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CHARISMATIC CHRISTIANITY IN FINLAND, NORWAY, AND SWEDEN - JESSICA MOBERG 2018-01-13

THIS IS OPEN ACCESS UNDER A CC BY 4.0 LICENSE THE HISTORY OF CHARISMATIC CHRISTIANITY IN THE NORDIC COUNTRIES REACHES AS FAR BACK AS PENTECOSTALISM ITSELF. THE BOUNDS OF THESE CATEGORIES REMAIN A TOPIC OF DISCUSSION, BUT NORDIC COUNTRIES HAVE PLAYED A VITAL ROLE IN DEVELOPING THIS RAPIDLY SPREADING FORM OF WORLD-WIDE CHRISTIANITY. UNTIL NOW, RESEARCH ON GLOBAL CHARISMATIC CHRISTIANITY HAS LARGELY OVERLOOKED THE REGION. THIS BOOK ADDRESSES AND ANALYZES ITS HISTORICAL AND CONTEMPORARY TRAJECTORIES IN FINLAND, NORWAY, AND SWEDEN. THROUGH A SELECTION OF CASES WRITTEN BY NORDIC SCHOLARS FROM VARIOUS DISCIPLINES, IT DEMONSTRATES HISTORICAL AND CONTEMPORARY DIVERSITY AS WELL AS INTERCONNECTIONS BETWEEN LOCAL, NATIONAL, AND GLOBAL CURRENTS. HIGHLIGHTING CHANGE AND CONTINUITY, THE ANTHOLOGY REVEALS NEW ASPECTS OF CHARISMATIC CHRISTIANITY.

THE SECRET WAR AGAINST SWEDEN - OLA TUNANDER 2004-07-22

FOLLOWING THE STRANDING OF A SOVIET WHISKEY-CLASS SUBMARINE IN 1981 ON THE SWEDISH ARCHIPELAGO, A SERIES OF MASSIVE SUBMARINE INTRUSIONS TOOK PLACE WITHIN SWEDISH WATERS. HOWEVER, THE EVIDENCE FOR THESE APPEARS TO HAVE BEEN MANIPULATED OR SIMPLY INVENTED. CLASSIFIED DOCUMENTS AND INTERVIEWS POINT TO COVERT WESTERN, RATHER THAN SOVIET ACTIVITY. THIS IS BACKED UP BY FORMER US SECRETARY OF DEFENSE CASPAR WEINBERGER, WHO STATED THAT WESTERN "TESTING" OPERATIONS WERE CARRIED OUT REGULARLY IN SWEDISH WATERS. ROYAL NAVY SUBMARINE CAPTAINS HAVE ALSO ADMITTED TO TOP-SECRET OPERATIONS. OLA TUNANDER'S REVELATIONS MAKE IT CLEAR THAT THE UNITED STATES AND BRITAIN RAN A "SECRET WAR" IN SWEDISH WATERS. THE NUMBER OF SWEDES PERCEIVING THE SOVIET UNION AS A DIRECT THREAT INCREASED FROM 5-10 PER CENT IN 1980 TO 45 PER CENT IN 1983. THIS ANGLO-AMERICAN "SECRET WAR" WAS AIMED AT EXERTING POLITICAL INFLUENCE OVER SWEDEN. IT WAS A RISKY ENTERPRISE, BUT PERHAPS THE MOST SUCCESSFUL COVERT OPERATION OF THE ENTIRE COLD WAR.

HOW DUMB CAN YOU GET! - DAVID BRYAR 1992

FOOTBALL CULTURES AND IDENTITIES - GARY ARMSTRONG 1999-05-19

THE GAME OF FOOTBALL HAS PLAYED A KEY ROLE IN SHAPING AND CEMENTING SENSES OF NATIONAL IDENTITY THROUGHOUT THE WORLD. AWARE THAT THE GAME MAY AFFORD A SPACE FOR EXPRESSING PROTEST, GROUPS MAY ATTEMPT TO HARNESS THE FORCES OF POPULIST NATIONALISM. THIS BOOK EXAMINES FOOTBALL IN 18 COUNTRIES.

DESIGN BY IKEA - SARA KRISTOFFERSSON 2014-10-23

SARA KRISTOFFERSSON'S COMPELLING STUDY PROVIDES THE FIRST SUSTAINED CRITICAL HISTORY OF IKEA. KRISTOFFERSSON ARGUES THAT THE COMPANY'S COMMERCIAL SUCCESS HAS BEEN FOUNDED ON A NEAT ALIGNMENT OF THE BRAND WITH A PARTICULAR IMAGE OF SWEDISH NATIONAL IDENTITY - ONE THAT IS BOUND UP WITH IDEAS OF SOCIAL DEMOCRACY AND EGALITARIANISM - AND ITS MATERIAL EXPRESSION IN A PARED-DOWN, FUNCTIONAL DESIGN AESTHETIC. EMPLOYING SLOGANS SUCH AS "DESIGN FOR EVERYONE" AND "DEMOCRATIC DESIGN", IKEA SIGNALS A REJECTION OF THE STUFFY, THE 'CHINTZY', AND THE TRADITIONAL IN BOTH DESIGN PRACTICES AND SOCIAL STRUCTURES. DRAWING ON ORIGINAL RESEARCH IN THE IKEA COMPANY ARCHIVE AND INTERVIEWS WITH IKEA PERSONNEL, DESIGN BY IKEA TRACES IKEA'S SYMBOLIC CONNECTION TO SWEDEN, THROUGH ITS DESIGN OUTPUT AND ITS PROMOTIONAL MATERIALS, TO EXAMINE HOW THE COMPANY BOTH PROMOTED AND PROFITED FROM THE CONCEPT OF SCANDINAVIAN DESIGN.

CRIMINALISING THE PURCHASE OF SEX - JAY LEVY 2014-09-15

IN AN ATTEMPT TO ABOLISH PROSTITUTION, SWEDEN CRIMINALISED THE PURCHASE OF SEX IN 1999, WHILE SIMULTANEOUSLY DECRIMINALISING ITS SALE. IN SO DOING, IT SET ITSELF APART FROM OTHER EUROPEAN STATES, PROMOTING ITSELF AS THE PIONEER OF A RADICAL APPROACH TO PROSTITUTION. WHAT HAS COME TO BE REFERRED TO AS 'THE SWEDISH MODEL' HAS BEEN ENORMOUSLY INFLUENTIAL, AND HAS SINCE BEEN ADOPTED AND PROPOSED BY OTHER COUNTRIES. THIS BOOK ESTABLISHES THE OUTCOMES OF THIS LAW - AND THE LAW'S JUSTIFYING NARRATIVES - FOR THE DYNAMICS OF SWEDISH SEX WORK, AND UPON THE LIVES OF SEX WORKERS. DRAWING ON RECENT FIELDWORK UNDERTAKEN IN SWEDEN OVER SEVERAL YEARS, INCLUDING QUALITATIVE INTERVIEWING AND PARTICIPANT OBSERVATION, JAY LEVY ARGUES THAT FAR FROM BEING A LAW TO BE EMULATED, THE SWEDISH MODEL HAS HAD MANY DETRIMENTAL IMPACTS, AND HAS FAILED TO DEMONSTRABLY DECREASE LEVELS OF PROSTITUTION. CRIMINALISING THE PURCHASE OF SEX: LESSONS FROM SWEDEN UTILISES A WEALTH OF RESPONDENT TESTIMONY AND SECONDARY RESEARCH TO REDRESS THE CURRENT LACK OF PRIMARY ACADEMIC RESEARCH AND TO CONTRIBUTE TO ACADEMIC DISCUSSION ON THIS POLITICALLY-CHARGED AND INTERNATIONALLY RELEVANT TOPIC. THIS ORIGINAL AND TIMELY WORK WILL BE OF INTEREST TO SEX WORKER RIGHTS ORGANISATIONS, POLICY MAKERS AND POLITICIANS, AS WELL AS RESEARCHERS, ACADEMICS AND STUDENTS ACROSS A NUMBER OF RELATED DISCIPLINES, INCLUDING LAW, SOCIOLOGY, CRIMINOLOGY, HUMAN GEOGRAPHY AND GENDER STUDIES.

LAGOM - LOLA A. KERSTRÖM 2017-07-01

PERFECT FOR FANS OF THE LITTLE BOOK OF HYGGE AND NORWEGIAN WOOD, FIND THE BALANCE IN LIFE THAT IS JUST RIGHT FOR YOU. LET LOLA A. KERSTRÖM, EDITOR-IN-CHIEF OF SLOW TRAVEL STOCKHOLM, BE YOUR COMPANION TO ALL THINGS LAGOM. AS THE SWEDISH PROVERB GOES, 'LAGOM RÄST' (THE RIGHT AMOUNT IS BEST). LAGOM SUMS UP THE SWEDISH PSYCHE AND IS THE REASON WHY SWEDEN IS ONE OF THE HAPPIEST COUNTRIES

IN THE WORLD WITH A HEALTHY WORK-LIFE BALANCE AND HIGH STANDARDS OF LIVING.

LAGOM IS A WAY OF LIVING THAT PROMOTES HARMONY. IT CELEBRATES FAIRNESS, MODERATION AND BEING SATISFIED WITH AND TAKING PROPER CARE OF WHAT YOU'VE GOT, INCLUDING YOUR WELL-BEING, RELATIONSHIPS, AND POSSESSIONS. IT'S NOT ABOUT HAVING TOO LITTLE OR TOO MUCH BUT ABOUT FULLY INVITING CONTENTMENT INTO OUR LIVES THROUGH MAKING OPTIMAL DECISIONS. WHO BETTER THAN LOLA A. KERSTRÖM TO BE YOUR LAGOM GUIDE? SWEDEN-BASED LOLA IS AN AWARD-WINNING WRITER, PHOTOGRAPHER, AND EDITOR-IN-CHIEF OF SLOW TRAVEL STOCKHOLM AND SHE OFFERS US A UNIQUE VANTAGE POINT WHEN IT COMES TO ADOPTING ELEMENTS OF A LAGOM LIFESTYLE. FULL OF INSIGHTS AND BEAUTIFUL PHOTOGRAPHS, TAKEN BY LOLA HERSELF, THIS AUTHENTIC BOOK WILL HELP YOU MAKE SMALL, SIMPLE CHANGES TO YOUR EVERY DAY LIFE - WHETHER THAT'S YOUR DIET, LIFESTYLE, MONEY, WORK OR YOUR HOME - SO YOU CAN HAVE A MORE BALANCED WAY OF LIVING FILLED WITH CONTENTMENT.

CIVIL SOCIETY AND STATE RELATIONS IN SWEDEN - MICHELE MICHELETTI 2019-10-28

SWEDEN, AS MANY OTHER PROSPEROUS NATIONS, IS PRESENTLY REASSESSING ITS NATIONAL GOALS, POLITICAL CULTURE AND COLLECTIVE IDENTITY. NEWER GROUPS IN SOCIETY ARE DEMANDING EQUAL TREATMENT, AND OTHERS WHOSE STRUGGLES FOR RECOGNITION ARE OLDER AND UNWON, ARE SUCCESSFULLY MOBILIZING SUPPORT FOR POLITICAL CHANGE. SOCIAL DEMOCRATIC POLITICAL HEGEMONY HAS BEEN ERODED AND OTHER NEW POLITICAL FORCES ARE NOW REINTERPRETING PAST POLITICAL IDEAS AND METHODS OF ACTION AND A NEED FOR HISTORICAL PERSPECTIVE. THIS BOOK ANALYSES THE HISTORY OF SWEDISH CIVIL SOCIETY. SOCIAL MOVEMENTS AND INTEREST ORGANIZATIONS HAVE PLAYED CRUCIAL ROLES IN SWEDEN. THEIR HISTORY IS ALSO SWEDISH HISTORY AND CONCERNS STRUGGLES FOR POLITICAL RECOGNITION AND WELFARE STATE DEVELOPMENT AND CUTBACKS. THEORETICAL DEVELOPMENTS WITHIN SOCIOLOGY, SOCIAL PSYCHOLOGY, PUBLIC CHOICE AND POLITICAL SCIENCE ARE COMBINED TO ENRICH THE ANALYSIS. SOME OF THE THEORETICAL ELEMENTS USED IN THIS BOOK ARE ORGANIZATIONAL WAVES OF DEVELOPMENT, ORGANIZATIONAL LIFE CYCLES, POLITICAL OPPORTUNITY STRUCTURE, AND TOPOLOGIES OF COLLECTIVE ACTION ORGANIZATIONS. THE BOOK ANALYZES SWEDISH CIVIL SOCIETY HISTORY FROM THE MIDAS TO THE 1990S. SWEDISH CIVIL SOCIETY HISTORY IS DIVIDED INTO SIX PERIODS. THE ROLE PLAYED BY COLLECTIVE ACTION ORGANIZATIONS IN THE IMPORTANT DEVELOPMENTS IN POLITICS, SOCIETY AND ECONOMY IN THIS ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY YEAR PERIOD ARE DESCRIBED, COMPARED AND ANALYZED. THE PRIMARY FOCUS IS THE IMPACT OF CHANGE BROUGHT ABOUT BY THESE DEVELOPMENTS ON COLLECTIVE ACTION ORGANIZATIONS.

SOCIAL CHANGE IN SWEDEN - 1982

PRESENT DAY SWEDEN AND SWEDISH MENTALITY - GUSTAV VI ADOLF (KUNG AV SVERIGE) 1930

SWEDES IN CANADA - ELINOR BARR 2015-07-27

SINCE 1776, MORE THAN 100,000 SWEDISH-SPEAKING IMMIGRANTS HAVE ARRIVED IN CANADA FROM SWEDEN, FINLAND, ESTONIA, UKRAINE, AND THE UNITED STATES. ELINOR BARR'S SWEDES IN CANADA IS THE DEFINITIVE HISTORY OF THAT IMMIGRANT EXPERIENCE. ACTIVE IN ALMOST EVERY ASPECT OF CANADIAN LIFE, SWEDISH INDIVIDUALS AND COMPANIES ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR THE CN TOWER, SHIPS ON THE GREAT LAKES, AND LOG BUILDINGS IN RIDING MOUNTAIN NATIONAL PARK. THEY HAVE BUILT RAILWAYS AND GRAIN ELEVATORS ALL ACROSS THE COUNTRY, AS WELL AS CHURCHES AND OLD FOLKS' HOMES IN THEIR COMMUNITIES. AT THE NATIONAL LEVEL, THE INTRODUCTION OF CROSS-COUNTRY SKIING AND THE SUCCESS OF PARTICIPATION CAN BE ATTRIBUTED TO SWEDES. DESPITE THIS LONG LIST OF ACCOMPLISHMENTS, SWEDISH ETHNIC CONSCIOUSNESS IN CANADA HAS OFTEN BEEN VERY LOW. USING EXTENSIVE ARCHIVAL AND DEMOGRAPHIC RESEARCH, BARR EXPLORES BOTH THE IMPRESSIVE SWEDISH LEGACY IN CANADA AND THE REASONS FOR THEIR INVISIBILITY AS AN IMMIGRANT COMMUNITY.

DEVELOPMENTS IN SWEDISH SOCIAL POLICY - A. GOULD 2001-05-21

FOR MANY DECADES, SWEDEN WAS SEEN AS A MODEL WELFARE STATE. ONLY WITH THE ONSET OF ECONOMIC PROBLEMS IN THE 1990S HAVE SUCCESSIVE GOVERNMENTS FELT COMPELLED TO CURB SOCIAL SPENDING AND ABANDON THE GOAL OF FULL EMPLOYMENT. THIS BOOK IS ABOUT THE CHANGES INTRODUCED AND THE POLITICAL, INSTITUTIONAL AND CULTURAL RESISTANCE THEY ENCOUNTERED. DETAILED ACCOUNTS OF CHANGES TO WELFARE SERVICES AND BENEFITS ARE INCLUDED ALONGSIDE SPECIALIST CHAPTERS DEVOTED TO AREAS WHERE SWEDEN ITSELF HAS CLAIMED TO BE SOMETHING OF A LEADER - THE CARE OF THE ELDERLY, GENDER EQUALITY, EMPLOYMENT ISSUES AND SUBSTANCE.

GUIDE TO THE CINEMA OF SWEDEN AND FINLAND - PER OLOV QVIST 2000

THIS VOLUME ADDS SWEDEN AND FINLAND TO THE GROWING LIST OF COUNTRIES INCLUDED IN GREENWOOD PRESS' REFERENCE GUIDES TO THE WORLD'S CINEMA SERIES. BOTH WELL KNOWN AND OTHER IMPORTANT BUT LESS KNOWN PERSONS AND FILMS ARE INCLUDED IN THE REFERENCE WORK WHICH SPANS THE SILENT FILM ERA TO THE 1990S. THE VOLUME IS DIVIDED INTO TWO SECTIONS, ONE DEVOTED TO THE SWEDISH ENTRIES AND THE OTHER TO THE FINNISH ENTRIES. AN INTRODUCTION TO EACH SECTION OVERVIEWS THE DEVELOPMENTS AND TRENDS IN THAT PARTICULAR COUNTRY'S FILM INDUSTRY. SCHOLARS OF EUROPEAN FILM STUDIES AND OF SCANDINAVIAN STUDIES WILL APPRECIATE THE DETAILED INFORMATION COMPILED IN THIS ONE VOLUME. ORGANIZED BY COUNTRY, THE ANNOTATED ENTRIES ARE

SWEDEN - JASON PORTERFIELD 2003-12-15

IN THE NORTH OF SWEDEN, PEOPLE HERD REINDEER FOR A LIVING. TO THE SOUTH, THEY BUILD MOBILE PHONES. SWEDEN, ONCE HOME TO THE FIERCEST WARRIORS IN THE WORLD, HAS BEEN NEUTRAL FOR ALMOST 200 YEARS. A COUNTRY OF CONTRASTS, SWEDEN'S HISTORY AS WELL AS ITS EVERYDAY LIFE IS DESCRIBED IN THIS LIVELY TEXT. READERS WILL BE FASCINATED BY THE DAZZLING SWEDISH PRIMARY SOURCE IMAGES THAT ENHANCE THE WRITTEN MATERIAL, INCLUDING PHOTOGRAPHS OF ANCIENT VIKING ARTIFACTS, UNIQUE RED WOODEN FARMHOUSES, IMPORTANT EARLY AUTOMOBILES, MUSICIANS WHO ENCHANTED THE WORLD, ARTISTIC AND SCIENTIFIC GENIUSES WHO CHANGED THE COURSE OF HISTORY, AND MUCH MORE.

THE WAR ON PEOPLE WHO USE DRUGS - JAY LEVY 2017-07-14

OPPOSITION TO HARM REDUCTION -- NEEDLE AND SYRINGE PROGRAMMES -- OPPOSITION TO NEEDLE AND SYRINGE PROGRAMMES -- INJECTION PARAPHERNALIA AVAILABILITY -- EDUCATION -- SAFER DRUG USE -- INFORMATION ON BLOOD-BORNE INFECTIONS -- OPIATE SUBSTITUTION THERAPY -- OPPOSITION TO SUBSTITUTION THERAPY -- SUBSTITUTION THERAPY AVAILABILITY -- THE MALMÖ MODEL - A SECOND 'SWEDISH MODEL'? -- SUMMARY: VARIABILITY OF SERVICES AND HARM EXACERBATION -- 5. EXPERIENCES OF SERVICE AND HEALTHCARE PROVISION -- SPATIAL SEGREGATION -- SOCIAL SERVICES -- OPIATE SUBSTITUTION THERAPY -- GAINING ACCESS -- DISCIPLINING AND CONDITIONALITY -- HIGH THRESHOLD SUBSTITUTION THERAPY: BARRIERS TO SEEKING ASSISTANCE -- COMPULSORY TREATMENT -- DISSEMINATING DOMINANT DISCOURSE: BIOWEAPON, GEOWEAPON, DISCIPLINE -- SUMMARY: CONDITIONALITY AND DISCIPLINE -- 6. THE OUTCOMES OF SWEDEN'S WAR ON PEOPLE WHO USE DRUGS -- IMPACTS OF THE CRIMINALISATION OF DRUG USE -- STIGMA -- ARRESTS AND FINES -- DISINCENTIVES TO SEEK ASSISTANCE: LOSING CHILD CUSTODY, COMPULSORY CARE, CRIMINALISATION -- RESULTS OF 'HARM EXACERBATION' POLICIES -- HIGH THRESHOLD METHADONE -- ILLEGAL NEEDLES, NEEDLE SHARING, AND NEEDLE REUSING -- BLOOD-BORNE INFECTIONS -- INELIGIBILITY FOR HEPATITIS C TREATMENT -- PEOPLE WHO USE DRUGS AND THE SWEDISH POLICE AND SECURITY FORCES -- GOOD INTENTIONS? -- DIFFICULTIES IN REPORTING CRIME -- VIOLENCE -- SUMMARY: EXACERBATED HARM, DANGER, AND VIOLENCE FOR PEOPLE WHO USE DRUGS -- CONCLUSIONS: HARM EXACERBATION, SOCIAL EXCLUSION, AND VIOLENCE -- SUMMARY OF RESEARCH: THE SWEDISH MODEL OF DRUG PROHIBITION -- SILENCING -- PATHOLOGISATION -- DISPLACEMENT -- THE OUTCOMES OF LAW AND POLICY: SERVICE PROVISION, HARM EXACERBATION, AND VIOLENCE -- SWEDEN'S 'DRUG-FREE SOCIETY': A UTOPIAN SOLUTION FOR ALL THE WORLD? -- IN SUMMARY: SWEDEN'S WAR ON PEOPLE WHO USE DRUGS -- BIBLIOGRAPHY -- INDEX

GOVERNMENT - GERARD RADNITZKY 1993

COLLECTIVE IDENTITY AND INTEGRATION POLICY IN DENMARK AND SWEDEN - MARILENA GEUGJES 2021-08-16

THIS BOOK DISCUSSES THE INTERRELATIONSHIP BETWEEN PRACTICES OF COLLECTIVE SELF-INTERPRETATION, IN THIS CASE NATIONAL IDENTITY CONSTRUCTION, AND INTEGRATION POLICIES, USING THE EXAMPLE OF DENMARK AND SWEDEN. THOUGH BOTH COUNTRIES ARE CONSIDERED TO BE SOCIALLY PROGRESSIVE AND MODERN, NOT LEAST BY THEMSELVES, THE AUTHOR MAKES THE NOVEL AND PROVOCATIVE ARGUMENT THAT BOTH DENMARK AND SWEDEN ARE CAUGHT IN A (DISCOURSE) PARADOX WHEN IT COMES TO INTEGRATION POLICY, WHICH STANDS IN THE WAY OF SUCCESSFUL IMMIGRANT INTEGRATION. THE AUTHOR USES AN INNOVATIVE APPROACH TO RECONSTRUCT THE DANISH AND THE SWEDISH NATIONAL IDENTITY BY USING SOCIAL STUDIES SCHOOLBOOKS AND NOVELS AS RESEARCH MATERIAL, THEREBY ADDING AN INTERDISCIPLINARY DIMENSION TO THE BOOK. ABOUT THE AUTHOR MARILENA GEUGJES IS A POSTDOCTORAL RESEARCHER AT THE UNIVERSITY OF APPLIED SCIENCES IN WIESBADEN, GERMANY. SHE EARNED HER DOCTORATE IN POLITICAL SCIENCE AT HEIDELBERG UNIVERSITY. HER RESEARCH FOCUSES ON MIGRATION AND INTEGRATION POLICY, LOCAL POLITICS, AND THE ROLE OF THE POLICE.

THE SPIRIT AND THE SECULAR - PHIL WILLIAM ZARNS 2021-03-31

HOW DOES ONE MAKE DISCIPLES AND PLANT THE CHURCH IN A SECULAR ENVIRONMENT? DOES IT TAKE TECHNICAL PRODUCTION? IS A GREAT VENUE OR "MOTHER" CHURCH NECESSARY? DOES IT TAKE A WELL-NETWORKED TEAM? TANGIBLE FACTORS SUCH AS THESE ARE EASILY REMEDIATED BY CONSULTING SEASONED, CHURCH PLANTING EXPERTS. YET, WHAT IF SOME OBSTACLES TO PLANT THE CHURCH AREN'T TANGIBLE AT ALL? THE SPIRIT AND THE SECULAR EXAMINES THE WAYS THAT SPIRIT-LED CHRISTIANS TRUST THE HOLY SPIRIT WHILE CHURCH PLANTING AMIDST A SECULAR CULTURAL BACKDROP. A REVIEW OF LUKE AND THE ACTS OF THE APOSTLES TRACES A SPIRIT-LED CHRIST AND SPIRIT-LED CHURCH AS THEY MAKE DISCIPLES. TO BETTER DISCERN THE CHALLENGE OF WHAT IT MEANS TO BE A CONTEMPORARY CHURCH PLANTER IN SWEDEN, A HISTORICAL REVIEW OF SWEDISH CULTURE REVEALS THE RISE OF SECULARISM ALONGSIDE OF THE FLOURISH OF THE PENTECOSTAL CHURCH OF THE 1900s. WHAT FOLLOWS IS A GROUNDBREAKING FIELDWORK STUDY USING A CURRENT, INVESTIGATIVE INTERVIEW METHOD, Q-METHODOLOGY, MEASURING THE PERCEPTIONS OF THIRTY CHURCH PLANTERS IN SWEDEN WHO REVEAL THEIR COLLECTIVE IDEAL AND DIFFERING PRACTICES. THE STUDY WRAPS WITH A COMPREHENSIVE ANALYSIS GROUNDING THE RESEARCH IN A THEORY OF SPIRIT-LED CHURCH PLANTING.

INTERNATIONAL ENCYCLOPEDIA OF ADOLESCENCE - JEFFREY JENSEN ARNETT 2007

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SWEDISH MENTALITY - KE DAUN 1996-01-05

IS THERE A DISTINCTLY SWEDISH NATIONAL CHARACTER? ARE SWEDES TRULY SHY, UNEMOTIONAL, CONFLICT-AVOIDING, MELANCHOLY, AND DOUR? SWEDISH MENTALITY, THE ENGLISH TRANSLATION OF THE HUGELY SUCCESSFUL BOOK PUBLISHED IN SWEDEN IN 1989, CONSIDERS THE REALITY BEHIND THE MYTH. THE AUTHOR, KE DAUN, IS A RESPECTED ETHNOLOGIST WHO IS SOMETIMES REFERRED TO AS THE "GURU" OF SWEDISH CHARACTER. IN RECENT YEARS, IT HAS BECOME POPULAR TO DISCUSS SWEDISHNESS AND SWEDISH IDENTITY. THE ADVENT OF THE EUROPEAN UNION AND THE INCREASING PRESENCE OF IMMIGRANT REFUGEES IN SWEDEN HAVE FUELED PUBLIC DEBATE ON THE DISTINCTIVENESS OF SWEDISH CULTURE. DAUN, HOWEVER, GOES BEYOND STEREOTYPE, DRAWING UPON STATISTICS GATHERED OVER MORE THAN A DECADE OF RESEARCH. THE RESULT IS AN ENTERTAINING AND ENGAGINGLY WRITTEN BOOK. THROUGHOUT, DAUN QUOTES FROM INTERVIEWS WITH NATIVE SWEDES AND IMMIGRANTS AS WELL AS FROM TRAVEL ACCOUNTS, FOLKLORE, AND PROVERBS. WE LEARN WHY SOME SWEDES MIGHT PREFER TO WALK UP A FLIGHT OF STAIRS RATHER THAN SHARE AN ELEVATOR WITH A NEIGHBOR AND WHY SOME GAIN SATISFACTION FROM WALKING ALONE IN THE WOODS OR GOING FISHING. DAUN DESCRIBES A RANGE OF FACTORS INFLUENCING

SWEDISH CHARACTER, INCLUDING POPULATION COMPOSITION, RURAL BACKGROUND, AND EVEN CLIMATE. HE RECOGNIZES BEHAVIORAL VARIATIONS RELATED TO GENDER, AGE, CLASS, AND REGION, AND HE CONSIDERS SUBTLETIES OF INDIVIDUAL CHARACTER AS WELL. SWEDISH MENTALITY SHOULD INTEREST A WIDE ARRAY OF READERS, WHETHER OF SWEDISH DESCENT OR NOT.

TOY STORE - 1997

CULTURAL LIFE IN SWEDEN - 1982

THE AMERICANIZATION OF EUROPE - ALEXANDER STEPHAN 2006

USING GERMANY AS A CASE STUDY OF THE IMPACT OF AMERICAN CULTURE THROUGHOUT A PERIOD CHARACTERIZED BY A TOTALITARIAN SYSTEM, TWO DESTRUCTIVE WARS, ETHNIC CLEANSING, AND ECONOMIC DISASTER, THIS BOOK EXPLORES THE POLITICAL AND CULTURAL PARAMETERS OF AMERICANIZATION AND ANTI-AMERICANISM.

POLITICAL CULTURE UNDER INSTITUTIONAL PRESSURE - L. BENNICHI-BJÖRKMAN 2007-12-09

ARE WORLD VIEWS ONCE FORMED DURING CHILDHOOD AND ADOLESCENCE STABLE OVER LIFE OR DO THEY CHANGE WHEN THEY COME UNDER PRESSURE FROM NEW INSTITUTIONAL CONTEXTS? THIS BOOK SEEKS THE ANSWER BY REVISITING AN AGED POLITICAL GENERATION GROWING UP IN HISTORICALLY UNIQUE INTERWAR ESTONIA BUT LIVING THEIR ADULT LIVES IN EXILE.

FROM ENGLISH TO SWEDISH 1 - BENGT HJELLGREN 2016-11-20

THIS IS THE NEW, BLACK AND WHITE VERSION OF FROM ENGLISH TO SWEDISH 1. A FULL COLOR VERSION IS ALSO AVAILABLE. LOOK FOR ISBN 978-1540452900. FROM ENGLISH TO SWEDISH 1 & 2 IS A SERIES OF TEXTBOOKS FOR ENGLISH SPEAKING STUDENTS WHO WOULD LIKE TO LEARN SWEDISH. THE FIRST BOOK COVERS LEVEL A1 AND THE SECOND BOOK LEVEL A2 OF THE EUROPEAN CEFR-SCALE. UNLIKE MOST SWEDISH TEXTBOOKS THEY PROVIDE VOCABULARY LISTS, GRAMMAR EXPLANATIONS, AND TEXT COMMENTARIES IN ENGLISH. TO HELP THE READER LEARN SWEDISH PRONUNCIATION, A SERIES OF VIDEOS LINKED TO THE FIRST BOOK IS AVAILABLE ON YOUTUBE (SEE [HTTPS://WWW.YOUTUBE.COM/WATCH?V=M EQVGBDPZ4I](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mEQVgbDPZ4I)). THE TEXTS OF THE TWO BOOKS TELL THE STORY OF AN AMERICAN GIRL WHO COMES AS AN EXCHANGE STUDENT TO LIVE IN A SWEDISH FAMILY. SHE STRUGGLES TO LEARN SWEDISH AND ADAPT TO SWEDISH CULTURE, BUT IN THE PROCESS RUNS INTO A NUMBER OF CULTURE CLASHES, ALL BASED ON THE AUTHORS' REAL LIFE EXPERIENCES. KE DAUN, PROFESSOR OF ETHNOLOGY FROM STOCKHOLM UNIVERSITY AND A SPECIALIST IN SWEDISH MENTALITY, HAS EXAMINED THE FIRST BOOK AND DESCRIBES THE WAY IT INTRODUCES SWEDISH MENTALITY AS "INNOVATIVE AND ENTERTAINING". TO FACILITATE THE STUDENT'S LEARNING THE BOOKS TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THE CLOSE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN ENGLISH AND SWEDISH. MANY OF THE WORDS APPEARING IN THE TEXTS ARE SIMILAR TO THEIR ENGLISH COUNTERPARTS. HAVING FINISHED BOTH BOOKS, THE STUDENT WILL HAVE ACQUIRED A VOCABULARY OF SLIGHTLY MORE THAN 1,500 WORDS INCLUDING 57 % OF THE 2,000 MOST FREQUENT WORDS OF THE SWEDISH LANGUAGE AS DEFINED BY SPRÅKBANKEN (THE LANGUAGE BANK), A DATA BASE PUBLISHED BY THE UNIVERSITY OF GOTHENBURG. IN AN APPENDIX TO BOOK 1, THE SIMILARITIES BETWEEN ENGLISH AND SWEDISH ARE EXPLAINED FROM AN HISTORICAL POINT OF VIEW, AND OVER 300 RELATED WORDS FROM DIFFERENT AREAS ARE PRESENTED. EACH CHAPTER IN THE BOOKS CONTAINS A SHORT GRAMMAR SECTION PRESENTING ESSENTIALS IN SWEDISH MORPHOLOGY AND SYNTAX. ALL GRAMMATICAL TERMS, EXCEPT THE MOST COMMON ONES, ARE EXPLAINED. AT THE END OF EACH BOOK THERE IS A GRAMMAR OVERVIEW WITH DEFINITIONS OF CONCEPTS AND REFERENCES TO RELEVANT CHAPTERS. EACH LESSON INCLUDES A NUMBER OF EXERCISES, WHERE STUDENTS ARE ENCOURAGED TO PRACTICE THEIR NEWLY GAINED GRAMMAR KNOWLEDGE, REPEAT VOCABULARY, AND ANSWER QUESTIONS IN CONNECTION WITH THE TEXTS. AS THE STUDENTS' VOCABULARY DEVELOPS, THE QUESTIONS BECOME INCREASINGLY OPEN-ENDED IN ORDER TO STIMULATE REFLECTION AND DISCUSSION IN CLASS. FURTHERMORE, A NUMBER OF SONGS WITH SIMPLE VOCABULARY ARE INCLUDED, MAINLY CHILDREN'S SONGS BY CLASSIC SONG-WRITERS. FINALLY, EACH BOOK CONTAINS ANSWERS TO THE EXERCISES AND A COMPLETE ALPHABETICAL GLOSSARY. JUDGMENTS ABOUT FROM ENGLISH TO SWEDISH 1: "I'M JUST LEARNING SWEDISH, AND THIS BOOK IS WONDERFUL. THE STYLE & METHODOLOGY ARE IDEAL. HIGHLY RECOMMEND." (AMAZON, USA) "A BRILLIANT BOOK. ... THE WORDS AND PRONUNCIATIONS ARE WELL EXPLAINED WITH EXAMPLES GIVEN. COMMON SWEDISH VOCAB IS ALSO USED IN LESSONS. QUITE AMAZING THAT BY LESSON 2 (LEKTION 2) I WAS UNDERSTANDING AND TRANSLATING SIMPLE PARAGRAPHS AND ANSWERING QUESTIONS IN FULL SENTENCES WITHOUT MUCH DIFFICULTY. THE TWO BOOKS ARE A MUST BUY FOR PEOPLE LOOKING TO LEARN THE SWEDISH LANGUAGE. ... THE SECOND BOOK IS JUST AS GOOD AS THIS ONE." (AMAZON, ENGLAND) "I'VE TRIED TO START LEARNING SWEDISH SEVERAL TIMES WITH AT LEAST 4 BOOKS, AND FINALLY I'VE FOUND ONE THAT IS DIDACTIC ENOUGH TO KEEP ME GOING! VERY NATURAL WAY OF TEACHING, THE CLOSEST THING I'VE SEEN TO HAVE A TEACHER THAT PREPARES A CLASS FOR YOU. I'M ALREADY LOOKING FOR THE 2ND BOOK!" (AMAZON, SPAIN)

BORDERING - ANDERS LINDE-LAURSEN 2016-04-15

WHAT IS A BORDER? THIS SEEMINGLY SIMPLE QUESTION IS HERE ANSWERED VIA A MULTIDISCIPLINARY STUDY OF THE CULTURAL, GEOGRAPHIC AND HISTORIC EXISTENCE OF BORDERS, AND THE WAYS THAT THEY HAVE SHAPED OUR WORLD. USING THE DANISH-SWEDISH BORDER TO ILLUSTRATE THE ACTIONS OF GROUPS AND INDIVIDUALS ENGAGED IN BORDERING SINCE THE 1600s, THIS RICHLY THEORETICAL DISCUSSION HIGHLIGHTS THE COMPLEXITIES OF POLITICAL AND CULTURAL IDENTITY PROCESSES. COMPARATIVE PERSPECTIVES ARE BROUGHT TOGETHER TO PRODUCE A THOUGHTFUL ANALYSIS OF HOW SUCH PROCESSES FUNCTION, AND OF HOW BORDERS WORK ON BOTH AN IMAGINED NATIONHOOD AND EXPERIENTIAL PERSONAL LEVEL. THE AUTHOR ALSO EXAMINES HOW THROUGHOUT HISTORY PEOPLE HAVE LIVED WITH AND INFLUENCED OR BEEN INFLUENCED BY BORDERS, WHY SOME BORDERS REMAIN UNCONTESTED WHILE OTHERS REPEATEDLY PROVOKE CROSS-BORDER CONFLICTS, AND HOW TODAY'S BORDERING PROCESSES MAY BE DELIBERATELY MANIPULATED.

NEUROSIS AND MODERNITY - PETTERI PIETIKÄINEN 2007

IN WESTERN COUNTRIES, PATHS TO MODERNITY CREATED SOCIO-CULTURAL CONDITIONS CONDUCIVE TO THE DISSEMINATION OF THE LANGUAGE OF NERVES. THIS BOOK EXAMINES HISTORICALLY THE WAYS IN WHICH NEUROSIS BECAME A CONTAGIOUS DIAGNOSIS IN SWEDEN,

ATTAINING THE STATUS OF A NATIONAL MALADY.

CLASS CONSCIOUSNESS AND EDUCATION IN SWEDEN - ALPESH MAISURIA 2017-12-14
EMERGING FROM A MARXIST PERSPECTIVE, THIS BOOK FOCUSES ON THE IMPORTANCE OF SOCIAL CLASS AND THE ROLE OF EDUCATION BROADLY IN RELATION TO THE POSSIBILITY OF REVOLUTIONARY CHANGE IN SWEDEN AND BEYOND. CRITICALLY TRACING THE CELEBRATED SO-CALLED 'SWEDISH MODEL' FROM ITS INCEPTION TO ITS CURRENT NEOLIBERALISATION, MAISURIA EXPLORES THE CONTOURS OF CLASS AS PART OF SOCIAL DEMOCRATIC HISTORY, CULTURE AND EDUCATION, ESPECIALLY AGAINST THE ALTERNATIVES OF COMMUNISM AND FASCISM. PRESENTING EMPIRICAL RESEARCH ON CLASS CONSCIOUSNESS WITHIN A HIGHER EDUCATION CONTEXT, MAISURIA ANALYSES STUDENT TESTIMONIES ON THEIR PERCEPTIONS OF SOCIAL DEMOCRACY AND 'SWEDISHNESS' WITH ETHNO-RACIAL DYNAMICS, WHICH IS SUBJECTED TO A GRAMSCIAN AND CRITICAL REALIST DERIVED EXPLANATORY CRITIQUE FOR SOCIAL TRANSFORMATION.

FROM ENGLISH TO SWEDISH 1 - BENGT HJELLGREN 2016-11-20

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CULTURE AND LEADERSHIP ACROSS THE WORLD - JAGDEEP S. CHHOKAR 2013-06-17
CULTURE AND LEADERSHIP ACROSS THE WORLD: THE GLOBE BOOK OF IN-DEPTH STUDIES OF 25 SOCIETIES IS THE SECOND MAJOR PUBLICATION OF GLOBE (GLOBAL LEADERSHIP AND ORGANIZATIONAL BEHAVIOR EFFECTIVENESS), A GROUNDBREAKING, LARGE-SCALE PROJECT ON INTERNATIONAL MANAGEMENT RESEARCH FEATURING CONTRIBUTIONS FROM NEARLY 18,000 MIDDLE MANAGERS FROM 1,000 ORGANIZATIONS IN 62 COUNTRIES, PERHAPS THE LARGEST PROJECT OF ITS KIND EVER UNDERTAKEN. THIS VOLUME EFFECTIVELY PRESENTS A COMPLEX COLLECTION OF GLOBAL RESEARCH ADDRESSING THE CULTURE OF PARTICULAR COUNTRIES, LEADERSHIP QUALITIES WITHIN THOSE COUNTRIES, AND RECOMMENDATIONS ON HOW MANAGERS SHOULD CONDUCT BUSINESS IN COUNTRIES OTHER THAN THEIR OWN. A MASSIVE EFFORT WITH A CROSS-CULTURAL FOCUS AND BROAD INTERNATIONAL APPEAL, THIS BOOK EXPLORES: HOW LEADERSHIP IS CONCEPTUALIZED AND ENACTED IN ITS CULTURAL MILIEU; QUANTITATIVE DATA INCLUDING MIDDLE MANAGER QUESTIONNAIRES, UNOBTRUSIVE MEASUREMENT, AND PARTICIPANT OBSERVATION DATA; QUALITATIVE RESEARCH FROM INTERVIEWS, FOCUS GROUPS, AND MEDIA ANALYSES; AND THEORETICAL AND METHODOLOGICAL PITFALLS THAT ARISE IN THE EFFORT TO DEVELOP UNIVERSAL MANAGEMENT THEORIES. THIS BOOK IS A COHERENT AND WELL-ORGANIZED PRESENTATION OF THE FINDINGS OF THE GLOBE PROJECT AND WILL APPEAL TO SCHOLARS IN LEADERSHIP, MANAGEMENT, INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS, CULTURAL STUDIES; AND ALSO TO PRACTICING MANAGERS.

MONTECORE - JONAS HASSEN KHEMIRI 2011-03-01

AT THE START OF THIS DAZZLINGLY INVENTIVE NOVEL FROM JONAS HASSEN KHEMIRI, ABBAS, A WORLD-FAMOUS PHOTOGRAPHER AND ESTRANGED FATHER TO A YOUNG NOVELIST—ALSO NAMED JONAS HASSEN KHEMIRI—IS STANDING ON A LUXURIOUS ROOFTOP TERRACE IN NEW YORK CITY. HE IS SURROUNDED BY ROCK STARS, INTELLECTUALS, AND POLITICAL LUMINARIES GATHERED TO TOAST HIS FIFTIETH BIRTHDAY. AND YET HOW DID ABBAS, A DIRT-POOR TUNISIAN ORPHAN AND SWEDISH IMMIGRANT, COME TO ENJOY SUCH SUCCESS? JONAS IS FRESH OFF THE PUBLICATION OF HIS FIRST NOVEL WHEN ANSWERS TO THIS QUESTION COME IN THE FORM OF AN UNEXPECTED E-MAIL FROM KADIR, A LIFELONG FRIEND OF ABBAS AND AN EFFERVESCENT STORYTELLER WITH DELIGHTFULLY ANARCHIC LINGUISTIC IDIOSYNCRASIES. THE PORTRAIT KADIR PAINTS OF ABBAS—FROM A VOLUNTARILY MUTE BOY WHO SUFFERS CONSTANT NIGHT TERRORS, TO A SOULFUL YOUNG CHARMER, TO A SWEDISH IMMIGRANT AND

POLITICAL EXILE—PROVES TO BE VASTLY DIFFERENT FROM JONAS'S VIEW OF HIS FATHER. AS THE TWO JAGGED VERSIONS RECONCILE IN KADIR AND JONAS'S IMPASSIONED CORRESPONDENCE, WE'RE GIVEN A PORTRAYAL OF A MAN THAT IS AT ONCE TENDER AND FEVERISHLY IMAGINED. WITH AN ARRESTING BLEND OF HUMOR AND WIT, MONTECORE MARKS THE STATESIDE ARRIVAL OF AN ALREADY ACCLAIMED INTERNATIONAL NOVELIST. WINNER OF THE PO ENQUIST LITERARY PRIZE FOR ACCOMPLISHED EUROPEAN NOVELISTS UNDER FORTY, JONAS HASSEN KHEMIRI HAS CREATED A WORLD THAT IS AS HEARTBREAKING AS IT IS EXHILARATING. FROM THE HARDCOVER EDITION.

THE THIRD REICH'S INTELLIGENCE SERVICES - KATRIN PAEHLER 2017-03-24

GAINING A FOOTHOLD -- RISING STAR -- INTELLIGENCE MAN -- OFFICE VI AND ITS FORERUNNER -- COMPETING VISIONS: OFFICE VI AND THE ABWEHR -- DOING INTELLIGENCE: ITALY AS AN EXAMPLE -- ALTERNATIVE UNIVERSES: OFFICE VI AND THE AUSWÄRTIGE AMT -- SCHELLENBERG, HIMMLER, AND THE QUEST FOR "PEACE"--POSTWAR NAZI GERMANY AND NEUTRAL EUROPE DURING THE SECOND WORLD WAR - CHRISTIAN LEITZ 2000

THIS IS A STUDY OF NAZI GERMANY'S WAR RELATIONS TO THE FIVE CONTINENTAL EUROPEAN NEUTRALS: PORTUGAL, SPAIN, SWITZERLAND, SWEDEN AND TURKEY. QUESTIONING THE TRUE COMMITMENT TO NEUTRALITY OF THE FIVE STATES, THE BOOK DETAILS NOT SIMPLY THE DEVELOPMENT OF RELATIONS TO GERMANY, BUT ALSO HIGHLIGHTS THE CONTRIBUTION THE STATES MADE TO GERMANY'S WAR EFFORT. THE AUTHOR EXPLAINS THAT THE NAZI REGIME BENEFITTED IN LARGE MEASURE FROM PERMITTING THESE FIVE COUNTRIES TO REMAIN NEUTRAL. EVEN WHILE GERMANY'S MILITARY FORTUNES WERE DECLINING IN 1943 AND 1944, IT CONTINUED TO RECEIVE VITAL SERVICES FROM THE NEUTRALS. BASED ON A WIDE READING OF SECONDARY SOURCES IN ENGLISH, GERMAN, SPANISH, SWEDISH, PORTUGUESE, FRENCH AND TURKISH, AND SUPPLEMENTED BY DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE FROM VARIOUS GERMAN ARCHIVES, THIS BOOK ENABLES READERS AT ALL LEVELS TO GAIN INSIGHT INTO A SIGNIFICANT ASPECT NOT ONLY OF THE HISTORY OF NAZI GERMANY, BUT ALSO THE HISTORY OF THE SECOND WORLD WAR IN EUROPE.

MODERN-DAY VIKINGS - CHRISTINA JOHANSSON ROBINOWITZ 2011-01-11

"THIS IS THE BIBLE FOR ANYONE BEING TRANSFERRED TO SWEDEN!" - MAGNUS MOLITEUS, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, INVEST IN SWEDEN AGENCY MODERN-DAY VIKINGS PROVIDES A WINDOW INTO WHAT ONE WORLD TRAVELER CALLED THE MOST AMERICAN OF EUROPEAN COUNTRIES: SWEDEN. YET, SURFACE SIMILARITIES BETWEEN THE TWO NATIONS CONCEAL ESSENTIAL DIFFERENCES. CHRISTINA ROBINOWITZ AND LISA WERNER CARR PROVIDE INSIGHTS AND STRATEGIES FOR SUCCESSFUL INTERACTIONS WITH SWEDES, WHETHER BUSINESS OR SOCIAL. TRUE TO ITS TITLE, MODERN-DAY VIKINGS TRACES SOME OF SWEDEN'S MOST INGRAINED CULTURAL TRAITS BACK TO ITS VIKING HERITAGE: SELF-SUFFICIENCY, FAIRNESS, EGALITARIANISM AND DEMOCRACY. THE AUTHORS ALSO EXAMINE SWEDEN'S FAMOUS "CRADLE-TO-GRAVE" SOCIAL MODEL AND EXPLORE THE VALUES UNDERLYING MODERN SWEDISH CULTURE, SUCH AS LAGOM (MODERATION), THE LAW OF JANTE (PERSONAL MODESTY), COMMUNICATION STYLES AND BUSINESS PRACTICES.

HERITAGE AND MUSEUMS - J.M. FLADMARK 2015-11-17

PAPERS FROM THE 1999 CONFERENCE BY THE MUSEUM OF SCOTLAND. AIMS TO GENERATE INTERNATIONAL COMPARISON AND DEBATE ABOUT INTERPRETATION AND PRESENTATION OF HERITAGE ASSETS, AND TO EXAMINE THE ROLE OF MUSEUMS IN SHAPING NATIONAL IDENTITY.

THE NORDIC CIVIL SPHERE - JEFFREY C. ALEXANDER 2020-01-07

THE CIVIL SPHERE IS A DISTINCTIVELY DEMOCRATIC FIELD IN MODERN SOCIETIES, ONE THAT SUSTAINS UNIVERSALIZING CULTURAL ASPIRATIONS AND ORGANIZATIONAL STRUCTURES AND THAT HAS TENSE AND UNCERTAIN BOUNDARIES WITH OTHER SPHERES OF SOCIAL LIFE, LIKE THE ECONOMY, RELIGION, FAMILY, AND STATE. UNLIKE THE LATTER, WHICH ARE MORE PARTICULARISTIC AND HIERARCHICAL IN CHARACTER, THE CIVIL SPHERE DEFINES ITSELF IN TERMS OF SOLIDARITY - THE FEELING OF BEING CONNECTED WITH EVERY OTHER PERSON IN THE COLLECTIVITY. THE UTOPIAN IDEALS OF DEMOCRATIC SOLIDARITY SHAPE EVERY MODERN SOCIETY, EVEN IF THEY ARE OFTEN COMPROMISED BY THE MESSY REALITIES OF SOCIAL LIFE. THIS VOLUME USES THE THEORY OF THE CIVIL SPHERE TO SHED NEW LIGHT ON NORDIC SOCIETIES, WHILE AT THE SAME TIME DRAWING ON THE DISTINCTIVE EXPERIENCES OF THE NORDIC NATIONS TO REFLECT ON AND ADVANCE THE THEORY OF THE CIVIL SPHERE. NORDIC SOCIETIES HAVE LONG BEEN ADMIRABLE FOR CREATING A DISTINCTIVE FORM OF SOCIAL DEMOCRACY, BUT THIS ADMIRABLE ACHIEVEMENT HAS NOT BEEN WELL CONCEPTUALIZED THEORETICALLY. MOST ATTEMPTS TO EXPLAIN NORDIC SOCIAL DEMOCRACY FOCUS ON MATERIAL AND ORGANIZATIONAL FACTORS. THIS VOLUME, BY CONTRAST, EMPHASIZES THE CULTURAL FOUNDATIONS AND CHARACTERISTICS OF SOCIAL DEMOCRACY, DEMONSTRATING HOW CIVIL SENSIBILITIES ARE NECESSARY FOR THE CREATION OF AN EGALITARIAN AND DEMOCRATIC STATE. NORDIC CIVIL SPHERES, HOWEVER, ARE NOT ONLY PRO-CIVIL BUT ALSO WHITE IN COLOR, EUROPEAN IN ETHNICITY, SECULAR IN CHARACTER AND GENDER-EQUAL IN A SUBTLY RESTRICTIVE MANNER. SUCH PRIMORDIALIZATION OF STATE CIVILITY IS VIVIDLY ON DISPLAY IN THE SOMETIME TENSE RELATIONSHIPS THAT DEVELOP AMONG NATIVES AND "FOREIGNERS" IN NORDIC COUNTRIES, RELATIONSHIPS THAT EXPOSE THE PRIMORDIAL UNDERSIDES OF THE SOCIAL DEMOCRATIC CODES AND CIVIL VALUES THAT CONSTITUTE THE NORDIC CIVIL SPHERE. A MAJOR CONTRIBUTION TO THE THEORY OF THE CIVIL SPHERE AND TO OUR UNDERSTANDING OF THE CULTURAL AND NORMATIVE UNDERPINNINGS OF SOCIAL AND POLITICAL LIFE, THIS VOLUME WILL BE OF PARTICULAR INTEREST TO STUDENTS AND SCHOLARS OF SOCIOLOGY AND POLITICS.

DIASPORAS AND HOMELAND CONFLICTS - BAHAR BASER 2016-03-09

AS VIOLENT CONFLICTS BECOME INCREASINGLY INTRA-STATE RATHER THAN INTER-STATE, INTERNATIONAL MIGRATION HAS RENDERED THEM INCREASINGLY TRANSNATIONAL, AS PROTAGONISTS FROM EACH SIDE FIND THEMSELVES IN NEW COUNTRIES OF RESIDENCE. IN SPITE OF LEAVING THEIR HOMELAND, THE GRIEVANCES AND GRUDGES THAT EXISTED BETWEEN THEM ARE NOT FORGOTTEN AND CAN BE PASSED TO THE NEXT GENERATION. THIS BOOK EXPLORES THE EXTENSION OF HOMELAND CONFLICTS INTO TRANSNATIONAL SPACE AMONGST DIASPORA GROUPS, WITH PARTICULAR ATTENTION TO THE INTERACTIONS BETWEEN SECOND-GENERATION MIGRANTS. COMPARATIVE IN APPROACH, DIASPORAS AND HOMELAND CONFLICTS FOCUSES ON THE TENSIONS THAT EXIST BETWEEN KURDISH AND TURKISH POPULATIONS IN SWEDEN AND GERMANY, EXAMINING THE EFFECTS OF HOSTLAND POLICIES AND POLITICS ON THE CONSTRUCTION, SHAPING OR ELIMINATION OF HOMELAND CONFLICTS. DRAWING ON EXTENSIVE INTERVIEW MATERIAL WITH MEMBERS OF DIASPORIC COMMUNITIES, THIS BOOK SHEDS FRESH LIGHT ON THE INFLUENCES EXERCISED ON CONFLICT DYNAMICS BY STATE

POLICIES ON MIGRANT INCORPORATION AND MULTICULTURALISM, AS WELL AS STRUCTURES OF MIGRANT ORGANIZATIONS. AS SUCH, IT WILL BE OF INTEREST TO SCHOLARS OF SOCIOLOGY, POLITICAL SCIENCE AND INTERNATIONAL STUDIES WITH INTERESTS IN MIGRATION AND DIASPORA, INTEGRATION AND TRANSNATIONAL CONFLICT.

CULTURE AND CRISIS - NINA WITOSZEK 2002

IT IS OFTEN ARGUED THAT GERMANY AND SCANDINAVIA STAND AT TWO OPPOSITE ENDS OF A SPECTRUM WITH REGARD TO THEIR RESPONSE TO SOCIAL-ECONOMIC DISRUPTIONS AND CULTURAL CHALLENGES. THOUGH, IN MANY RESPECTS, THEY HAVE A SHARED CULTURAL INHERITANCE, IT IS NEVERTHELESS THE CASE THAT THEY MOBILIZE DIFFERENT MYTHOLOGIES AND DIFFERENT MODES OF COPING WHEN FACED WITH BREAKDOWN AND DISORDER. THE AUTHORS ARGUE THAT IT IS AT THESE "CRITICAL JUNCTURES," POINTS OF CRISIS AND INNOVATION IN THE LIFE OF COMMUNITIES, THAT THE TRADITION AND IDENTITY OF NATIONAL AND LOCAL COMMUNITIES ARE FORMED, POLARIZED, AND REVALUED; IT IS HERE THAT SOCIAL CHANGE TAKES A PARTICULAR DIRECTION.

CULTURE AND CUSTOMS OF SWEDEN - BYRON J. NORDSTROM 2010

THIS WORK IS AN IN-DEPTH LOOK AT MANY ASPECTS OF CONTEMPORARY SWEDISH CUSTOMS AND CULTURE THAT TIES TODAY'S NATION TO AN UNDERSTANDING OF ITS HISTORY. * CURRENT EXAMPLES IN AREAS SUCH AS FILM, MUSIC, LITERATURE, ART, AND ARCHITECTURE CAN EASILY BE EXPLORED MORE FULLY BY READERS * NUMEROUS PHOTOGRAPHS AND ILLUSTRATIONS PRESENT SOME OF SWEDEN'S MOST IMPORTANT PEOPLE, PLACES, WORKS OF ART, BUILDINGS, ETC.

SEXUAL SUBORDINATION AND STATE INTERVENTION - R. AMY ELMAN 1996

ONE OF THE FOREMOST BRAZILIAN PHILOSOPHERS OF EDUCATION PRESENTS SOME OF HIS IDEAS, FOCUSING ON PEOPLE, THEIR ACTIONS, AND THEIR CONSCIOUSNESS. HE BEGINS WITH THE PREMISE THAT HUMAN HISTORY IS THE PRODUCT OF PEOPLE'S STRUGGLE AGAINST INEQUALITY, WHICH HE DESCRIBES IN TERMS OF A DIALECTIC OF OPPOSITIONS AND A PEDAGOGY OF CONSCIOUSNESS. DIALECTICS FOR GADOTTI IS BOTH A MEANS OF INQUIRY AND THE TEXTUAL AND DYNAMIC FOUNDATION OF HUMAN AND CULTURAL EVOLUTION. ANNOTATION COPYRIGHT BY BOOK NEWS, INC., PORTLAND, OR