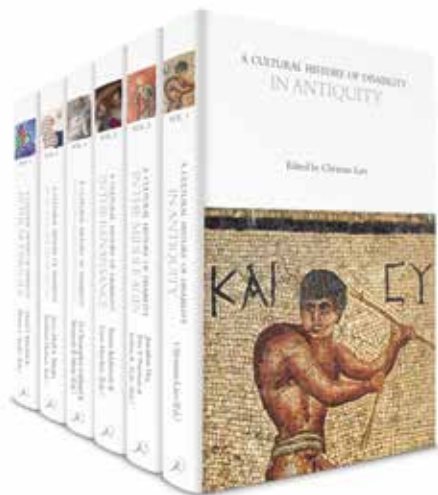
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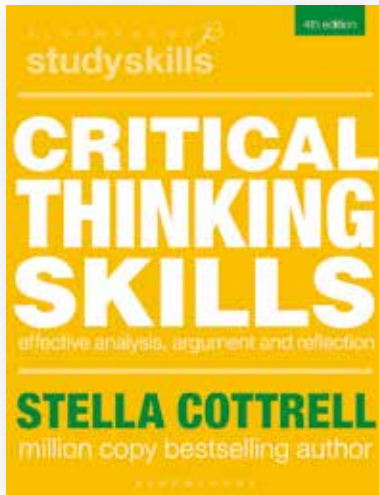
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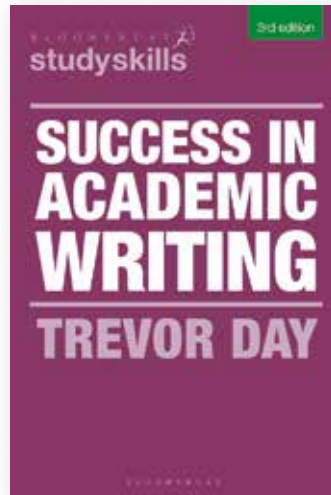
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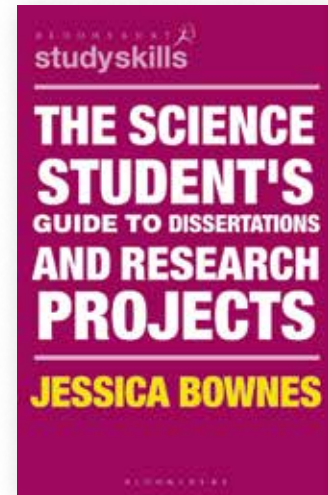
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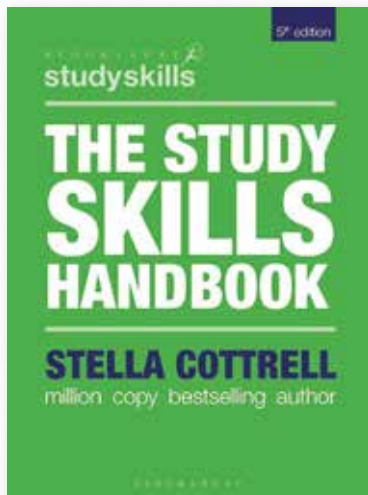


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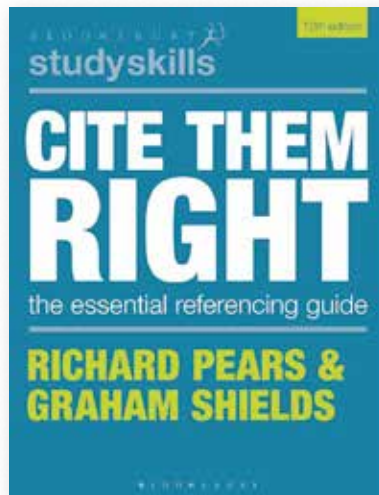


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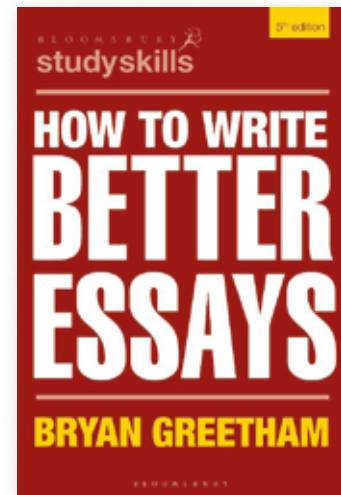
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