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Reuniões Científicas

16 a 17 de maio – 2013

Colóquio Internacional “O Estado Colonial – Género ou Sub-Espécie?”, FLUP, Porto, Portugal

Mas o chefe de posto não foi lá colocado só para observar a natureza e proceder a estudos etnográficos, botânicos, geológicos ou linguísticos. Ele tem por missão administrar. Traduz-se esta palavra... administrar é, afinal, em vista dos interesses superiores da civilização, impôr regulamentos, limitar as liberdades particulares em benefício das liberdades colectivas, cobrar impostos.

G. Angoulvant, La Pacification de la Côte d'Ivoire. Paris, 1916 (citado em Suret-Canale, Afrique Noire, Occidentale et Centrale – L'ère coloniale (1900-1945), Paris, 1964, p. 129).

Esta definição do verbo “administrar” dada em 1916 por um antigo governador da Costa do Marfim, seria certamente consensual entre as diferentes administrações coloniais da época. Para todas as regiões tropicais que então integravam impérios coloniais, fosse qual fosse o seu estatuto jurídico, o contato cultural com a “civilização” seria feito, mais tarde ou mais cedo, através de um corpo administrativo específico – o Estado colonial.

Nas últimas décadas, a análise histórica da época colonial teve, tanto no caso português como dos restantes casos, avanços decisivos. Além disso, a conceptualização do Estado é um tópico do pensamento político moderno de tal modo glosado que dispensa qualquer chamada de atenção. No entanto, o Estado colonial não resultou de uma transposição das instituições metropolitanas para as regiões do mundo a si anexadas.

O seu modo de funcionamento, os fundos que o financiavam e alguns dos seus objectivos diferenciavam-se substancialmente do Estado na metrópole. Os 2 aparelhos políticos podiam até funcionar separadamente, como aconteceu durante a 2.ª guerra mundial, visto que as mudanças de regime (mesmo constitucionais) na metrópole não se reflectiam simetricamente nas administrações coloniais. As ciências sociais, políticas e históricas, podem, hoje mais do que nunca, aproveitar a especificidade do Estado colonial para uma reflexão crítica sobre a génese e o funcionamento dos aparelhos políticos na época contemporânea.

É com esta intenção que o O CEAUP organiza um primeiro encontro específico sobre a problemática do Estado colonial. Esta edição será exploratória e visa sobretudo a constituição de uma rede de pesquisa que, inicialmente, estará centrada sobre o Estado colonial português. Contudo, e uma vez que a riqueza do tema depende sobretudo da perspectiva comparada, as outras experiências coloniais são parte integrante deste objecto.

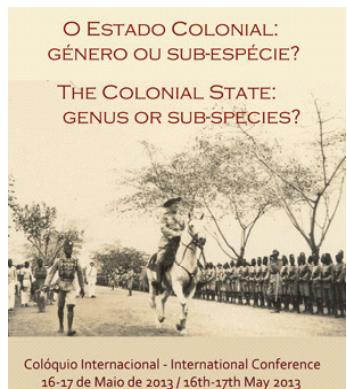
Comissão Científica

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27 a 28 de junho – 2013

PNUM 2013: Annual Conference of the Portuguese Network of Urban Morphology, University of Coimbra, Portugal

The Annual Conference of the Portuguese Network of Urban Morphology will be held at the University of Coimbra under the main topic “Urban Form in Territories of Portuguese Heritage: Analysis, Design, Quantification”.

Following the two previous editions that took place at the Faculty of Arts of the University of Porto in 2011, and at the University Institute of Lisbon ISCTE-IUL in 2012, this new meeting will focus on the analysis, design, and quantification of urban form, with a special focus on the study of urban form in the territories with Portuguese heritage.

The meeting aims at gathering national and international experts on urban form, particularly those who are engaged on research about the vast and rich urban heritage left by the Portuguese in all continents throughout more than five centuries of history.

PNUM 2013 is hosted by the Dep. of Civil Engineering of the University of Coimbra, in collaboration with the Research Centre for Territory, Transp. and Environment of the Faculty of Engineering of the University of Porto, with the participation of ACIV – Association for the Development of Civil Engineering.

Deadline for full paper submission | **31 May 2013**.

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**25 a 27 de Julho – 2013**

Exploring the Portuguese Diaspora in InterDISCIPLINARY and Comparative Perspectives: An International Conference, Indianapolis, Indiana, USA

The international conference “Exploring the Portuguese Diaspora in Interdisciplinary and Comparative Perspectives”, which will be held in Indianapolis, Indiana, USA, July 25-27, addresses the Portuguese diaspora from a global perspective and brings together scholars from the Humanities and Social Sciences whose research reflects all forms of the Portuguese-speaking: socioeconomic, political, literary, linguistic, historical, cultural, and others. The conference encourages a variety of interdisciplinary and theoretical perspectives that address the study of the Portuguese diaspora.

The Butler University campus, Indianapolis, Indiana, USA, is the site of the conference. The languages of the conference are Portuguese, English, Spanish and French.

Exploring the Portuguese Diaspora in InterDISCIPLINARY and Comparative Perspectives: An International Conference proposes to create a forum that will permit scholars to engage in a cross-national and cross-disciplinary dialogue on the Portuguese diaspora. All comparative and interdisciplinary forms of the Portuguese-speaking diaspora (Americas, Africa, Asia, Europe) will be considered: sociological, economic, political, literary, linguistic, historical, cultural, and others.

Proposals must be submitted via the online system at the conference webpage or may be send it to the following email ics@brocku.ca.



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Email | dmscott@anderson.edu (Dulce Maria Scott)
Web | <http://ocs.sfu.ca/pds/index.php/pdaip/2013>

17 a 18 de outubro – 2013

Colóquio Internacional - Da evangelização da África à África evangelizadora: Mediações missionárias em África e a partir de África, FLUP, Porto, Portugal

Desde os primeiros contactos, ainda no séc. XV, que a presença europeia no continente africano se fez acompanhar por campanhas missionárias.

Assegurada num primeiro momento e em largo espectro pelas Ordens e Congregações Religiosas católicas, a ação missionária vai lentamente obtendo resultados, traduzíveis numa presença que se pretendia mais estável e institucionalizada (de que a pontual ereção de dioceses poderá ser um indicador).

Em paralelo assistir-se-á à entrada em campo de missionários de outras confissões cristãs, aduzindo à evangelização de África a tónica de pluralidade confessional que o cristianismo ganhara na Europa a partir do séc. XVI.



Pretende refletir sobre as diferentes modalidades de evangelização em África, desde os seus frágeis inícios até ao forte incremento do séc. XIX e deste até à atualidade pós colonial e globalizada e a respetiva interação com outros domínios da realidade africana.

NOVA DATA > Envio dos resumos | 15 de Maio.
Validação da comissão Científica | 3 de Junho.

Informação

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Web | <http://www.africanos.eu>

27 a 29 de novembro – 2013

Colóquio Internacional ‘Conhecimento e Ciência colonial’ , St. Catharines, Ontario, Canada

O Colóquio internacional Conhecimento e Ciência Colonial resulta de uma parceria entre o Centro de Filosofia das Ciências da Universidade de Lisboa e o Centro de História do Instituto de Investigação Científica Tropical.

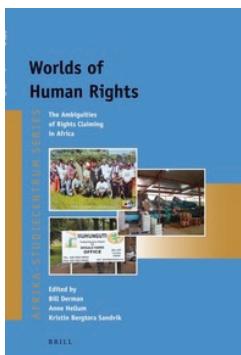
A relação entre a ciência pós-Illuminista e a questão do progresso, do desenvolvimento e da modernização, trouxe um debate cada vez mais intenso sobre os conceitos, valores, ações e consequências da sua prática num contexto colonial que pretende explorar a reciprocidade e proximidade entre o Estado-nação moderno e a ciência e as suas instituições. Será que existiu uma ‘ciência colonial’? A transversalidade destas questões inscreve-as num contexto transnacional e transdisciplinar no qual a análise do contributo da ciência no contexto colonial pode ter um papel estruturante no quadro do debate sobre a construção de um conhecimento específico.

Neste contexto, o Colóquio privilegiará uma abordagem transdisciplinar que permita lançar um olhar global sobre estas questões, incentivar a sua discussão e aumentar a sua visibilidade no quadro de um interesse alargado e consciência crescente da sua importância e dos seus contributos.

As propostas estão abertas até dia **5 de Julho**.

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Worlds of Human Rights. The Ambiguities of Rights Claiming in Africa

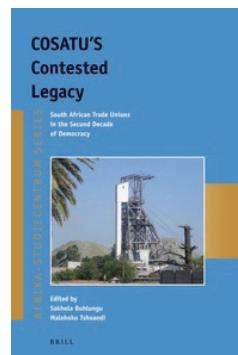
This book engages with contemporary African human rights struggles including land, property, gender equality and legal identity.

Through ethnographic field studies it situates claims-making by groups and individuals that have been subject to injustices and abuses, often due to different forms of displacement, in specific geographical, historical and political contexts.

Exploring local communities' complexities and divided interests it addresses the ambiguities and tensions surrounding the processes whereby human rights have been incorporated into legislation, social and economic programs, legal advocacy, land reform, and humanitarian assistance.

It shows how existing relations of inequality, domination and control are affected by the opportunities offered by emerging law and governance structures.

Autores: Bill Derman, Anne Hellum, Kristin Sandvik (eds.)
Editora: Brill, 290 pp., 2013
ISBN: 978-900-424-647-8
Preço: €46.00 (Paperback)
Encomendas: <http://www.brill.com/worlds-human-rights>



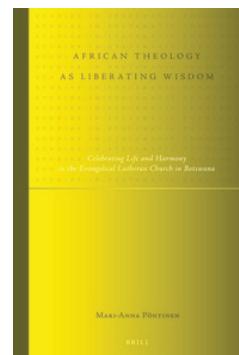
COSATU's Contested Legacy. South African Trade Unions in the Second Decade of Democracy

COSATU's Contested Legacy provides a fresh and up-to-date analysis of trade unionism in contemporary South Africa by focusing on the Congress of South African Trade Unions, the largest and most powerful federation.

Drawing on quantitative data from four time series surveys of union members over a period of sixteen years, the authors present rigorous and authoritative analyses that shed light on the dilemmas and opportunities facing trade unionism today.

The volume shows how various sections of the trade union movement grapple with these dilemmas and contest with one another to chart a future trajectory for trade unionism.

Autores: Sakhela Buhlungu, Malehoko Tshoaeedi
Editora: Brill, 328 pp., 2013
ISBN: 978-900-425-139-7
Preço: €46.00 (Paperback)
Encomendas: <http://www.brill.com/cosatus-contested-legacy>



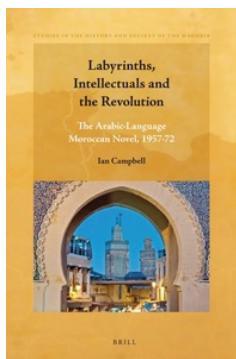
African Theology as Liberating Wisdom. Celebrating Life and Harmony in the Evangelical Lutheran Church in Botswana

In African Theology as Liberating Wisdom; Celebrating Life and Harmony in the Evangelical Lutheran Church in Botswana, Mari-Anna Pöntinen analyses contextual interpretations of the Christian faith in this particular church.

These interpretations are based on the special wisdom tradition which embraces monistic ontology, communal ethics in botho, and the indigenous belief in God as the Source of Life, and the Root of everything that exists.

The constructing theological principle in the ELCB is the downward-orientated and descending God in Christ which interprets the 'Lutheran spirit' in a liberating and empowering sense. It deals with the cultural mythos which brings Christ down into people's existence, unlike Western connotations which are considered to hinder seeing Christ and to prevent existential self-awareness.

Autores: Mari-Anna Pöntinen (ed.)
Editora: Brill, 260 pp., 2013
ISBN: 978-900-424-595-2
Preço: €107.00 (Hardback)
Encomendas: <http://www.brill.com/african-theology-liberating-wisdom>



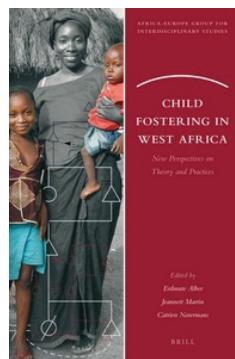
Labyrinths, Intellectuals and the Revolution. The Arabic-Language Moroccan Novel, 1957-72

Labyrinths, Intellectuals and the Revolution traces the development of the postcolonial Arabic-language Moroccan novel from its roots in travel narratives and autobiography into its more mature period of stylistic and thematic diversity in the early 1970s.

This study first undertakes an exploration of the political, social and artistic conditions under which the genre developed, then moves to close readings of each of the formative texts, grouped by theme.

The analysis of these texts centers around their spatial practices: there is a tension between the labyrinthine space of the street, which deflects legibility, and the sacred interior within the blank walls, wherein a certain equality of gaze and power can be perceived.

Autor: Ian Campbell
Editora: Brill, 246 pp., 2013
ISBN: 978-900-424-630-0
Preço: €79.00 (Hardback)
Encomendas: <http://www.brill.com/labyrinths-intellectuals-and-revolution>



Child Fostering in West Africa. New Perspectives on Theory and Practices

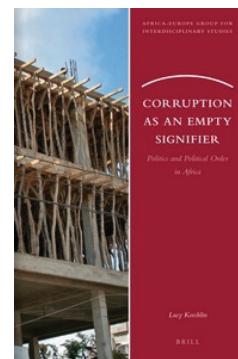
Child fostering is an age-old and also modern phenomenon whose importance stretches much further than the boundaries of so-called 'traditional' African societies.

As a mobile and creative kinship practice, child fostering is of growing importance in the global world as it goes along with other forms of mobility such as migration and transnationalism.

The book aims to revitalise the study of fostering by situating the issue in more recent theoretical approaches to kinship. It also examines what functionalist and structuralist theory may still contribute to the understanding of child fostering.

Historical and recent child fostering practices in several West African countries are discussed from the angles of Anthropology, History and Law.

Autores: Erdmute Alber, Jeannett Martin, Catrien Notermans (eds.)
Editora: Brill, 250 pp., 2013
ISBN: 978-900-425-057-4
Preço: €59.00 (Paperback)
Encomendas: <http://www.brill.com/child-fostering-west-africa>



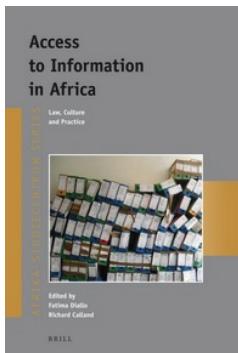
Corruption as an Empty Signifier. Politics and Political Order in Africa

Corruption as an Empty Signifier critically explores the ways in which corruption in Africa has been equated with African politics and political order, and offers a novel approach to understanding corruption as a potentially emancipatory discourse of political transformation.

Conventionally, both academic literature as well as development policies depict corruption as the lynchpin of politics in Africa, locking African societies into political orders which subvert democratic change.

Drawing on the findings of a case study of the construction industry in Tanzania, Lucy Koechlin corruption as a signifier enabling, rather than preventing, social actors to articulate democratic claims. She provides compelling arguments for a more sophisticated understanding of and empirical attentiveness to emancipatory change in African political orders.

Autor: Lucy Koechlin
Editora: Brill, 284 pp., 2013
ISBN: 978-900-424-999-8
Preço: €59.00 (Paperback)
Encomendas: <http://www.brill.com/corruption-empty-signifier>

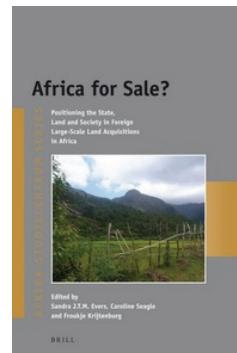


Access to Information in Africa. Law, Culture and Practice

For a long time, Africa has 'lagged' behind global advances in transparency, but there are now significant developments on the continent. In a ground-breaking book, *Access to Information in Africa* brings together for the first time a collection of African academics and practitioners to contribute to the fast-growing body of scholarship that is now accumulating internationally. This is therefore an African account of progress made and setbacks suffered, but also an account of challenges and obstacles that confront both policy-makers and practitioners.

These challenges must be overcome if greater public access to information is to make a distinctive, positive contribution to the continent's democratic and socio-economic future. This book offers a necessarily multi-dimensional perspective on the state of ATI in African jurisdictions and the emerging new praxis.

Autores: Fatima Diallo, Richard Colland (eds.)
Editora: Brill, 250 pp., 2013
ISBN: 978-900-425-065-9
Preço: €46.00 (Paperback)
Encomendas: <http://www.brill.com/access-information-africa>



Africa for Sale? Positioning the State, Land and Society in Foreign Large-Scale Land Acquisitions in Africa

The past several decades have witnessed a rise in foreign and domestic investments in Africa's arable land.

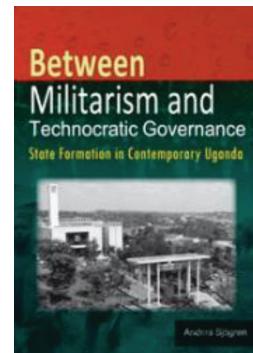
While such land projects are currently the focus of widespread media and scholarly interest, the role of the state in driving, negotiating and facilitating these acquisitions deserves closer attention.

This book analyzes how state land policies, stakeholder interactions and privatization schemes interact to facilitate large-scale land acquisitions.

It includes a study of the various forms of state intervention, the influence of foreign agencies, governments and private entities, and a look at how states interact with local populations.

The inclusion of case studies in settings throughout the African continent should attract the interest of both an academic and non-academic readership.

Autores: Sandra J.T.M. Evers, Caroline Seagle, Froukje Krijtenburg, (eds.)
Editora: Brill, 282 pp., 2013
ISBN: 978-900-425-193-9
Preço: €46.00 (Paperback)
Encomendas: <http://www.brill.com/africa-sale>



Between Militarism and Technocratic Governance: State Formation in Contemporary Uganda

State-civil society relations in Africa have during recent decades been transformed in the context of economic liberalisation and state reform.

This study explores state-civil society relations in contemporary Uganda, from 1986 to the present, in order to illustrate and explain the scope for and capacity of different social forces to create access to and democratise the state.

The study interrogates state-civil society relations under the present National Resistance Movement government as these are expressed through forms of interest representation and conflict regulation in different political arenas.

It analyses the theoretical problem through an empirical study of the health sector at both national and local levels.

Autor: Anders Sjögren
Editora: NAI, 272 pp., 2013
ISBN: 978-997-025-150-6
Download: <http://urn.kb.se/resolve?urn=urn:nbn:se:nai:diva-1637>

**Journal of Religion in Africa.
Volume 43, Issue 1**

The Journal of Religion in Africa, founded in 1967 by Andrew Walls, is interested in all religious traditions and all their forms, in every part of Africa, and it is open to every methodology. Its contributors include scholars working in history, anthropology, sociology, political science, missiology, literature and related disciplines. It occasionally publishes religious texts in their original African language.

Presenting a unique forum for the debate of theoretical issues in the analysis of African religion past and present, the Journal of Religion in Africa also encourages the development of new methodologies. It reviews a very wide range of books and regularly publishes longer review articles on works of special interest. The Journal of Religion in Africa prides itself on being highly international and is the only English-language journal dedicated to the study of religion and ritual throughout Africa.

Executive Editor: Robert Baum (Dartmouth College, Hanover, NH, USA)

Editora: Brill, Number of Issues - 4

ISSN: 0022-4200

Preço: Institutional Subscription (Print Only) €299.00; Individual Subscription (Print Only) €130.00

Encomendas: <http://www.brill.com/journal-religion-africa>

**African Journal of Legal Studies.
Volume 6, Issue 3**

The African Journal of Legal Studies (AJLS) is a peer-reviewed and interdisciplinary academic journal focusing on human rights and rule of law issues in Africa as analyzed by lawyers, economists, political scientists and others drawn from throughout the continent and the world.

The journal, which was established by the Africa Law Institute and is now co-published in collaboration with Martinus Nijhoff Publishers (an imprint of Brill), aims to serve as the leading forum for the thoughtful and scholarly engagement of a broad range of complex issues.

AJLS places emphasis on presenting a diversity of perspectives on fundamental, long-term, systemic problems of human rights and governance, as well as emerging issues, and possible solutions to them.

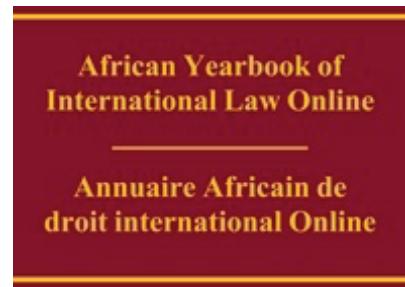
Editor-in-Chief: Charles Chernor Jalloh

Editora: Brill, Number of Issues - 3

ISSN: 2210-9730

Preço: Institutional Subscription (Print Only) €187.00; Individual Subscription (Print Only) €62.00

Encomendas: <http://www.brill.com/publications/journals/african-journal-legal-studies>

**African Yearbook of International Law Online. Volume 19,
Issue 1**

Founded in 1993, the African Yearbook, now also published online is published under the auspices of the African Foundation for International Law. It is the only scholarly publication devoted exclusively to the study, development, dissemination and wider appreciation of international law in Africa as a whole.

Through the scholarly analysis of international legal issues of particular relevance to the African continent, it also contributes to the acceptance of, and respect for the rule of law in intra-African relations, and for the principles of international law in general.

The Yearbook provides ready access to the basic documents of African international organizations by regularly publishing the resolutions and decisions of regional and sub-regional organizations.

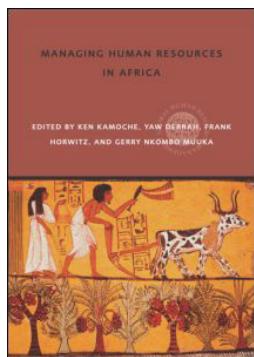
Autor: Martinus Nijhoff Publishers

Editora: Brill, Number of issues: 1

ISSN: 2211-6176

Preço: Institutional Subscription (E-only) €247.00

Encomendas: <http://www.brill.com/african-yearbook-international-law-online-annuaire-africain-de-droit-international-online>



Managing Human Resources in Africa

As rival economies mature, attention shifts to new frontiers - such as Africa.

Yet academic debate often neglects the complexities of this diverse continent, and the challenges faced by both multinational companies and domestic companies; particularly those in the Human Resource (HR) field.

This is a refreshing new book that boldly tackles the HR challenges in countries spanning the African continent, examining the impact of contextual factors on the development of HR practices.

Taking a regional approach to the subject, it featuring chapters on 11 different countries, including South Africa, Mauritius, Tanzania, Ethiopia, Tunisia and Libya, and has been written and edited by those with expert knowledge of the continent.

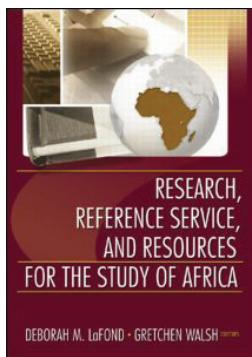
Autores: Ken Kamoche, Yaw Debrah, Frank Horwitz, Gerry Nkombo Muuka (Eds.)

Editora: Routledge, 224 pp., 2013

ISBN: 978-041-536-949-7

Preço: £34.99 (Paperback)

Encomendas: <http://www.routledge.com/books/details/9780203633762/>



Research, Reference Service, and Resources for the Study of Africa

Experts present proven methods and techniques for studying about or in Africa! Research, Reference Services, and Resources for the Study of Africa helps you steer clear of washouts, cave-ins, and dead ends on the road to successful research on — or in — Africa.

This one-of-a-kind research guide presents practical solutions to frequently occurring problems in the study of Africa, including Internet accessibility problems, errors that will affect a "known item" search, the imposition of colonial legacy, and dealing with gender and class bias.

In this book, these tools, research methods, and the accessibility of information on Africa are examined, offering students and professionals a thorough guide to the most successful researching route.

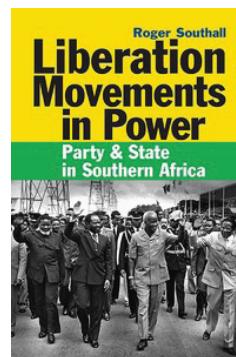
Autor: Linda S Katz

Editora: Routledge, 318 pp., 2013

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Encomendas: <http://www.routledge.com/books/details/9780203725740/>



Liberation Movements in Power. Party and State in Southern Africa

The liberation movements of Southern Africa arose to combat racism, colonialism and settler capitalism and engaged in armed struggle to establish democracy. After victory over colonial and white minority regimes, they moved into government embodying the hopes and aspirations of their mass of supporters and of widespread international solidarity movements.

Even with the difficult legacies they inherited, their performance in power has been deeply disappointing. Roger Southall tracks the experiences in government of ZANU-PF, SWAPO and the ANC, arguing that such movements are characterised by paradoxical qualities, both emancipatory and authoritarian. The author concludes that, while they will survive organizationally, their essence as progressive forces is dying, and that hopes of a genuine liberation throughout the region will depend upon political realignments alongside moral and intellectual regeneration.

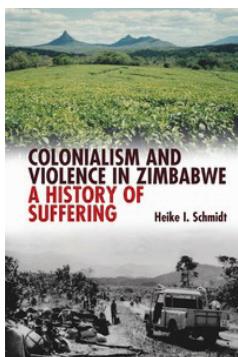
Autor: Roger Southall

Editora: James Currey, 400 pp., 2013

ISBN: 978-184-701-066-7

Preço: £45.00 (Hardback)

Encomendas: <http://www.jamescurrey.com/store/viewItem.asp?idProduct=14172>



Colonialism and Violence in Zimbabwe. A History of Suffering

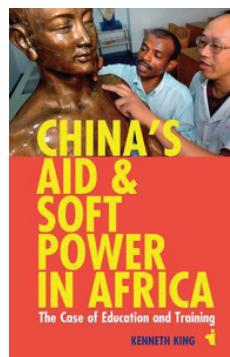
Suffering, the experience of violation brought on by an act of violence or violent circumstances, is omnipresent in today's world - if only indirectly through global media representation.

Despite this apparent immediacy, understanding how a person makes sense of his or her suffering tends to be fragmentary and often elusive.

This book examines this key question through the lens of rural Zimbabwe and a frontier area on the border with Mozambique.

It shows how African women, men, and children fashioned their life-worlds in the face of conflict.

Autor: Heike I. Schmidt
Editora: James Currey, 303 pp., 2013
ISBN: 978-184-701-051-3
Preço: £55.00 (Hardback)
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China's Aid and Soft Power in Africa. The Case of Education and Training

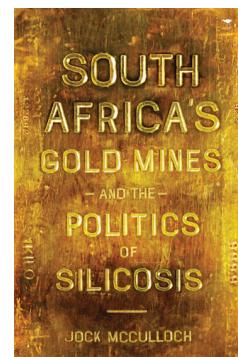
China claims to have been involved for 60 years in South-South cooperation of mutual benefit to China and Africa.

While its dramatic economic and trade impact, particularly on Africa, has caught global attention, little focus has yet been given to its role as an education donor - and especially to the critical role of China's support for training and human resource development for Africans in China, and within Africa itself.

It is vital that we understand what is going on, and why education is so important in China-Africa relations.

Here is hard evidence from Ethiopia, South Africa and Kenya of the dramatic growth of China's soft power and increasing impact in capacity-building, and of the implications of this for Africa, China and the world.

Autor: Kenneth King
Editora: James Currey, 256 pp., 2013
ISBN: 978-184-701-065-0
Preço: £19.99 (Paperback)
Encomendas: <http://www.jamescurrey.com/store/viewItem.asp?idProduct=14171>



South Africa's Gold Mines and the Politics of Silicosis

This book reveals how the South African mining industry, abetted by a minority state, hid a pandemic of silicosis for almost a century and allowed workers infected with tuberculosis to spread the potentially fatal disease to rural communities in South Africa.

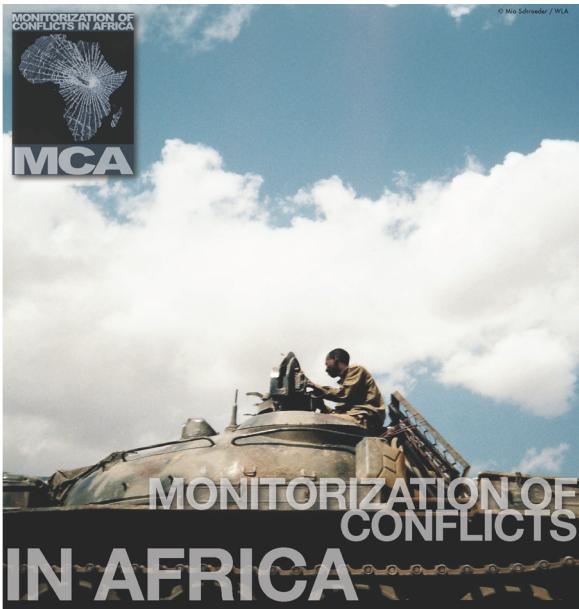
The first crisis of 1896–1912 focused on the minority white workers and resulted in industry investing heavily on reducing dust levels.

The second began in 2000 with mounting scientific evidence that the disease rate among black migrant miners is more than a hundred times higher than officially acknowledged.

This has resulted in class actions against operating companies.

Autor: Jock McCulloch
Editora: Jacana, 208 pp., 2013
ISBN: 978-143-140-718-7
Preço: R 205,20 (Paperback)
Encomendas: <http://www.jacana.co.za/new-releases/new-releases-6593/south-africa-s-gold-mines-and-the-politics-of-silicosis-detail>

Projeto



Monitorization of Conflicts in Africa

The project aims to provide a critical analysis of contemporary conflicts in the Horn of Africa. The project comprises original research on the causes and outcomes of both inter and intra-state conflicts with regard to the analysis of the dynamics leading to state reconfiguration or disintegration of the region's states.

The original contributions of the project are: **1)** the fieldwork in Ethiopia, Somalia, Sudan and Kenya and **2)** the final comparative perspective with regard to continuities, changes, similarities and disparities in political violence and conflict dynamics in its relationship with the state's particular trajectories; the project will focus on the state's trajectories bearing in mind the domestic, regional and global political arenas.

Ref: PTDC/AFR/100460/2008

Funding Institution: FCT - Fundação para a Ciência e Tecnologia | **Coordinator(s):** Alexandra M. Dias

Research Area: States, Public Policy and International Regulation

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Web | <http://conflicts-in-africa.iscte.pt/index.php/>

Bolsas e Emprego

Canada-Africa Research – Bolsas de Investigação

The Canada-Africa Research Exchange Grants (CAREG) program is part of a two-year pilot program funded by the International Development Research Centre (IDRC).

IDRC is a Crown corporation created by the Parliament of Canada in 1970 to help developing countries use science and technology to find practical, long-term solutions to the social, economic, and environmental problems they face.

IDRC's support is directed toward creating a local research community whose work will build healthier, more equitable, and more prosperous societies. IDRC's mission is empowerment through knowledge.

This program intends to fund seven to eight grants worth a maximum of \$40,000 each to support short-term exchanges between Canadian and African universities and research institutes that address to the research centre research themes.

As well as joint research activities, the program will also provide some support to activities aimed at improving student training at the graduate level.

Submissions deadline: **May 22, 2013** (4 p.m. EDT).



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University Lecturership in African History at Oxford University

Applications are invited for appointment to a University Lecturership, to be held jointly in the Faculty of History and the School of Interdisciplinary Area Studies (SIAS), in association with a Governing Body Fellowship at St Antony's College, with effect from **1 October 2013**, or as soon as possible thereafter.

The successful applicant will have research interests in sub-Saharan African History since 1900. He/she will be expected to provide teaching and supervision for both the Faculty of History and SIAS at undergraduate and graduate levels and to engage in research and administration. Candidates should refer to the further particulars for full details of the teaching requirements for this post. Candidates should have received the degree of PhD, in a field of History or a related field with major research experience in African history, by **1 October 2013**, or at least have submitted a completed doctoral dissertation for examination by that date.

The successful candidate must demonstrate a research record on African History since 1900 of international standing appropriate to the stage of his or her career, and evidence of imaginative current and future research plans, including the potential to lead new research initiatives; a record of success in securing research funding, or a demonstrable desire to do so; the ability to deliver excellent tutorial teaching and to give lectures and classes; the ability to act as an examiner; the ability to supervise graduate students; and a willingness to undertake administration and pastoral responsibilities on behalf of the History Faculty, SIAS and St Antony's College.

The closing date for applications is 12:00 noon (UK time) on **18 April 2013**.

Information and applications

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Data limite de candidatura **11 de Abril de 2013**.

O CV a enviar por e-mail (indicar a posição a que se candidata no assunto) deve estar em português e em formato europeu, acompanhado de carta de motivação e da indicação de 2 pessoas de referência e o contacto.



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- Ambicioso e com forte sentido de responsabilidade;
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Data | 24-04-2013

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Experiência comprovada e domínio dos seguintes pontos:

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- Conhecimento do funcionamento de sistemas de gestão ou de controlo do orçamento de Estado e dos Municípios, com preferência pelo SIGOF e SIM;
- Conhecimento do funcionamento do Tribunal de Contas e da legislação cabo-verdiana;
- Domínio da língua portuguesa;
- Boa capacidade de análise e síntese, de comunicação, integridade e compromisso, elevado sentido de orientação para o resultado.

Data | 24-04-2013

Categoria | Serviços Técnicos

Referência | # 1694446

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Os interessados deverão enviar CV para o email indicado abaixo. Deverão responder usando a referência “**Ref. 2013/00191: Técnico especialista em Tecnologias de Informação e Comunicação**” (a não utilização da referência no assunto é factor eliminatório).

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Procura-se de Diretor de Obra (m/f) para Angola (Ref.ª DO0413) - [Data > 25-04-2013]

O Diretor de Obra integrará o departamento de produção da H. Seabra Angola desempenhando atividades ligadas ao planeamento, gestão, preparação e direção de obras em Angola de refrigeração industrial. Conhecimento dos projetos, cálculo e gestão da mão-de-obra e meios, determinar materiais e equipamentos, encomendas, acompanhamento próximo dos desenvolvimentos na obra.

Perfil do candidato

- Licenciatura em Engenharia Mecânica ou similar;
- Exp. em Refrigeração Industrial e/ou AVAC;
- Pelo - 3 anos de exp. de trabalho em funções similares;
- Competências profissionais adequadas à função;
- Dupla nacionalidade (preferencial);
- Conhecimentos avançados de Excel, ERP Primavera e MS Project;
- Autonomia, dinamismo e forte sentido de responsab.;
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- Bons conhecimentos de Inglês e Espanhol.

Oferta

- Participação em projetos desafiantes;
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- Integração em equipa jovem e dinâmica;
- Vencimento compatível com exp. demonstrada;

Candidatura

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Formação

Workshop Towards the Angolan Past'2013

The workshop will take place between 6th to 10th of May of 2013 in Harriet Tubman Institute, York University.

>> **Monday**, opening remarks – Prof. Dr. José C. Curto (York Univ.)

PANEL 1

9:30-12:00 | Atlantic Connections between Angola and Brazil

PANEL 2

14:30-17:00 | Daily Life in a Slaving Port Town: Marrying, Living and Dying in Benguela

>> **Tuesday, May 7th**

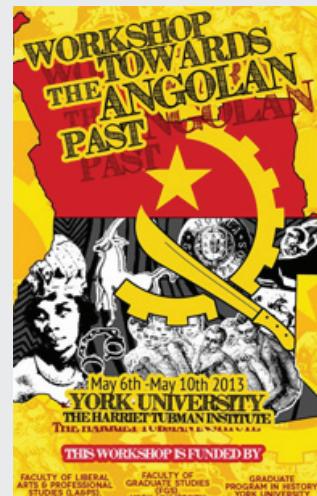
9:30-12:00 | Roundtable: Taking Graduate Students to the Archives – From Lisbon to Benguela

13:30-17:00 | Discovering Angola in Canada - The Royal Ontario Museum

>> **Wednesday, May 8th**

PANEL 3

9:30-12:00 | Women, Crime and Resistance in Angola



PANEL 4

14:30-17:00 | Towards the Angolan Nation-State

>> **Thursday, May 9th**

Research - Angola in the United Church of Canada Archives

>> **Friday, May 10th**

Research - Angola in the United Church of Canada Archives

Information

Web | <http://tubman.info.yorku.ca/2013/04/may-6th-10th-workshop-towards-the-angolan-past/>

Chamada de Colaborações

Interdisciplinary Journal of Portuguese Diaspora Studies

The Interdisciplinary Journal of Portuguese Diaspora Studies (IJPDS) is a peer-reviewed international academic journal published annually in affiliation with Anderson University, USA; Brock University, Canada; and The University of British Columbia, Canada.

The journal aims to provide a multidisciplinary, intercontinental, and polyphonic forum, which will permit dialogue among Portuguese and non-Portuguese scholars involved in research and creative work related to the Portuguese diaspora throughout the world. The journal publishes original research, evaluation studies, case reports, review articles, and book reviews.

IJPDS welcomes original contributions for the second issue of the journal to be published in the fall 2013. Researchers in the humanities and social sciences are encouraged to submit papers in final form by **April 30th, 2013**.

The papers submitted must be receptive to a variety of interdisciplinary topics and theoretical perspectives that address this area of study. Under the rubric of diaspora, we also encourage papers that engage in the exploration of the Portuguese diaspora in a comparative global context. Manuscripts in English, Portuguese, Spanish, or French are accepted for review and must be accompanied by an abstract in English, as well as in the original language in which the paper is written.

Book reviews of emergent publications to Portuguese diaspora studies are welcome.

For submission guidelines, please follow the instructions on the journal's website.

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