

FREE PDF SUSTAINABLE LIVELIHOODS AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT AGRARIAN CHANGE AND PEASANT STUDIES FULL PDF

AGRARIAN CHANGE AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT IS A LANDMARK VOLUME THAT EXAMINES THE HISTORICAL EXPERIENCE OF THE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN AGRARIAN CHANGE AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT BECAUSE AGRICULTURE WAS UNTIL RECENTLY MAN'S DOMINANT OCCUPATION SCHOLARS HAVE TRADITIONALLY DRAWN LITTLE ATTENTION TO ITS IMMENSE HISTORICAL IMPORTANCE THE ESSAYS IN THIS BOOK REDRESS THIS BALANCE AND ILLUSTRATE THE SIGNIFICANCE OF THE WESTERN WORLD'S ESCAPE FROM AN OVERWHELMINGLY AGRARIAN CONDITION IT IS THEREFORE AN IDEAL WORK FOR ENCOURAGING THOSE CONCERNED WITH CURRENT PROBLEMS TO PERCEIVE AGRICULTURAL DEVELOPMENT AS PROFESSIONAL HISTORIANS SEE IT AND TO QUESTION THE OVERSIMPLIFIED HISTORICAL ANALOGIES COMMONLY EMPLOYED IN DEVELOPMENT ECONOMICS PRESENTING HISTORICAL EXAMPLES OF CHANGE WITHIN PARTICULAR AGRICULTURAL SYSTEMS AND DISCUSSING THEIR IMPLICATIONS FOR NATIONAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT BOTH SOCIAL SCIENTISTS AND PLANNERS LESS CONCERNED WITH HISTORICAL REVISION WILL HAVE EQUAL REASON TO WELCOME THESE CASE STUDIES OF THE LONG RUN INTERACTION OF AGRARIAN CHANGE AND ECONOMIC ACTIVITY THIS CLASSIC BOOK WAS FIRST PUBLISHED IN 1969 HENRY BERNSTEIN ARGUES THAT CLASS DYNAMICS SHOULD BE THE STARTING POINT OF ANY ANALYSIS OF AGRARIAN CHANGE PROVIDING AN ACCESSIBLE INTRODUCTION TO AGRARIAN POLITICAL ECONOMY HE SHOWS CLEARLY HOW THE ARGUMENT FOR BRINGING CLASS BACK IN PROVIDES AN ALTERNATIVE TO INHERITED CONCEPTIONS OF THE AGRARIAN QUESTION HE ALSO ABLY ILLUSTRATES WHAT IS AT STAKE IN DIFFERENT WAYS OF THINKING ABOUT CLASS DYNAMICS AND THE EFFECTS OF AGRARIAN CHANGE IN TODAY'S GLOBALIZED WORLD CONTENTS INTRODUCTION THE POLITICAL ECONOMY OF AGRARIAN CHANGE PRODUCTION AND PRODUCTIVITY ORIGINS OF EARLY DEVELOPMENT OF CAPITALISM COLONIALISM AND CAPITALISM FARMING AND AGRICULTURE LOCAL AND GLOBAL NEOLIBERAL GLOBALIZATION AND WORLD AGRICULTURE CAPITALIST AGRICULTURE AND NON CAPITALIST FARMERS CLASS FORMATION IN THE COUNTRYSIDE COMPLEXITIES OF CLASS TEXTBOOK ESSAYS ON ECONOMIC THEORIES AGRICULTURAL ECONOMY RELATING TO AGRARIAN REFORM AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT IN DEVELOPING COUNTRIES DISCUSSES RELATIONS BETWEEN AGRARIAN CHANGE POPULATION GROWTH AND POVERTY CONSIDERS FARM SIZE LAND TENURE AND COLONIALISM AND INCLUDES CASE STUDIES CONCERNING CAPITALISTS IN COLOMBIA AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION CONDITIONS IN INDIA RURAL EMPLOYMENT IN JAVA INDONESIA REGIONAL LEVEL LABOUR MARKETS FOR SUGAR CANE PLANTATION WORKERS IN PERU SOCIAL CLASS PHENOMENA IN TANZANIA ETC BIBLIOGRAPHYS THIS BOOK IS A CRITICAL EXAMINATION OF THE TRUTH BEHIND THE STEREOTYPE THAT THERE IS A GREEN REVOLUTION IN AGRICULTURAL TECHNOLOGY TWENTY ONE SPECIALISTS IN THE FIELD OF DEVELOPMENT STUDIES LOOK AT THE REALITY OF AGRARIAN CHANGE EITHER THROUGH HISTORICAL ANALYSIS OR THROUGH IN DEPTH VILLAGE FIELD WORK OR FROM THEIR EXPERIENCE AS DEVELOPMENT PLANNERS THE FOCUS AND CONCERN OF AGRARIAN CHANGE MIGRATION AND DEVELOPMENT IS THE PROBLEM OF LABOUR MIGRATION VELTMEYER AND WISE EXPLORE THE DYNAMICS AND DEVELOPMENT IMPLICATIONS OF THE MIGRATION PROCESSES SET IN MOTION BY THE CAPITALIST MODE OF PRODUCTION THE DYNAMICS OF THESE PROCESSES ARE BOTH INTERNATIONAL IN REGARD TO THE INTERNATIONAL OR CROSS BORDER FLOWS OF LABOUR MIGRANTS AND INTERNAL TO COUNTRIES THAT HAVE UNDERGONE OR ARE UNDERGOING A PROCESS OF AGRARIAN CHANGE AND SOCIAL TRANSFORMATION VELTMEYER AND WISE EXAMINE WHAT THEY CALL THE MIGRATION DEVELOPMENT NEXUS FROM BOTH A POLITICAL ECONOMY AND A SOCIOLOGICAL PERSPECTIVE HIGHLIGHTING CURRENT TRENDS THE GLOBAL SCALE AND THE HUMAN DIMENSION OF THE LABOUR MIGRATION PROCESS WITH PARTICULAR REFERENCE TO THE INCREASING SOUTH NORTH FLOWS OF MIGRANTS WHO ARE FORCED TO ABANDON THEIR COMMUNITIES AND WAYS OF LIFE BY THE GLOBALIZING FORCES OF CAPITALIST DEVELOPMENT WHILE IT MAY APPEAR THAT THESE MIGRANTS ARE FREE TO CHOOSE TO ABANDON THEIR COMMUNITIES AND IN MANY CASES THEIR FAMILIES IN THE SEARCH FOR GREATER ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITIES AND A BETTER WAY OF LIFE THE AUTHORS SHOW WITH DEVASTATING LOGIC THAT THE DECISIONS MADE BY SO MANY MIGRANTS ARE ROOTED IN THE WORKINGS OF THE WORLD CAPITALIST SYSTEM WHICH CONVERTS THEM INTO A POOL OF SURPLUS LABOUR TO BE PULLED INTO AND OUT OF THE SYSTEM AS REQUIRED BY CAPITALISTS IN THEIR ENDLESS SEARCH FOR PRIVATE PROFIT ORIGINALLY PUBLISHED IN 1982 THIS BOOK PROVIDES AN IMPORTANT SET OF BASIC MATERIALS FOR STUDENTS OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT KEY PAPERS HAVE BEEN CHOSEN AND ARRANGED AND THE EDITOR HAS PROVIDED A GENERAL INTRODUCTION AND PASSAGES THAT LINK THE PAPERS ALERTING THE STUDENT TO RIVAL THEORETICAL INTERPRETATIONS AND TO REGIONAL PARALLELS AND CONTRASTS THE BOOK PROVIDES A BASIS FOR THE ANALYSIS OF THE PROCESSES THAT MAKE RURAL SOCIETIES AND ECONOMIES WHAT THEY ARE AND SUBSTANTIALLY DETERMINE THE CHANGES THAT TAKE PLACE WITHIN THEM THE PAPERS HELP THE READER TO UNDERSTAND THE NATURE OF THE PHENOMENA WITH WHICH RURAL DEVELOPMENT HAS TO DEAL AND IN DOING SO TO BEGIN TO EVALUATE THE INTERVENTIONS OF AGENCIES AND PLANNERS THE WAYS WE UNDERSTAND PROCESSES OF AGRARIAN CHANGE ARE PRESSING ISSUES FOR POLICY MAKERS AND DEVELOPMENT PRACTITIONERS INTERPRETING CHANGES IN TWO AGRARIAN SOCIETIES IN INDIA AND INDONESIA THE AUTHOR REVEALS HOW TRANSFORMATIONS TO SELF ARE CRITICAL FACTORS SHAPING CHANGE AS WELL AS UNDER RECOGNIZED CONSEQUENCES OF DEVELOPMENT INITIATIVES AN INSTITUTIONAL APPROACH TO AGRICULTURAL DEVELOPMENT IN EUROPE LEADING TO THE RISE OF THE WEST ANALYSES OF AGRARIAN CHANGE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT STRATEGIES STRUCTURAL ANALYSIS OF AGRARIAN CHANGE CAPITAL AND PEASANTRY ANALYSES OF THE PEASANT FARM ECONOMY RURAL LABOR THE STATE AND THE PEASANTRY THE ECONOMIC AND POLITICAL RISE OF THE BRICS BRAZIL RUSSIA INDIA CHINA AND SOUTH AFRICA AND MIDDLE INCOME COUNTRIES MICS HAVE IMPORTANT IMPLICATIONS FOR GLOBAL AGRARIAN TRANSFORMATION THESE EMERGING ECONOMIES ARE UNDERGOING PROFOUND CHANGES AS KEY SITES OF THE PRODUCTION CIRCULATION AND CONSUMPTION OF AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES HOSTS TO ABUNDANT CHEAP LABOUR AND NATURAL RESOURCES AND HOME TO GROWING NUMBERS OF BOTH POOR BUT ALSO INCREASINGLY AFFLUENT CONSUMERS SEPARATELY AND TOGETHER THESE COUNTRIES ARE SHAPING INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT AGENDAS BOTH AS PARTNERS IN AND POTENTIAL ALTERNATIVES TO THE DEVELOPMENT PARADIGMS PROMOTED BY THE ESTABLISHED HUBS OF GLOBAL CAPITAL IN THE NORTH ATLANTIC AND BY DOMINANT INTERNATIONAL FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS COLLECTIVELY THE CHAPTERS IN THIS BOOK SHOW THE SIGNIFICANCE OF BRICS COUNTRIES IN RESHAPING AGRO FOOD SYSTEMS AT THE NATIONAL AND REGIONAL LEVEL AS WELL AS THEIR GLOBAL SIGNIFICANCE AS THEY EXPORT THEIR OWN FARMING AND PRODUCTION SYSTEMS ACROSS DIFFERENT CONTEXTS THOUGH THE OUTCOMES ARE CONTINGENT AND SUCCESS IS NOT ASSURED AT THE SAME TIME BRICS MAY REPRESENT A CONTINUATION RATHER THAN AN ALTERNATIVE TO THE DEVELOPMENT PARADIGMS OF THE GLOBAL NORTH THE CHAPTERS WERE ORIGINALLY PUBLISHED IN A SPECIAL ISSUE OF THIRD WORLD THEMATICS A TWQ JOURNAL THE LANDLORD AND HIS EMACIATED LABOURER ARE SYMBOLIC OF INDIAN AGRICULTURE HOWEVER THIS RELATIONSHIP HAS NOW CHANGED AS LARGE LANDOWNERS HAVE FALLEN FROM THEIR SUPERIOR POSITION THIS VOLUME EXPLORES HOW THIS EMBLEMATIC PAIR IS BECOMING A THING OF THE PAST STRUCTURAL TRANSFORMATION AND AGRARIAN CHANGE IN INDIA INVESTIGATES WHETHER FAMILY LABOUR FARMS ARE GAINING PROMINENCE AS A CONSEQUENCE OF THE STRUCTURAL TRANSFORMATION OF THE ECONOMY THE AUTHORS WORK ALONGSIDE WEBERIAN METHODOLOGY OF IDEAL TYPES AND DEVELOP DIFFERENT TYPES OF FAMILY FARMS AMONG THEM FAMILY LABOUR FARMS THAT RELY MAINLY ON FAMILY WORKERS CONTRASTED WITH CAPITALIST FARMS THAT DEPEND ON HIRED LABOUR AGRICULTURE IS SHRINKING AS A PART OF THE TOTAL GDP AT THE SAME TIME AS AGRICULTURAL LABOUR IS SHRINKING AS PART OF THE TOTAL LABOUR FORCE THE CHANGING AGRARIAN STRUCTURE IS EXPLORED WITH THE USE OF UNIQUE LONG TERM SURVEY DATA AND STATISTICAL MODELS RESULTS SHOW THAT INDIA IS APPROACHING FARM STRUCTURES THAT ARE TYPICAL OF EAST AND SOUTH EAST ASIA WITH PLURIACTIVE SMALLHOLDERS AS THE NORM THIS BOOK SUCCESSFULLY CRITICIZES POPULAR NARRATIVES ABOUT INDIAN AGRICULTURAL DEVELOPMENT AS WELL AS SIMPLISTIC EVOLUTIONIST MARXIST OR NEOCLASSICAL PROGNOSSES IT IS OF GREAT IMPORTANCE TO THOSE WHO STUDY DEVELOPMENT ECONOMICS DEVELOPMENT STUDIES AND SOUTH ASIAN ECONOMICS NO CONDITION IS PERMANENT A POPULAR WEST AFRICAN SLOGAN EXPRESSES SARA S BERRY'S THEME THE OBSTACLES TO AFRICAN AGRARIAN DEVELOPMENT NEVER STAY THE SAME HER BOOK EXPLORES THE COMPLEX WAY AFRICAN ECONOMY AND SOCIETY ARE TIED TO ISSUES OF LAND AND LABOR OFFERING A COMPARATIVE STUDY OF AGRARIAN CHANGE IN FOUR RURAL ECONOMIES IN SUB SAHARAN AFRICA INCLUDING TWO THAT EXPERIENCED LONG PERIODS OF EXPANDING PEASANT PRODUCTION FOR EXPORT SOUTHERN GHANA AND SOUTHWESTERN NIGERIA A SETTLER ECONOMY CENTRAL KENYA AND A RURAL LABOR RESERVE NORTHEASTERN ZAMBIA THE RESOURCES AVAILABLE TO AFRICAN FARMERS HAVE CHANGED DRAMATICALLY OVER THE COURSE OF THE TWENTIETH CENTURY BERRY ASSERTS THAT THE WAYS RESOURCES ARE ACQUIRED AND USED ARE SHAPED NOT ONLY BY THE INCORPORATION OF A RURAL AREA INTO COLONIAL LATER NATIONAL AND GLOBAL POLITICAL ECONOMIES BUT ALSO BY CONFLICTS OVER CULTURE POWER AND PROPERTY WITHIN AND BEYOND RURAL COMMUNITIES BY TRACING THE VARIOUS DEBATES OVER RIGHTS TO RESOURCES AND THEIR EFFECTS ON AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION AND FARMERS USES OF INCOME BERRY PRESENTS AGRARIAN CHANGE AS A SERIES OF ON GOING PROCESSES RATHER THAN A SET OF DISCRETE SUCCESSSES AND FAILURES NO CONDITION IS PERMANENT ENRICHES THE DISCUSSION OF AGRARIAN DEVELOPMENT BY SHOWING HOW MULTIDISCIPLINARY STUDIES OF LOCAL AGRARIAN HISTORY CAN CONSTRUCTIVELY CONTRIBUTE TO DEVELOPMENT POLICY THE BOOK IS A CONTRIBUTION BOTH TO AFRICAN AGRARIAN HISTORY AND TO DEBATES OVER THE ROLE OF AGRICULTURE IN AFRICA'S RECENT ECONOMIC CRISES THE POLITICAL ECONOMY OF AGRARIAN CHANGE IS A MAJOR STUDY WHICH SEEKS TO OVERCOME THE METHODOLOGICAL INADEQUACIES OF THE MODE OF PRODUCTION DEBATE FOLLOWING THE ESTABLISHED LINE OF ENQUIRY IN THE MARXIAN POLITICAL ECONOMY FRAMEWORK PANDIAN ANALYSES THE FORCES WHICH BRING ABOUT A QUALITATIVE CHANGE IN THE AGRARIAN STRUCTURE IT WILL BE OF GREAT INTEREST TO POLICY MAKERS AND ALL THOSE INTERESTED IN THE DEVELOPMENT AND PRESENT STATE OF INDIAN AGRICULTURE THIS BOOK SETS OUT TO INVESTIGATE THE PROCESS OF AGRARIAN CHANGE FROM NEW ANGLES AND WITH NEW RESULTS IT STARTS ON FIRM GROUND RATHER THAN FROM ABSTRACT ECONOMIC THEORY UPON ITS INITIAL APPEARANCE IT WAS HERALDED AS A SMALL MASTERPIECE WHICH ECONOMIC HISTORIANS SHOULD READ AND NOT SIMPLY QUOTE GIOVANNI FREDERICO ECONOMIC HISTORY SERVICES THE CONDITIONS OF AGRICULTURAL GROWTH REMAINS A BREAKTHROUGH IN THE THEORY OF AGRICULTURAL DEVELOPMENT IN LINKING ETHNOGRAPHY WITH ECONOMY DEVELOPMENTAL STUDIES REACHED NEW HEIGHTS WHEREAS DEVELOPMENT HAD BEEN SEEN PREVIOUSLY AS THE TRANSFORMATION OF TRADITIONAL COMMUNITIES BY THE INTRODUCTION OR IMPOSITION OF NEW TECHNOLOGIES ESTER BOSERUP ARGUES THAT CHANGES AND IMPROVEMENTS OCCUR FROM WITHIN AGRICULTURAL COMMUNITIES AND THAT IMPROVEMENTS ARE GOVERNED NOT SIMPLY BY EXTERNAL INTERFERENCE BUT BY THOSE COMMUNITIES THEMSELVES USING EXTENSIVE ANALYSES OF THE COSTS AND PRODUCTIVITY OF THE MAIN SYSTEMS OF TRADITIONAL AGRICULTURE ESTER BOSERUP CONCLUDES THAT TECHNICAL ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL CHANGES ARE UNLIKELY TO TAKE PLACE UNLESS THE COMMUNITY CONCERNED IS EXPOSED TO THE PRESSURE OF POPULATION GROWTH SMALL SCALE AGRICULTURAL PRODUCERS IN THE PERIPHERAL WORLD ARE OFTEN CONDESCENDINGLY ASSUMED TO BE A SINGLE SOCIAL

CLASS THE PEASANTRY TO BE PITTED AGAINST THE STATE OR CORPORATION THIS BOOK CHALLENGES THIS RATHER IDEALISTIC VIEW BY DEMONSTRATING THAT UNDER CURRENT CAPITALIST SOCIAL RELATIONS COMPETITION EFFICIENCY AND PRODUCTIVITY AND PROFIT MAXIMISATION THESE AGRICULTURAL PRODUCERS HAVE BEEN DIFFERENTIATED INTO DIFFERENT AGRARIAN CLASSES BY EXPLOITATION BY COMPARING TWO DIFFERENT CONTEXTS OF LOCAL AGRARIAN CHANGE IN INDONESIA RICE CULTIVATION IN JAVA AND OIL PALM IN SUMATRA THIS BOOK EXPOSES THE DIFFERENT CLASS LOCATIONS OF THE AGRARIAN CLASSES AMONG PETTY AGRICULTURAL PRODUCERS AND THE CLASS RELATIONS BETWEEN THEM THESE ARE OFTEN INEXTRICABLY LINKED TO GENDER CLANSHIP AND GENERATIONAL ISSUES THE POWER OF CLASS DYNAMICS CRUCIALLY SHAPES HOW AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION IN BOTH RICE AND OIL PALM IS ORGANISED THE SHARE RECEIVED BY DIFFERENT AGRARIAN CLASSES FROM THE PRODUCTION SITE THEN PROMINENTLY SHAPES THE DIFFERENT NATURE OF CLASS REPRODUCTION FOR EACH AGRARIAN CLASS THIS ANALYSIS DEMONSTRATES THAT THE DIFFERENT AGRARIAN CLASSES POSSESS DIFFERENT CAPACITIES AND RESPONSES IN THEIR RELATION TO THE STATE OR CORPORATIONS ANY REAL EMANCIPATION ATTEMPT IN THE INDONESIAN COUNTRYSIDE AND BEYOND MUST START FROM A PROPER UNDERSTANDING OF THESE CLASS DYNAMICS THIS BOOK MARKS A SIGNIFICANT CONTRIBUTION TO THE LITERATURE ON AGRARIAN CHANGE THE POLITICAL ECONOMY OF DEVELOPMENT RURAL DEVELOPMENT AND MARXIST POLITICAL ECONOMY AGRARIAN TRANSFORMATIONS WITHIN AND ACROSS COUNTRIES HAVE BEEN SIGNIFICANTLY AND DYNAMICALLY ALTERED DURING THE PAST FEW DECADES COMPARED TO PREVIOUS ERAS PROVOKING A VARIETY OF REACTIONS FROM RURAL POOR COMMUNITIES WORLDWIDE THE RECENT CONVERGENCE OF VARIOUS CRISES FINANCIAL FOOD ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENTAL HAS PUT THE NEXUS BETWEEN RURAL DEVELOPMENT AND DEVELOPMENT IN GENERAL BACK ONTO THE CENTER STAGE OF THEORETICAL POLICY AND POLITICAL AGENDAS IN THE WORLD TODAY CONFRONTING THESE ISSUES WILL REQUIRE RE ENGAGING WITH CRITICAL THEORIES TAKING POLITICS SERIOUSLY AND UTILIZING RIGOROUS AND APPROPRIATE RESEARCH METHODOLOGIES THESE ARE THE COMMON MESSAGES AND IMPLICATIONS OF THE VARIOUS CONTRIBUTIONS TO THIS COLLECTION IN THE CONTEXT OF A SCHOLARSHIP THAT IS CRITICAL IN TWO SENSES QUESTIONING PRESCRIPTIONS FROM MAINSTREAM PERSPECTIVES AND INTERROGATING POPULAR CONVENTIONS IN RADICAL THINKING THIS BOOK FOCUSES ON KEY PERSPECTIVES FRAMEWORKS AND METHODOLOGIES IN AGRARIAN CHANGE AND PEASANT STUDIES THE CONTRIBUTORS ARE LEADING SCHOLARS IN THE FIELD OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT STUDIES HENRY BERNSTEIN TERENCE J BYRES SATURNINO M BORRAS JR MARC EDELMAN CRIST^[2] BAL KAY BENEDICT KERKVLIIET PHILIP MCMICHAEL SHAHRA RAZAVI IAN SCOONES AND TEODOR SHANIN THIS BOOK WAS PREVIOUSLY PUBLISHED AS A SPECIAL ISSUE OF THE JOURNAL OF PEASANT STUDIES FIRST PUBLISHED IN 1986 AGRARIAN CHANGE IN EGYPT BASED ON EXTENSIVE ORIGINAL RESEARCH AS WELL AS FIELD SURVEY OF EIGHTEEN VILLAGES ANALYSES AND EXPLAINS THE CHANGES IN THE AGRICULTURAL SECTOR IN EGYPT IT SHOWS HOW VARIOUS POLICIES AND OTHER FACTORS HAVE AFFECTED AGRICULTURAL OUTPUT AND HOW DEVELOPMENTS TRIGGERED BY THE OPEN DOOR POLICY SUCH AS INFLATION MIGRATION AND THE SHIFT IN THE PRICING SYSTEM HAVE AFFECTED AGRICULTURE THE EGYPTIAN EXPERIENCE IS FAIRLY TYPICAL OF AGRARIAN CHANGE IN MANY PARTS OF THE DEVELOPING WORLD WHERE GOVERNMENT REFORMS IN THE 1960S AND 1970S TRIED TO COMBINE CONSIDERATIONS OF EFFICIENCY AND EQUITY BUT ENDED UP WITH STAGNATION THE EGYPTIAN CASE THEREFORE PROVIDES A GOOD EXAMPLE OF THE GENERAL CRISIS IN AGRICULTURE IN THE DEVELOPING WORLD THIS BOOK IS AN ESSENTIAL READ FOR SCHOLARS AND RESEARCHERS OF AGRICULTURAL ECONOMY DEVELOPMENT STUDIES AND POLITICAL ECONOMY THIS BOOK TAKES READERS ON A JOURNEY THROUGH THE EVOLUTION OF AGRICULTURAL COMMUNITIES IN SOUTHERN INDIA FROM THEIR HISTORICAL ROOTS TO THE RECENT GLOBAL NEO LIBERAL ERA IT OFFERS INSIGHTS INTO A UNIQUE COMBINATION OF THEMES WITH A PARTICULAR FOCUS ON AGRARIAN CHANGE AND URBANISATION SPECIFICALLY IN THE STATE OF KARNATAKA WHERE BOTH ASPECTS ARE SIGNIFICANT AND CO EXIST BASED ON CASE STUDIES FROM KARNATAKA IN SOUTH INDIA THE BOOK PRESENTS A REGIONAL YET INTEGRATED MULTI DISCIPLINARY FRAMEWORK FOR ANALYSING THE PERSISTENCE RESILIENCE AND FUTURE OF SMALL FARMER UNITS IN DOING SO IT CHARTS POSSIBLE FUTURES FOR SMALL FARM HOLDINGS AND IDENTIFIES MEANS OF INTEGRATING THEIR PROGRESS AND SUSTAINABILITY ALONGSIDE THAT OF THE REST OF THE ECONOMY FURTHER IT PROVIDES ARGUMENTS FOR THE RELEVANCE OF SMALL HOLDINGS IN CONNECTION WITH SUSTAINABLE LIVELIHOODS AND WELFARE AT THE GRASS ROOTS WHILE ALSO CATERING TO THE WELFARE NEEDS OF SOCIETY AT THE MACRO LEVEL THE BOOK MAKES A VALUABLE CONTRIBUTION TO THE SCHOLARSHIP OF AGRARIAN AS WELL AS PERI URBAN TRANSDISCIPLINARY LITERATURE FOR AGRARIAN ACADEMICS STUDENTS AND THE TEACHING COMMUNITY THE BOOK S BROAD AND TOPICAL COVERAGE MAKE IT A VALUABLE RESOURCE FOR DEVELOPMENT PRACTITIONERS AND FOR THOSE WORKING ON ISSUES RELATED TO URBANISATION URBAN PERIPHERIES AND THE RURAL URBAN INTERFACE THIS BOOK OFFERS A NEW PERSPECTIVE THAT CONSIDERS THE PRIMARY SECTOR ON PAR WITH THE SECONDARY AND TERTIARY IT ALSO OFFERS AN INSIGHTFUL GUIDE FOR POLICYMAKERS AND NON GOVERNMENT ORGANISATIONS WORKING IN THIS AREA RECENT TRANSFORMATIONS IN SRI LANKA S AGRARIAN STRUCTURES HAVE BEEN BOTH COMPLEX AND UNEVEN WHILE THE OVERALL DIRECTION OF CHANGE HAS BEEN TOWARDS A MORE CAPITALIST FORM OF ORGANIZATION THE PROCESS OF TRANSFORMATION HAS BEEN HETEROGENEOUS CONTRADICTIONARY AND FURTHERMORE VARIED WIDELY FROM REGION TO REGION THIS VOLUME EXPLORES BOTH THE RANGE AND THE COMPLEXITY OF THESE PROCESSES BY BRINGING TOGETHER A SET OF ETHNOGRAPHIC STUDIES CONDUCTED IN SIX OF SRI LANKA S NINE PROVINCES ALL THIRTEEN ESSAYS TRACE THE CHANGES THAT HAVE OCCURRED IN THE FOUR DECADES SINCE INDEPENDENCE CONTRIBUTORS COMBINE ETHNOGRAPHIC WITH HISTORICAL RESEARCH AND PLACE THEIR RESPECTIVE ANALYSIS OF AGRARIAN CHANGE WITHIN LOCAL CULTURAL CONTEXTS THEY TREAT AGRARIAN CHANGE AS A DYNAMIC SOCIAL PROCESS AND CONVEY A SENSE OF HOW THAT CHANGE IS EXPERIENCED BY THE VILLAGERS A NUMBER OF COMMON THEMES RUN THROUGH THE COLLECTION INCLUDING THE INTERPLAY BETWEEN LOCAL INITIATIVES AND STATE POLICIES THE COMPLEX WAYS IN WHICH CAPITALIST SCHEMES OF PRODUCTION INTERACT WITH EXISTING AGRARIAN INSTITUTIONS AND THE REFASHIONING OF LOCAL IDENTITIES AS VILLAGE LIFE IS INCORPORATED INTO EVER WIDENING CIRCUITS OF ECONOMIC POLITICAL AND CULTURAL RELATIONS WITH ITS NEW RESEARCH DATA AND UNIQUE THEORETICAL PERSPECTIVES THIS VOLUME WILL BE OF INTEREST TO SOCIOLOGISTS ANTHROPOLOGISTS DEVELOPMENT ECONOMISTS SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC HISTORIANS AGRICULTURAL ECONOMISTS AND THOSE STUDYING RURAL DEVELOPMENT AND AGRARIAN CHANGE IN SOUTH ASIA BOOK AS A WHOLE DOES GO BEYOND ACCOUNTING FOR ECONOMIC CHANGES AND PROVIDES MULTIPLE AND INTEGRATED APPROACHES TO STUDYING AGRARIAN TRANSFORMATION ELSEWHERE CONTRIBUTIONS TO INDIAN SOCIOLOGY A USEFUL BOOK PROVIDING A WEALTH OF DETAILED ETHNOGRAPHIC EVIDENCE CONCERNING THE INFLUENCE OF CAPITALIST RELATIONS OF PRODUCTION ON SMALLHOLDER AGRICULTURE IN SRI LANKA IT CONCLUDES WITH A HELPFUL GLOSSARY GIVING TRANSLATIONS AND DEFINITIONS OF LOCAL TERMINOLOGY THIRD WORLD QUARTERLY THE BOOK IS AN EXPLORATION OF THE PROCESS OF DEVELOPMENT AND ITS IMPACT ON THE LIVES OF PEOPLE IT IS A VERY USEFUL ADDITION TO THE LITERATURE ON SRI LANKAN DEVELOPMENT STUDIES BUSINESS STANDARD WHAT S INSIDE THE COVERS WILL INTEREST SCHOLARS BEYOND THE USUAL ROBE RICE AND PLOUGH SET THIS BOOK AMPLY DEMONSTRATES WHY NO ANALYSIS OF AGRARIAN CHANGE CAN IGNORE THE CULTURAL AND SYMBOLIC DIMENSIONS OF AGRARIAN ACTIVITY JOURNAL OF ASIAN STUDIES LEADING FEMINIST SCHOLARS PROVIDE SEARCHING TREATMENT OF THE LONG NEGLECTED SUBJECT OF GENDER AND ACCESS TO LAND IN VARIOUS REGIONS AROUND THE WORLD A SEARCHING TREATMENT OF GENDER AND ACCESS TO LAND AROUND THE WORLD INCLUDES CONTRIBUTIONS BY LEADING FEMINIST SCHOLARS IN THE FIELD COMBINES THEORETICAL REFLECTIONS WITH CONCRETE CASE STUDIES COVERS DIVERSE REGIONS INCLUDING SUB SAHARAN AFRICA LATIN AMERICA SOUTH ASIA AND CENTRAL ASIA SEVERAL ARTICLES ARE BASED ON ORIGINAL AND EXTENSIVE FIELD RESEARCH CARRIED OUT OVER THE PAST TWO YEARS IN FOR EXAMPLE SOUTH AFRICA UZBEKISTAN AND BRAZIL HOW RELEVANT ARE THE CLASSIC THEORIES OF AGRARIAN CHANGE IN THE CONTEMPORARY CONTEXT THIS VOLUME EXPLORES THIS QUESTION BY FOCUSING UPON THE DEFINING FEATURES OF AGRARIAN TRANSFORMATION IN THE 21ST CENTURY THE FINANCIALIZATION OF FOOD AND AGRICULTURE THE BLURRING OF RURAL AND URBAN LIVELIHOODS THROUGH MIGRATION AND OTHER ECONOMIC ACTIVITIES FOREST TRANSITION CLIMATE CHANGE RURAL INDEBTEDNESS THE CO EVOLUTION OF SOCIAL POLICY AND MORAL ECONOMIES AND CHANGING PROPERTY RELATIONS COMBINED THE ELEVEN CONTRIBUTIONS TO THIS COLLECTION PROVIDE A BROAD OVERVIEW OF AGRARIAN STUDIES OVER THE PAST FOUR DECADES AND IDENTIFY THE CONTEMPORARY FRONTIERS OF AGRARIAN POLITICAL ECONOMY IN THIS PATH BREAKING COLLECTION THE AUTHORS SHOW HOW NEW ITERATIONS OF LONG EVIDENT PROCESSES CONTINUE TO CATCH PEASANTS AND SMALLHOLDERS IN THE CROSSHAIRS OF CRISES AND HOW MANY MANAGE TO FACE THESE CHALLENGES DEVELOPING NEW SOURCES AND SITES OF LIVELIHOOD PRODUCTION THIS VOLUME WAS PUBLISHED AS PART ONE OF THE SPECIAL DOUBLE ISSUE CELEBRATING THE 40TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE JOURNAL OF PEASANT STUDIES THIS BOOK EXPLORES WHY A DECADE AFTER ZIMBABWEAN INDEPENDENCE GOVERNMENT AGRICULTURAL DEVELOPMENT POLICIES STILL RETAINS SURPRISING SIMILARITIES WITH THOSE OF THE COLONIAL PERIOD DESPITE LENGTHY PEASANT OPPOSITION USING DOCUMENTARY AND FIELDWORK MATERIAL FROM THE MIDLANDS PROVINCE THE ANALYSIS COVERS THE SUBJECTS OF PASTORAL AND LAND USE MANAGEMENT HOUSEHOLD PRODUCTION AND INCOME EARNING STRATEGIES AND FARMER EXTENSION RELATIONS IN 2007 FOR THE FIRST TIME IN HUMAN HISTORY A MAJORITY OF THE WORLD S POPULATION LIVED IN CITIES HOWEVER ON A GLOBAL SCALE POVERTY OVERWHELMINGLY RETAINS A RURAL FACE THIS BOOK ASSEMBLES AN UNPARALLELED GROUP OF INTERNATIONALLY EMINENT SCHOLARS IN THE FIELD OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT AND SOCIAL CHANGE IN ORDER TO EXPLORE HISTORICAL AND CONTEMPORARY PROCESSES OF AGRARIAN CHANGE AND TRANSFORMATION AND THEIR CONSEQUENT IMPACT UPON THE LIVELIHOODS POVERTY AND WELL BEING OF THOSE WHO LIVE IN THE COUNTRYSIDE THE BOOK PROVIDES A CRITICAL ANALYSIS OF THE EXTENT TO WHICH RURAL DEVELOPMENT TRAJECTORIES HAVE IN THE PAST AND ARE NOW PROMOTING A CHANGE IN RURAL PRODUCTION PROCESSES THE ACCUMULATION OF RURAL RESOURCES AND SHIFTS IN RURAL POLITICS AND THE IMPLICATIONS OF SUCH TRAJECTORIES FOR PEASANT LIVELIHOODS AND RURAL WORKERS IN AN ERA OF GLOBALIZATION PEASANTS AND GLOBALIZATION THUS EXPLORES CONTINUITY AND CHANGE IN THE DEBATE ON THE AGRARIAN QUESTION FROM ITS EARLY FORMULATION IN THE LATE 19TH CENTURY TO THE CONTINUING RELEVANCE IT HAS IN OUR TIMES INCLUDING CHAPTERS FROM TERENCE BYRES AMIYA BAGCHI ELLEN WOOD FARSHAD ARAGHI HENRY BERNSTEIN SATURNINO M BORRAS RAY KIELY MICHAEL WATTS AND PHILIP MCMICHAEL COLLECTIVELY THE CONTRIBUTORS ARGUE THAT NEOLIBERAL SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC POLICIES HAVE IN DEEPENING THE MARKET IMPERATIVE GOVERNING THE CONTEMPORARY WORLD FOOD SYSTEM NOT ONLY FAILED TO TACKLE TO UNDERLYING CAUSES OF RURAL POVERTY BUT HAVE INDEED DEEPENED THE AGRARIAN CRISIS CURRENTLY CONFRONTING THE LIVELIHOODS OF PEASANT FARMERS AND RURAL WORKERS THIS CRISIS DOES NOT GO UNCHALLENGED AS RURAL SOCIAL MOVEMENTS HAVE EMERGED FOR THE FIRST TIME ON A TRANSNATIONAL SCALE CONFRONTING DEVELOPMENT POLICIES THAT ARE UNABLE TO REDUCE LET ALONE ELIMINATE RURAL POVERTY TRANSNATIONAL RURAL SOCIAL MOVEMENTS ARE ATTEMPTING TO CONSTRUCT A MORE JUST FUTURE FOR THE WORLD S FARMERS AND RURAL WORKERS THIS BOOK MAKES AN ORIGINAL CONTRIBUTION TO THE DISCUSSION ABOUT AGRO FOOD EXPORTING COUNTRIES GOVERNMENTAL POLICY IT PRESENTS A HISTORICIZED AND INTERNATIONALLY CONTEXTUALIZED EXPLORATION OF THE POLITICAL ECONOMY OF AGRARIAN CHANGE IN THREE LATIN AMERICAN COUNTRIES ARGENTINA PRAGUAY AND URUGUAY BY COMPARATIVELY EXAMINING HOW THESE STATES HAVE ACTED IN A CONTEXT OF GLOBAL DRIVEN MARKET FORCES AND HISTORICALLY FORMED INSTITUTIONS THE MONOGRAPH ILLUMINATES THE DIFFERING CAPACITIES OF STATE AUTONOMY UNDER THE PRESENT ERA OF GLOBALIZED AGRICULTURE LAND AND LONGHOUSE

EXAMINES THE ROLE OF COMMUNITY MARKET AND STATE IN THE HISTORIC TRANSFORMATION OF UPLAND LIVELIHOODS IN SOUTHEAST ASIA FOCUSING ON THE SARIBAS IBAN OF SARAWAK THE BOOK COMBINES IN DEPTH GENERATION LONG VILLAGE CASE STUDIES WITH AN ACCOUNT OF CHANGES IN LAND USE AND TENURE AT THE REGIONAL LEVEL SPANNING A CENTURY AND A HALF THIS ANALYSIS DEMONSTRATES THAT FAR FROM BEING PASSIVE VICTIMS OF GLOBALIZATION THE IBAN HAVE BEEN ACTIVE AGENTS IN THEIR OWN TRANSFORMATION ENGAGING WITH BOTH MARKET AND STATE WHILE RETAINING COMMUNITY VALUES AND GOVERNANCE R A CRAMB MAKES A SIGNIFICANT NEW CONTRIBUTION TO DEBATES ABOUT ECONOMIC SOCIAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL CHANGE AND CONFLICT IN UPLAND SOUTHEAST ASIA HIS BOOK OFFERS A FASCINATING EMPIRICALLY RICH ACCOUNT OF INTEREST TO SCHOLARS DEVELOPMENT PRACTITIONERS AND THE GENERAL READER ALIKE THIS STUDY IS CERTAIN TO BECOME A MAJOR REFERENCE POINT FOR FUTURE WORK ON LAND USE TENURE AND AGRARIAN CHANGE IN UPLAND SOUTHEAST ASIA CLIFFORD SATHER UNIVERSITY OF HELSINKI ROB CRAMB HAS WRITTEN AN EXCELLENT BOOK WITH A MUCH NEEDED LONGITUDINAL PERSPECTIVE ON AGRARIAN CHANGE THE BOOK IS AN IMPORTANT CONTRIBUTION TO THE URGENT NEED FOR UNDERSTANDING THE DYNAMICS AND CONSEQUENCES BOTH ENVIRONMENTAL AND SOCIAL OF UPLAND TRANSFORMATION IN SOUTHEAST ASIA OLE MERTZ UNIVERSITY OF COPENHAGEN ROB CRAMB S STUDY RAISES PROVOCATIVE QUESTIONS ABOUT IBAN SOCIETY THE NATURE OF THE SOUTHEAST ASIA UPLANDS AND AGRARIAN HISTORY HE PRESENTS A WORK DISTINGUISHED BY THE DEPTH OF ITS SCHOLARSHIP AND THE BREADTH OF THE QUESTIONS ADDRESSED BY IT MICHAEL R DOVE YALE UNIVERSITY THROUGH THE PRISM OF A NEPALI REMITTANCE VILLAGE THIS BOOK CRITICALLY EXAMINES POVERTY AND LIVELIHOOD DYNAMICS REMADE THROUGH TRANSNATIONAL LABOUR MIGRATION AND REMITTANCES AND THEIR INTERRELATIONSHIPS WITH LAND RURAL LABOUR AND AGRICULTURE THE CONCEPT OF THE REMITTANCE VILLAGE EMPHASISES RURAL PEOPLE S TRANSNATIONAL MOBILITIES AS A KEY FEATURE OF CONTEMPORARY DYNAMICS IN MANY PARTS OF THE GLOBAL SOUTH WHICH ARE RECONFIGURING RURAL SOCIAL ECONOMIC AND ECOLOGICAL TEXTURES SUNAM CHALLENGES COMPLACENT LINEAR NARRATIVES THAT ASSUME NEW OPPORTUNITIES SUCH AS TRANSNATIONAL MIGRATION AND REMITTANCES PROVIDE BETTER PATHWAYS FOR THE RURAL POOR TO COME OUT OF POVERTY AS WELL AS NARRATIVES THAT UNDERSTATE THE IMPORTANCE OF LAND AND FARMING FOR THE RURAL POOR HE DEMONSTRATES BOTH THAT NEW OPPORTUNITIES ARE INACCESSIBLE FOR MANY POOR PEOPLE AND THAT ACCESSING THESE OPPORTUNITIES OFTEN ENGENDERS INCREASED PRECARIETY AND VULNERABILITY IN THE REMITTANCE VILLAGE HE FINDS THAT EVEN THOSE ACCESSING NEW OPPORTUNITIES ARE SUCCESSFUL ONLY WHEN THEIR HOUSEHOLD MEMBER S ARE SIMULTANEOUSLY ENGAGED IN IN SITU NON AGRICULTURAL ACTIVITIES THIS BOOK IS A VALUABLE RESOURCE FOR SCHOLARS AND STUDENTS FROM A RANGE OF INTERDISCIPLINARY BACKGROUNDS INCLUDING HUMAN GEOGRAPHY ANTHROPOLOGY OF DEVELOPMENT AND SOCIOLOGY IT IS ALSO RECOMMENDED READING FOR POLICY MAKERS INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT AGENCIES AND NGOs WORKING ON RURAL DEVELOPMENT IN THE GLOBAL SOUTH CHAPTER 3 OF THIS BOOK IS FREELY AVAILABLE AS A DOWNLOADABLE OPEN ACCESS PDF AT TAYLORFRANCIS COM UNDER A CREATIVE COMMONS ATTRIBUTION NON COMMERCIAL NO DERIVATIVES CC BY NC ND 4 0 LICENSE THIS STUDY EXAMINES IRRIGATION DEVELOPMENT AND AGRARIAN CHANGE IN THE LOWER INDUS BASIN DURING THE PAST 150 YEARS SINDH ONE OF THE CONSTITUENT PROVINCES OF PAKISTAN IS LOCATED IN THE LOWER INDUS RIVER BASIN THE BRITISH CAPTURED SINDH IN 1843 FROM LOCAL MIRS RULERS AND GOVERNED IT FOR THE NEXT HUNDRED YEARS ITS ANNEXATION TO THE BOMBAY PRESIDENCY OF BRITISH INDIA TRIGGERED A PROCESS OF IRRIGATION INFRASTRUCTURE AND INSTITUTIONAL DEVELOPMENT THAT HAS CONTINUED AFTER IT BECAME A CONSTITUENT PROVINCE OF ISLAMIC REPUBLIC OF PAKISTAN IN 1947 THE MAIN ARGUMENT OF THIS STUDY IS THAT DURING THE LAST 150 YEARS AGRARIAN CHANGES IN SINDH HAVE BEEN TRIGGERED BY IRRIGATION INFRASTRUCTURE DEVELOPMENT INITIATED AND SUPPORTED BY THE STATE IT FURTHER ARGUES THAT ALTHOUGH LARGE SCALE IRRIGATION FACILITIES HAVE EXPANDED THE IRRIGATED LAND AREA AND IMPROVED AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION DURING THIS PERIOD THE RELATIONS OF PRODUCTION IN AGRICULTURE HAVE CONTINUED WITHOUT MUCH CHANGE P 27 28 THIS BOOK PROVIDES THE FIRST SYSTEMATIC CRITIQUE OF THE CONCEPT OF CLIMATE CHANGE ADAPTATION WITHIN THE FIELD OF INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT DRAWING ON A REWORKED POLITICAL ECOLOGY FRAMEWORK IT ARGUES THAT CLIMATE IS NOT SOMETHING OUT THERE THAT WE ADAPT TO INSTEAD IT IS PART OF THE SOCIAL AND BIOPHYSICAL FORCES THROUGH WHICH OUR LIVED ENVIRONMENTS ARE ACTIVELY YET UNEVENLY PRODUCED FROM THIS ORIGINAL FOUNDATION THE BOOK CHALLENGES US TO RETHINK THE CONCEPTS OF CLIMATE CHANGE VULNERABILITY RESILIENCE AND ADAPTIVE CAPACITY IN TRANSFORMED WAYS WITH CASE STUDIES DRAWN FROM PAKISTAN INDIA AND MONGOLIA IT DEMONSTRATES CONCRETELY HOW CLIMATIC CHANGE EMERGES AS A DYNAMIC FORCE IN THE ONGOING TRANSFORMATION OF CONTESTED RURAL LANDSCAPES IN CRAFTING THIS SYNTHESIS THE BOOK RECALIBRATES THE FRAMEWORKS WE USE TO ENVISAGE CLIMATIC CHANGE IN THE CONTEXT OF CONTEMPORARY DEBATES OVER DEVELOPMENT LIVELIHOODS AND POVERTY WITH ITS UNIQUE THEORETICAL CONTRIBUTION AND CASE STUDY MATERIAL THIS BOOK WILL APPEAL TO RESEARCHERS AND STUDENTS IN ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES SOCIOLOGY GEOGRAPHY POLITICS AND DEVELOPMENT STUDIES THIS THESIS EXAMINES THE ROLE OF AGRICULTURAL SERVICE ORGANIZATIONS IN THE RURAL TRANSFORMATION PROCESSES IN UZBEKISTAN WHICH HAS EXPERIENCED A CHAIN OF AGRICULTURAL REFORMS SINCE 1991 THESE ORGANIZATIONS APART FROM PROVIDING SERVICES I E PROVISION OF FERTILIZERS SEEDS MACHINERY FULFILL MANY OTHER SOCIO POLITICAL FUNCTIONS THEY ALSO ACT AS A SOCIAL SECURITY NET FOR THEIR PERSONNEL THE BOOK S ANALYSIS REVEALS THAT AGRARIAN TRANSFORMATION HAS PRODUCED THREE TYPES OF SERVICE ORGANIZATIONS WHICH DIFFER IN THEIR DISTANCE FROM AND IMPORTANCE FOR THE GOVERNMENT AND THE STATE PROCUREMENT SYSTEM THIS DISTANCE HAS IMPLICATIONS FOR THEIR AUTONOMY MARKET ORIENTATION AND POTENTIAL FOR LONG TERM SUSTAINABILITY THESIS SERIES ZEF DEVELOPMENT STUDIES VOL 23 THIS VOLUME PROVIDES AN IN DEPTH ANALYSIS OF AGRARIAN CHANGE AND AGRARIAN INSTITUTIONS THAT WILL INTEREST ECOLOGISTS SOCIOLOGISTS GEOGRAPHERS ECONOMISTS ENVIRONMENTAL SCHOLARS AND STUDENTS OF PEASANT SOCIETIES THIS BOOK EXAMINES THE ECONOMIC GAINS AND SOCIAL COSTS OF AGRARIAN TRANSFORMATION IN INDIA THE AUTHOR LOOKS AT THREE PHASES OF AGRARIAN TRANSFORMATION COLONIAL POST COLONIAL AND NEOLIBERAL THIS WORK COMBINES MACRO AND MICRO ECONOMIC DATA ECONOMIC AND NONECONOMIC PHENOMENA AND QUANTITATIVE AND QUALITATIVE ASPECTS WHILE EXPLORING THE CONTEXT OF HISTORICAL AND CONTEMPORARY CHANGES WITH SPECIAL REFERENCE TO MAHARASHTRA IN WESTERN INDIA IT DISCUSSES REGIONAL DISPARITIES IN AGRICULTURAL DEVELOPMENT ISSUES OF MODERNISATION AND SOCIAL INEQUALITY LAND OWNING AMONG SCHEDULED CASTES AND TRIBES WOMEN IN AGRICULTURE PATTERN OF LABOUR MIGRATION AND FARMER S SUICIDES AND DOCUMENTS THE EXPERIENCES AND CONDITIONS OF THE RURAL POOR AND SOCIALLY WEAKER SECTIONS TO PROVIDE A COMPREHENSIVE UNDERSTANDING OF THE SIGNIFICANT CHANGES IN AGRARIAN RURAL ECONOMY OF WESTERN INDIA IT ALSO DISCUSSES CONTEMPORARY DEVELOPMENT POLICY AND PRACTICES AND THEIR CONSEQUENCES LUCID AND TOPICAL THIS VOLUME WILL BE USEFUL TO SCHOLARS AND RESEARCHERS OF AGRARIAN STUDIES RURAL SOCIOLOGY SOCIAL HISTORY AGRICULTURAL ECONOMICS DEVELOPMENT STUDIES POLITICAL ECONOMY POLITICAL STUDIES AND PUBLIC POLICY AS WELL AS PLANNING AND POLICY EXPERTS

AGRARIAN CHANGE AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT 2013-11-05

AGRARIAN CHANGE AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT IS A LANDMARK VOLUME THAT EXAMINES THE HISTORICAL EXPERIENCE OF THE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN AGRARIAN CHANGE AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT BECAUSE AGRICULTURE WAS UNTIL RECENTLY MAN'S DOMINANT OCCUPATION SCHOLARS HAVE TRADITIONALLY DRAWN LITTLE ATTENTION TO ITS IMMENSE HISTORICAL IMPORTANCE THE ESSAYS IN THIS BOOK REDRESS THIS BALANCE AND ILLUSTRATE THE SIGNIFICANCE OF THE WESTERN WORLD'S ESCAPE FROM AN OVERWHELMINGLY AGRARIAN CONDITION IT IS THEREFORE AN IDEAL WORK FOR ENCOURAGING THOSE CONCERNED WITH CURRENT PROBLEMS TO PERCEIVE AGRICULTURAL DEVELOPMENT AS PROFESSIONAL HISTORIANS SEE IT AND TO QUESTION THE OVERSIMPLIFIED HISTORICAL ANALOGIES COMMONLY EMPLOYED IN DEVELOPMENT ECONOMICS PRESENTING HISTORICAL EXAMPLES OF CHANGE WITHIN PARTICULAR AGRICULTURAL SYSTEMS AND DISCUSSING THEIR IMPLICATIONS FOR NATIONAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT BOTH SOCIAL SCIENTISTS AND PLANNERS LESS CONCERNED WITH HISTORICAL REVISION WILL HAVE EQUAL REASON TO WELCOME THESE CASE STUDIES OF THE LONG RUN INTERACTION OF AGRARIAN CHANGE AND ECONOMIC ACTIVITY THIS CLASSIC BOOK WAS FIRST PUBLISHED IN 1969

AGRARIAN CHANGE AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT 2005

HENRY BERNSTEIN ARGUES THAT CLASS DYNAMICS SHOULD BE THE STARTING POINT OF ANY ANALYSIS OF AGRARIAN CHANGE PROVIDING AN ACCESSIBLE INTRODUCTION TO AGRARIAN POLITICAL ECONOMY HE SHOWS CLEARLY HOW THE ARGUMENT FOR BRINGING CLASS BACK IN PROVIDES AN ALTERNATIVE TO INHERITED CONCEPTIONS OF THE AGRARIAN QUESTION HE ALSO ABLY ILLUSTRATES WHAT IS AT STAKE IN DIFFERENT WAYS OF THINKING ABOUT CLASS DYNAMICS AND THE EFFECTS OF AGRARIAN CHANGE IN TODAY'S GLOBALIZED WORLD CONTENTS INTRODUCTION THE POLITICAL ECONOMY OF AGRARIAN CHANGE PRODUCTION AND PRODUCTIVITY ORIGINS OF EARLY DEVELOPMENT OF CAPITALISM COLONIALISM AND CAPITALISM FARMING AND AGRICULTURE LOCAL AND GLOBAL NEOLIBERAL GLOBALIZATION AND WORLD AGRICULTURE CAPITALIST AGRICULTURE AND NON CAPITALIST FARMERS CLASS FORMATION IN THE COUNTRYSIDE COMPLEXITIES OF CLASS

CLASS DYNAMICS OF AGRARIAN CHANGE 2010

TEXTBOOK ESSAYS ON ECONOMIC THEORIES AGRICULTURAL ECONOMY RELATING TO AGRARIAN REFORM AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT IN DEVELOPING COUNTRIES DISCUSSES RELATIONS BETWEEN AGRARIAN CHANGE POPULATION GROWTH AND POVERTY CONSIDERS FARM SIZE LAND TENURE AND COLONIALISM AND INCLUDES CASE STUDIES CONCERNING CAPITALISTS IN COLOMBIA AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION CONDITIONS IN INDIA RURAL EMPLOYMENT IN JAVA INDONESIA REGIONAL LEVEL LABOUR MARKETS FOR SUGAR CANE PLANTATION WORKERS IN PERU SOCIAL CLASS PHENOMENA IN TANZANIA ETC BIBLIOGRAPHYS

RURAL DEVELOPMENT 1982

THIS BOOK IS A CRITICAL EXAMINATION OF THE TRUTH BEHIND THE STEREOTYPE THAT THERE IS A GREEN REVOLUTION IN AGRICULTURAL TECHNOLOGY TWENTY ONE SPECIALISTS IN THE FIELD OF DEVELOPMENT STUDIES LOOK AT THE REALITY OF AGRARIAN CHANGE EITHER THROUGH HISTORICAL ANALYSIS OR THROUGH IN DEPTH VILLAGE FIELD WORK OR FROM THEIR EXPERIENCE AS DEVELOPMENT PLANNERS

UNDERSTANDING GREEN REVOLUTIONS 1984-05-03

THE FOCUS AND CONCERN OF AGRARIAN CHANGE MIGRATION AND DEVELOPMENT IS THE PROBLEM OF LABOUR MIGRATION VELTMEYER AND WISE EXPLORE THE DYNAMICS AND DEVELOPMENT IMPLICATIONS OF THE MIGRATION PROCESSES SET IN MOTION BY THE CAPITALIST MODE OF PRODUCTION THE DYNAMICS OF THESE PROCESSES ARE BOTH INTERNATIONAL IN REGARD TO THE INTERNATIONAL OR CROSS BORDER FLOWS OF LABOUR MIGRANTS AND INTERNAL TO COUNTRIES THAT HAVE UNDERGONE OR ARE UNDERGOING A PROCESS OF AGRARIAN CHANGE AND SOCIAL TRANSFORMATION VELTMEYER AND WISE EXAMINE WHAT THEY CALL THE MIGRATION DEVELOPMENT NEXUS FROM BOTH A POLITICAL ECONOMY AND A SOCIOLOGICAL PERSPECTIVE HIGHLIGHTING CURRENT TRENDS THE GLOBAL SCALE AND THE HUMAN DIMENSION OF THE LABOUR MIGRATION PROCESS WITH PARTICULAR REFERENCE TO THE INCREASING SOUTH NORTH FLOWS OF MIGRANTS WHO ARE FORCED TO ABANDON THEIR COMMUNITIES AND WAYS OF LIFE BY THE GLOBALIZING FORCES OF CAPITALIST DEVELOPMENT WHILE IT MAY APPEAR THAT THESE MIGRANTS ARE FREE TO CHOOSE TO ABANDON THEIR COMMUNITIES AND IN MANY CASES THEIR FAMILIES IN THE SEARCH FOR GREATER ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITIES AND A BETTER WAY OF LIFE THE AUTHORS SHOW WITH DEVASTATING LOGIC THAT THE DECISIONS MADE BY SO MANY MIGRANTS ARE ROOTED IN THE WORKINGS OF THE WORLD CAPITALIST SYSTEM WHICH CONVERTS THEM INTO A POOL OF SURPLUS LABOUR TO BE PULLED INTO AND OUT OF THE SYSTEM AS REQUIRED BY CAPITALISTS IN THEIR ENDLESS SEARCH FOR PRIVATE PROFIT

AGRARIAN CHANGE, MIGRATION AND DEVELOPMENT 2016

ORIGINALLY PUBLISHED IN 1982 THIS BOOK PROVIDES AN IMPORTANT SET OF BASIC MATERIALS FOR STUDENTS OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT KEY PAPERS HAVE BEEN CHOSEN AND ARRANGED AND THE EDITOR HAS PROVIDED A GENERAL INTRODUCTION AND PASSAGES THAT LINK THE PAPERS ALERTING THE STUDENT TO RIVAL THEORETICAL INTERPRETATIONS AND TO REGIONAL PARALLELS AND CONTRASTS THE BOOK PROVIDES A BASIS FOR THE ANALYSIS OF THE PROCESSES THAT MAKE RURAL SOCIETIES AND ECONOMIES WHAT THEY ARE AND SUBSTANTIALLY DETERMINE THE CHANGES THAT TAKE PLACE WITHIN THEM THE PAPERS HELP THE READER TO UNDERSTAND THE NATURE OF THE PHENOMENA WITH WHICH RURAL DEVELOPMENT HAS TO DEAL AND IN DOING SO TO BEGIN TO EVALUATE THE INTERVENTIONS OF AGENCIES AND PLANNERS

RURAL DEVELOPMENT 2023-08-18

THE WAYS WE UNDERSTAND PROCESSES OF AGRARIAN CHANGE ARE PRESSING ISSUES FOR POLICY MAKERS AND DEVELOPMENT PRACTITIONERS INTERPRETING CHANGES IN TWO AGRARIAN SOCIETIES IN INDIA AND INDONESIA THE AUTHOR REVEALS HOW TRANSFORMATIONS TO SELF ARE CRITICAL FACTORS SHAPING CHANGE AS WELL AS UNDER RECOGNIZED CONSEQUENCES OF DEVELOPMENT INITIATIVES

DECENTRING DEVELOPMENT 2015-09-01

AN INSTITUTIONAL APPROACH TO AGRICULTURAL DEVELOPMENT IN EUROPE LEADING TO THE RISE OF THE WEST

REGIONS, INSTITUTIONS, AND AGRARIAN CHANGE IN EUROPEAN HISTORY 1999

ANALYSES OF AGRARIAN CHANGE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT STRATEGIES STRUCTURAL ANALYSIS OF AGRARIAN CHANGE CAPITAL AND PEASANTRY ANALYSES OF THE PEASANT FARM ECONOMY RURAL LABOR THE STATE AND THE PEASANTRY

RURAL DEVELOPMENT 1982

THE ECONOMIC AND POLITICAL RISE OF THE BRICS BRAZIL RUSSIA INDIA CHINA AND SOUTH AFRICA AND MIDDLE INCOME COUNTRIES MICS HAVE IMPORTANT IMPLICATIONS FOR GLOBAL AGRARIAN TRANSFORMATION THESE EMERGING ECONOMIES ARE UNDERGOING PROFOUND CHANGES AS KEY SITES OF THE PRODUCTION CIRCULATION AND CONSUMPTION OF AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES HOSTS TO ABUNDANT CHEAP LABOUR AND NATURAL RESOURCES AND HOME TO GROWING NUMBERS OF BOTH POOR BUT ALSO INCREASINGLY AFFLUENT CONSUMERS SEPARATELY AND TOGETHER THESE COUNTRIES ARE SHAPING INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT AGENDAS BOTH AS PARTNERS IN AND POTENTIAL ALTERNATIVES TO THE DEVELOPMENT PARADIGMS PROMOTED BY THE ESTABLISHED HUBS OF GLOBAL CAPITAL IN THE NORTH ATLANTIC AND BY DOMINANT INTERNATIONAL FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS COLLECTIVELY THE CHAPTERS IN THIS BOOK SHOW THE SIGNIFICANCE OF BRICS COUNTRIES IN RESHAPING AGRO FOOD SYSTEMS AT THE NATIONAL AND REGIONAL LEVEL AS WELL AS THEIR GLOBAL SIGNIFICANCE AS THEY EXPORT THEIR OWN FARMING AND PRODUCTION SYSTEMS ACROSS DIFFERENT CONTEXTS THOUGH THE OUTCOMES ARE CONTINGENT AND SUCCESS IS NOT ASSURED AT THE SAME TIME BRICS MAY REPRESENT A CONTINUATION RATHER THAN AN ALTERNATIVE TO THE DEVELOPMENT PARADIGMS OF THE GLOBAL NORTH THE

CHAPTERS WERE ORIGINALLY PUBLISHED IN A SPECIAL ISSUE OF THIRD WORLD THEMATICS A TWQ JOURNAL

UNDERSTANDING GREEN REVOLUTIONS 1984

THE LANDLORD AND HIS EMACIATED LABOURER ARE SYMBOLIC OF INDIAN AGRICULTURE HOWEVER THIS RELATIONSHIP HAS NOW CHANGED AS LARGE LANDOWNERS HAVE FALLEN FROM THEIR SUPERIOR POSITION THIS VOLUME EXPLORES HOW THIS EMBLEMATIC PAIR IS BECOMING A THING OF THE PAST STRUCTURAL TRANSFORMATION AND AGRARIAN CHANGE IN INDIA INVESTIGATES WHETHER FAMILY LABOUR FARMS ARE GAINING PROMINENCE AS A CONSEQUENCE OF THE STRUCTURAL TRANSFORMATION OF THE ECONOMY THE AUTHORS WORK ALONGSIDE WEBERIAN METHODOLOGY OF IDEAL TYPES AND DEVELOP DIFFERENT TYPES OF FAMILY FARMS AMONG THEM FAMILY LABOUR FARMS THAT RELY MAINLY ON FAMILY WORKERS CONTRASTED WITH CAPITALIST FARMS THAT DEPEND ON HIRED LABOUR AGRICULTURE IS SHRINKING AS A PART OF THE TOTAL GDP AT THE SAME TIME AS AGRICULTURAL LABOUR IS SHRINKING AS PART OF THE TOTAL LABOUR FORCE THE CHANGING AGRARIAN STRUCTURE IS EXPLORED WITH THE USE OF UNIQUE LONG TERM SURVEY DATA AND STATISTICAL MODELS RESULTS SHOW THAT INDIA IS APPROACHING FARM STRUCTURES THAT ARE TYPICAL OF EAST AND SOUTH EAST ASIA WITH PLURIACTIVE SMALLHOLDERS AS THE NORM THIS BOOK SUCCESSFULLY CRITICIZES POPULAR NARRATIVES ABOUT INDIAN AGRICULTURAL DEVELOPMENT AS WELL AS SIMPLISTIC EVOLUTIONIST MARXIST OR NEOCLASSICAL PROGNOSSES IT IS OF GREAT IMPORTANCE TO THOSE WHO STUDY DEVELOPMENT ECONOMICS DEVELOPMENT STUDIES AND SOUTH ASIAN ECONOMICS

RURAL TRANSFORMATIONS AND AGRO-FOOD SYSTEMS 2019-11-20

NO CONDITION IS PERMANENT A POPULAR WEST AFRICAN SLOGAN EXPRESSES SARA S BERRY S THEME THE OBSTACLES TO AFRICAN AGRARIAN DEVELOPMENT NEVER STAY THE SAME HER BOOK EXPLORES THE COMPLEX WAY AFRICAN ECONOMY AND SOCIETY ARE TIED TO ISSUES OF LAND AND LABOR OFFERING A COMPARATIVE STUDY OF AGRARIAN CHANGE IN FOUR RURAL ECONOMIES IN SUB SAHARAN AFRICA INCLUDING TWO THAT EXPERIENCED LONG PERIODS OF EXPANDING PEASANT PRODUCTION FOR EXPORT SOUTHERN GHANA AND SOUTHWESTERN NIGERIA A SETTLER ECONOMY CENTRAL KENYA AND A RURAL LABOR RESERVE NORTHEASTERN ZAMBIA THE RESOURCES AVAILABLE TO AFRICAN FARMERS HAVE CHANGED DRAMATICALLY OVER THE COURSE OF THE TWENTIETH CENTURY BERRY ASSERTS THAT THE WAYS RESOURCES ARE ACQUIRED AND USED ARE SHAPED NOT ONLY BY THE INCORPORATION OF A RURAL AREA INTO COLONIAL LATER NATIONAL AND GLOBAL POLITICAL ECONOMIES BUT ALSO BY CONFLICTS OVER CULTURE POWER AND PROPERTY WITHIN AND BEYOND RURAL COMMUNITIES BY TRACING THE VARIOUS DEBATES OVER RIGHTS TO RESOURCES AND THEIR EFFECTS ON AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION AND FARMERS USES OF INCOME BERRY PRESENTS AGRARIAN CHANGE AS A SERIES OF ON GOING PROCESSES RATHER THAN A SET OF DISCRETE SUCCESSES AND FAILURES NO CONDITION IS PERMANENT ENRICHES THE DISCUSSION OF AGRARIAN DEVELOPMENT BY SHOWING HOW MULTIDISCIPLINARY STUDIES OF LOCAL AGRARIAN HISTORY CAN CONSTRUCTIVELY CONTRIBUTE TO DEVELOPMENT POLICY THE BOOK IS A CONTRIBUTION BOTH TO AFRICAN AGRARIAN HISTORY AND TO DEBATES OVER THE ROLE OF AGRICULTURE IN AFRICA S RECENT ECONOMIC CRISES

STRUCTURAL TRANSFORMATION AND AGRARIAN CHANGE IN INDIA 2016-10-04

THE POLITICAL ECONOMY OF AGRARIAN CHANGE IS A MAJOR STUDY WHICH SEEKS TO OVERCOME THE METHODOLOGICAL INADEQUACIES OF THE MODE OF PRODUCTION DEBATE FOLLOWING THE ESTABLISHED LINE OF ENQUIRY IN THE MARXIAN POLITICAL ECONOMY FRAMEWORK PANDIAN ANALYSES THE FORCES WHICH BRING ABOUT A QUALITATIVE CHANGE IN THE AGRARIAN STRUCTURE IT WILL BE OF GREAT INTEREST TO POLICY MAKERS AND ALL THOSE INTERESTED IN THE DEVELOPMENT AND PRESENT STATE OF INDIAN AGRICULTURE

No CONDITION IS PERMANENT 1993-09-15

THIS BOOK SETS OUT TO INVESTIGATE THE PROCESS OF AGRARIAN CHANGE FROM NEW ANGLES AND WITH NEW RESULTS IT STARTS ON FIRM GROUND RATHER THAN FROM ABSTRACT ECONOMIC THEORY UPON ITS INITIAL APPEARANCE IT WAS HERALDED AS A SMALL MASTERPIECE WHICH ECONOMIC HISTORIANS SHOULD READ AND NOT SIMPLY QUOTE GIOVANNI FEDERICO ECONOMIC HISTORY SERVICES THE CONDITIONS OF AGRICULTURAL GROWTH REMAINS A BREAKTHROUGH IN THE THEORY OF AGRICULTURAL DEVELOPMENT IN LINKING ETHNOGRAPHY WITH ECONOMY DEVELOPMENTAL STUDIES REACHED NEW HEIGHTS WHEREAS DEVELOPMENT HAD BEEN SEEN PREVIOUSLY AS THE TRANSFORMATION OF TRADITIONAL COMMUNITIES BY THE INTRODUCTION OR IMPOSITION OF NEW TECHNOLOGIES ESTER BOSERUP ARGUES THAT CHANGES AND IMPROVEMENTS OCCUR FROM WITHIN AGRICULTURAL COMMUNITIES AND THAT IMPROVEMENTS ARE GOVERNED NOT SIMPLY BY EXTERNAL INTERFERENCE BUT BY THOSE COMMUNITIES THEMSELVES USING EXTENSIVE ANALYSES OF THE COSTS AND PRODUCTIVITY OF THE MAIN SYSTEMS OF TRADITIONAL AGRICULTURE ESTER BOSERUP CONCLUDES THAT TECHNICAL ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL CHANGES ARE UNLIKELY TO TAKE PLACE UNLESS THE COMMUNITY CONCERNED IS EXPOSED TO THE PRESSURE OF POPULATION GROWTH

RURAL DEVELOPMENT AND AGRARIAN CHANGE 1989

SMALL SCALE AGRICULTURAL PRODUCERS IN THE PERIPHERAL WORLD ARE OFTEN CONDESCENDINGLY ASSUMED TO BE A SINGLE SOCIAL CLASS THE PEASANTRY TO BE PITTED AGAINST THE STATE OR CORPORATION THIS BOOK CHALLENGES THIS RATHER IDEALISTIC VIEW BY DEMONSTRATING THAT UNDER CURRENT CAPITALIST SOCIAL RELATIONS COMPETITION EFFICIENCY AND PRODUCTIVITY AND PROFIT MAXIMISATION THESE AGRICULTURAL PRODUCERS HAVE BEEN DIFFERENTIATED INTO DIFFERENT AGRARIAN CLASSES BY EXPLOITATION BY COMPARING TWO DIFFERENT CONTEXTS OF LOCAL AGRARIAN CHANGE IN INDONESIA RICE CULTIVATION IN JAVA AND OIL PALM IN SUMATRA THIS BOOK EXPOSES THE DIFFERENT CLASS LOCATIONS OF THE AGRARIAN CLASSES AMONG PETTY AGRICULTURAL PRODUCERS AND THE CLASS RELATIONS BETWEEN THEM THESE ARE OFTEN INEXTRICABLY LINKED TO GENDER CLANSHIP AND GENERATIONAL ISSUES THE POWER OF CLASS DYNAMICS CRUCIALLY SHAPES HOW AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION IN BOTH RICE AND OIL PALM IS ORGANISED THE SHARE RECEIVED BY DIFFERENT AGRARIAN CLASSES FROM THE PRODUCTION SITE THEN PROMINENTLY SHAPES THE DIFFERENT NATURE OF CLASS REPRODUCTION FOR EACH AGRARIAN CLASS THIS ANALYSIS DEMONSTRATES THAT THE DIFFERENT AGRARIAN CLASSES POSSESS DIFFERENT CAPACITIES AND RESPONSES IN THEIR RELATION TO THE STATE OR CORPORATIONS ANY REAL EMANCIPATION ATTEMPT IN THE INDONESIAN COUNTRYSIDE AND BEYOND MUST START FROM A PROPER UNDERSTANDING OF THESE CLASS DYNAMICS THIS BOOK MARKS A SIGNIFICANT CONTRIBUTION TO THE LITERATURE ON AGRARIAN CHANGE THE POLITICAL ECONOMY OF DEVELOPMENT RURAL DEVELOPMENT AND MARXIST POLITICAL ECONOMY

THE POLITICAL ECONOMY OF AGRARIAN CHANGE 1990-05-31

AGRARIAN TRANSFORMATIONS WITHIN AND ACROSS COUNTRIES HAVE BEEN SIGNIFICANTLY AND DYNAMICALLY ALTERED DURING THE PAST FEW DECADES COMPARED TO PREVIOUS ERAS PROVOKING A VARIETY OF REACTIONS FROM RURAL POOR COMMUNITIES WORLDWIDE THE RECENT CONVERGENCE OF VARIOUS CRISES FINANCIAL FOOD ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENTAL HAS PUT THE NEXUS BETWEEN RURAL DEVELOPMENT AND DEVELOPMENT IN GENERAL BACK ONTO THE CENTER STAGE OF THEORETICAL POLICY AND POLITICAL AGENDAS IN THE WORLD TODAY CONFRONTING THESE ISSUES WILL REQUIRE RE ENGAGING WITH CRITICAL THEORIES TAKING POLITICS SERIOUSLY AND UTILIZING RIGOROUS AND APPROPRIATE RESEARCH METHODOLOGIES THESE ARE THE COMMON MESSAGES AND IMPLICATIONS OF THE VARIOUS CONTRIBUTIONS TO THIS COLLECTION IN THE CONTEXT OF A SCHOLARSHIP THAT IS CRITICAL IN TWO SENSES QUESTIONING PRESCRIPTIONS FROM MAINSTREAM PERSPECTIVES AND INTERROGATING POPULAR CONVENTIONS IN RADICAL THINKING THIS BOOK FOCUSES ON KEY PERSPECTIVES FRAMEWORKS AND METHODOLOGIES IN AGRARIAN CHANGE AND PEASANT STUDIES THE CONTRIBUTORS ARE LEADING SCHOLARS IN THE FIELD OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT STUDIES HENRY BERNSTEIN TERENCE J BYRES SATURNINO M BORRAS JR MARC EDELMAN CRIST BAL KAY BENEDICT KERKVLIEP PHILIP MCMICHAEL SHAHRA RAZAVI IAN SCOONES AND TEODOR SHANIN THIS BOOK WAS PREVIOUSLY PUBLISHED AS A SPECIAL ISSUE OF THE JOURNAL OF PEASANT STUDIES

AGRARIAN CHANGE AND RURAL TRANSFORMATION 2017

FIRST PUBLISHED IN 1986 AGRARIAN CHANGE IN EGYPT BASED ON EXTENSIVE ORIGINAL RESEARCH AS WELL AS FIELD SURVEY OF EIGHTEEN VILLAGES ANALYSES AND EXPLAINS THE CHANGES IN THE AGRICULTURAL SECTOR IN EGYPT IT SHOWS HOW VARIOUS POLICIES AND OTHER FACTORS HAVE AFFECTED AGRICULTURAL OUTPUT AND HOW DEVELOPMENTS TRIGGERED BY THE OPEN DOOR POLICY SUCH AS INFLATION MIGRATION AND THE SHIFT IN THE PRICING SYSTEM HAVE AFFECTED AGRICULTURE THE EGYPTIAN EXPERIENCE IS FAIRLY TYPICAL OF AGRARIAN CHANGE IN MANY PARTS OF THE DEVELOPING WORLD WHERE GOVERNMENT REFORMS IN THE 1960S AND 1970S TRIED TO COMBINE CONSIDERATIONS OF EFFICIENCY AND EQUITY BUT ENDED UP WITH STAGNATION THE EGYPTIAN CASE THEREFORE PROVIDES A GOOD EXAMPLE OF THE GENERAL CRISIS IN AGRICULTURE IN THE DEVELOPING WORLD THIS BOOK IS AN ESSENTIAL READ FOR SCHOLARS AND RESEARCHERS OF AGRICULTURAL ECONOMY DEVELOPMENT STUDIES AND POLITICAL ECONOMY

THE CONDITIONS OF AGRICULTURAL GROWTH 2017-07-12

THIS BOOK TAKES READERS ON A JOURNEY THROUGH THE EVOLUTION OF AGRICULTURAL COMMUNITIES IN SOUTHERN INDIA FROM THEIR HISTORICAL ROOTS TO THE RECENT GLOBAL NEO LIBERAL ERA IT OFFERS INSIGHTS INTO A UNIQUE COMBINATION OF THEMES WITH A PARTICULAR FOCUS ON AGRARIAN CHANGE AND URBANISATION SPECIFICALLY IN THE STATE OF KARNATAKA WHERE BOTH ASPECTS ARE SIGNIFICANT AND CO EXIST BASED ON CASE STUDIES FROM KARNATAKA IN SOUTH INDIA THE BOOK PRESENTS A REGIONAL YET INTEGRATED MULTI DISCIPLINARY FRAMEWORK FOR ANALYSING THE PERSISTENCE RESILIENCE AND FUTURE OF SMALL FARMER UNITS IN DOING SO IT CHARTS POSSIBLE FUTURES FOR SMALL FARM HOLDINGS AND IDENTIFIES MEANS OF INTEGRATING THEIR PROGRESS AND SUSTAINABILITY ALONGSIDE THAT OF THE REST OF THE ECONOMY FURTHER IT PROVIDES ARGUMENTS FOR THE RELEVANCE OF SMALL HOLDINGS IN CONNECTION WITH SUSTAINABLE LIVELIHOODS AND WELFARE AT THE GRASS ROOTS WHILE ALSO CATERING TO THE WELFARE NEEDS OF SOCIETY AT THE MACRO LEVEL THE BOOK MAKES A VALUABLE CONTRIBUTION TO THE SCHOLARSHIP OF AGRARIAN AS WELL AS PERI URBAN TRANSDISCIPLINARY LITERATURE FOR AGRARIAN ACADEMICS STUDENTS AND THE TEACHING COMMUNITY THE BOOK S BROAD AND TOPICAL COVERAGE MAKE IT A VALUABLE RESOURCE FOR DEVELOPMENT PRACTITIONERS AND FOR THOSE WORKING ON ISSUES RELATED TO URBANISATION URBAN PERIPHERIES AND THE RURAL URBAN INTERFACE THIS BOOK OFFERS A NEW PERSPECTIVE THAT CONSIDERS THE PRIMARY SECTOR ON PAR WITH THE SECONDARY AND TERTIARY IT ALSO OFFERS AN INSIGHTFUL GUIDE FOR POLICYMAKERS AND NON GOVERNMENT ORGANISATIONS WORKING IN THIS AREA

CAPITALISM AND AGRARIAN CHANGE 2022-11-17

RECENT TRANSFORMATIONS IN SRI LANKA S AGRARIAN STRUCTURES HAVE BEEN BOTH COMPLEX AND UNEVEN WHILE THE OVERALL DIRECTION OF CHANGE HAS BEEN TOWARDS A MORE CAPITALIST FORM OF ORGANIZATION THE PROCESS OF TRANSFORMATION HAS BEEN HETEROGENEOUS CONTRADICTORY AND FURTHERMORE VARIED WIDELY FROM REGION TO REGION THIS VOLUME EXPLORES BOTH THE RANGE AND THE COMPLEXITY OF THESE PROCESSES BY BRINGING TOGETHER A SET OF ETHNOGRAPHIC STUDIES CONDUCTED IN SIX OF SRI LANKA S NINE PROVINCES ALL THIRTEEN ESSAYS TRACE THE CHANGES THAT HAVE OCCURRED IN THE FOUR DECADES SINCE INDEPENDENCE CONTRIBUTORS COMBINE ETHNOGRAPHIC WITH HISTORICAL RESEARCH AND PLACE THEIR RESPECTIVE ANALYSIS OF AGRARIAN CHANGE WITHIN LOCAL CULTURAL CONTEXTS THEY TREAT AGRARIAN CHANGE AS A DYNAMIC SOCIAL PROCESS AND CONVEY A SENSE OF HOW THAT CHANGE IS EXPERIENCED BY THE VILLAGERS A NUMBER OF COMMON THEMES RUN THROUGH THE COLLECTION INCLUDING THE INTERPLAY BETWEEN LOCAL INITIATIVES AND STATE POLICIES THE COMPLEX WAYS IN WHICH CAPITALIST SCHEMES OF PRODUCTION INTERACT WITH EXISTING AGRARIAN INSTITUTIONS AND THE REFASHIONING OF LOCAL IDENTITIES AS VILLAGE LIFE IS INCORPORATED INTO EVER WIDENING CIRCUITS OF ECONOMIC POLITICAL AND CULTURAL RELATIONS WITH ITS NEW RESEARCH DATA AND UNIQUE THEORETICAL PERSPECTIVES THIS VOLUME WILL BE OF INTEREST TO SOCIOLOGISTS ANTHROPOLOGISTS DEVELOPMENT ECONOMISTS SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC HISTORIANS AGRICULTURAL ECONOMISTS AND THOSE STUDYING RURAL DEVELOPMENT AND AGRARIAN CHANGE IN SOUTH ASIA BOOK AS A WHOLE DOES GO BEYOND ACCOUNTING FOR ECONOMIC CHANGES AND PROVIDES MULTIPLE AND INTEGRATED APPROACHES TO STUDYING AGRARIAN TRANSFORMATION ELSEWHERE CONTRIBUTIONS TO INDIAN SOCIOLOGY A USEFUL BOOK PROVIDING A WEALTH OF DETAILED ETHNOGRAPHIC EVIDENCE CONCERNING THE INFLUENCE OF CAPITALIST RELATIONS OF PRODUCTION ON SMALLHOLDER AGRICULTURE IN SRI LANKA IT CONCLUDES WITH A HELPFUL GLOSSARY GIVING TRANSLATIONS AND DEFINITIONS OF LOCAL TERMINOLOGY THIRD WORLD QUARTERLY THE BOOK IS AN EXPLORATION OF THE PROCESS OF DEVELOPMENT AND ITS IMPACT ON THE LIVES OF PEOPLE IT IS A VERY USEFUL ADDITION TO THE LITERATURE ON SRI LANKAN DEVELOPMENT STUDIES BUSINESS STANDARD WHAT S INSIDE THE COVERS WILL INTEREST SCHOLARS BEYOND THE USUAL ROBE RICE AND PLOUGH SET THIS BOOK AMPLY DEMONSTRATES WHY NO ANALYSIS OF AGRARIAN CHANGE CAN IGNORE THE CULTURAL AND SYMBOLIC DIMENSIONS OF AGRARIAN ACTIVITY JOURNAL OF ASIAN STUDIES

CRITICAL PERSPECTIVES IN RURAL DEVELOPMENT STUDIES 2013-09-13

LEADING FEMINIST SCHOLARS PROVIDE SEARCHING TREATMENT OF THE LONG NEGLECTED SUBJECT OF GENDER AND ACCESS TO LAND IN VARIOUS REGIONS AROUND THE WORLD A SEARCHING TREATMENT OF GENDER AND ACCESS TO LAND AROUND THE WORLD INCLUDES CONTRIBUTIONS BY LEADING FEMINIST SCHOLARS IN THE FIELD COMBINES THEORETICAL REFLECTIONS WITH CONCRETE CASE STUDIES COVERS DIVERSE REGIONS INCLUDING SUB SAHARAN AFRICA LATIN AMERICA SOUTH ASIA AND CENTRAL ASIA SEVERAL ARTICLES ARE BASED ON ORIGINAL AND EXTENSIVE FIELD RESEARCH CARRIED OUT OVER THE PAST TWO YEARS IN FOR EXAMPLE SOUTH AFRICA UZBEKISTAN AND BRAZIL

AGRARIAN CHANGE IN EGYPT 2022-08-30

HOW RELEVANT ARE THE CLASSIC THEORIES OF AGRARIAN CHANGE IN THE CONTEMPORARY CONTEXT THIS VOLUME EXPLORES THIS QUESTION BY FOCUSING UPON THE DEFINING FEATURES OF AGRARIAN TRANSFORMATION IN THE 21ST CENTURY THE FINANCIALIZATION OF FOOD AND AGRICULTURE THE BLURRING OF RURAL AND URBAN LIVELIHOODS THROUGH MIGRATION AND OTHER ECONOMIC ACTIVITIES FOREST TRANSITION CLIMATE CHANGE RURAL INDEBTEDNESS THE CO EVOLUTION OF SOCIAL POLICY AND MORAL ECONOMIES AND CHANGING PROPERTY RELATIONS COMBINED THE ELEVEN CONTRIBUTIONS TO THIS COLLECTION PROVIDE A BROAD OVERVIEW OF AGRARIAN STUDIES OVER THE PAST FOUR DECADES AND IDENTIFY THE CONTEMPORARY FRONTIERS OF AGRARIAN POLITICAL ECONOMY IN THIS PATH BREAKING COLLECTION THE AUTHORS SHOW HOW NEW ITERATIONS OF LONG EVIDENT PROCESSES CONTINUE TO CATCH PEASANTS AND SMALLHOLDERS IN THE CROSSHAIRS OF CRISES AND HOW MANY MANAGE TO FACE THESE CHALLENGES DEVELOPING NEW SOURCES AND SITES OF LIVELIHOOD PRODUCTION THIS VOLUME WAS PUBLISHED AS PART ONE OF THE SPECIAL DOUBLE ISSUE CELEBRATING THE 40TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE JOURNAL OF PEASANT STUDIES

AGRARIAN CHANGE AND URBANIZATION IN SOUTHERN INDIA 2019-08-28

THIS BOOK EXPLORES WHY A DECADE AFTER ZIMBABWEAN INDEPENDENCE GOVERNMENT AGRICULTURAL DEVELOPMENT POLICIES STILL RETAINS SURPRISING SIMILARITIES WITH THOSE OF THE COLONIAL PERIOD DESPITE LENGTHY PEASANT OPPOSITION USING DOCUMENTARY AND FIELDWORK MATERIAL FROM THE MIDLANDS PROVINCE THE ANALYSIS COVERS THE SUBJECTS OF PASTORAL AND LAND USE MANAGEMENT HOUSEHOLD PRODUCTION AND INCOME EARNING STRATEGIES AND FARMER EXTENSION RELATIONS

AGRARIAN CHANGE IN SRI LANKA 1992-06-04

IN 2007 FOR THE FIRST TIME IN HUMAN HISTORY A MAJORITY OF THE WORLD S POPULATION LIVED IN CITIES HOWEVER ON A GLOBAL SCALE POVERTY OVERWHELMINGLY RETAINS A RURAL FACE THIS BOOK ASSEMBLES AN UNPARALLELED GROUP OF INTERNATIONALLY EMINENT SCHOLARS IN THE FIELD OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT AND SOCIAL CHANGE IN ORDER TO EXPLORE HISTORICAL AND CONTEMPORARY PROCESSES OF AGRARIAN CHANGE AND TRANSFORMATION AND THEIR CONSEQUENT IMPACT UPON THE LIVELIHOODS POVERTY AND WELL BEING OF THOSE WHO LIVE IN THE COUNTRYSIDE THE BOOK PROVIDES A CRITICAL ANALYSIS OF THE EXTENT TO WHICH RURAL DEVELOPMENT TRAJECTORIES HAVE IN THE PAST AND ARE NOW PROMOTING A CHANGE IN RURAL PRODUCTION PROCESSES THE ACCUMULATION OF RURAL RESOURCES AND SHIFTS IN RURAL POLITICS AND THE IMPLICATIONS OF SUCH TRAJECTORIES FOR PEASANT LIVELIHOODS AND RURAL WORKERS IN AN ERA OF GLOBALIZATION PEASANTS AND GLOBALIZATION THUS EXPLORES CONTINUITY AND CHANGE IN THE DEBATE ON THE AGRARIAN QUESTION FROM ITS EARLY FORMULATION IN THE LATE 19TH CENTURY TO THE CONTINUING RELEVANCE IT HAS IN OUR TIMES INCLUDING CHAPTERS FROM TERENCE BYRES AMIYA BAGCHI ELLEN WOOD FARSHAD ARAGHI HENRY BERNSTEIN SATURNINO M BORRAS RAY KIELY MICHAEL WATTS AND PHILIP MCMICHAEL COLLECTIVELY THE CONTRIBUTORS ARGUE THAT NEOLIBERAL SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC POLICIES HAVE IN DEEPENING THE MARKET IMPERATIVE GOVERNING THE CONTEMPORARY WORLD FOOD SYSTEM NOT ONLY FAILED TO TACKLE TO UNDERLYING CAUSES OF RURAL POVERTY BUT HAVE INDEED DEEPEENED THE AGRARIAN CRISIS CURRENTLY CONFRONTING THE LIVELIHOODS OF PEASANT FARMERS AND RURAL WORKERS THIS CRISIS DOES NOT GO UNCHALLENGED AS RURAL SOCIAL MOVEMENTS HAVE EMERGED FOR THE FIRST TIME ON A TRANSNATIONAL SCALE CONFRONTING DEVELOPMENT POLICIES THAT ARE UNABLE TO REDUCE LET ALONE ELIMINATE RURAL POVERTY TRANSNATIONAL RURAL SOCIAL MOVEMENTS ARE ATTEMPTING TO CONSTRUCT A MORE JUST FUTURE FOR THE WORLD S FARMERS AND RURAL WORKERS

AGRARIAN CHANGE, GENDER AND LAND RIGHTS 2003-07-18

THIS BOOK MAKES AN ORIGINAL CONTRIBUTION TO THE DISCUSSION ABOUT AGRO FOOD EXPORTING COUNTRIES GOVERNMENTAL POLICY IT PRESENTS A HISTORICIZED AND INTERNATIONALLY CONTEXTUALIZED EXPLORATION OF THE POLITICAL ECONOMY OF AGRARIAN CHANGE IN THREE LATIN AMERICAN COUNTRIES ARGENTINA PRAGUAY AND URUGUAY BY COMPARATIVELY EXAMINING HOW THESE STATES HAVE ACTED IN A CONTEXT OF GLOBAL DRIVEN MARKET FORCES AND HISTORICALLY FORMED INSTITUTIONS THE MONOGRAPH ILLUMINATES THE DIFFERING CAPACITIES OF STATE AUTONOMY UNDER THE PRESENT ERA OF GLOBALIZED AGRICULTURE

NEW DIRECTIONS IN AGRARIAN POLITICAL ECONOMY 2017-10-02

LAND AND LONGHOUSE EXAMINES THE ROLE OF COMMUNITY MARKET AND STATE IN THE HISTORIC TRANSFORMATION OF UPLAND LIVELIHOODS IN SOUTHEAST ASIA FOCUSING ON THE SARIBAS IBAN OF SARAWAK THE BOOK COMBINES IN DEPTH GENERATION LONG VILLAGE CASE STUDIES WITH AN ACCOUNT OF CHANGES IN LAND USE AND TENURE AT THE REGIONAL LEVEL SPANNING A CENTURY AND A HALF THIS ANALYSIS DEMONSTRATES THAT FAR FROM BEING PASSIVE VICTIMS OF GLOBALIZATION THE IBAN HAVE BEEN ACTIVE AGENTS IN THEIR OWN TRANSFORMATION ENGAGING WITH BOTH MARKET AND STATE WHILE RETAINING COMMUNITY VALUES AND GOVERNANCE R A CRAMB MAKES A SIGNIFICANT NEW CONTRIBUTION TO DEBATES ABOUT ECONOMIC SOCIAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL CHANGE AND CONFLICT IN UPLAND SOUTHEAST ASIA HIS BOOK OFFERS A FASCINATING EMPIRICALLY RICH ACCOUNT OF INTEREST TO SCHOLARS DEVELOPMENT PRACTITIONERS AND THE GENERAL READER ALIKE THIS STUDY IS CERTAIN TO BECOME A MAJOR REFERENCE POINT FOR FUTURE WORK ON LAND USE TENURE AND AGRARIAN CHANGE IN UPLAND SOUTHEAST ASIA CLIFFORD SATHER UNIVERSITY OF HELSINKI ROB CRAMB HAS WRITTEN AN EXCELLENT BOOK WITH A MUCH NEEDED LONGITUDINAL PERSPECTIVE ON AGRARIAN CHANGE THE BOOK IS AN IMPORTANT CONTRIBUTION TO THE URGENT NEED FOR UNDERSTANDING THE DYNAMICS AND CONSEQUENCES BOTH ENVIRONMENTAL AND SOCIAL OF UPLAND TRANSFORMATION IN SOUTHEAST ASIA OLE MERTZ UNIVERSITY OF COPENHAGEN ROB CRAMB S STUDY RAISES PROVOCATIVE QUESTIONS ABOUT IBAN SOCIETY THE NATURE OF THE SOUTHEAST ASIA UPLANDS AND AGRARIAN HISTORY HE PRESENTS A WORK DISTINGUISHED BY THE DEPTH OF ITS SCHOLARSHIP AND THE BREADTH OF THE QUESTIONS ADDRESSED BY IT MICHAEL R DOVE YALE UNIVERSITY

AGRARIAN CHANGE AND POPULATION GROWTH 1976

THROUGH THE PRISM OF A NEPALI REMITTANCE VILLAGE THIS BOOK CRITICALLY EXAMINES POVERTY AND LIVELIHOOD DYNAMICS REMADE THROUGH TRANSNATIONAL LABOUR MIGRATION AND REMITTANCES AND THEIR INTERRELATIONSHIPS WITH LAND RURAL LABOUR AND AGRICULTURE THE CONCEPT OF THE REMITTANCE VILLAGE EMPHASISES RURAL PEOPLE S TRANSNATIONAL MOBILITIES AS A KEY FEATURE OF CONTEMPORARY DYNAMICS IN MANY PARTS OF THE GLOBAL SOUTH WHICH ARE RECONFIGURING RURAL SOCIAL ECONOMIC AND ECOLOGICAL TEXTURES SUNAM CHALLENGES COMPLACENT LINEAR NARRATIVES THAT ASSUME NEW OPPORTUNITIES SUCH AS TRANSNATIONAL MIGRATION AND REMITTANCES PROVIDE BETTER PATHWAYS FOR THE RURAL POOR TO COME OUT OF POVERTY AS WELL AS NARRATIVES THAT UNDERSTATE THE IMPORTANCE OF LAND AND FARMING FOR THE RURAL POOR HE DEMONSTRATES BOTH THAT NEW OPPORTUNITIES ARE INACCESSIBLE FOR MANY POOR PEOPLE AND THAT ACCESSING THESE OPPORTUNITIES OFTEN ENGENDERS INCREASED PRECARIETY AND VULNERABILITY IN THE REMITTANCE VILLAGE HE FINDS THAT EVEN THOSE ACCESSING NEW OPPORTUNITIES ARE SUCCESSFUL ONLY WHEN THEIR HOUSEHOLD MEMBER S ARE SIMULTANEOUSLY ENGAGED IN IN SITU NON AGRICULTURAL ACTIVITIES THIS BOOK IS A VALUABLE RESOURCE FOR SCHOLARS AND STUDENTS FROM A RANGE OF INTERDISCIPLINARY BACKGROUNDS INCLUDING HUMAN GEOGRAPHY ANTHROPOLOGY OF DEVELOPMENT AND SOCIOLOGY IT IS ALSO RECOMMENDED READING FOR POLICY MAKERS INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT AGENCIES AND NGOs WORKING ON RURAL DEVELOPMENT IN THE GLOBAL SOUTH CHAPTER 3 OF THIS BOOK IS FREELY AVAILABLE AS A DOWNLOADABLE OPEN ACCESS PDF AT TAYLORFRANCIS COM UNDER A CREATIVE COMMONS ATTRIBUTION NON COMMERCIAL NO DERIVATIVES CC BY NC ND 4 0 LICENSE

THE STATE AND AGRARIAN CHANGE IN ZIMBABWE'S COMMUNAL AREAS 2016-07-27

THIS STUDY EXAMINES IRRIGATION DEVELOPMENT AND AGRARIAN CHANGE IN THE LOWER INDUS BASIN DURING THE PAST 150 YEARS SINDH ONE OF THE CONSTITUENT PROVINCES OF PAKISTAN IS LOCATED IN THE LOWER INDUS RIVER BASIN THE BRITISH CAPTURED SINDH IN 1843 FROM LOCAL MIRS RULERS AND GOVERNED IT FOR THE NEXT HUNDRED YEARS ITS ANNEXATION TO THE BOMBAY PRESIDENCY OF BRITISH INDIA TRIGGERED A PROCESS OF IRRIGATION INFRASTRUCTURE AND INSTITUTIONAL DEVELOPMENT THAT HAS CONTINUED AFTER IT BECAME A CONSTITUENT PROVINCE OF ISLAMIC REPUBLIC OF PAKISTAN IN 1947 THE MAIN ARGUMENT OF THIS STUDY IS THAT DURING THE LAST 150 YEARS AGRARIAN CHANGES IN SINDH HAVE BEEN TRIGGERED BY IRRIGATION INFRASTRUCTURE DEVELOPMENT INITIATED AND SUPPORTED BY THE STATE IT FURTHER ARGUES THAT ALTHOUGH LARGE SCALE IRRIGATION FACILITIES HAVE EXPANDED THE IRRIGATED LAND AREA AND IMPROVED AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION DURING THIS PERIOD THE RELATIONS OF PRODUCTION IN AGRICULTURE HAVE CONTINUED WITHOUT MUCH CHANGE P 27 28

PEASANTS AND GLOBALIZATION 2012-08-21

THIS BOOK PROVIDES THE FIRST SYSTEMATIC CRITIQUE OF THE CONCEPT OF CLIMATE CHANGE ADAPTATION WITHIN THE FIELD OF INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT DRAWING ON A REWORKED POLITICAL ECOLOGY FRAMEWORK IT ARGUES THAT CLIMATE IS NOT SOMETHING OUT THERE THAT WE ADAPT TO INSTEAD IT IS PART OF THE SOCIAL AND BIOPHYSICAL FORCES THROUGH WHICH OUR LIVED ENVIRONMENTS ARE ACTIVELY YET UNEVENLY PRODUCED FROM THIS ORIGINAL FOUNDATION THE BOOK CHALLENGES US TO RETHINK THE CONCEPTS OF CLIMATE CHANGE VULNERABILITY RESILIENCE AND ADAPTIVE CAPACITY IN TRANSFORMED WAYS WITH CASE STUDIES DRAWN FROM PAKISTAN INDIA AND MONGOLIA IT DEMONSTRATES CONCRETELY HOW CLIMATIC CHANGE EMERGES AS A DYNAMIC FORCE IN THE ONGOING TRANSFORMATION OF CONTESTED RURAL LANDSCAPES IN CRAFTING THIS SYNTHESIS THE BOOK RECALIBRATES THE FRAMEWORKS WE USE TO ENVISAGE CLIMATIC CHANGE IN THE CONTEXT OF CONTEMPORARY DEBATES OVER DEVELOPMENT LIVELIHOODS AND POVERTY WITH ITS UNIQUE THEORETICAL CONTRIBUTION AND CASE STUDY MATERIAL THIS BOOK WILL APPEAL TO RESEARCHERS AND STUDENTS IN ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES SOCIOLOGY GEOGRAPHY POLITICS AND DEVELOPMENT STUDIES

THE POLITICAL ECONOMY OF AGRARIAN CHANGE IN LATIN AMERICA 2019-07-24

THIS THESIS EXAMINES THE ROLE OF AGRICULTURAL SERVICE ORGANIZATIONS IN THE RURAL TRANSFORMATION PROCESSES IN UZBEKISTAN WHICH HAS EXPERIENCED A CHAIN OF AGRICULTURAL REFORMS SINCE 1991 THESE ORGANIZATIONS APART FROM PROVIDING SERVICES I E PROVISION OF FERTILIZERS SEEDS MACHINERY FULFILL MANY OTHER SOCIO POLITICAL FUNCTIONS THEY ALSO ACT AS A SOCIAL SECURITY NET FOR THEIR PERSONNEL THE BOOK S ANALYSIS REVEALS THAT AGRARIAN TRANSFORMATION HAS PRODUCED THREE TYPES OF SERVICE ORGANIZATIONS WHICH DIFFER IN THEIR DISTANCE FROM AND IMPORTANCE FOR THE GOVERNMENT AND THE STATE PROCUREMENT SYSTEM THIS DISTANCE HAS IMPLICATIONS FOR THEIR AUTONOMY MARKET ORIENTATION AND POTENTIAL FOR LONG TERM SUSTAINABILITY THESIS SERIES ZEF DEVELOPMENT STUDIES VOL 23

LAND AND LONGHOUSE 2007

THIS VOLUME PROVIDES AN IN DEPTH ANALYSIS OF AGRARIAN CHANGE AND AGRARIAN INSTITUTIONS THAT WILL INTEREST ECOLOGISTS SOCIOLOGISTS GEOGRAPHERS ECONOMISTS ENVIRONMENTAL SCHOLARS AND STUDENTS OF PEASANT SOCIETIES

AGRARIAN CHANGE AND INTEGRATED RURAL DEVELOPMENT IN A POLICY VACUUM 1994

THIS BOOK EXAMINES THE ECONOMIC GAINS AND SOCIAL COSTS OF AGRARIAN TRANSFORMATION IN INDIA THE AUTHOR LOOKS AT THREE PHASES OF AGRARIAN TRANSFORMATION COLONIAL POST COLONIAL AND NEOLIBERAL THIS WORK COMBINES MACRO AND MICRO ECONOMIC DATA ECONOMIC AND NONECONOMIC PHENOMENA AND QUANTITATIVE AND QUALITATIVE ASPECTS WHILE EXPLORING THE CONTEXT OF HISTORICAL AND CONTEMPORARY CHANGES WITH SPECIAL REFERENCE TO MAHARASHTRA IN WESTERN INDIA IT DISCUSSES REGIONAL DISPARITIES IN AGRICULTURAL DEVELOPMENT ISSUES OF MODERNISATION AND SOCIAL INEQUALITY LAND OWNING AMONG SCHEDULED CASTES AND TRIBES WOMEN IN AGRICULTURE PATTERN OF LABOUR MIGRATION AND FARMER S SUICIDES AND DOCUMENTS THE EXPERIENCES AND CONDITIONS OF THE RURAL POOR AND SOCIALLY WEAKER SECTIONS TO PROVIDE A COMPREHENSIVE UNDERSTANDING OF THE SIGNIFICANT CHANGES IN AGRARIAN RURAL ECONOMY OF WESTERN INDIA IT ALSO DISCUSSES CONTEMPORARY DEVELOPMENT POLICY AND PRACTICES AND THEIR CONSEQUENCES LUCID AND TOPICAL THIS VOLUME WILL BE USEFUL TO SCHOLARS AND RESEARCHERS OF AGRARIAN STUDIES RURAL SOCIOLOGY SOCIAL HISTORY AGRICULTURAL ECONOMICS DEVELOPMENT STUDIES POLITICAL ECONOMY POLITICAL STUDIES AND PUBLIC POLICY AS WELL AS PLANNING AND POLICY EXPERTS

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