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this book is part of a two volumes exploration comprising 18 chapters organized into four distinct thematic sections this volume delves into the geopolitical dynamics and power relations in east and southeast asia and the global north it examines the interactions of regional and extra regional powers from both military and soft power perspectives it highlights china s influence in the indo pacific region russia s involvement in myanmar s political economy and taiwan s situation it also examines the dynamics of india taiwan relations and north korea s foreign policy this book presents interconnected discussions on various themes offering valuable insights for readers it provides useful insights into the role of the global north from multiple perspectives this will benefit students scholars and academicians from diverse disciplines such as international

relations foreign policy defence and strategic studies political science peace and conflict studies and journalism the other volume provides an in depth analysis of the intricate power struggles within this asian region with a particular focus on india and delves into the power dynamics of central asia and west asia offering a comprehensive examination of the geopolitical and power related issues that shape these regions

disziplinäre grenzen überschreitend zielt der band darauf ab die visualisierung mohammeds in der westlichen welt vis à vis mit dessen darstellung im islam zu untersuchen dabei wird das material weder geographischen oder sprachlichen sphären zugeordnet noch werden textquellen isoliert von bildlichen darstellungen betrachtet die beiträge eröffnen vielmehr einen thematischen und theoretischen dialog über die frage wie der prophet in verschiedenen kulturellen traditionen in europa und amerika und in der welt des islam vom mittelalter bis in die gegenwart vergegenwärtigt wurde

die perinatale medizin ist ein wissenschaftshistorisch gesehen noch junges fachgebiet der medizin das sich seit mitte des 20 jahrhunderts herausgebildet hat wesentliche anstöße und innovationen verdankt sie dem wissenschaftlich ärztlichen wirken eines der herausgeber des bandes prof dr erich saling der auch vater der perinatalen medizin genannt wird er hat mit der einföhrung der fetalblutanalyse erstmals einen zugang zum ungeborenen eröffnet was heute als meilenstein am beginn der perinatalen medizin gilt mit ausnahme der 1985 erschienenen aufsatzsammlung von rooth und saugstadt existieren zur geschichte der perinatalen medizin nur einzeldarstellungen unterschiedlicher teilgebiete z b fetale überwachung sub partu ultraschall entweder als paper in zeitschriften oder kapitel in entsprechenden lehrbüchern erschienen bislang gibt es jedoch kein werk das in einem integrativen zusammenhang die geschichte des noch jungen fachs mit schwerpunkt auf dem beginn in den 1960er und frühen 1970er jahren aber auch unter würdigung wesentlicher vorläufer und kurzer darstellung der späteren entwicklungen aus der sicht einiger beteiligter darstellt die autoren des bandes sind ausgewiesene fachleute mit teilweise jahrzehntelanger expertise auf den von ihnen beschriebenen feldern

the twenty seven original contributions to this volume investigate the ways in which the first world war has been commemorated and represented internationally in prose fiction drama film docudrama and comics from the 1960s until the present the volume thus provides a comprehensive survey of the cultural memory of the war as reflected in various media across national cultures addressing the complex connections between the cultural post memory of the war and its mediation in four sections the essays investigate 1 the cultural legacy of the great war including its mythology and iconography 2 the implications of different forms and media for representing the war 3 national memories foregrounding the differences in post memory representations and interpretations of the great war and 4 representations of the great war within larger temporal or spatial frameworks focusing specifically on the ideological dimensions of its remembrance in historical socio political gender

oriented and post colonial contexts

this book begins with an introduction to fundamental issues related to digital preservation metadata before proceeding to in depth coverage of issues concerning its practical use and implementation it helps readers to understand which options need to be considered in specifying a digital preservation metadata profile to ensure it matches their individual content types technical infrastructure and organizational needs further it provides practical guidance and examples and raises important questions it does not provide full fledged implementation solutions as such solutions can by definition only be specific to a given preservation context as such the book effectively bridges the gap between the formal specifications provided in a standard such as the premis data dictionary a de facto standard that defines the core metadata required by most preservation repositories and specific implementations anybody who needs to manage digital assets in any form with the intent of preserving them for an indefinite period of time will find this book a valuable resource the premis data dictionary provides a data model consisting of basic entities objects agents events and rights and basic properties called semantic units that describe them the key challenge addressed is that of determining which information one needs to keep together with one s digital assets so that they can be understood and used in the long term in other words exactly which metadata one needs the book will greatly benefit beginners and current practitioners alike it is equally targeted at digital preservation repository managers and metadata analysts who are responsible for digital preservation metadata as it is at students in library information and archival science degree programs or related fields further it can be used at the conception stage of a digital preservation system or for self auditing an existing system

the concept of authenticity has received some attention in recent academic discourse yet it has often been left under defined from a sociolinguistic perspective this volume presents the contributions of a wide range of scholars who exchanged their views on the topic at a conference in freiburg germany in november 2011 the authors address three leading questions what are the local meanings of authenticity embedded in large cultural and social structures what is the meaning of linguistic authenticity in delocalised and or deterritorialised settings how is authenticity indexed in other contexts of language expression e g in writing or in political discourse these questions are tackled by recognised experts in the fields of sociolinguistics linguistic anthropology and contact linguistics while by no means exhaustive the volume offers a large array of case studies that contribute significantly to our understanding of the meaning of authenticity in language production and perception

this book examines central aspects of the new technologies and the legal questions raised by them from both an international and an interdisciplinary perspective the technology revolution and the global networking of it systems pose enormous challenges for the law current areas of discussion relate to autonomous systems big data and issues surrounding legal tech ensuring data protection and it security as well as the

creation of a legal framework for the new technology as a whole can only be achieved through international and inter disciplinary co operation the team of authors is made up of experienced internationally renowned experts as well as young researchers and professionals who give valuable insights from numerous different jurisdictions this book is written for jurists and those responsible for technology in public authorities and companies as well as practising lawyers and researchers

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this exciting new text offers an accessible shorter book for teaching legal research with an effective building block approach breaking down the material into discrete parts and building on previous material to create a smooth logical flow to the book the book s brief and basic coverage makes it appropriate for shorter courses while self contained chapters lend incredible teaching flexibility special features self contained chapters lend incredible teaching flexibility graphics including sample pages and other examples of research sources enhance the presentation and make the book extremely accessible excellent pedagogy includes end of chapter checklists lists and charts summarizing material within chapters and clear examples

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discover cultural psychology with this up to date introductory text full of bite sized briefings perfect for undergraduate students culture conscious briefings on culture cognition and behavior delivers an insightful treatment of 46 different topics in the cross cultural study of perception cognition personality social behavior health and moral reasoning these stand alone briefings are ideal for instructors who wish to

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