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## Financial Valuation: Applications and Models, Book + Website (5th Edition)

James R. Hitchner

## A comprehensive guide to the theory and application of valuation, along with useful models, tools, and tips for analysts

Financial Valuation: Applications and Models provides authoritative reference and practical guidance on the appropriate, defensible way to prepare and present business valuations. With contributions by 30 top experts in the field, this updated edition provides an essential resource for those seeking the most up-to-date methods, with a strong emphasis on applications and models. Coverage includes the latest approaches to the valuation



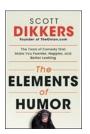
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#### Financial Valuation Workbook: Step-by-Step Exercises and Tests to Help You Master Financial Valuation (5th Edition)

James R. Hitchner

#### A complete toolkit for financial valuators to help keep their engagements on-track and on-time

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Amelia Sordell

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Michael Lewrick, Omar Hatamleh

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#### Audacious Optimism: The Mindful Choice to Live Boldly and Create Endless Possibilities

Shanna Adamic

## Heartwarming, inspiring story on the power of optimism when you find yourself in a dark place

Audacious Optimism delivers a riveting account of Shanna Adamic's journey from a highly successful career as a corporate philanthropist and former professional cheerleader, to surviving a rare and life-threatening brain tumor, to limited mobility and a 4% chance of regaining facial function on her right side, to her complete recovery and developing an unwavering dedication to optimism. This book teaches readers how to rally from within and push through those terrifying moments in life, when



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## Big Goals: The Science of Setting Them, Achieving Them, and Creating Your Best Life

Caroline Adams Miller

#### Everything you need to make your goals a reality

Big Goals: The Science of Setting Them, Achieving Them, and Creating Your Best Life delves deeply into effective goal setting practices for both personal growth and corporate excellence, empowering individuals across all ages to pursue their ambitions with a newfound sense of confidence and mastery. Readers of this book will gain a nuanced understanding of the little-known science of goal setting, with practical tools and unique worksheets to use on their goal-achieving journey.

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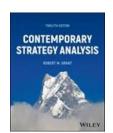
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Tom Emrich

Your guide to transforming your business with spatial computing, featuring real use cases and proof points of augmented reality in marketing, advertising, and sales

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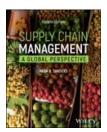
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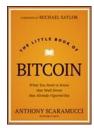
#### The 9% Edge Planner: A Quarterly Guide to Help You Maintain Clarity, Stay Focused, and Keep You on Track for Success

Candy Valentino

## Helpful planner to drill down, get organized, and start putting concepts from The 9% Edge into action

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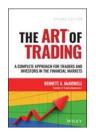
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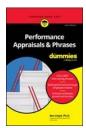
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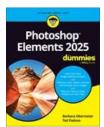
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Guy Hart-Davis

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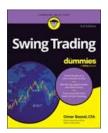
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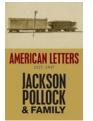
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#### **Decolonizing Anthropology: An Introduction**

Soumhya Venkatesan

Decolonization has been a buzzword in anthropology for decades. This groundbreaking volume offers not only an anthropology of decolonization, but new ways of thinking about the relationship between anthropology and colonialism, and how we might move beyond colonialism's troubling legacy, particularly in the metropole.

Soumhya Venkatesan argues that the word 'decolonization' is simultaneously too broad and too narrow. In compelling prose, she describes the work already underway and the work still needed – in research, writing and teaching – to extend the horizons of the



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#### American Letters: 1927-1947

Jackson Pollock

Jackson Pollock, the towering American artist who was to revolutionize twentieth-century art with his "dripping" painting technique, grew up between the late 1920s and the late 1940s, the youngest of five boys born in the American West. Though often apart, whether they were traveling for work or for studies, sons and parents kept in close touch through their regular exchange of letters. Their correspondence offers an invaluable insight into the formation of one of America's most influential artists, but it also draws a unique portrait of America itself between two momentous events in its hist...



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## The Magic of Silence: Caspar David Friedrich's Journey Through Time

Florian Illies, Tony Crawford

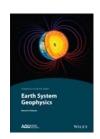
No German painter evokes such strong emotions as Caspar David Friedrich: his evening skies remain icons of longing, his mountain vistas testaments to the grandeur of nature. He inspired Samuel Beckett to write *Waiting for Godot* and Walt Disney to create *Bambi*. Goethe, however, was so enraged by the enigmatic melancholy of Friedrich's paintings that he wanted to smash them on the edge of a table.

In a sweeping journey through time, bestselling author Florian Illies tells the story of Friedrich's paintings and their

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Steve R. Dickman

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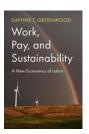
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Webster Mohriak

## A comprehensive review of giant salt basins, salt tectonic events, and their global implications

Salt is formed when water rich in evaporite minerals accumulates on the Earth s surface and then evaporates. Over time, pressure and tectonics change the structure and shape of salt layers. Recent technological advances have improved the interpretation and modeling of subsurface salt structures.

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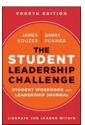


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## Work, Pay, and Sustainability: A New Economics of Labor

Daphne T. Greenwood

Daphne Greenwood presents the first comprehensive introduction to pluralist labor economics. She expands the economics toolbox with theories taken from institutionalist, feminist, social, ecological, and stratification economists. Pluralists, she explains, focus on how formal and informal institutions affect the distribution of productivity dividends—and how this has evolved over time. Pluralists are concerned with job quality as well as financial compensation. They acknowledge the modern-day abundance created by technology, but advocate for institutional changes to direct it in equitable and ...



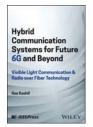
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James M. Kouzes, Barry Z. Posner

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Designed to be used with *The Student Leadership Challenge* or the *Student Leadership Practices Inventory,* this workbook will help students go beyond theory and dive into leadership practice. The activities and worksheets inside will guide students in better understanding and embodying The Five Practices of Exemplary Leadership®. There is also a unit on taking, digesting, and



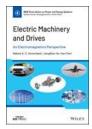
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#### Hybrid Communication Systems for Future 6G and Beyond: Visible Light Communication and Radio over Fiber Technology

Rao Kashif

Comprehensive guide to hybrid communication systems using visible light communication, radio over fiber, and auto channel switching technologies

Hybrid Communication Systems for Future 6G and Beyond explores the future of wireless communication and discusses how we can create more efficient and reliable ways to communicate by unlocking the potential of three specific technologies: visible light communication (VLC), radio over fiber (RoF) technology, and auto channel switching.



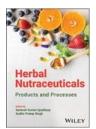
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## Electric Machinery and Drives: An Electromagnetics Perspective

Nabeel A. O. Demerdash, JiangBiao He, Hao Chen

## Comprehensive resource on the fundamentals of electric machinery and variable speed drives, and their many conventional and emerging applications

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text incorporates the fundamentals of electric machinery,
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of including both the introduction of detailed operating



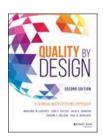
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#### Herbal Nutraceuticals: Products and Processes

Santosh Kumar Upadhyay, Sudhir Pratap Singh

#### Holistic approach to the herbal aspects of nutraceuticals and their implementation in the health and agriculture sectors

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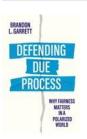
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Marjorie M. Godfrey, Tina C. Foster, Julie K. Johnson, Eugene C. Nelson, Paul B. Batalden

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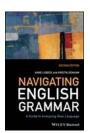


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## Defending Due Process: Why Fairness Matters in a Polarized World

Brandon L. Garrett

We all feel unfairness deeply when treated in rash ways. We expect and the law requires that government officials take fairness seriously, giving notice and an opportunity to be heard before taking our rights away. That is why the U.S. Constitution commands, twice, that no one shall be deprived of life, liberty, or property without due process of law. Yet in overheated debates, people argue that others do not deserve any presumption of innocence. In courtrooms and colleges, police stations and jails, restaurants and libraries, print and online, the democratic value of due process is up for gra...



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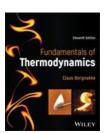
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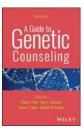
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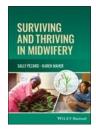
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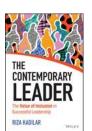
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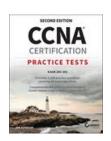
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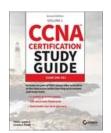
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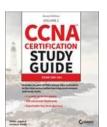
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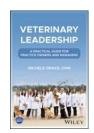
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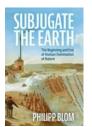


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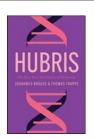


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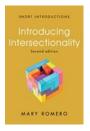
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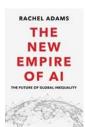
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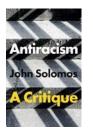
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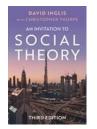


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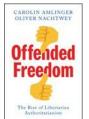
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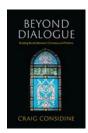
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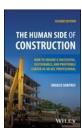
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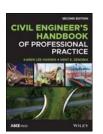
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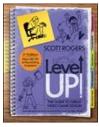
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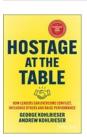
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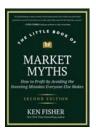
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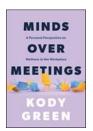
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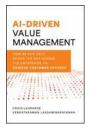
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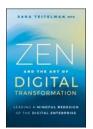
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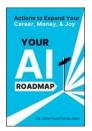
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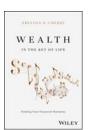
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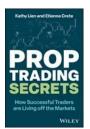
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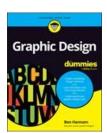
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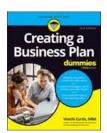
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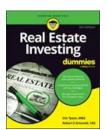
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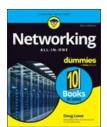
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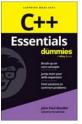
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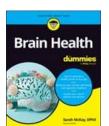
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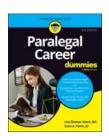
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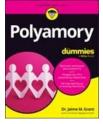
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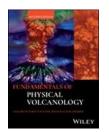
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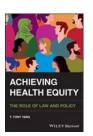
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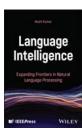
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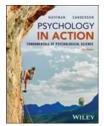
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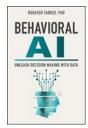
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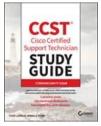
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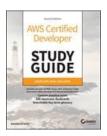
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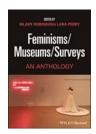
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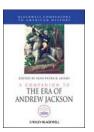
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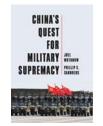
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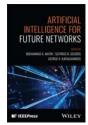
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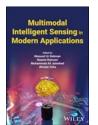
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