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Boston Medical and Surgical Journal 1896 the secret to good government is a question no one in washington is asking what's the right thing to do what's wrong in washington is deeper than you think yes there's gridlock polarization and self-dealing but hidden underneath is something bigger and more destructive it's a broken governing system from that comes wasteful government rising debt failing schools expensive health care and economic hardship rules have replaced leadership in america bureaucracy regulation and outmoded law tie our hands and confine policy choices nobody asks what's the right thing to do here instead they wonder what does the rule book say there's a fatal flaw in america's governing system trying to decree correctness through rigid laws will never work public paralysis is the inevitable result of the steady accretion of detailed rules america is now run by dead people by political leaders from the past who enacted mandatory programs that churn ahead regardless of waste irrelevance or new priorities america needs to radically simplify its operating system and give people officials and citizens alike the freedom to be practical rules can't accomplish our goals only humans can get things done in the rule of nobody philip k howard argues for a return to the framers' vision of public law setting goals and boundaries not dictating daily choices this incendiary book explains how america went wrong and offers a guide for how to liberate human ingenuity to meet the challenges of this century

The Rule of Nobody: Saving America from Dead Laws and Broken Government

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2018-02-08 examines constitutional innovations related to executive power made by each of the nation's forty-four presidents

Annual Reports of the War Department 1904 robin walz s updated modernism now part of the seminar studies series has been updated to include significant primary source material and features to make it more accessible for students returning to or studying the topic for the first time the twentieth century was a period of seismic change on a global scale witnessing two world wars the rise and fall of communism the establishment of a global economy the beginnings of global warming and a complete reversal in the status of women in large parts of the world the modernist movements of the early twentieth century launched a cultural revolution without which the multi media driven world in which we live today would not have been possible today modernism is enshrined in art galleries and university courses its techniques of abstraction and montage and its creative impulse to innovate and shock are the stock in trade of commercial advertising feature films television and computer generated graphics in this concise cultural history robin walz vividly recaptures what was revolutionary about modernism he shows how an aesthetic concept arising from a diversity of cultural movements from cubism and bauhaus to abstract expressionism and pop art and operating in different ways across the fields of art literature music design and architecture came to turn intellectual and cultural life and assumptions upside down first in europe and then around the world from the nineteenth century origins of modernism to its postmodern legacies this book will give the reader access to the big picture of modernism as a dynamic historical process and an unfinished project which still speaks to our times

Untrodden Ground 2015-03-10 delivering entrepreneurship education in africa brings together a collection of academic studies that offer an in depth analysis of the current state of entrepreneurship education in africa the chapter authors engage discussions on how to make entrepreneurship education an attractive field of study for african students

□□□□□□□□ 1993 how much power does a president really have theories and arguments abound pointlessly bruce miroff says if we don t understand the context in which presidents operate borrowing from machiavelli miroff maps five fields of political struggle that presidents must traverse to make any headway media powerful economic interests political coalitions the high risk politics of domestic policy and the partisan politics of foreign policy the prince readying for war machiavelli writes must learn the nature of the terrain and know how mountains slope how valleys open how plains lie and understand the nature of rivers and swamps so it is with presidents navigating the political landscape the variability of political ground and of the conflicts fought on it is a core proposition of this study the swift collapse of the soviet union the terrorist attacks of 9 11 and the financial crisis of 2008 recent history offers a quick lesson in fortune s role in the careers of presidents taking a historical perspective which opens on an array of cases miroff explores the various ways in which a president s agenda is constrained or facilitated by political conditions on the ground his book reveals

the 1960s announced the death of literature for them literature both past and present as well as conventional discussions of literary issues had lost its meaning in the institution of criticism peter uwe hohendahl explores the implications of this crisis from a marxist perspective and attempts to define the tasks and responsibilities of criticism in advanced capitalist societies hohendahl takes a close look at the social history of literary criticism in germany since the eighteenth century drawing on the tradition of the frankfurt school and on jürgen habermas s concept of the public sphere hohendahl sheds light on some of the important political and social forces that shape literature and culture the institution of criticism is made up of seven essays originally published in german and a long theoretical introduction written by the author with english language readers in mind this book conveys the rich possibilities of the german perspective for those who employ american and french critical techniques and for students of contemporary critical theory

Annual Report of the Regents 1898 in this book itai sened examines the political institution of property and other individual rights his argument is that the foundation of such rights is to be found in the political and economic institutions which grant and enforce them and not in any set of moral principles or nature the book further argues that individual rights are instituted through a political process and not by any hidden market forces the origin of rights is placed in a social contract that evolves as a political process in which governments grant and protect property and other individual rights to constituents in return for economic and political support extending neo institutional theory to the subject and using a positive game theoretic approach in its analysis this book is an original contribution to scholarship on the evolution of rights

Annual Report of the Inspector of Asylums, Prisons, and Public Charities 1889 presents a sociological perspective on the issues involved in transforming the structure of inner city schools this book evaluates the models which have guided past and present attempts at educational reform and proposes a coherent theory for attacking the problems of urban education dr janowitz examines the inner city school as a social system the physical structure community setting people involved and persistent patterns of behavior he analyzes the current trend of specialization teaching and recommends instead an aggregation model which increases the scope of the individual teacher and restructures the climate of the school

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and voluntary action it is the first systematic ethnographic study i know that treats volunteers and the institutions they create john van til author of growing civil society students and faculty interested in the issue of homelessness will find the book instructive recommended choice why do people volunteer and what motivates them to stick with it how do local organizations create community how does voluntary participation foster moral development in volunteers to create a better citizenry in this fascinating study of volunteers at the partnership for the homeless in new york city robert s ogilvie provides bold and engaging answers to these questions he describes how volunteer programs such as the partnership generate ethical development in and among participants and how the partnership s volunteers have made it such a continued success since the early 1980s ogilvie s examination of voluntarism suggests that the american ethic is essential for sustaining community life and to the future well being of a democratic society Love's Shadow 2021-01-12 mar 29 hearing held in austin tex

The Life and Work of Thomas MacGreevy 2013-05-23

2004-03 the purpose of this study is to examine the many aspects of museums with a view to how each could contribute to changing the roles of museums from mere depositories of antiquities with historical relevance to effective educational institutions of history

The Institution of Criticism 2016-11-01 the sociology of work and occupations second edition connects work and occupations to the key subjects of sociological inquiry social and technological change race ethnicity gender social class education social networks and modes of organization in 15 chapters rudi volti succinctly but comprehensively covers the changes in the world of work encompassing everything from gathering and hunting to working in today s information age this book introduces students to a highly relevant analysis of society today in this new and updated edition globalization and technology are each given their own chapter and discussed in great depth

The Political Institution of Private Property 1997-07-24 the essays in marriage proposals envision a variety of scenarios in which adults would continue to join themselves together seeking permanent companionship and sustenance linking sexual intimacy to a long commitment usually caring for each other and building new families what would disappear are the legal consequences associated with

marriage no joint income tax return no immigration privileges like the fiancée visa or the right to bring in a husband or wife no special statuses for prison visits or hospital decisions no prerogative to remain silent in court by claiming confidential marital communications no pension entitlements no marital benefits and detriments regarding criminal or civil liability the anthology makes a unique contribution amid the two marriage furors of the day same sex marriage and the bush administration s marriage movement that marrying is good and more marriages would be better for society abolishing the legal category of marriage is the only policy suggestion in current american discourse that speaks to both causes activists on both sides of the same sex marriage fight along with marriage movement partisans all seek improvement through law reform marriage proposals gives them a viable reform abolition of marriage as a legal status for fighting battles in the courtroom and the streets contributors include anita bernstein peggy cooper davis martha albertson fineman linda c mcclain marshall miller lawrence rosen mary lyndon shanley and dorian solot

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