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History of Religion

Jens Holger Schjørring
Norman A. Hjelm (eds.)

History of Global Christianity

Volume 1: The Early Modern Period

712 pages, € 179.00
ISBN: 978-3-17-021931-1

Publication date
June 2017

Volume 2: The Nineteenth Century

720 pages, € 179.00
ISBN: 978-3-17-021932-8

Publication date
December 2017

Volume 3: The Twentieth Century

690 pages, € 180.00
ISBN: 978-3-17-021933-5

Publication date
February 2018

Book series: Die Religionen der Menschheit

The way in which the world's religions are intertwined in the dynamics of global development has become obvious in the twenty-first century. This also applies to Christianity. In view of the fact that its historiography is still predominantly regional or national, however, little is known about Christianity's historical process of development to become a religion that is globally active and plurally differentiated.

The first volume takes up this challenge by presenting a comprehensive, interdenominational and interdisciplinary history of global Christianity from the fifteenth to the eighteenth century, for the first time in German-speaking countries. Renowned theologians and (church) historians clarify the turning-points in the Early Modern period that set the course for the global spread and fascinating plurality of modern Christianity.

The second volume presents a comprehensive, interdenominational and interdisciplinary history of global Christianity in the nineteenth century. Renowned theologians, (church) historians and historians trace the numerous upheavals associated with the 'long nineteenth century' that brought Christianity into the modern age.

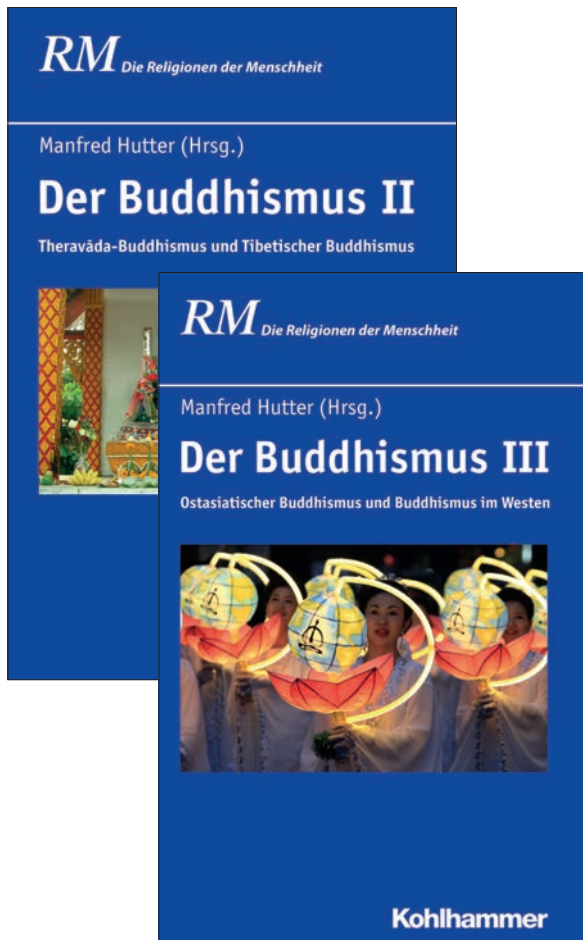
The third volume presents a comprehensive, interdenominational and interdisciplinary history of global Christianity in the twentieth century. Renowned (church) historians and religious studies specialists trace developments during the century of world wars into the postmodern age. In addition to geographically arranged essays, supra-regional thematic issues such as ecumenism and christian anti-Semitism are presented in an authoritative and comprehensible fashion.

Authors

Jens Holger Schjørring is Emeritus Professor of Church History at the University of Aarhus. Dr. Norman A. Hjelm is a Lutheran minister and Senior Theological Editor in Wynnewood, Pennsylvania.

Target groups

Theologians, religious studies specialists, individuals interested in the history of religion.



Manfred Hutter (ed.)

Buddhism

Vol. II:

Theravada Buddhism and Tibetan Buddhism

504 pages, € 112.00

ISBN: 978-3-17-028497-5

Publication date

December 2016

Vol. III:

East Asian Buddhism and Buddhism in the West

460 pages, € 98.00

ISBN: 978-3-17-028364-0

Publication date

Fourth quarter of 2018

Book series: Die Religionen der Menschheit

Following the first volume, which described Buddhism in India, this volume discusses the historical and doctrinal development of Theravada Buddhism in its 'classical' homelands (Sri Lanka, Myanmar, Cambodia, Thailand and Laos), as well as its spread and revival in India, Bangladesh, Malaysia and Indonesia. The various schools of Tibetan Buddhism are also presented in detail and placed in the context of Tibetan history, and local forms of Tibetan Buddhism in Bhutan and among the ethnic groups of Mongolia are also described. A final chapter discusses Buddhism among the Turkic peoples of Central Asia before their conversion to Islam.

The final volume of this three-part work on Buddhism discusses the various schools of Mahayana in East Asia. The presentation of Buddhism in China and Japan naturally plays a major role here. A special aspect worth emphasizing is that the forms of Buddhism that developed in Vietnam and Korea are given independent chapters and are not treated merely as a marginal appendix to the influence of Chinese Buddhism on Vietnam, or with a reduction of Korea to being a mere conduit and mediator of Chinese Buddhism to Japan. Since various forms of Buddhism have also come to the West since the nineteenth century, an extensive chapter on Western Buddhism closes this multivolume religious history of Buddhism.

Author

Prof. Manfred Hutter teaches Comparative Religion at the Institute of Oriental and Asian Studies at the University of Bonn.

Target groups

Scholars in the fields of religious and cultural studies, historians, Buddhologists, Indologists, Tibetologists and theologians.

Heinz Bechert et al.

Buddhism Vol I: The Indian Buddhism and its ramifications

512 pages, € 83.60, ISBN: 978-3-17-015333-2

Publication date 1999

History of Religion



Hans-Martin Kirn

History of Christianity, vol. IV, part 1

The Age of Denominations

340 pages, € 32.00

ISBN: 978-3-17-031034-6

Book series: Theologische Wissenschaft

A complex process of transformation creating the breakthrough into the modern age, with effects that are still formative today, took place in the history of the Western church in the seventeenth and eighteenth centuries. The most important semantic elements in it, which gradually separate out into the Age of Denominations, Pietism and Enlightenment, describe three forms of Christian life and thought that overlap in many ways and only produce a sufficiently nuanced overall picture of early modern church history when viewed as forming a complete whole. This first sub-volume discusses the development of a denominationally plural Christianity in Europe in the Age of Denominations.

Author

Prof. Hans-Martin Kirn, Protestant Theological University Amsterdam-Groningen, Netherlands.

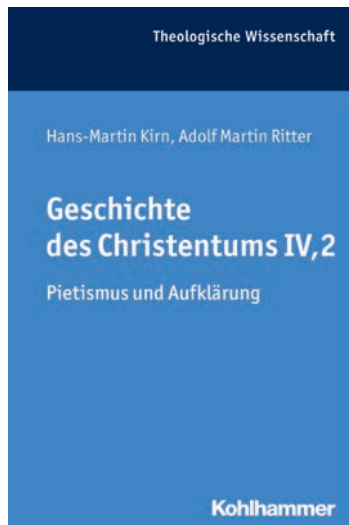
Target groups

Theologians, historians.

Publication date

February 2018

History of Religion



Hans-Martin Kirn / Adolf Martin Ritter

History of Christianity, vol. IV, part 2

Pietism and the Enlightenment

ca. 340 pages, ca. € 32.00

ISBN: 978-3-17-033678-0

Book series: Theologische Wissenschaft

A complex process of transformation creating the breakthrough into the modern age, with effects that are still formative today, took place in the history of the Western church in the seventeenth and eighteenth centuries. The most important semantic elements in it, which gradually separate out into the Age of Denominations, Pietism and the Enlightenment, describe three forms of Christian life and thought that overlap in many ways and only produce a sufficiently nuanced overall picture of early modern church history when they are viewed as forming a complete whole. This second sub-volume introduces the Enlightenment and Pietism, currents that had a lasting influence on intellectual and religious history in Europe, and also examines the development of the Orthodox churches in the seventeenth and eighteenth centuries.

Authors

Prof. Hans-Martin Kirn, Protestant Theological University Amsterdam-Groningen, Netherlands; Prof. Adolf Martin Ritter, University of Heidelberg.

Target groups

Theologians, historians.

Publication date

Fourth quarter of 2018

History of Religion



Christian Frevel

History of Israel

2nd extended and revised edition

ca. 480 pages, ca. € 35.00

ISBN: 978-3-17-035420-3

Book series: Kohlhammer Studienbücher Theologie

This textbook illustrates the „history of Israel“ from the beginnings until the Bar Kokhba revolt 132–135 AD. The knowledge, which is indispensable for exegesis and theology studies, is passed on by the author as a matter of course and in light of current research. He uses all available sources for his illustrations: next to the bible, archaeological findings, inscriptions and artwork have been considered; it is shown by means of example how the sources are to be interpreted and where the boundaries of reconstructing history lie. For this purposes, he introduces the latest findings of archaeological and historic research and links the results to biblical interpretations in a critical manner. This produces an impression of the history of ancient Israel in the context of the Southern Levant, which is often familiar, but also fresh and unexpected.

Authors

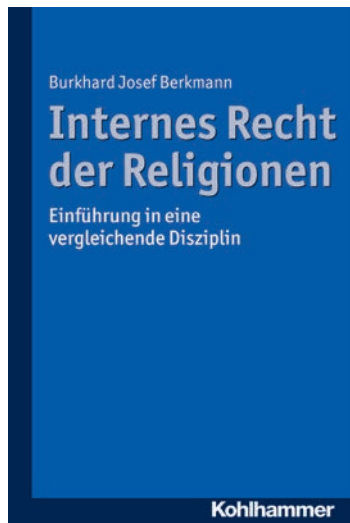
Prof. Dr. Christian Frevel teaches the Old Testament at the University of Bochum.

Target groups

Theologians, Assyriologists, specialists in religious studies, historians, specialists in Judaic studies.

Publication date

Fourth quarter of 2018

Religious Studies

Burkhard Josef Berkmann

Internal Law of the Religions**Introduction to a Comparative Discipline**

231 pages, € 24.00

ISBN: 978-3-17-034034-3

Jewish law in connection with the circumcision debate, Islamic law in the debate over the burka ban or the shechita/dhabihah of animals, the law of the Christian churches applying to the appointment of bishops, or questions of employment law within the church & the internal law of the religions is increasingly becoming a topic of public debate and conflict. Questions of religious law affect educational institutions, hospitals, prisons, police work and numerous other aspects of everyday life. In this context, comparison of the internal law of the religions is developing as a new specialist discipline combining theology, jurisprudence and religious studies. The author introduces the subject and methodology based on previous research approaches. Along with an overview of law in various confessions and religions, he demonstrates how such law can be placed within the secular law of the European states. This practically oriented introduction presents comprehensive theoretical approaches and practical areas of application for the first time in the German-speaking countries.

Author

Prof. Burkhard Josef Berkmann is Professor of Canon Law at the University of Munich.

Target groups

Theologians, scholars in religious studies, lawyers.

Publication date

December 2017

Biblical Studies

Walter Dietrich

The World of the Hebrew Bible

488 pages, € 49.00

ISBN: 978-3-17-030297-6

A comprehensive, reliable and up-to-date scholarly introduction to the world of the Hebrew Bible – its cultural setting, literary form, social backgrounds, ritual nature, and its images of humanity and of God. The 32 sections are written by selected specialists from various denominations and all German-speaking countries. Within a manageable scope, they discuss wide-ranging topics such as 'The Bible and history', 'Bible, Judaism, Christianity', 'the formation of the canon', 'individual and community', 'worship', 'suffering and death', and 'God's love and wrath'. Brief footnotes, special bibliographies and an index help the reader link together and deepen the information provided. The book offers a compact but nuanced overview of the 'Old' or 'First Testament', for students, those involved in the church or with cultural interests, those who are distanced from the Bible and also people curious about religion, academics, and non-academics. It can be read alone or in groups, continuously or following selected topics – drawing readers in to the fascinating 'world of the Hebrew Bible'.

Author

Emeritus Professor Walter Dietrich, holder of several honorary doctorates, taught Old Testament studies at the University of Bern.

Target groups

Theologians, religious education teachers, individuals with an interest in the Old Testament.

Publication date

May 2017

Biblical Studies

Luca Mazzinochi

Wisdom

558 pages, € 99.00

ISBN: 978-3-17-022424-7

Book series: Internationaler Exegetischer Kommentar zum Alten Testament (IEKAT)

This commentary for the first time combines all relevant aspects for the interpretation of this late text in the Old Testament/Apocrypha: textual criticism, philological and literary analysis; the dual historical context with the link to Hellenistic environment, on the one hand, and to the biblical tradition on the other; and finally, the – highly innovative – theology of the Book of Wisdom. Aspects of reception history and hermeneutic issues complete the commentary.

Author

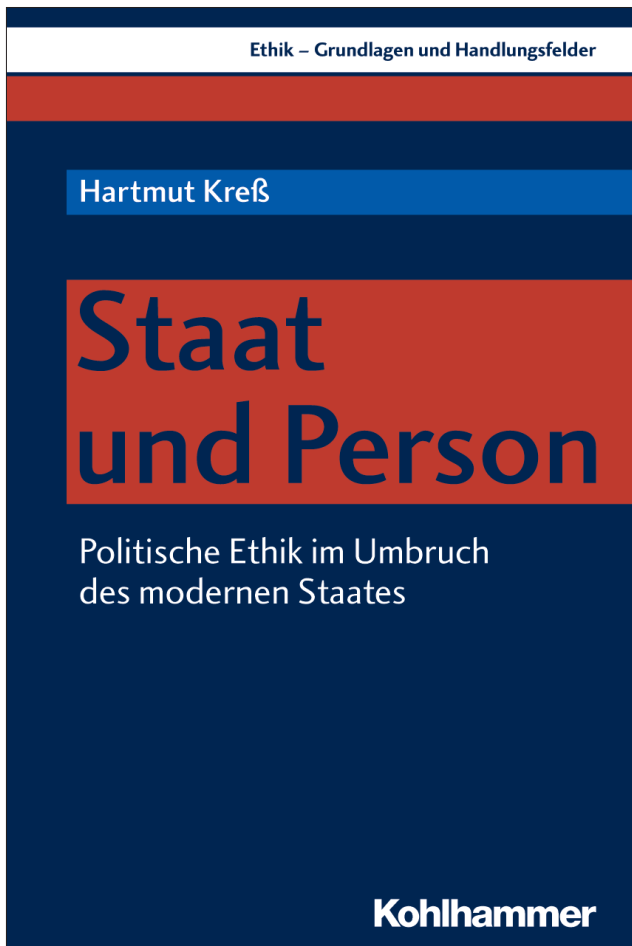
Prof. Luca Mazzinochi teaches Old Testament exegesis at the Pontificia Università Gregoriana in Rome.

Target groups

Theologians in research, teaching, studies and practice (ministers and teachers of religious studies), those interested in theology, religious studies and cultural studies.

Publication date

July 2018



Hartmut Kress

State and Person

Political Ethics in the Upheaval of the Modern State

290 pages, € 42,-

ISBN: 978-3-17-026291-1

Book series: Ethik – Grundlagen und Handlungsfelder

The state is currently undergoing a crisis, characterized by an erosion of the rule of law and the loss of influence of nation states resulting from globalization. On the other hand, the institution of the state in the cultural and legal history of Germany has been exaggerated and idealized. Theologically, it was regarded as the divine order of creation; philosophers declared it to be a 'moral person'; the modern judicial theory of the state raised it to the status of 'state person'. This book analyses the central ideas in the interpretation of the state since the Renaissance and Reformation for present-day purposes. In the face of today's situation of upheaval, it outlines a political ethics that emphasizes the primacy of the human person.

Author

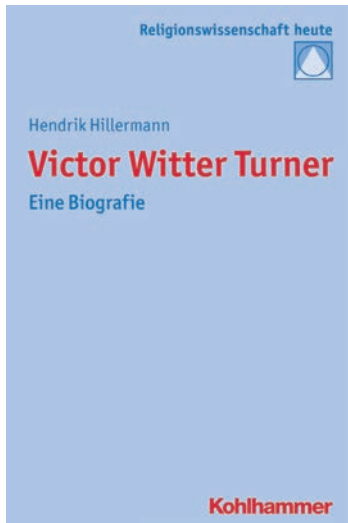
Prof. Hartmut Kress teaches ethics at the University of Bonn.

Target groups

Theologians, ethics specialists, political scientists, philosophers, lawyers.

Publication date

September 2018



Hendrik Hillermann

Victor W. Turner**A Biography**

328 pages, € 40.00

ISBN: 978-3-17-033353-6

Book series: Religionswissenschaft heute

Rituals and symbols can provide a sense of safety and protection, can help overcome crises, and may also accompany processes of social reform. In recognizing this, the ethnologist Victor W. Turner was not only one of the most important scholars in his discipline but also an influential pioneer of research on ritual and symbols. He created his own analytical tools and applied his concepts to phenomena in a very wide range of societies. This first comprehensive biography of Turner offers a better appreciation of the origins and development of his ideas and concepts, providing a better-informed view of his work.

Author

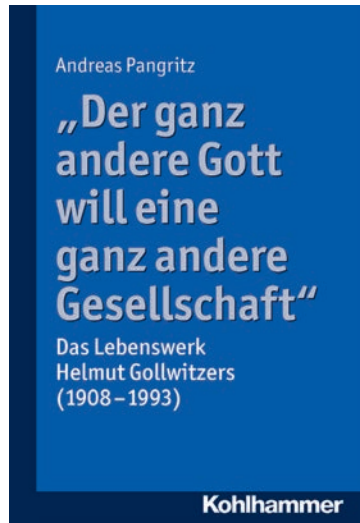
Hendrik Hillermann holds a Diploma in Religious Studies and received his doctorate from the Max Weber College of Cultural and Social-Science Studies at the University of Erfurt.

Target groups

Religious studies scholars, theologians, philosophers.

Publication date

June 2017



Andreas Pangritz

‘A Completely Different God Wants a Completely Different Society’**The Life’s Work of Helmut Gollwitzer (1908–1993)**

100 pages, € 15.00

ISBN: 978-3-17-034447-1

During the second half of the twentieth century, Helmut Gollwitzer was one of the most influential and internationally acclaimed, politically committed Protestant theologians writing in German – but today, he seems to have been largely forgotten. However, not only the current world economic crisis, but also the crisis faced in the dialogue between the religions and ideologies in the age of globalization are reason enough for us to recall Gollwitzer as a pioneer of a dialogical, critical and committed theology. This theological and biographical sketch aims to make a contribution towards this.

Author

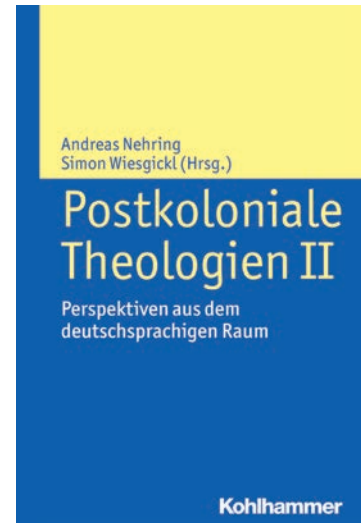
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Target groups

Theologians, teachers of religious studies, those interested in church history.

Publication date

January 2018



Andreas Nehring / Simon Wiesgickl (eds.)

Postcolonial Theologies II**Perspectives from the German-Speaking Countries**

320 pages, € 40.00

ISBN: 978-3-17-032571-5

Postcolonial theologies have positioned themselves over recent decades as an innovative new direction and critical inquiry not only in the field of intercultural theology, but also in practically every subdiscipline within theology. Such theologies are concerned with overcoming Eurocentric perspectives that sometimes shape scholarship even today. The aim of postcolonial theologies is to decolonize theological work. While the first volume (2013) gathered together the most important translated texts in this field, the present volume offers well-founded essays on every field within theology. An inventory of postcolonial theologies is now available for the first time. Scholars in the various subdisciplines within theology provide information about the state of the debate in their own fields and sound out the opportunities and limitations represented by postcolonial theologies.

Authors

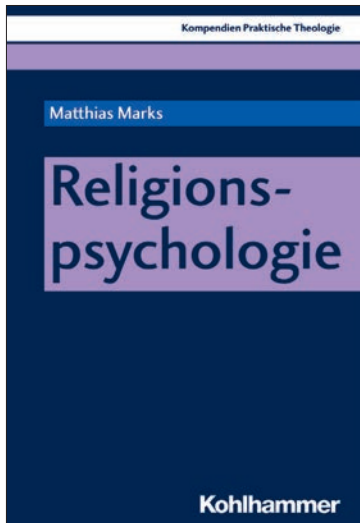
Prof. Andreas Nehring teaches religious studies and mission studies at the University of Erlangen & Nuremberg. Simon Wiesgickl was an Assistant at the Chair of Religious Studies and Mission Studies at the University of Erlangen & Nuremberg from 2013 to 2016.

Target groups

Theologians, teachers of religious studies.

Publication date

December 2017

Theology

Matthias Marks

Psychology of Religion

200 pages, € 28.00

ISBN: 978-3-17-034062-6

Book series: Kompendien Praktische Theologie

Religious experience and behaviour can be understood in many different ways. In religious psychology, the focus is on the psychological process in religion: how can it be explained that human beings have religious experiences in their development, through their inner and outer relationships, in interactions between individuals, groups and institutions? This volume briefly examines the elementary topics, questions and problems involved in a psycho-analytically oriented psychology of religion and their significance for practical theology. The hermeneutic concern of the text is oriented towards the practical world of church, school, culture and society. It also offers fresh stimuli for interdisciplinary dialogue.

Authors

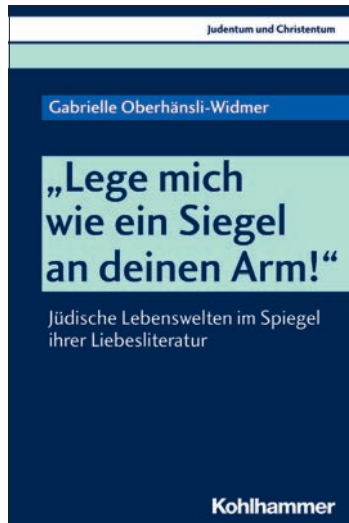
Dr. Matthias Marks is a Minister in the Protestant Church of Westphalia.

Target groups

Students of theology, curates and ministers

Publication date

September 2018

Theology

Gabrielle Oberhänsli-Widmer

‘Set Me As a Seal Upon Thy Arm’

Jewish Life-Worlds as Reflected in Their Love Literature

287 pages, € 32.00

ISBN: 978-3-17-034954-4

Book series: Judentum und Christentum

The Song of Songs (Song of Solomon) in the Bible is not only the oldest and best-known love poem in Hebrew literature, but also a thread that runs through and links together Jewish love texts from ancient times right down to contemporary literature. This book traces the history of the influence of the Song of Songs. In addition, twelve selected examples provide glimpses of a wide variety of life-worlds – familiar and unfamiliar, long past and shatteringly up to date – and thus sketches out an eventful history of the Jewish mentality. All the historical variety of Jewish love literature & a literary treasury deserving to be unearthed, since it opens a particularly enchanting page in Judaism’s book of life.

Authors

Prof. Gabrielle Oberhänsli-Widmer is professor of Judaic Studies at the University of Freiburg im Breisgau.

Target groups

Students of Judaism, theologians, literary scholars, those interested in literature and Judaism

Publication date

May 2018

Theology

Cornelia Richter (ed.)

Coping with Powerlessness and Fear

A Critique of Resilience in Theology and Philosophy

200 pages, € 30.00

ISBN: 978-3-17-031139-8

Book series: Religion und Gesundheit

Increasingly intense research on the topic of resilience is taking place, but the fields of theology and philosophy are now only gradually entering the debate. The constitutive significance of religion and spirituality for the phenomenon of resilience is well recognized, but its theoretical clarification and practical usage are as yet unclear. The findings of the Bonn project on ‘Resilience and Spirituality’ thus close a gap in the research. Theoretical, literary and traditional practice findings are expanding previous lines of research and represent an invitation to carry out interdisciplinary criticism, amplification and further development. The essays in this volume formulate well-founded specialist criteria for a critique of a concept of resilience that has been commercially hollowed out: resilience is not a harmless ‘wellness’ concept, but designates an ambivalent crisis phenomenon that needs to be precisely comprehended. It is only in this way that the concept and phenomenon of resilience will be able to develop their crisis-stabilizing effects.

Author

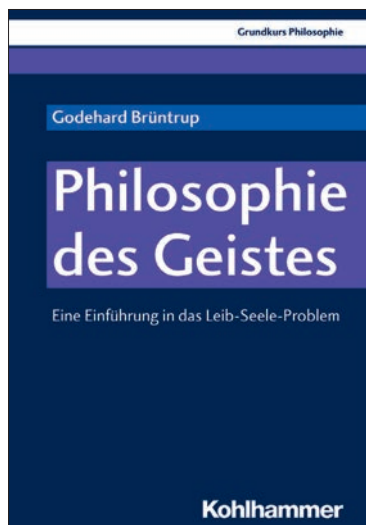
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Target groups

Ministers, teachers, individuals with an interest in theology and philosophy, philosophers, members of the medical professions.

Publication date

August 2017



Godehard Brüntrup

Philosophy of Mind

An Introduction to the Mind–Body Problem

205 pages, € 29.00

ISBN: 978-3-17-034036-7

Book series: Grundkurs Philosophie

Advances in the empirical sciences are today giving us greater insights into the relationship between body and mind than ever before. Despite this, the Mind–Body problem is resisting rapid solution through empirical research. One soon encounters deep and intractable philosophical questions: To what extent is the mind independent of the body? Are the brain and the mind identical? Can the mind have effects in the world? Philosophy is able to make a genuine contribution to the answering of questions such as these. This fully revised new edition of the volume *The Mind–Body Problem* provides an overview of current debates in the philosophy of mind. A ‘map’ of the most important positions and arguments is systematically outlined, making orientation much easier. The final chapter questions the Cartesian premises of the current debate and attempts to indicate an alternative approach.

Author

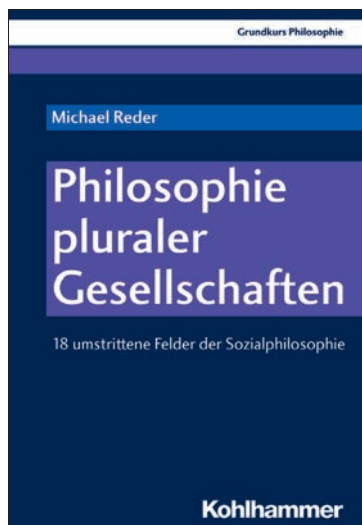
Prof. Godehard Brüntrup SJ holds the Erich Lejeune Foundation Chair at the Munich School of Philosophy. He has also taught at leading universities in the United States for several decades. His research focuses on the philosophy of mind and theory of action.

Target groups

Philosophers, theologians.

Publication date

May 2018



Michael Reder

Philosophy of Plural Societies

18 Controversial Fields in Social Philosophy

210 pages, € 26.00

ISBN: 978-3-17-031009-4

Human beings are social beings and are involved in many social processes. Social philosophy is concerned with these different forms and structures of human coexistence. It inquires into persuasive interpretations of human beings in their relationship to social, political and cultural processes. This volume explains social-philosophy theories in these fields based on binaries – i.e., basic tensions in social philosophy. Central strands of theory are contrasted with one another, and at the same time important authors and works in the discipline are presented. The binaries present readers with the basic theoretical questions in social philosophy and enable the reader to develop well-founded own positions. The systematic reflections on the binaries are also clarified in relation to specific social developments.

Author

Prof. Michael Reder is Professor of Practical Philosophy and holds the Chair of Practical Philosophy, with a special focus on international understanding, in Munich.

Target groups

Philosophers, theologians.

Publication date

September 2018



Georg Cavallar

Failed Enlightenment?

A Philosophical Essay

202 pages, € 24.00

ISBN: 978-3-17-035482-1

The concept of the European Enlightenment is often used in objectively poorly defined ways, particularly in popular-scientific, social, political and journalistic discussions – and it is often even distorted or disfigured by clichés. This volume therefore presents the philosophical content of the epoch in an easily comprehensible form and brings its broad lines into focus. The aim is to achieve a philosophical assimilation of the eighteenth-century European Enlightenment from a historical distance, taking into account the events and developments that have intervened since that time in order to achieve an acceptable reception of it in today's society.

Authors

Dr. George Cavallar is a lecturer in the Faculty of Philosophy and Educational Studies at the University of Vienna.

Target groups

Philosophers, historians, theologians.

Publication date

September 2018



Hans Joachim Störig
**Short World History
of Philosophy**

18th edition
877 pages, € 36.00
ISBN: 978-3-17-031459-7

Störig's account, which has already become a classic in the philosophical literature, has now reached its 18th edition. It gives special attention to the lively debates and increasing collaboration between philosophy and research in the individual scientific disciplines that can be seen in central topics such as language, the place of humanity in the universe, the ecological crisis, and the relationship between brain and mind. With a print run of more than half a million in German and translations into Spanish, Italian, Dutch, Czech, Hungarian and Japanese, Störig's work is one of the most successful books in the German language.

Author

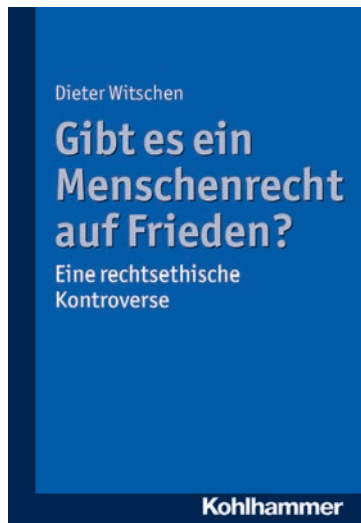
Prof. Hans Joachim Störig was a lecturer, translator and publishing director. He was Director of the Institute of Lexicography in Munich from 1963 to 1983, and from 1983 to 1991 he taught German as a Foreign Language at the University of Munich.

Target groups

Philosophers and individuals with an interest in philosophy.

Publication date

July 2016



Dieter Witschen
Is Peace a Human Right?

A Controversy in Legal Ethics
178 pages, € 27.00
ISBN: 978-3-17-034451-8

Is there any worse violation of humanity than all the massive injustice and dreadful evils that human beings do to each other through armed violence and war? And consequentially does not every person should have a human-rights claim to live in peace? The classic documents do not include any human right to peace. It is only since the concept of three generations of human rights was developed a few decades ago that controversies have developed – mainly among experts, and hardly ever in public – over whether this type of human right exists or ought to exist. Witschen discusses the core issues in the debate from the point of view of legal ethics. Independently of whether or not postulating a human right to peace is justifiable, there is no doubt that a human rights – based approach to peacemaking is promising.

Authors

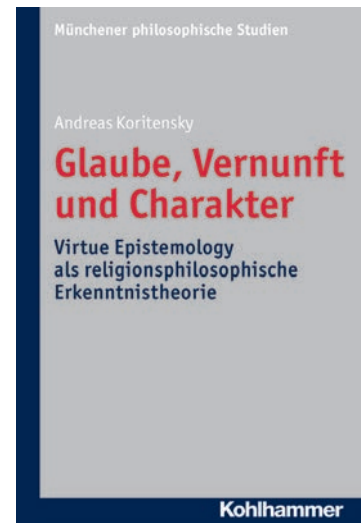
Dr. Dieter Witschen received his doctorate in moral theology from the University of Münster and conducts research on basic questions in ethics.

Target groups

Philosophers, lawyers, moral philosophers

Publication date

November 2017



Andreas Koritensky
Faith, Reason and Character

**Virtue Epistemology
as a Religious-Philosophical Epistemology**
204 pages, € 36.00
ISBN: 978-3-17-034473-0

*Book series: Münchener philosophische Studien.
Neue Folge*

The role played by epistemic virtues in the formation of convictions was long neglected in epistemology. The same also applies to the analysis of faith. To address the issue, this study draws on recent approaches to epistemology that are known as 'virtue epistemology' and offer a new solution to the problem. In this view, epistemic concepts do not have to be examined purely cognitively, but also have to be related to characteristics and dispositions of the perceiving subject – namely, attitudes and character traits that lead to the formation of convictions. For this purpose, the potentials of virtue epistemology in the philosophy of religion for analysing the concept of faith are examined, while on the other hand the focus on a purely intellectualizing justification of religious convictions is corrected – so that a plurality of forms of conviction formation emerges in which epistemic virtues also play an indispensable role. This clearly marks the way in which faith and lifestyle, epistemology and anthropology belong together.

Authors

Dr. Andreas Koritensky teaches philosophy of religion and history of philosophy at the Munich School of Philosophy.

Target groups

Theologians, philosophers.

Publication date

December 2017

Architecture



Otto Friedrich Bollnow
Human Being and Space

11th edition
310 pages, € 29.80
ISBN: 978-3-17-021284-8

This fundamental and widely read work on experienced space and the spatiality of human existence is a standard reference for philosophers and teachers, and it has also been a basic text for architects at least since its second edition.

‘Bollnow’s philosophical work seeks to reach space in which happiness arises. It teaches human beings that through true residence in space they can realize their human essence: when they are able to settle without rigidifying, when they try to put down roots without cutting themselves off, and finally when they learn how to entrust themselves without surrender.’ – Frankfurter Allgemeine Zeitung.

Author

Prof. Otto F. Bollnow (1903–1991) was full professor of philosophy and education at the University of Tübingen.

Target groups

Philosophers, teachers and architects.

Publication date

September 2010

Ancient History



Roland Steinacher
Rome and the Barbarians

The Peoples of the Alpine and Danube Region (300–600)

253 pages, € 29.00
ISBN: 978-3-17-025168-7

The Herules, Rugians and Gepids have usually been regarded as playing only a secondary role in history, overshadowed by the Goths and Huns. Unjustly, since these three peoples played major roles between the third and sixth centuries: the three barbarian groups fought with and against the Romans, allied themselves with the Huns and finally attempted to establish their own kingdoms along the Danube and in the Balkans on the edge of the Empire. Tracing this ‘barbarian’ history offers a better understanding of Roman history. The fate of these three peoples provides informative insights into a pioneering episode in Europe’s development.

Author

Roland Steinacher, a historian focusing ancient history, lives in Berlin. His major research interests are the age of the Roman emperors, late antiquity and the early Middle Ages in Europe, among other topics.

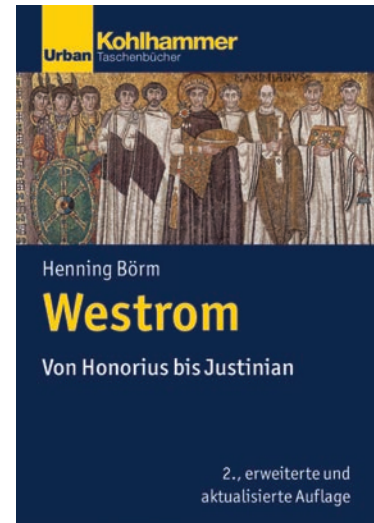
Target groups

Students of ancient and medieval history and individuals with an interest in the topic of mass migration in late antiquity.

Publication date

June 2017

Ancient History



Henning Börm
Western Roman Empire

From Honorius to Justinian

2nd expanded and updated edition
250 pages, € 27.00
ISBN: 978-3-17-033216-4

Book series: Urban-Taschenbücher

The West of the Roman Empire experienced a chain of dramatic events and development from 396 AD onwards. The last Western emperor was deposed in 476 AD and Justinian abolished the Western Roman court in 554 AD. These events, which mark the transition from antiquity to the Middle Ages in Europe, are often explained by a „civic migration“. However, this book, by contrast, highlights internal Roman conflicts: Western Rome was not conquered. Its successive empires only superseded the authority of the imperial government, when endless civil wars had led to the collapse of Roman rule. A systematic overview of Empire, administration, army, economy and religion completes the presentation.

Author

Dr. Henning Börm is Privatdozent for Ancient History at the University of Konstanz.

Target groups

Students and teachers of history of Ancient and Early Middle Ages. Readers interested in Rome and the Roman Empire.

Publication date

October 2018



Martin Pabst

The Middle East Conflict

An Introduction

247 pages, € 29.00

ISBN: 978-3-17-031856-4

Book series: Urban-Taschenbücher

The Middle East conflict has now been going on for a whole century. The region has not had a stable political order or solution since the collapse of the Ottoman Empire, and the conflicts between the various parties involved keep flaring up again and again. To provide a better understanding of the complex situation in the Middle East, this book sketches the basic outlines of the conflict and precisely identifies the protagonists and the goals and motives of those involved. The effects of the Arab Spring and approaches to a solution such as the 'single-state solution' or 'two-state solution' are also discussed. For those looking for concise and well-founded basic information about the causes, history and current political concepts and patterns in the Middle East conflict, this book is indispensable.

Author

Dr. Martin Pabst is a freelance journalist and writer and is the Director of the Institute for Research and Policy Consulting in Munich.

Target groups

Students of political science and contemporary history.

Publication date

January 2018

Modern History



Udo Steinbach

The Arab World in the 20th Century

Awakening – Upheaval – Prospects

2nd updated edition

414 pages, € 49.00

ISBN: 978-3-17-032541-8

Book series: Ländergeschichten

This history of the Arab world deals with the twentieth-century, from the beginning of the First World War to the outbreak of the 'Third Arab Revolt' in 2011. The account centres on the development of all 22 member states of the Arab League. The individual discussions are set in the political, economic, cultural and religious contexts in the Arab world as a whole and also in the context of international politics since the end of the Second World War. A separate chapter is devoted to Germany's role in the Middle East. A forward look at the twenty-first century – the century of 'the Arabs' – outlines developmental trends in a region that is currently in a state of dynamic upheaval.

Author

Prof. Udo Steinbach was Director of the German Orient Institute in Hamburg from 1976 to 2006. He taught Near and Middle Eastern politics and society at the University of Marburg from 2007 to 2010.

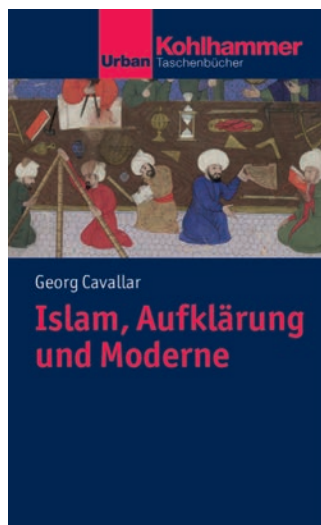
Target groups

Students of Islamic studies, historians, journalists.

Publication date

November 2016

Modern History



Martin Pabst

Islam, the Enlightenment and the Modern Age

228 pages, € 26.00

ISBN: 978-3-17-033933-0

Book series: Urban-Taschenbücher

In the political supplements of newspapers and in public debates, it is often claimed that 'Islam' as such is archaic and poorly developed because in contrast to Europe it has not gone through a phase of Enlightenment. But it often remains unclear what the word 'Enlightenment' is being used to mean here. This volume recalls the legacy of the European Enlightenment and argues in favour of nuanced and reason-based thinking in the style of Immanuel Kant. When one follows these principles, currents of thought shaped by Islam can indeed be seen to be enlightened, as the examples of liberal Muslims today and Arabic thinkers in the past impressively show. The author argues in favour of an 'expanded thinking' in the twenty-first century that would be capable of safeguarding the legacy of the Enlightenment and in encounters with Islam would show that even today the Enlightenment can still make a vital contribution to understanding others.

Author

Adjunct Prof. Georg Cavallar is a teacher and researcher at the Institute of Philosophy and Educational Studies at the University of Vienna.

Target groups

Students of contemporary history and political science, those interested in contemporary debates over Islam.

Publication date

October 2017

Modern History



Heinz Theisen

The West and the New World Order

184 pages, € 26.00

ISBN: 978-3-17-032467-1

Book series: Urban-Taschenbücher

Following the end of the east-west confrontation after 1990, the 'West' appeared to have been the victor in the contest between different systems. However, the 'superiority' of the 'West' was not confirmed in the years following the millennium, and the world has become neither more clearly ordered nor more peaceful. In a well-founded and convincing way, this book shows that the West – precisely through its values and its identity – is capable of developing a persuasive political strategy to meet problem situations in an increasingly fragmenting world. The new dual strategy presented here, of 'external self-limitation and internal self-assertion', could give the West greater stability and at the same time allow it to engage better with an inevitably multipolar world order.

Author

Prof. Heinz Theisen teaches political science at the Catholic University of North Rhine-Westphalia in Cologne.

Target groups

For everyone with an interest in political developments and debates.

Publication date

August 2017

Foreign Policy



Annegret Bendiek

Defending Europe

Approx. 160 pages, € 25.00
ISBN: 978-3-17-034845-5

Book series: Brennpunkt Politik

In the early twenty-first century, Europe's security is under threat from countless factors; some of the more striking examples include Russia's military expansion, uncontrolled streams of refugees, the dangers of international terrorism, and not least the unclear policy of the USA towards NATO and the EU. Despite these tremendous challenges, the EU's common foreign and security policy often remains indistinct. However, the EU has received the Nobel Peace Prize for its work and serves as a model throughout the world.

This volume presents the ambivalent positioning and implementation of Europe's foreign and security policy in a concise and easily understandable way, giving the reader a rapid introduction to this highly charged topic. It is thus intended both for students and also for interested laypersons.

Author

Dr. Annegret Bendiek has been a scientist at the Science and Policy Foundation (SWP) since 2005 and works on issues in European foreign and security policy. She teaches on the postgraduate course at Humboldt University, at the Free University, and at the Technical University of Berlin.

Target groups

Students of political science and interested laypersons.

Publication date

4th quarter of 2018

Business Administration



Alfred Kieser / Mark Ebers (eds.)

Organization Theories

8th revised edition
ca. 520 pages, ca. € 35.00
ISBN: 978-3-17-034896-7

This new edition of the successful textbook Organization Theories discusses various approaches to theory formation in organization research, offers a critical presentation of the most important organization theories and evaluates their empirical explanatory power. It includes chapters on the foundations of organization theory in scientific theory, Max Weber's analysis of bureaucracy, management teachings (from good-practice rules through Taylorism to the human relations movement), decision-making theory in the behavioural sciences, the situational approach, institutional economic theory, approaches involving evolutionary theory, neo-institutionalism, interpretive theories, network theory and Luhmann's systems theory. All chapters have been revised and updated for the eighth edition.

Authors

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Target groups

Students and lecturers in economics and social science.

Publication date

Fourth quarter of 2018

Business Administration



Michael W. Busch
Dietrich von der Oelsnitz

Team Management

Foundations for Successful Collaboration

280 pages, € 34.00
ISBN: 978-3-17-031556-3

Book series: Organization and Management

What are the foundations for successful collaboration? What is the best way for teams to successfully achieve a common goal, and what are the unplanned dynamics that may emerge in the process? This book aims to provide a comprehensive overview of these issues, presenting the essential information about various types of team, management challenges and tools that can be used to shape the process. It deals both with success factors and with central processes such as team leadership, problem-solving and coordination. Special emphasis is given to ways of promoting collective learning and creativity within teams in the face of the dynamic momentum of today's business world.

Authors

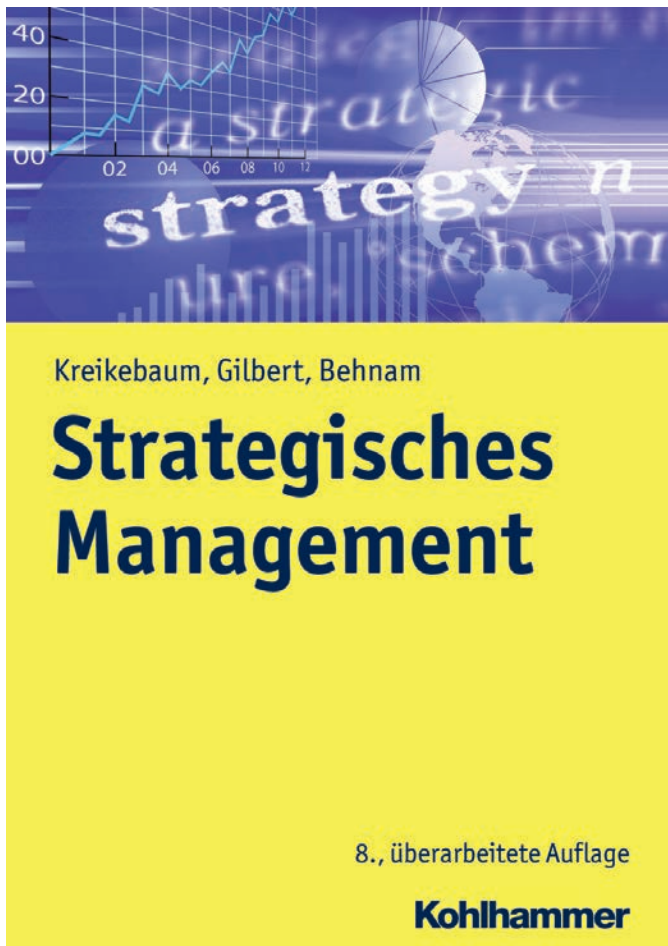
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Prof. Dietrich von der Oelsnitz is Director of the Institute of Company Management and holds the Chair of Organization and Management at the Technical University of Braunschweig.

Target groups

Students and teachers in economics in master's degree programs, specialists and managers, consultants.

Publication date

June 2018



Hartmut Kreikebaum / Dirk Ulrich Gilbert
Michael Behnam

Strategic Management

8th revised edition
364 pages, € 39.00
ISBN: 978-3-17-031111-4

Strategic issues need to be addressed to ensure companies' successful long-term survival. This textbook provides a clear account of the specific problems and working areas involved in strategic management based on a process model. A special feature of the book is the way in which it considers the various challenges arising from globalization and awareness of companies' social responsibilities. This eighth edition has been fully revised and updated. Methods with practical relevance have been added and numerous new examples have been included.

Authors

The late Prof. Hartmut Kreikebaum was Academic Director of the Institute for Business Ethics at the European Business School in Hessen.

Prof. Dirk Ulrich Gilbert holds the Chair of Business Administration, specializing in business ethics, at the University of Hamburg.

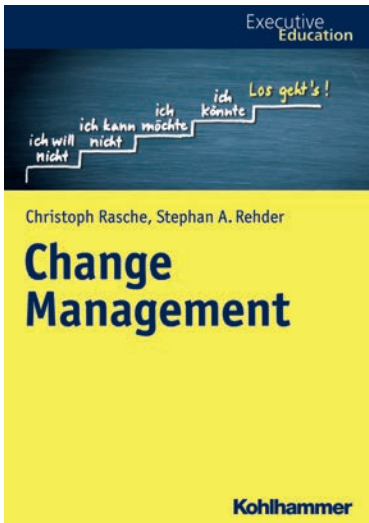
Prof. Michael Behnam is Professor of Strategic and International Management at Suffolk University, Boston, Massachusetts.

Target groups

Students and lecturers in economics, specialists and managers.

Publication date

March 2018



Christoph Rasche / Stephan A. Rehder

Change Management

108 pages, € 19.50

ISBN: 978-3-17-034118-0

Book series: Executive Education

Many companies nowadays are working in a framework of social, economic, legal, ecological and technological conditions that are subject to increasing volatility, dynamism and complexity. Hypercompetitive environments are demanding constant adaptation not only of organizational structures and processes, but also of goals, strategies and business models. Introducing changes successfully in companies requires intensive engagement with the fundamental aspects of the transformations that are taking place. On the one hand, there are behaviour-oriented, staff-centred and cultural aspects — so-called ‘soft factors’ — that mainly involve parts of the social-science and psychology disciplines. In contrast to that, there is a strict business-administration approach that focuses on optimizing values, renovation/restructuring, and turnaround. These aspects are summed up as the ‘hard factors’ involved in change management. This volume mainly concentrates on tools and techniques for change management based on the business-administration approach, to provide readers with the equipment they need to face the issues that hard change management involves in everyday operational work.

Authors

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Target groups

Students and teachers in business management, specialists and managers in education and further education.

Publication date

June 2018



Moreen Heine / Stephan A. Rehder

Business Process Management

80 pages, € 16.00

ISBN: 978-3-17-033391-8

Book series: Executive Education

Business process management is concerned with the identification/documentation, (optimizing) design, implementation, control and improvement of operational processes in all sorts in businesses. The optimization process focuses not so much on technical issues, but rather on organizational aspects such as strategic orientation, organizational culture and providing a sense of involvement and leadership for those involved in the process. Business process management is thus one of the core competences involved in the field of strategic company management. The individual volumes in the ‘Executive Education’ series are designed in the form of tutorial notes and are intended to be used for independent learning of the modular subject-matter and for rapid revision of the relevant lectures.

Authors

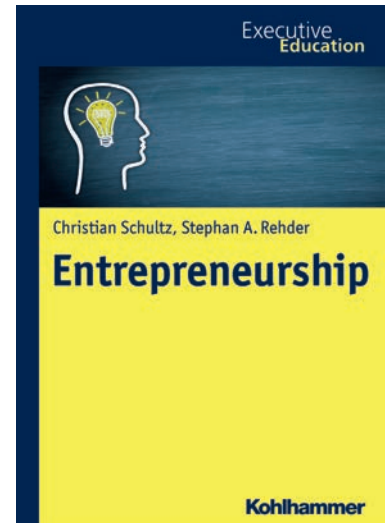
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Target groups

Students and teachers in business management, specialists and managers in education and further education.

Publication date

August 2017



Christian Schultz / Stephan A. Rehder

Entrepreneurship

60 pages, € 16.00

ISBN: 978-3-17-033395-6

Book series: Executive Education

As a subdiscipline in business studies, entrepreneurship or the ‘theory of enterprise’ is concerned with the founding of new companies in response to business opportunities that have been identified. From an institutional and personal point of view, entrepreneurship is characterized by the fact that market opportunities are recognized and exploited in profitable ways. This includes a coordinated use of resources, as well as a calculated acceptance of risks in the founding of new companies. Entrepreneurship is thus concerned with three central processes: identifying market opportunities, developing business ideas/models, and implementing them (commercially and organizationally). The individual volumes in the ‘Executive Education’ series are designed in the form of tutorial notes and are intended to be used for independent learning of the modular subject-matter and for rapid revision of the relevant lectures.

Authors

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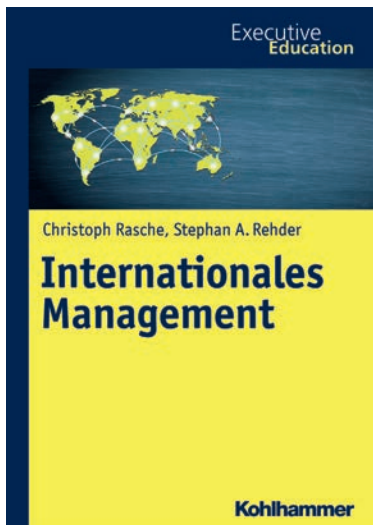
Target groups

Students and teachers in business management, specialists and managers in education and further education.

Publication date

August 2017

Business Administration



Christoph Rasche / Stephan A. Rehder

International Management

104 pages, € 19.00
ISBN: 978-3-17-033399-4

Book series: Executive Education

As a subsection of the field of strategic company management, international management is concerned with the development, shaping and maintenance of a company's production and market relationships across national boundaries, with the aim of achieving a commercially optimized global value-creation chain that can stand up to the competition. The individual volumes in the 'Executive Education' series are designed in the form of tutorial notes and are intended to be used for independent learning of the modular subject-matter and for rapid revision of the relevant lectures.

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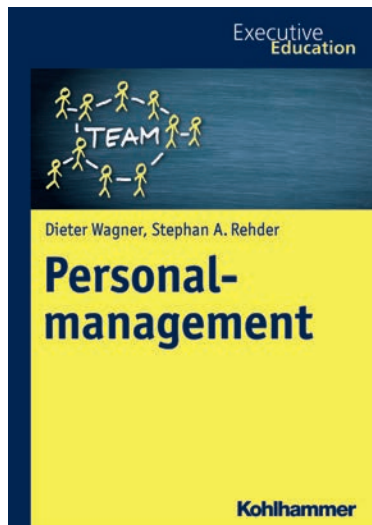
Target groups

Students and teachers in business management, specialists and managers in education and further education.

Publication date

August 2017

Business Administration



Dieter Wagner / Stephan A. Rehder

Personnel Management

116 pages, € 19.00
ISBN: 978-3-17-033403-8

Book series: Executive Education

The central importance of personnel resources for companies in a dynamic environment requires professional personnel management – both for the company itself and for each of its employees. Efforts to make companies more flexible on the one hand, and employees' desire for greater individualization on the other, give rise to tensions that personnel management needs to reconcile. In addition, aspects involving recruiting employees, employability and ensuring the continual expansion and adaptation of the company's knowledge base play a decisive role that needs to be implemented through (overall) planning, organizational, management-related and controlling activities, and in direct exchanges with personnel management. The individual volumes in the 'Executive Education' series are designed in the form of tutorial notes and are intended to be used for independent learning of the modular subject-matter and for rapid revision of the relevant lectures.

Authors

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Target groups

Students and teachers in business management, specialists and managers in education and further education.

Publication date

August 2017

Private Law



Christian F. Majer

Roman International Private Law

130 pages, € 29.00
ISBN: 978-3-17-032870-9

In times in which, in view of tremendous currents of migration, there is controversy over relations towards foreign law – such as the law involving marriage to minors – it is worth taking a look back at history. Even in the Roman Empire, coexistence among peoples from different legal cultures was an everyday problem – whether due to the presence of foreign traders or because of Roman rule over foreign peoples. Did the Romans have any form of international private law comparable with ours – i.e., did they apply foreign law in some cases? If so, in which? This volume discusses these issues systematically, making use of literary sources as well, and alongside the fundamental question of international private law it also deals with individual principles such as 'locus regit actum' and 'lex rei sitae'. The book aims to offer an overall presentation of a problem that has long been familiar but has not yet been exhaustively discussed.

Author

Prof. Christian F. Majer holds the Chair of Private Law and is Director of the Institute of International and Foreign Private and Procedural Law at the University of Public Administration and Finance at Ludwigsburg.

Target groups

Students at colleges of public administration, legal studies and Romance studies; Ph. D. students and scholars of Roman law and international private law; libraries and courts.

Publication date

August 2017



Karl Engisch

Introduction to Legal Thinking

12th edition

292 pages, € 19.00

ISBN: 978-3-17-035180-6

Book series: Kohlhammer Urban Taschenbücher

Karl Engisch's Introduction to Legal Thinking, first published in 1956, is now one of the 'classics' in the literature of jurisprudence. The eight chapters mainly discuss fundamental issues of methodology and the philosophy of law in the face of the intellectual currents of the twentieth century. The aim of the book is to make the mysterious and sometimes doubtfull-looking logic and methodology of Judicial Thinking accessible to law students and interested laypersons.

Author

Prof. Thomas Würtenberger, Faculty of Law, University of Freiburg; Dr. Dirk Otto, doctoral degree and publications in the field of the philosophy of the state.

Target groups

Law students, laypersons with an interest in law.

Publication date

August 2018



Harm Peter Westermann

Basic Concepts in the German Civil Code

A Case-Based Introduction to the System of Civil Law in Germany

17th, completely revised and expanded edition
208 pages, € 27.90
ISBN: 978-3-17-022677-7

This textbook provides an overview of the ordering of private legal relations implemented in the German Civil Code (BGB). Important institutes and individual legal regulations are explained on the basis of simple cases and the considerations involved in solving them, and this approach is used to illustrate the connections between legal regulations and the way in which they interconnect. The focus is on property law in the first three books of the BGB, but also with the range of issues involved in family law and inheritance law, which are important for interpersonal relationships.

Author

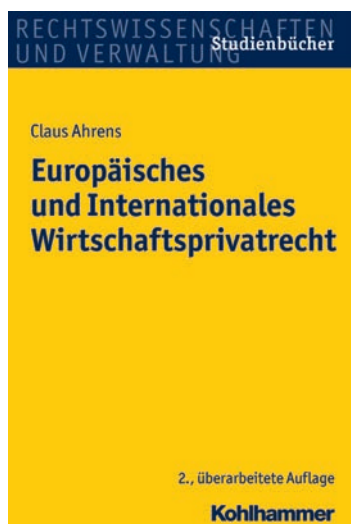
Prof. Dr. Dres. h. c. Harm Peter Westermann is an Emeritus Professor at the University of Tübingen.

Target groups

Students specializing in legal studies, business studies and economics and other degree courses that include lecture-courses on law. Students at colleges of public administration.

Publication date

September 2013



Claus Ahrens

European and International Commercial Private Law

2nd revised edition
233 pages, € 30.00
ISBN: 978-3-17-021709-6

This second edition provides an updated introduction to the commercially relevant areas of civil law (contract law, company law, corporate law, liability law, intangible property rights/intellectual property, cartel law, procedural law). The discussion is supplemented with instructive overviews and example cases. The principles of material law at both the national and international levels are also presented, with parallels and differences in each case, in order to go beyond the individual materials and form a cohesive system and thus promote a general understanding of judicial matters. This closes a gap in the educational literature, with public-law issues (European law – including a forward look at Brexit – and international law) and civil-law issues (with a focus on the latter) being presented in a single volume.

Author

Prof. Claus Ahrens holds the Chair of Private Law and Commercial Private Law at the Faculty of Economics (Schumpeter School of Business and Economics) at the University of Wuppertal.

Target groups

Students specializing in legal studies, business studies and economics, political science, social science and other degree courses that include lecture-courses on law, individuals with practical involvement in the topic.

Publication date

November 2016



Markus Weck

General Food Law

3rd updated edition
148 pages, € 21.00
ISBN: 978-3-17-031416-0

Book series: Kompass Recht

This volume presents the foundations of food law in a concise and easily comprehensible fashion, providing students with examination tips and those with practical involvement in the field with tips for solving problems in everyday practice. In addition to the general principles of food law, the book deals in particular with the labelling and official monitoring of food and with the legal framework for advertising statements about them. This third edition already includes legal precedents and administrative practice relating to Regulation (EU) No. 1169/2011 on consumer information regarding food, which has placed food and nutrition labelling on a new basis since 13 December 2014. An audio version (MP3) of the book's content, the major legal judgments referred to in the book, and regulations, interactive cases and multiple-choice tests are available for downloading from the publishing company's web site.

Author

Dr. Markus Weck, a solicitor, is managing director and legal advisor to several trade associations in the food industry.

Target groups

Students of food chemistry, food technology, home economics and law; individuals with practical involvement in commercial companies (in the fields of quality assurance, product development, and marketing).

Publication date

December 2016



Hanfried Helmchen

Janus Face in Psychiatry

Benefits and Risks of Psychiatric Practice

236 pages, € 39.00

ISBN: 978-3-17-032293-6

Book series: Horizonte der Psychiatrie und Psychotherapie | Karl Jaspers-Bibliothek

Psychiatric work aims to benefit those who are mentally ill, but it also holds a risk of adverse effects. This 'dual face' of psychiatry is seen for example in the way in which benefits and risks are often assessed in different ways by the physician from the way in which they are experienced and evaluated by the patient. The aim of this volume is to develop solutions that can be understood in a complementary fashion for this tense relationship that is often described as being insolubly antagonistic. Using specific, historically based examples oriented towards a biopsychosocial model, the problem of psychiatric risk-benefit considerations is clarified and the ambivalence of psychiatric work is reflected on in a constructive and critical fashion in a dialogue between psychiatry, patient and society.

Author

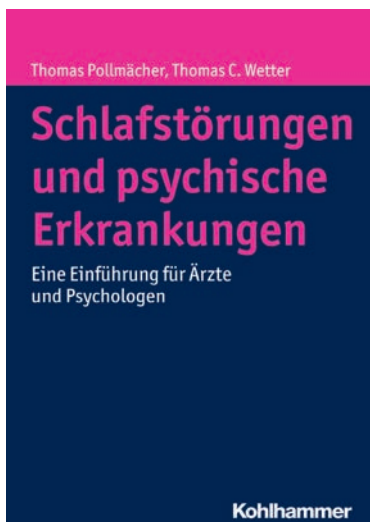
Prof. Hanfried Helmchen was head of the Department of Psychiatry at the Free University of Berlin from 1971 to 1999. He is a member of the Academy of Ethics in Medicine and in 2015 was awarded the Wilhelm Griesinger Medal by the German Society for Psychiatry and Psychotherapy, Psychosomatics and Neurology (DGPPN).

Target groups

Psychiatrists, clinical psychologists, psychotherapists, students of medicine and psychology and related disciplines, interested laypersons.

Publication date

April 2017



Thomas Pollmächer / Thomas C. Wetter

Sleep Disturbances and Psychological Diseases

An Introduction for Doctors and Psychologists

224 pages, € 49.00

ISBN: 978-3-17-022983-9

Sleep disturbances in individuals with psychological diseases may be a symptom of the underlying disease, a separate disturbance, or evidence of sleep-medicine conditions. Treatment is based on the cause, and may range from psychoeducational measures through behaviour therapy and drug approaches to mechanical forms of therapy. The book sums up all the essentials of sleep medicine for everyone treating people with sleeping disturbances in the field of psychological health care. It explains the foundations of sleep and sleeping disturbances and illustrates connections and interactions between sleeping disturbances and psychological diseases. Various procedures and options for diagnosis and treatment are discussed, as well as sociomedical aspects and consulting services for sleep disturbances.

Authors

Prof. Thomas Pollmächer is Director of the Centre for Psychological Health at Ingolstadt Hospital, with a special interest in sleep medicine. He founded the Sleep Medicine Section in the German Association for Psychiatry and Psychotherapy, Psychosomatics and Neurology (Deutsche Gesellschaft für Psychiatrie und Psychotherapie, Psychosomatik und Nervenheilkunde e.V., DGPPN) and is a former President of the European Sleep Research Society (ESRS).

Prof. Thomas C. Wetter is Chief Consultant and Director of the Sleep Research Group in the Department of Psychiatry and Psychotherapy at the University of Regensburg, based at the district hospital. He is Co-Director of the Sleep Medicine Section in the DGPPN.

Target groups

(Trainee) psychiatrists, clinical psychologists, psychotherapists, specialists in psychosomatic medicine and in sleep medicine.

Publication date

December 2017



Thomas Fuchs

The Brain – a Relationship Organ

A Phenomenological-Ecological Approach

5th updated and expanded edition

344 pages, € 32.00

ISBN: 978-3-17-029793-7

Does the brain think? Is it the creator of the world of experience, the constructor of the subject? This widespread interpretation of the neurosciences is contrasted in this book with an ecological conception: The brain is above all an organ for mediating the relationships between the organism and the environment and for our relationships with other people. These interactions are constantly altering the brain, making it an organ that is biographically, socially and culturally shaped. In short, it is not the brain as such, but rather the living human being who feels, thinks and acts. In this fifth edition, the author presents a new updated version of his pioneering work, which was enthusiastically welcomed by specialists and the press.

Author

Prof. Thomas Fuchs, psychiatrist and philosopher, is Karl Jaspers Professor of the Philosophical Foundations of Psychiatry and Psychotherapy at the University of Heidelberg, where he heads the section on Phenomenological Psychopathology and Psychotherapy in the University's Department of Psychiatry.

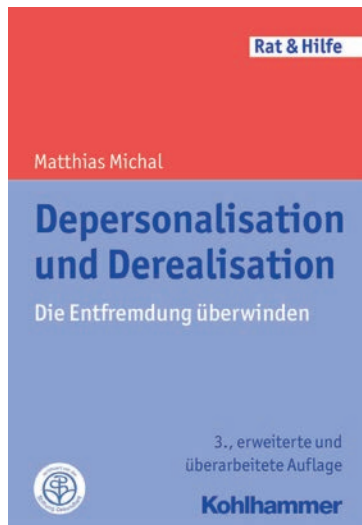
Target groups

Psychiatrists, psychologists, neurobiologists, philosophers.

Publication date

November 2016

Psychiatry



Matthias Michal

Depersonalization and Derealization

Overcoming Alienation

3rd revised and expanded edition
180 pages, € 28.00
ISBN: 978-3-17-033707-7

People who experience themselves as being permanently separated from their surroundings or themselves – who have the feeling that they are not really there and perceive everything as being unreal – are usually suffering from a depersonalization–derealization disturbance. Those affected often encounter a lack of understanding of their condition and do not receive adequate treatment. This self-help book provides comprehensive information on this clinical picture, along with options for treatment and self-help. Even after decades, it is still possible to overcome alienation. In comparison with the previous edition, the self-help section in particular has been revised and a chapter has been included that is directly aimed at psychotherapists, describing the typical treatment difficulties and options for overcoming them.

Self-help materials are available free of charge, including two audio files with introductions to mindfulness meditation, a treatment log book, and information about the topic of psychotherapy.

Author

Prof. Matthias Michal, Deputy Director of the Department of Psychosomatic Medicine and Psychotherapy at Mainz University Hospital, has since 2005 been running the first special consultancy service on 'depersonalization–derealization' in Germany.

Target groups

Those affected by the condition and their relatives, psychotherapists, psychosomatic medicine specialists and psychiatrists.

Publication date

January 2018

Addiction Treatment



Kai W. Müller / Klaus Wölfling

Pathological Media Usage and Internet Addiction

160 pages, € 29.00
ISBN: 978-3-17-023361-4

Book series:

Sucht: Risiken – Formen – Interventionen

Although the Internet has enriched our lives in many respects, for many people it has become a trap. The term 'Internet addiction' refers to an uncontrolled, excessively time-consuming preoccupation with Internet content that becomes a lasting lifestyle restriction for the user. Despite the problems associated with excessive use and an awareness that the behaviour has long since lost its attraction, it is continued and creates psychological stress. How does the Internet make people addicted? Will someone who is affected have to do without all the advantages of digital facilities after receiving successful treatment? Are all user groups equally at risk? This book clarifies these and other questions.

Authors

Dr. Kai W. Müller is a research assistant and Dr. Klaus Wölfling is Psychological Director of the outpatient addiction clinic in the Department of Psychosomatic Medicine and Psychotherapy at Mainz University Hospital.

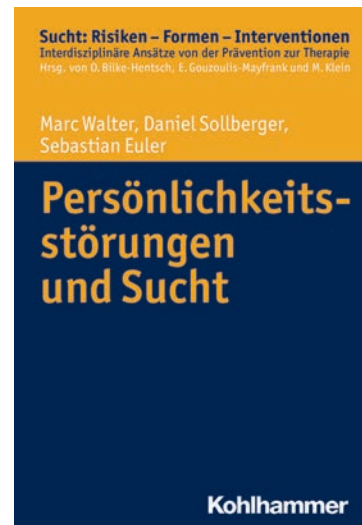
Target groups

Specialists working in addiction services (physicians, psychologists, social workers) and students of medicine, psychology, social work and social education.

Publication date

September 2017

Addiction Treatment



Marc Walter / Daniel Sollberger
Sebastian Euler

Personality Disorders and Addiction

212 pages, € 35.00
ISBN: 978-3-17-026096-2

Book series:

Sucht: Risiken – Formen – Interventionen

Individual personality characteristics are involved in the development of addictive disturbances. Particularly at risk are individuals with self-esteem problems and difficulties in emotional regulation. Problems in these areas are often associated with a personality disturbance. The diagnosis of a comorbidity involving personality disturbance and addictive disease has implications for the subsequent treatment.

This book presents various models of personality disturbances and the forms taken by addictive diseases, and places the two disturbance patterns in relation to each other. Indications for treatment and options for case-specific psychotherapy for this double diagnosis are then developed and discussed.

Authors

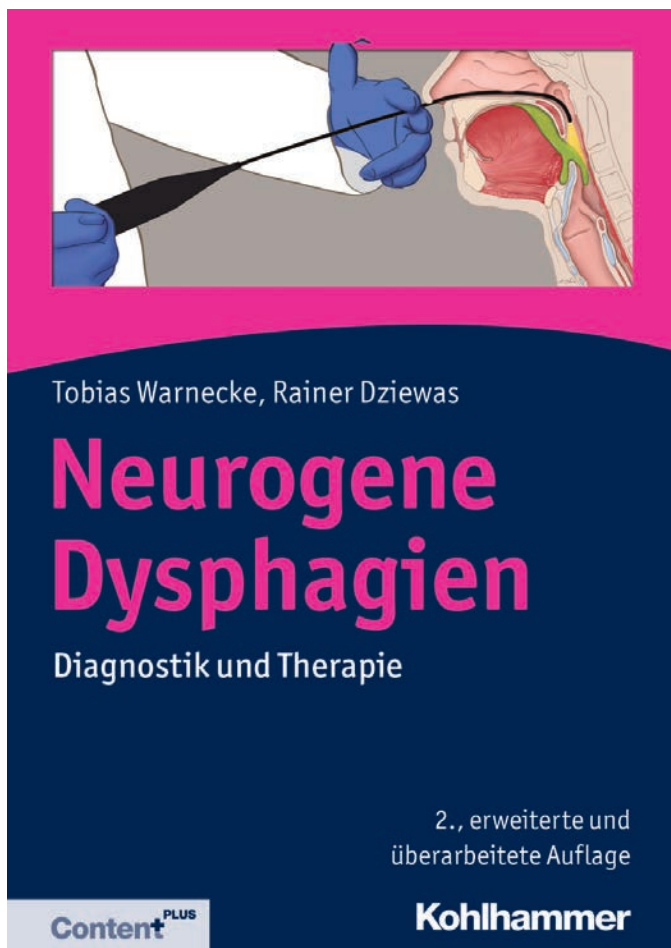
Adjunct Professor Marc Walter, Chief Physician in the Department of Adult Psychiatry at the University Psychiatric Hospital (UPK) in Basel. Adjunct Professor Daniel Sollberger, Chief Physician at Baselland Psychiatry. Dr. Sebastian Euler, Senior Consultant at the Centre for Special Psychotherapy (ZSP) at the UPK in Basel.

Target groups

Students, lecturers and professionals working in the fields of (paediatric and adolescent) psychiatry, clinical psychology, psychotherapy, social work and social education.

Publication date

November 2015



Tobias Warnecke / Rainer Dziewas

Neurogenic Dysphagias

Diagnosis and Treatment

2nd revised and expanded edition

376 pages, € 99.00

ISBN: 978-3-17-030531-1

Neurological diseases such as cerebral stroke, dementia, and Parkinson's disease are the most frequent causes of swallowing disturbances. Neurogenic dysphagias are playing an increasingly important role in outpatient and in-patient care due to their often severe health sequelae and the increasing ageing of the population. In a practically oriented way, this established reference work discusses the neurophysiological basis, as well as the diagnosis and treatment of neurogenic dysphagias, reflecting the rapid developments in this field during the last 15 years. A special focus in the book is carrying out and reporting on the endoscopic evaluation of neurogenic dysphagias. Since 2015, the German Association for Neurology and the German Stroke Association have been offering a Flexible Endoscopic Examination of Swallowing (FEES) training curriculum for neurogenic dysphagias, and the German Association for Geriatric Medicine has also joined with the project. All of the content requirements for the FEES training curriculum are covered in this expanded and revised second edition of the book.

Example FEES videos for various patterns of disturbance can be downloaded as additional materials.

Authors

Prof. Tobias Warnecke and

Prof. Rainer Dziewas work in the Department of Neurology at Münster University Hospital.

Target groups

Neurologists, neuropathists, speech therapists, ear, nose and throat physicians, geriatricians, rehabilitation therapists, gastroenterologists.

Publication date

April 2018



Soheyl Noachtar / Jan Rémi
Electroencephalography

Textbook and Atlas

560 pages, € 180.00
 ISBN: 978-3-17-021434-7

Electroencephalography has undergone far-reaching changes in recent years with the advent of digital technology. This textbook examines the effects of modern technology on clinical work and presents a systematic approach to EEG evaluation. Reformats of EEG images are available for downloading, so that the potential of digital EEG evaluation can be appreciated and the innovations provided by digital technology can be implemented in everyday clinical work.

Authors

Prof. Soheyl Noachtar is the Director of the Interdisciplinary Epilepsy Centre at the University of Munich. Adjunct Prof. Jan Rémi and Prof. Soheyl Noachtar are consultants in the Department of Neurology of Munich University Hospital.

Target groups

Neurologists, psychiatrists, neuropathists and paediatricians in hospitals, private practice, epilepsy centres and university outpatient departments.

Publication date

December 2017



Hans-Christoph Diener / Christian Gerloff
 Marianne Dieterich

Treatment and Course of Neurological Diseases

7th edition
 1728 pages, € 199.00
 ISBN: 978-3-17-031612-6

This large reference work and specialist textbook on clinical neurology is now available in a new, expanded and revised edition prepared by the internationally renowned editors, with contributions from more than 150 specialists. In tried and tested fashion, recent findings on the clinical picture and on the course and treatment in neurological diseases are summed up systematically and assessed for their pragmatic applicability – not only for frequent conditions such as cerebral stroke, epilepsy, multiple sclerosis and Parkinson’s disease, but also for rare and complex clinical pictures.

Authors

Prof. Hans-Christoph Diener, Senior Professor of Clinical Neurosciences, Chair of the German Association of Neurology (DGN) Guidelines Committee, was until 2016 Director of the Department of Neurology at the University of Essen, the West German Cephalalgia Centre and the Vertigo Centre in Essen.

Prof. Christian Gerloff is Director of the Department of Neurology, Medical Chief of the Head and Neurology Centre at Hamburg-Eppendorf University Hospital, and spokesman for the Hamburg Centre of Neuroscience and of the Hamburg Working Group on Stroke.

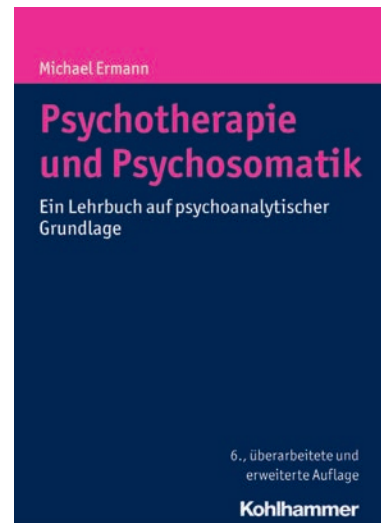
Prof. Marianne Dieterich is Director of the Department of Neurology and Friedrich Baur Institute for Muscle Diseases at the University of Munich and is a member of the board of the German Vertigo and Balance Centre at Grosshadern Hospital, Munich.

Target groups

Neurologists and neuropathists, trainee medical specialists, psychiatrists, general practitioners, students and teachers of medicine.

Publication date

December 2017



Michael Ermann

Psychotherapy and Psychosomatics

A Psychoanalytically Based Textbook

6th revised and expanded edition
 644 pages, € 42.00
 ISBN: 978-3-17-021570-2

This textbook provides a comprehensive introduction to psychotherapy and psychosomatics, as well as psychodynamic thinking. It also provides an overview of the theory and practice of psychoanalysis and psychodynamic procedures. It also provides basic information about other psychotherapeutic methods. On the basis of the three pillars of conflict pathology, developmental pathology, and trauma pathology, it offers a consistent and systematic approach to pathology and practical treatment. It takes account of specialized topics such as psychological development and the psychosocial aspects of disease. For this new edition, the importance of the structure-oriented approach that is currently a focus of interest has been emphasized.

Author

Prof. Michael Ermann, Emeritus Professor of Psychosomatics and Psychotherapy at the University of Munich, works as a specialist in psychotherapeutic medicine and as a psychoanalyst.

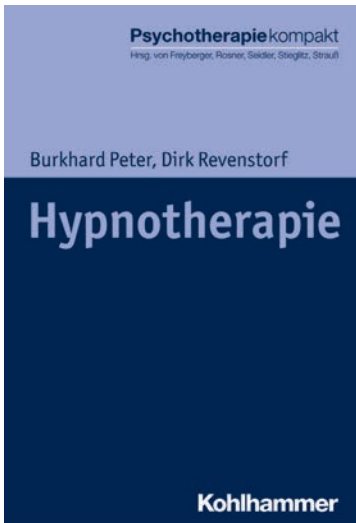
Target groups

Psychotherapists in further training and advanced training, practising medical and psychological psychotherapists, students of medicine and psychology.

Publication date

April 2017

Psychotherapy



Burkard Peter / Dirk Revenstorf

Hypnotherapy

188 pages, € 29.00

ISBN: 978-3-17-030866-4

Book series: *Psychotherapie kompakt*

Hypnotherapy has become a well-established therapeutic method in German-speaking countries over the last few decades. Knowledge of the effects of hypnosis has expanded, experience with its clinical application has become more differentiated, and the evidence for its efficacy is now better grounded. The cerebro-physiological and biochemical effects of hypnosis are being increasingly investigated, and genetic associations are being recognized. This book provides a compact overview, on a solid specialist basis, of the mechanism of effect, practical procedure and areas of application, illustrated with example cases.

Authors

Dr. Burkhard Peter is a psychological psychotherapist in private practice in Munich.

Prof. Dirk Revenstorf is a psychological psychotherapist in private practice in Tübingen. The two authors, who were formerly Directors of the Milton Erickson Association (MEG) for Clinical Hypnosis, are directors of regional offices of the MEG.

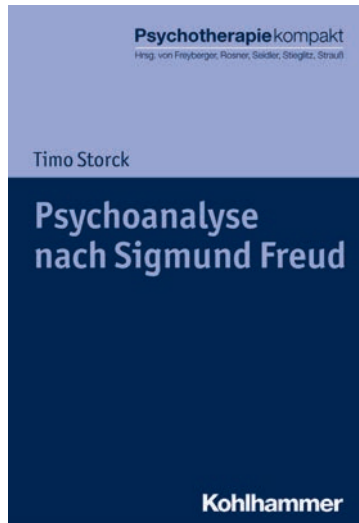
Target groups

Students of psychology and medicine; medical doctors and psychologists receiving training as medical or psychological psychotherapists; psychotherapists and psychiatrists wishing to undertake further education and training.

Publication date

April 2018

Psychotherapy



Timo Storck

Psychoanalysis According to Sigmund Freud

224 pages, € 29.00

ISBN: 978-3-17-030874-9

Book series: *Psychotherapie kompakt*

This volume provides up-to-date insights into the psychoanalysis founded by Sigmund Freud as a treatment procedure, set in the context of its historical development and its relevance today. Important theoretical and technical treatment concepts, as well as the epistemological status of psychoanalysis, are discussed. The book is supplemented with an overview of the general and specific theory of disturbance and change in psychoanalysis and notes on the state of research, institutional structures and developments, as well as resources for further training.

Author

Prof. Timo Storck is professor of Clinical Psychology and Psychotherapy at the College of Psychology in Berlin and is a psychological psychotherapist (analytical psychology/depth psychology).

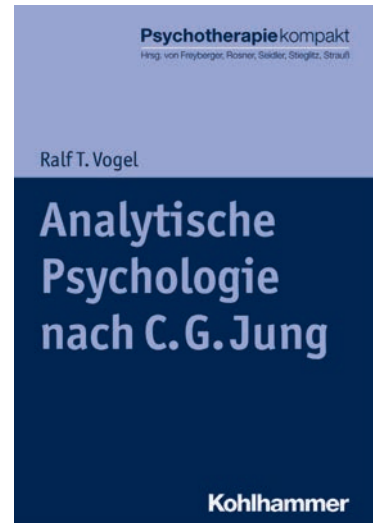
Target groups

Students of (clinical) psychology, medicine, educational studies, etc.; trainee and practising psychotherapists, psychiatrists and doctors in the field of psychosomatic medicine and psychotherapy.

Publication date

July 2018

Psychotherapy



Ralf T. Vogel

The Analytical Psychology of C.G. Jung

192 pages, € 29.00

ISBN: 978-3-17-028678-8

Book series: *Psychotherapie kompakt*

The analytical psychology founded by the Swiss psychiatrist and psychologist C.G. Jung has in recent years been attracting strong attention once again with modern further developments – for example, through the way in which it conceives of a network structure in the psyche, which can offer links to modern discoveries in neuroscience, or the way in which it values the inner experience of images and the imagination. In a comprehensible style, the book traces the foundations of analytical psychology, with its roots in the humanities, and describes the treatment methods drawn from these, such as dream work and active imagination.

Author

Prof. Ralf T. Vogel is a psychoanalyst and behavioural therapist. He is Honorary Professor of Psychotherapy and Psychoanalysis at the Academy of Fine Arts in Dresden and among other activities works as a lecturer and training analyst at the C.G. Jung Institute in Munich.

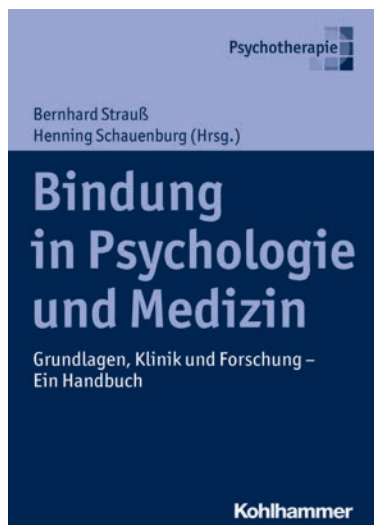
Target groups

Students of (clinical) psychology and medicine, trainee and practising psychotherapists, psychiatrists and medical doctors working in psychosomatic medicine and psychotherapy.

Publication date

September 2018

Psychotherapy



Bernhard Strauss / Henning Schauenburg

Attachment in Psychology and Medicine

Basics, Clinic and Research – a guide

416 pages, € 69.00

ISBN: 978-3-17-023355-3

The numerous findings on the development of attachment that have been published in the field of developmental psychology over many decades, along with the attachment theory developed by John Bowlby, are now also being accepted in clinical psychology, psychotherapy and medicine. This handbook sums up the findings on the importance of attachment in various phases of life, as well as the result of clinical research on attachment in relation to psychological and physical disturbances. The special relevance of the theory lies in its fields of application – in prevention and in psychotherapy in various treatment settings.

Authors

Prof. Bernhard Strauss, Dipl.-Psych., psychological psychotherapist, is Director of the Institute of Psychosocial Medicine and Psychotherapy at Jena University Hospital, where he represents the disciplines of medical psychology, medical sociology, psychosomatic medicine and psychotherapy.

Prof. Henning Schauenburg is a medical doctor working in neurology and psychiatry, as well as psychosomatic medicine and psychotherapy, is also a psychoanalyst (German Association for Psychoanalysis, Psychotherapy, Psychosomatics and Depth Psychology, DGPT). He is Deputy Medical Director of the Department of General Internal Medicine and Psychosomatics at the University of Heidelberg.

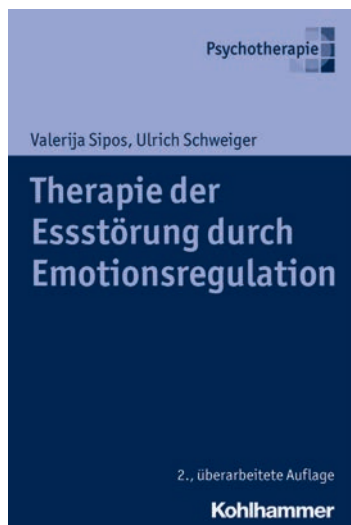
Target groups

Medical and psychological psychotherapists, psychiatrists, specialists in psychosomatics, clinical psychologists.

Publication date

November 2016

Psychotherapy



Valerija Sipos / Ulrich Schweiger

Treating Eating Disturbances through Emotional Regulation

2nd revised edition

264 pages, € 39.00

ISBN: 978-3-17-029824-8

Emotional regulation is a major factor in the genesis and continuation of an eating disturbance. This manual, developed and tested at the University of Lübeck, shows how eating disturbances can be overcome by improving emotional regulation. Psychoeducational content and therapeutic interventions are described, as well as the special aspects involved in treating adolescents, management of problem situations, and medical and psychological comorbidities in patients with eating disturbances. Materials for therapeutic work are available for download.

Authors

Dr. Valerija Sipos is Chief Psychologist in the Department of Psychiatry and Psychotherapy in Lübeck University Hospital. She is a psychological psychotherapist, paediatric and adolescent psychotherapist, family therapist, teaching therapist and supervisor in the DBT umbrella organization.

Prof. Ulrich Schweiger is Chief Physician and Deputy Director of the Department of Psychiatry and Psychotherapy at Lübeck University Hospital. He is a specialist in psychiatry, psychosomatic medicine and psychotherapy, supervisor for dialectical behavioural therapy, and deputy chair of the German Specialist Association for Behavioural Therapy.

Target groups

Psychological and medical psychotherapists, psychiatrists, nurses and social workers.

Publication date

September 2016

Psychotherapy



Annegret Boll-Klatt / Mathias Kohrs

Depth Psychology–Based Psychotherapy

292 pages, € 29.00

ISBN: 978-3-17-032007-9

Book series: Psychotherapie kompakt

This book outlines the development of psychotherapy based on depth psychology, against its historical background. It provides an introduction both to the foundations of classical psychoanalysis and also current theoretical approaches and presents in particular the disturbance-specific distinctions involved in theoretical and technical treatment concepts. The book provides a modern view of depth psychology, viewed as representing multiperspective competence, illustrated with a detailed discussion of clear treatment cases. The presentation of the procedure is rounded off with discussions on the scientific evidence for efficacy.

Authors

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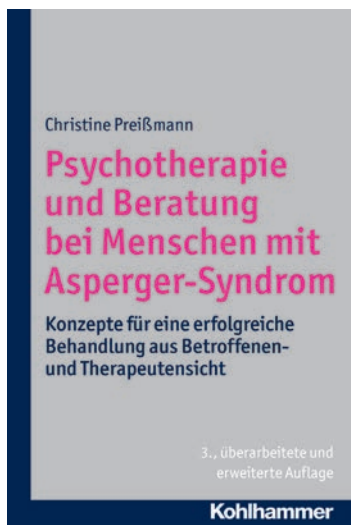
Target groups

Students of (clinical) psychology and medicine, psychological and medical psychotherapists and candidates in training and further education.

Publication date

September 2018

Psychotherapy



Christine Preissmann

Psychotherapy and Counselling in People with Asperger Syndrome

Approaches to Successful Treatment from the Points of View of Patients and Therapists

3rd revised and expanded edition
188 pages, € 29.90
ISBN: 978-3-17-022629-6

The treatment of autistic individuals is always a challenge for everyone involved. Many important aspects of therapy are described in this book and illustrated with examples from the author's own experience as a patient – able to report from both sides. This volume thus closes the gap between the specialist literature, on the one hand, and reports on their experiences by those affected on the other. The book has been updated and expanded for this new edition. Greater emphasis has been given in particular to the chapter on 'Crisis Situations', and a section on 'gender-specific counselling' has been newly added. Inclusive education for everyone is discussed in the chapter on 'School'. Providing explanations and information can make it possible to achieve the goal that autistic individuals no longer need to hide their difference; instead, difference can become a beneficial and enriching contribution to society.

Author

Dr. Christine Preissmann is a general practitioner and psychotherapist and herself has Asperger autism.

Target groups

Doctors, therapists, teachers, individuals affected by the condition and their relatives, everyone with an interest in the topic.

Publication date

July 2013

Paediatric and adolescent psychiatry



Carl Leibl / Gisliind Wach / Ulrich Voderholzer

Eating Disorders as a Cry for Help

Advice and Assistance for Patients, Relatives and Therapists

200 pages, € 19.00
ISBN: 978-3-17-022127-7

From practical experience and for practical application, the authors describe the medical and therapeutic aspects of various eating disturbances (anorexia, bulimia, obesity, atypical eating disturbances, binge eating, etc.), as well as the psychological conditions that may accompany them. This is supplemented with experience and suggestions drawn from therapeutic work – e.g., on the topic of attentiveness. Information and useful addresses for those affected, as well as a presentation of various forms of therapy and treatment options, round off this volume that is equally valuable for therapists, patients, and relatives.

Authors

Dr. med. Carl Leibl, specialist for psychiatry and psychotherapy, psychosomatic medicine and psychotherapy, former deputy medical director and Chief Physician of the Schön Klinik Roseneck/Prien/Chiemsee.

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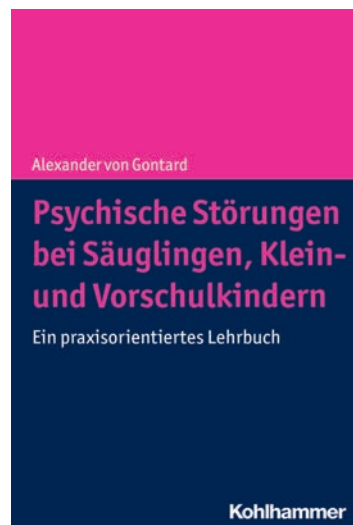
Target groups

Medical and psychological psychotherapists, specialists in psychosomatic medicine, psychologists, individuals affected by the condition and their relatives, everyone with an interest in the topic.

Publication date

August 2018

Paediatric and adolescent psychiatry



Alexander von Gontard

Psychological Disturbances in Infants, Toddlers and Preschool Children

A Practical Textbook

304 pages, € 39.00
ISBN: 978-3-17-031671-3

Psychological disturbances are just as frequent among small children as they are in older children, but they are often not adequately recognized and treated. The aim of this textbook is to provide a comprehensive, well-founded and practically relevant overview of the variety of psychological disturbances that may arise between birth and the start of school. The textbook is based on interdisciplinary guidelines, new classification systems, current research results and the author's many years of practical experience. Each disturbance is presented in detail, with specific recommendations for diagnosis and treatment.

Author

Prof. Alexander von Gontard is Director of the Department of Paediatric and Adolescent Psychology, Psychosomatics and Psychotherapy at Saarland University Hospital (Homburg), and is a specialist in paediatric and adolescent psychiatry, paediatrics and psychotherapeutic medicine.

Target groups

Paediatric and adolescent psychiatrists and psychotherapists, psychological psychotherapists, paediatricians, psychologists, teachers, and ergotherapists.

Publication date

August 2018



Ludger Tebartz van Elst

Autism and ADHS

Between Normal Variation, Personality Disturbance and Neuropsychiatric Disease

2nd edition

174 pages, € 26.00

ISBN: 978-3-17-034166-1

Like attention deficit hyperactivity syndrome (ADHS) before it, autism is currently receiving increasing public attention. Warning voices have been raised, claiming that autism is becoming a fashionable diagnosis and that every recognizable personality trait is now being reinterpreted as a disease. In this context, this volume addresses questions such as: What does 'normal' mean at all? What is personality? When do symptoms and characteristics become a disease? Autism is presented as a normal variant, as a personality disturbance and as a neuropsychiatric disease. It is also made clear that the situations in individuals with ADHS and tic disturbances are similar. The aim of the book, against a background conception of multicategorical normality, is to view psychological phenomena as belonging to a transitional zone between normality, deviation and disease, in order to break down anxieties and prejudices.

Author

Prof. Ludger Tebarz von Elst is neuroscientist, clinician and specialist and is Professor of Psychiatry and Psychotherapy at the University Hospital of Freiburg im Breisgau.

Target groups

Doctors, psychologists, therapists, and also the individuals affected, their relatives and interested laypersons.

Publication date

February 2016



Thomas Girsberger

The Many Colours of Autism

Spectrum, Causes, Diagnosis, Treatment and Counselling

4th edition

188 pages, € 26.00

ISBN: 978-3-17-035557-6

The author is a representative of a modern approach that is now only gradually beginning to be established in the German-speaking countries: autism is not a rare severe handicap. Instead, autism is a relatively frequent phenomenon with a wide spectrum, ranging from intellectual disability to exceptional giftedness, with mild to severe forms. This is illustrated using an easily understood colour scheme. The book provides answers to many questions raised by those affected, as well as by specialists: How is autism diagnosed? How do autism-spectrum disturbances arise? What helpful strategies are there for everyday growing up and school life? The book also includes information about individual teaching solutions (home schooling, e-learning) and practical everyday aids in the form of an app. A series of case histories and portraits illustrate the variety of autism. The book also provides practical guides for children with autism spectrum, their parents and therapists, which are available in the form of detailed working materials via the publishers' web site.

Author

Dr. Thomas Girsberger is a specialist in paediatric and adolescent psychiatry. He has been working in private practice near Basel for 30 years. His specialties are ADHS and autism spectrum.

Target groups

Paediatric and adolescent psychologists, psychologists, psychotherapists and remedial teachers, as well as parents and teachers.

Publication date

Fourth quarter of 2018



Michele Noterdaeme / Karolin Ullrich / Angelika Enders (eds.)

Autism Spectrum Disorders

An Integrative Textbook for Practical Work

2nd revised and expanded edition

352 pages, € 59.00

ISBN: 978-3-17-026848-7

Autism spectrum disorders represent complex disease patterns with an extremely wide variety of manifestations. This volume presents a detailed and practically oriented account of the core symptoms and comorbid disturbances, the diagnostic procedure, clinical differential diagnosis, treatment and course of the disturbances. Special emphasis is given to the importance of early detection and interdisciplinary treatment. Additional topics emphasized in the book include school support for the patients affected and a survey of autism among adults.

Authors

Adjunct Prof. Michele Noterdaeme is a specialist in psychiatry and psychotherapy for children and young adults and is Senior Consultant in the Department of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry and Psychotherapy at the Josefinum Hospital in Augsburg.

Dr. Karolin Ullrich works in the field of education for individuals with mental handicap and education for individuals with behavioural disturbances in the Department of Education at the University of Munich.

Dr. Angelika Enders is a paediatrician and head of the Department of Developmental Neurology in the Social Paediatrics Centre of Dr. Von Hauner Children's Hospital at Munich University Hospital.

Target groups

Paediatric psychiatrists, paediatricians, neurologists, psychiatrists, psychologists, teachers and therapists working in hospitals and private practice.

Publication date

October 2017



Dirk K. Wolter

Pain and Painkiller Dependency in the Elderly

A Gerontological Psychiatry Perspective

348 pages, € 59.00
ISBN: 978-3-17-030643-1

Pain is one of the most frequent health complaints among older people. Neuropsychiatric disturbances can severely affect the experience of pain. This volume describes the origins of pain from the viewpoint of gerontological psychiatry, discusses the importance of neuropsychopharmaceutical agents in pain therapy, and presents effective nonmedicinal psychiatric and psychotherapeutic forms of treatment. Interactions between pain and addiction, ranging up to dependency on painkillers, are discussed.

Author

Dr. Dirk K. Wolter, a neurologist, psychotherapist and geriatrician, is a senior consultant in the field of gerontological psychiatry in Aabenraa (in southern Denmark). He previously headed the departments of gerontological psychiatry in two specialist clinics in Germany. He is a member of the Board of the German Society for Gerontological Psychiatry and Psychotherapy.

Target groups

Physicians (general practitioners, geriatricians, psychiatrists, neurologists, specialists in pain therapy), psychologists and geriatricians with an interest in the topic, as well as ergotherapists, physiotherapists, and nurses.

Publication date

December 2016



Walter Hewer / Christine Thomas
Lutz Michael Drach

Delirium in the Elderly

Foundations – Diagnosis – Therapy – Prevention

312 pages, € 42.00
ISBN: 978-3-17-021617-4

Delirium is one of the most important geriatric syndromes, and its potentially unfavourable prognosis is increasingly being recognized. At least 10–20% of older people who are treated in hospitals are affected by it, but dementia and delirium are also frequently encountered in residential care facilities as well. Delirium is discussed in this book in relation to its range of symptoms, classification, and also etiology and pathogenesis. Diagnostic and therapeutic procedures are discussed on the basis of current evidence-based knowledge. Individual chapters are concerned with delirium in diseases of dependency, as well as the current state of knowledge on how to prevent delirium. Numerous case reports, tables and illustrations – along with a discussion of current health-policy issues that go beyond delirium and are relevant for geriatrics as a whole – give the book a close link to practical work for everyone involved in geriatrics and gerontopsychiatry.

Authors

The authors have been concerned with this interdisciplinary topic for many years in their work in hospitals, research and teaching. Adjunct Prof. Christine Thomas and Prof. Walter Hewer are directors of departments of gerontopsychiatry in large hospitals. Until his death in 2015, Dr. Lutz Michael Drach was the Chief Physician in the Department of Geriatric Medicine in Schwerin.

Target groups

Psychiatrists, neurologists, geriatricians, general practitioners, internal-medicine specialists, nurses working in hospitals and geriatric care, ergotherapists and psychotherapists.

Publication date

September 2016



Ulrich T. Egle / Burkhard Zentgraf

Psychosomatic Pain Therapy

Foundations, Diagnosis, Treatment and Expert Evaluation

2nd edition
184 pages, € 26.00
ISBN: 978-3-17-029334-2

Book series: Psychosomatik und integrative Psychotherapie

The authors describe the diagnosis, differential diagnosis, establishment of indications and successful treatment of chronic pain conditions that are not caused by tumours. The aim is to motivate psychotherapists to become involved in pain therapy and provide them with the skills they need to do so. The book is also a guide to the 'Psychosomatic Pain Therapy' curriculum established by the German Association for Psychosomatic Medicine and Medical Psychotherapy (DGPM) in collaboration with the Interdisciplinary Association for Psychosomatic Pain Therapy (IGPS).

Authors

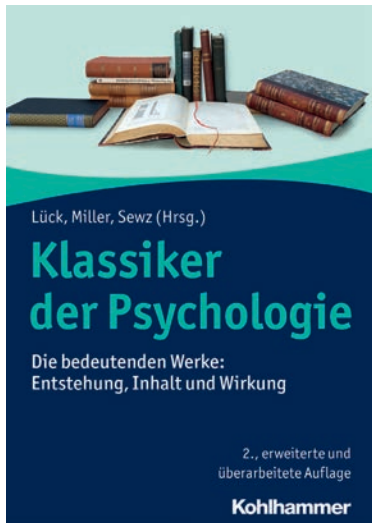
Prof. Ulrich T. Egle is Chair of the Interdisciplinary Association for Psychosomatic Pain Therapy. He was awarded the HEIGL Prize in 2016 for his research in the field of psychosomatic pain therapy and for the development of an effective therapeutic approach in stress-induced pain disturbances. Dr. Burkhard Zentgraf is Chief Physician in the Kinzigtal Psychosomatic Clinic in Gengenbach, where he heads the pain department.

Target groups

(Trainee) specialists in psychosomatic medicine and psychotherapy, pain therapists, psychotherapists, psychiatrists.

Publication date

March 2017



Helmut E. Lück / Rudolf Miller
Gabriela Sewz

Psychology Classics

The Major Works: Origins, Content and Influence

2nd revised and expanded edition
356 pages, € 49.00
ISBN: 978-3-17-031623-2

The classic works in the field of psychology are presented here in over 40 clearly laid-out chapters – with titles including Fechner's Elements of Psychophysics, Freud's The Interpretation of Dreams and other books that are today regarded as milestones in psychology. Connections are made between the era in which the books were first published and the present day. The authors of the classics and the conditions in which the books were written are presented, the content of the books is conveyed in a comprehensible way and the contemporary reception of them is outlined. The volume closes with an appreciation of each work from today's point of view.

Authors

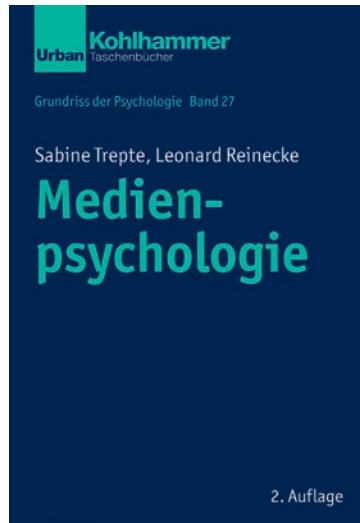
Helmut E. Lück is Emeritus Professor of Psychology at the Distance Teaching University of Hagen.
Rudolf Miller was formerly Assistant Professor of Social Psychology at the Distance Learning University of Hagen.
Gabriela Sewz is a research assistant at the University of Wuppertal.

Target groups

Students and those interested in psychology, history and social sciences.

Publication date

May 2018



Sabine Trepte / Leonhard Reinecke

Media Psychology

2nd edition
280 pages, € 24.00
ISBN: 978-3-17-035045-8

Book series: Grundriss der Psychologie

Issues involving media psychology are universal: Why do we find a film exciting? What influence does music have on our feelings? Do computer games featuring violence make people aggressive? Research in media psychology offers answers to these and many other questions. The most important findings are presented in this volume in a concise and comprehensible way. Each chapter provides an overview of definitions and theories, including up-to-date studies and example applications. Central topics include the selection, reception and effect of media, as well as media competence, computer-mediated communication and career prospects. In compact form, the volume thus offers a solid understanding of the psychological aspects of media usage.

Authors

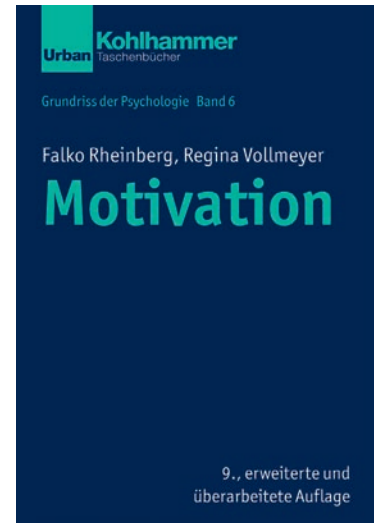
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Target groups

Students of psychology, media and communications sciences, and social sciences.

Publication date

Fourth quarter of 2018



Falko Rheinberg / Regina Vollmeyer

Motivation

9th expanded and revised edition
280 pages, € 22.00
ISBN: 978-3-17-032954-6

Book series: Grundriss der Psychologie

This book provides an introduction to motivational research on the basis of everyday phenomena and self-awareness. The discussion leads from explanations based on instinct and drive theory through the analysis of situational stimuli towards classic motivational psychology. Aspects drawn from current research that are discussed include volitional research, risk motivation and pleasurable absorption in activity (flow experience). The concept of motivational competence is then drawn out. The final chapter deals with ways of measuring motivation (motivational diagnosis). Using selected examples, the authors succeed in making typical forms of behaviour and model conceptions comprehensible. For this ninth edition, the content has been updated and educational aspects have been revised.

Authors

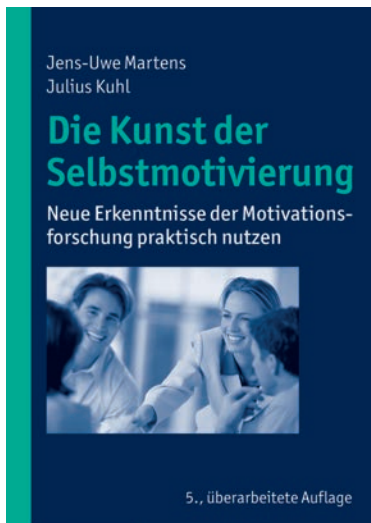
Emeritus Professor Falko Rheinberg was Director of the Department of General Psychology in the Institute of Psychology at the University of Potsdam until 2007.
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Target groups

Students of psychology, educational studies and social sciences.

Publication date

Fourth quarter of 2018



Jens-Uwe Martens / Julius Kuhl

The Art of Self-Motivation

Making Practical Use of New Findings in Motivational Research

5th revised edition
192 pages, € 24.90
ISBN: 978-3-17-023682-0

This book answers all the important questions raised by modern motivational psychology: How can we achieve what we have planned? How does self-motivation work and how can it be learned? Seven pathways to the development of an intelligent way of dealing with the demands of everyday life are explained, and numerous hints are given on how to apply the newly acquired knowledge. ContentPLUS includes lots of practical exercises.

'User and academic have joined together here in an extremely successful collaboration. They explain the psychological foundations in a detailed and comprehensible fashion and create clear links to practical implementation.' (Spektrum der Wissenschaft)

Authors

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Target groups

Students of psychology, social sciences and business studies, as well as trainers and managers.

Publication date

September 2013

Gerontologie



Hans-Werner Wahl / Vera Heyl

Gerontology – Introduction and History

2nd, fully revised edition
240 pages, € 26.99
ISBN: 978-3-17-026125-9

Book series: Grundriss Gerontologie

Gerontology is a discipline with a very strong interdisciplinary orientation – ageing can probably only be understood through a synergy-rich linking of different fields of study. In this fully revised second edition, this book – first published in 2004 – places the full emphasis on the interdisciplinary nature of gerontology. Psychological, sociological, biological, geriatric, gerontopsychiatric aspects, as well as aspects from other fields, are incorporated into the presentation of basic theoretical, empirical and methodological issues in gerontology. In addition, the social importance of gerontology and its history from ancient times to the present day are also brought out – before the final chapter asks, 'Quo Vadis Gerontology?' Overall, the book provides a compact system of arrangement for today's deluge of concepts, theories, findings and interventional options in gerontology.

Authors

Prof. Hans-Werner Wahl is Director of the Department of Psychological Ageing Research in the Psychological Institute at the University of Heidelberg.
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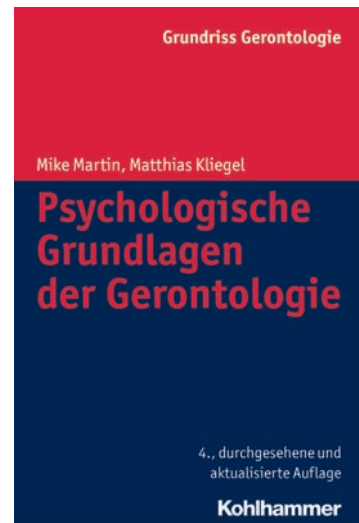
Target groups

Students of gerontology, psychology, medicine, nursing management and nursing studies, students in nursing care and geriatric nursing

Publication date

January 2015

Gerontologie



Mike Martin / Matthias Kliegel

Psychological Foundations of Gerontology

4th updated and revised edition
280 pages, € 24.99
ISBN: 978-3-17-023989-0

Book series: Grundriss Gerontologie

This book provides an overview of the psychological foundations of gerontology and explains the psychology of ageing from a lifespan point of view. It represents a compendium on gerontopsychology and is used for basic reading in many study courses and training courses in the social sciences, health sciences, and nursing studies, as well as in developmental psychology. This new edition has been fully updated and expanded to include important topics such as emotional regulation, neuroscientific ageing research and plasticity research, as well as participatory ageing research.

Authors

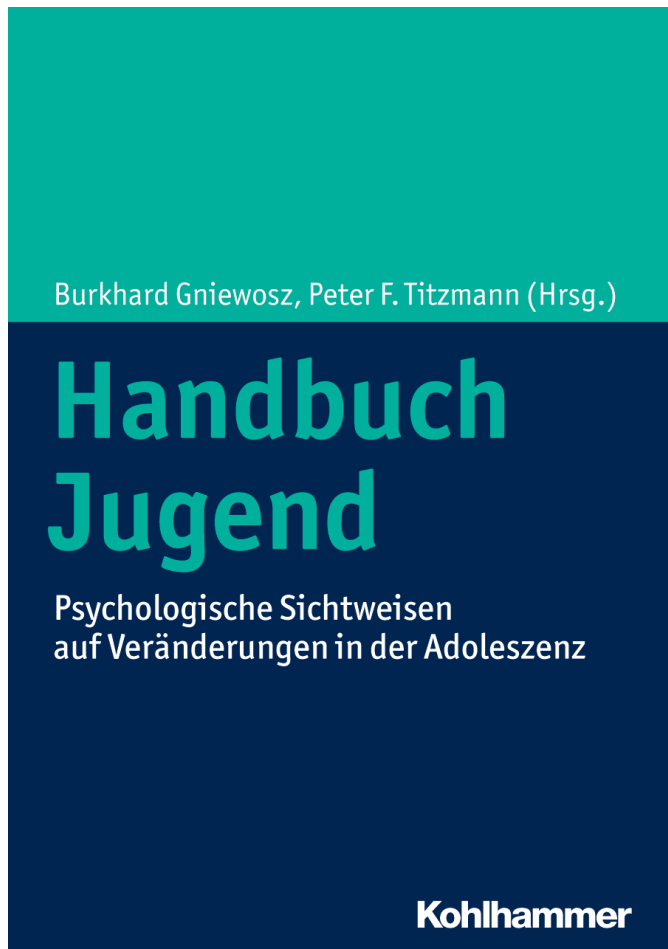
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Prof. Matthias Kliegel is Professor of Psychology at the University of Geneva.

Target groups

Students and lecturers in the disciplines of psychology, gerontology, medicine, nursing management and nursing studies, and in the fields of nursing and geriatric care.

Publication date

October 2014



Burkhard Gniewosz / Peter F. Titzmann

Handbook on Young Adults

Psychological Views of Changes during Adolescence

560 pages, € 50.00

ISBN: 978-3-17-029859-0

Young people face various biological, psychological and social changes – during a phase of life in which major decisions affecting their future lives and careers are being made. This book presents the current state of research on young adulthood in a comprehensible way and explains the developments that take place during this formative period of life. The book is divided into five major topics, which provide a comprehensive overview of the major aspects involved that have been discussed academically. Initially, there is a glance at the biological foundations, followed by a discussion of the influence of social environments (family, friends and school) and of the media. The third part is concerned with important goals in young people's development: forming an identity, developing moral ideas and learning basic competences (choosing a profession). The last two sections discuss social topics such as migration, political socialization and important developmental problems (including eating disturbances, ADHS, substance abuse), as well as options for prevention and approaches to intervention.

Authors

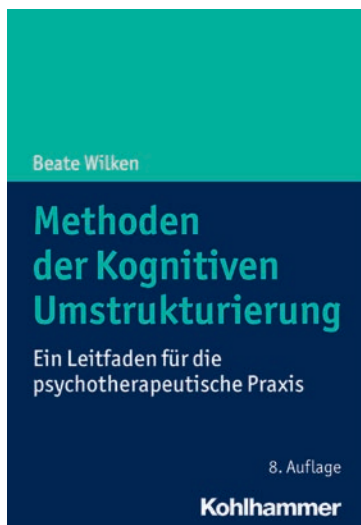
Prof. Burkhard Gniewosz teaches at the University of Salzburg. His research focuses on young adults and education. Prof. Peter F. Titzmann is a professor at Leibnitz University, Hannover. His research focuses on young people, particularly in connection with questions of migration and acculturation.

Target groups

Students and teachers in psychology and education, psychologists and educational studies specialists focusing on young people.

Publication date

August 2018



Beate Wilken

Methods of Cognitive Restructuring

A Guide for Psychotherapeutic Practice

8th edition

250 pages, € 25.00

ISBN: 978-3-17-034623-9

Cognitive restructuring methods represent a central element of therapy in the treatment of numerous psychological disturbances. In this practical guide, the author provides a systematic introduction to the specific procedure involved in cognitive restructuring. The basis for this is provided by the cognitive treatment approaches of A. Ellis, A.T. Beck and D.W. Meichenbaum, which are briefly outlined. Numerous suggested formulations and example cases from practical work make the book a valuable aid for therapists and an easily readable introduction for students and those attending further training courses.

Author

Following several years working in research, teaching and in-patient psychiatry at the University of Münster, Dr. Beate Wilken, Dipl.-Psych., is now a psychological psychotherapist in private practice and a trainer and supervisor for cognitive therapy and behavioural therapy.

Target groups

Students of psychology, psychologists, medical doctors receiving psychotherapeutic training, practicing doctors.

Publication date

October 2018



Christine Preißmann

Autism and Health

Recognizing Special Characteristics – Overcoming Barriers – Promoting Resources

201 pages, € 28.00

ISBN: 978-3-17-032027-7

Access to the health-care system is difficult for people with autism spectrum disturbances as a result of many obstacles. Medical care for many of those affected and their health situation are therefore inadequate. This book provides helpful ideas on how to make collaboration successful for everyone involved. Numerous areas that are necessary for leading a healthy life are discussed: in addition to diagnosis, symptoms and treatment options, special aspects of medical care for people with autism are also presented in relation to a wide variety of barriers. Frequent accompanying illnesses and crisis situations are taken into account, as well as a generally healthy lifestyle, the need for sports and exercise, and autism in transitional periods such as puberty and in the elderly. The book provides an overview of measures for achieving barrier-free access in the various areas of life (school, work and professional life, accommodation, everyday life, friendships, etc.) and offers tips for individuals who are affected, for their relatives and for medical specialists.

Author

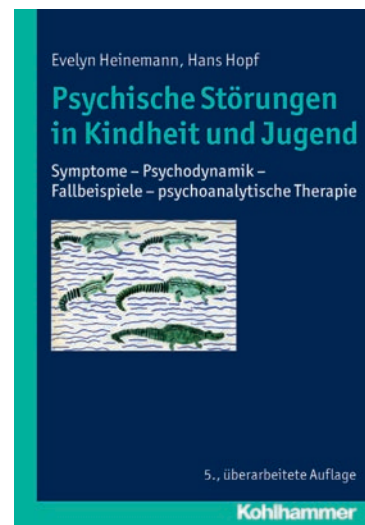
Dr. Christine Preißmann is a physician working in general practice and psychotherapy and is suffering from Asperger autism herself. She is the author of several books (including Psychotherapy and Counselling for People with Asperger Syndrome, 3rd ed. 2013; Happiness and Life Satisfaction for People with Autism, 2015) and regularly gives lectures at conferences and specialist meetings. She has contact with specialists in the treatment of autism, members of the boards of the relevant specialist associations, and with self-help groups for those affected and for their relatives.

Target groups

Psychotherapists, physicians, teachers, individuals who are affected by the condition and their relatives, specialists in the health-care system.

Publication date

June 2017



Evelyn Heinemann / Hans Hopf

Psychological Disturbances in Childhood and Adolescence

Symptoms – Psychodynamics – Example Cases – Psychoanalytic Therapy

5th revised edition

404 pages, € 34.99

ISBN: 978-3-17-028735-8

Psychological disturbances are common in childhood and adolescence, but only very few of those affected receive the necessary educational and therapeutic support. This book provides an overview of the symptoms and underlying psychodynamics of the various disturbances. It offers an introduction to psychoanalytic theory and the treatment of children and young people, supplemented with attachment theory and extreme traumatization and a separate chapter on sexuality, sexualization (perversion) and sexual abuse, particularly in individuals with intellectual disabilities. It discusses disturbance patterns in the neuroses, narcissistic disturbances, psychosomatic disturbances, borderline disturbances and psychoses, and speech disturbances. Each psychological disturbance is presented with a detailed example case. The discussion of each example case explores both its psychodynamics and the educational and therapeutic implications.

Authors

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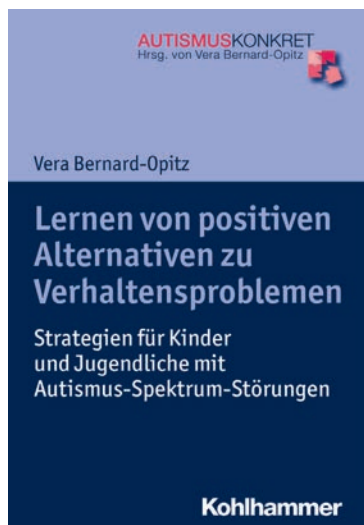
Target groups

Teachers, particularly social education workers and remedial teachers; psychologists, psychotherapists and psychoanalysts, as well as medical students and practising doctors.

Publication date

August 2018

Psychotherapy



Vera Bernard-Opitz

Learning from Positive Alternatives to Behavioural Problems

Strategies for Children and Young People with Autism-Spectrum Disturbances

140 pages, € 24.00

ISBN: 978-3-17-030125-2

Book series: *Autismus konkret*

Behavioural problems often make life very difficult for those affected by autism-spectrum disturbances and for those around them. Many parents, teachers and therapists are pushed to their limits with normal educational strategies, or may even regard the behavioural problems as an inevitable part of the personality of the individual affected. This book is intended to offer hope and provide specific strategies for understanding problems and addressing them in a targeted way. What are the triggers and consequences of a behavioural problem, and what function does it serve? How can one intervene for prevention? What positive alternatives can be developed, and which consequences are useful? Autism-specific behavioural therapy and applied behaviour analysis are introduced here using example cases. Aspects discussed include self-stimulation and sensory problems, tantrums and aggressive behaviour, rigidity and compulsions, as well as concepts such as 'counter-control' and 'learned helplessness'.

Author

Dr. Vera Bernard-Opitz (Emeritus Associate Professor at NUS) is a clinical psychologist, behavioural therapist and board-certified behaviour analyst-doctorate (BCBA-D) and works as a therapist, supervisor, author and editor of an autism periodical.

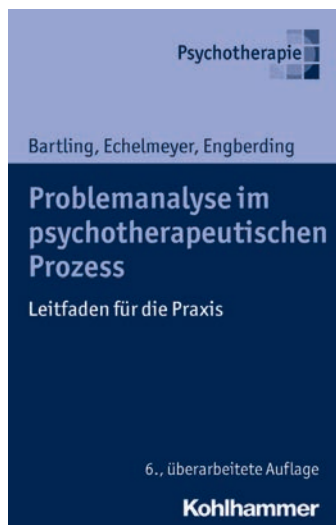
Target groups

Psychologists, psychotherapists, doctors and teachers, individuals affected and their relatives.

Publication date

June 2018

Psychotherapy



Bartling, Echelmeyer, Engberding

Problemanalyse im psychotherapeutischen Prozess

Leitfaden für die Praxis

6., überarbeitete Auflage

Kohlhammer

Gisela Bartling / Liz Echelmeyer
Margarita Engberding

Problem Analysis in the Psychotherapeutic Process

A Guide for Practice

6th revised edition

264 pages, € 22.00

ISBN: 978-3-17-029759-3

The new edition of this standard work on problem analysis and treatment planning provides an updated guide for the conception of cases in clinical and psychotherapeutic training and practice. The book provides guidance through the entire process of psychotherapy: selecting problems and establishing a diagnosis, analysing problems and behaviour at various levels, setting goals, creating motivation to achieve change, and selecting and evaluating therapeutic interventions within a framework of comprehensive treatment planning. This guide thus represents an outstanding aid for the orientation and structuring of an expert assessment report in the context of submitting applications for therapy. Selected working materials included in the book are available to readers for downloading.

Authors

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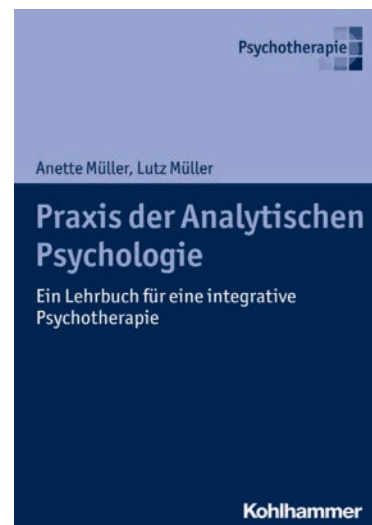
Target groups

Students of psychology, psychotherapists in training and further education and practice.

Publication date

August 2016

Psychotherapy



Anette Müller, Lutz Müller

Praxis der Analytischen Psychologie

Ein Lehrbuch für eine integrative Psychotherapie

Kohlhammer

Anette Müller / Lutz Müller

Practice of Analytical Psychology

A Textbook for Integrative Psychotherapy

360 pages, € 49.00

ISBN: 978-3-17-028396-1

With its holistic view of human beings and its treatment approach, focusing on the individual and his or her personal needs and characteristics, C.G. Jung's analytical psychology is capable of expanding depth-psychological and psychodynamic treatment concepts into a modern, integrative approach. The book links the essential elements of analytical psychology and psychotherapy with the current state of psychotherapy research.

Special emphasis is given to working with the unconscious and its symbolism. How does the unconscious present itself in fantasies, dreams, imaginations and clinical pictures, as well as in the patients' resources? Analytical psychology's points of access to the patient's inner self, to the intersubjectivity of the therapeutic relationship and to the processes of transfer and counter-transfer are presented, and the differences between this and other forms of therapy are traced out. A special aspect of the book is that particular attention is given to accessing and making use of the creative potential of both patients and therapists.

Authors

Prof. Lutz Müller, analytical psychotherapist, professor of applied psychology.

Anette Müller, analytical psychotherapist for children and young adults, lecturer, supervisor at the C.G. Jung Institute in Stuttgart.

Target groups

Psychoanalytical psychotherapists in training and in practice, practising psychotherapists of all schools who wish to expand their repertoire.

Publication date

March 2018

Psychotherapy



Annette Boeger

Approaches in Psychological Therapy and Counselling

Theory and Practice

3rd updated edition

200 pages, € 29.00

ISBN: 978-3-17-032625-5

This textbook provides a basic overview of current approaches in psychological psychotherapy and counselling. The foundations consist of the four pillars of psychotherapy and counselling: depth-psychological, learning-theoretical, humanistic and systemic approaches. The views of humanity, theoretical background, therapeutic relationship, techniques used and goals in counselling used in these approaches are presented comparatively. Numerous example cases and excerpts from conversations illustrate the complex theoretical models and typical procedures in practice. Additional chapters are related to empirically confirmed findings on verifiable effective factors in psychotherapy, common elements and differences between psychotherapy and psychosocial counselling, and the significance of one's view of humanity and the relationship aspect in the context of psychotherapy and counselling.

Author

Prof. Annette Boeger holds the Chair of Developmental Psychology at the Department of Educational Sciences at the University of Duisburg-Essen. She is a qualified psychotherapist with training in conversational psychotherapy and systemic-analytical family therapy.

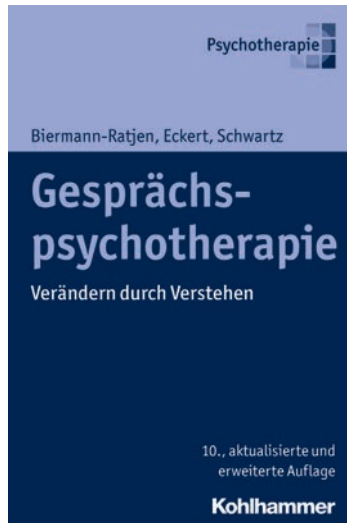
Target groups

Psychologists, (psycho-)therapists, social education workers and remedial teachers, students.

Publication date

September 2018

Psychotherapy



Eva-Maria Biermann-Ratjen

Jochen Eckert / Hans-Joachim Schwartz

Client-Centred Psychotherapy

Changing through Understanding

10th updated and expanded edition

288 pages, € 36.00

ISBN: 978-3-17-029413-4

This book presents an introduction to the client-centred psychotherapy developed by Carl Rogers. Many elements of this have found their way into other treatment approaches, but they often undergo a considerable change of meaning in the process. The elements include a positive view of human beings, resource orientation and the outstanding importance given to the therapeutic relationship. This tenth edition therefore once again emphasizes the presentation of the original conception of client-centred psychotherapy, concentrating on the therapeutically effective relationship in which clients feel that they are being accepted in their experience of themselves, sympathetically understood and not evaluated.

Authors

Dipl.-Psych. Eva-Maria Biermann-Ratjen, a clinical psychologist, is a former lecturer in the Department of Psychiatry at Hamburg-Eppendorf University Hospital. Dr. Jochen Eckert formerly taught at Psychology Institute III at the University of Hamburg. Emeritus Professor Hans-Joachim Schwartz formerly taught in the Department of Social Sciences at the College of Higher Education in Braunschweig/Wolfenbüttel.

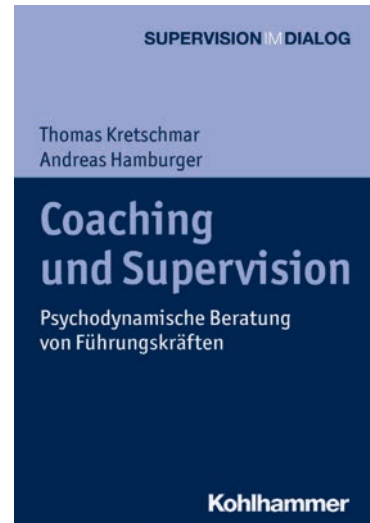
Target groups

Psychotherapists, clinical psychologists, doctors, candidates in various psychotherapeutic training courses.

Publication date

January 2016

Psychotherapy



Thomas Kretschmar / Andreas Hamburger

Coaching and Supervision

Psychodynamic Counselling of Managers

160 pages, € 29.00

ISBN: 978-3-17-033764-0

Book series: Supervision im Dialog

The psychodynamic approach is now also becoming increasingly important in the field of counselling for managers. Following a discussion of terminology, the book starts with the history of psychodynamic work in companies down to the present day and provides an overview of the market. Basic psychoanalytic concepts that are important for work with the unconscious and their importance for coaching and supervision are then explained. This is followed by an overview of current research on coaching and supervision. The book closes with example cases, which are explored in the balance between psychodynamic counselling techniques and an overall psychoanalytic examination.

Authors

Prof. Thomas Kretschmar holds a diploma in business administration and is a clinical psychologist and certified Senior Coach (DBVC/DCV). He is executive director of the Mind Institute SE Berlin and was previously full professor of Business Studies at the HTW in Berlin. As an entrepreneur, he founded Hypoport AG, which he headed for more than 10 years and took to the stock exchange. His research focuses on operational diagnosis and the application of psychoanalysis and depth psychology in business, particularly in individual coaching.

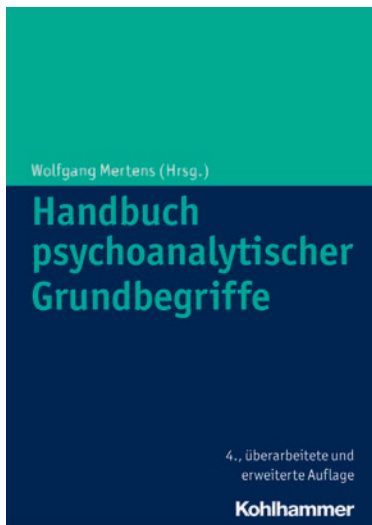
Prof. Andreas Hamburger is Professor of Clinical Psychology at the International Psychoanalytic University and is a psychoanalyst (DPG), lecturer, training analyst and supervisor at the Academy of Psychoanalysis and Psychotherapy in Munich/DGPT. His research focuses among other things on psychoanalytic supervision in youth welfare services. His teaching focuses on diagnosis, developmental psychology and treatment technique, basic psychoanalytic skills and educational practice.

Target groups

Psychologists, psychotherapists, medical doctors, social education workers, supervisors, coaches, business consultants and students and lecturers in these disciplines.

Publication date

First quarter of 2019

Psychoanalysis

Wolfgang Mertens (ed.)

Handbook of Basic Concepts in Psychoanalysis

4th revised and expanded edition
1158 pages, € 99.90
ISBN: 978-3-17-022315-8

This handbook written by 140 scientists provides clear explanations, based on a standardized scheme, of the fundamental concepts of psychoanalysis. In addition to the definition of the terms, the classic understanding of them and their background in the history of ideas, and the further development of classical psychoanalysis into the individual schools are described in detail. At the same time, the handbook picks up from interdisciplinary debates by entering into a dialogue with neighbouring fields such as biology, psychology, sociology and cultural studies. Psychoanalysis, which many have repeatedly described as being obsolete and outdated, proves in this dictionary to be extremely creative and expansive. Those who are interested in the fundamental development of awareness, which is only conceivable through the inclusion of unconscious processes, will receive countless fresh ideas from this work. This fourth edition of the handbook has added the following concepts: general theory of seduction, desire, the occult, de-objectification, deciding, decision, implicit relationship knowledge, intersubjectivity, conversation, performance, psychodynamics, subject, separation anxiety – separation, unconscious – the Unconscious II, father metaphor, and transformational object.

Authors

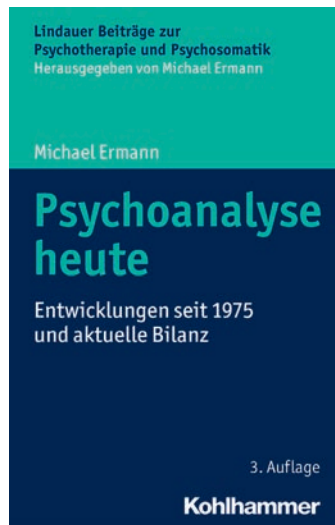
Prof. Wolfgang Mertens formerly taught psychoanalysis and psychodynamic research at the University of Munich.

Target groups

Psychologists and physicians, everyone with an interest in psychotherapy and psychoanalysis.

Publication date

April 2014

Psychoanalysis

Michael Ermann

Psychoanalysis Today**Developments since 1975 and Current Up-To-Date-Summary**

122 pages, € 19.00
ISBN: 978-3-17-031204-3

Book series: Lindauer Beiträge zur Psychotherapie und Psychosomatik

This volume describes the way in which psychoanalysis has developed beyond the psychology of ego and object relationships and today places greater emphasis on the importance of ongoing relationships. This has given rise to a fundamental change in analytical treatment practice. Many fundamental attitudes and convictions have been questioned, modified, or abandoned. Attentiveness, authenticity and controlled openness are what shape the encounter today. The book discusses the origins, opportunities and risks of this new approach, particularly in relation to contemporary disturbances and tasks, and closes with a glance into the future.

Author

Prof. Michael Ermann, a psychoanalyst and psychotherapist, is Emeritus Professor of Psychosomatic Medicine and Psychotherapy at the University of Munich and now works in Berlin.

Target groups

Psychotherapists, psychologists, students.

Publication date

March 2017

Psychoanalysis

Otto F. Kernberg

Hatred, Rage, Violence and Narcissism

2nd edition
87 pages, € 20.00
ISBN: 978-3-17-029723-4

Book series: Lindauer Beiträge zur Psychotherapie und Psychosomatik

This volume discusses the origins and significance of primitive aggressions in the psychodynamic psychotherapy of patients with severe personality disorders. It presents an overview of the clinical manifestations of these developments and their prognostic significance and of effective psychotherapeutic techniques and their limitations. The important influence of boundary-setting, counter-transference analysis and tolerance are also described. Finally, a treatment approach that allows a systematic analysis of primitive transference reactions is presented.

Author

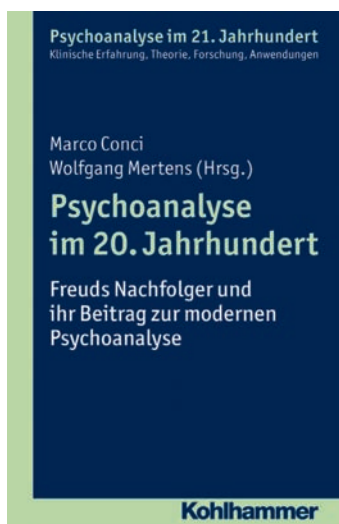
Prof. Otto F. Kernberg is a specialist in psychiatry and psychotherapy. He is an internationally recognized expert and is the author of numerous publications. An Austrian by birth, he now works at New York–Presbyterian Hospital.

Target groups

Psychotherapists, psychologists, students.

Publication date

January 2016

Psychoanalysis

Marco Conci / Wolfgang Mertens (eds.)

Psychoanalysis in the 20th Century

Freud's Successors and Their Contribution to Modern Psychoanalysis

256 pages, € 30.00

ISBN: 978-3-17-028428-9

Book series: Psychoanalyse im 21. Jahrhundert

Twelve experts pay tribute in this volume to the most important theoretical contributions made by Freud's successors and their lasting contributions to psychoanalytic practice and theory development. Their discoveries provide the foundations for a pluralistic psychoanalysis in which the empirical experience and expertise of these outstanding personalities is still influential even in psychotherapeutic treatments today. The biographies that are sketched out not only throw light on the history of psychoanalysis in the various countries but also clarify how closely these figures' lives and work were often connected.

Authors

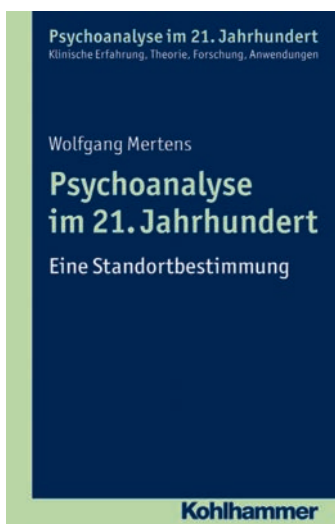
Dr. Marco Conci is a psychotherapist and psychoanalyst (DPG, SPI, IPA) with his own practice in Munich. Emeritus Professor Wolfgang Mertens was formerly Professor of Psychoanalysis and Psychodynamic Research at the University of Munich and has been a practising psychoanalyst for more than 35 years.

Target groups

Students and lecturers in psychology and medicine, students in further training and advanced training in psychoanalytically based treatment procedures, psychotherapists.

Publication date

April 2017

Psychoanalysis

Wolfgang Mertens

Psychoanalysis in the 21st Century

Assessing the Current Situation

232 pages, € 24.90

ISBN: 978-3-17-022273-1

Book series: Psychoanalyse im 21. Jahrhundert

Psychoanalysis is not only the oldest, most comprehensive and most thoroughly researched psychotherapeutic procedure – it is also a theory and a method from which many decisive stimuli towards the development of enlightened and reflective consciousness emerged during the twentieth century. Its critical ideas have led to major cultural changes. Will it be able to maintain this role in the twenty-first century as well, or will it come to be regarded as superfluous due to developments in neurobiology and the cognitive sciences?

This volume brings out why psychoanalytic thinking will still continue to be central to human experience and action and why it is likely to become even more important – although it will also continue to face considerable resistance.

Author

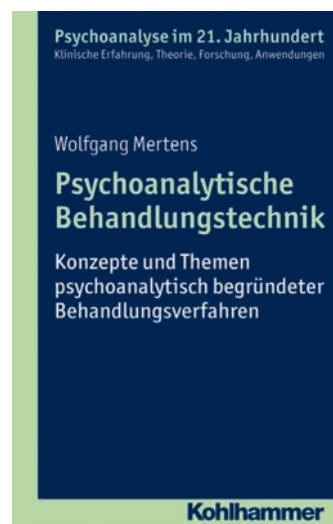
Emeritus Professor Wolfgang Mertens was formerly Professor of Clinical Psychology and Psychoanalysis in the Department of Psychology at the University of Munich.

Target groups

Students of psychology, medicine, social sciences, humanities and cultural studies, participants in psychoanalytic training and psychotherapists who are already professionally active.

Publication date

December 2013

Psychoanalysis

Wolfgang Mertens

Psychoanalytic Treatment Technique

Concepts and Themes in Psychoanalytically Based Treatment Procedures

232 pages, € 26.99

ISBN: 978-3-17-028424-1

Book series: Psychoanalyse im 21. Jahrhundert

Psychoanalytically based treatment procedures – particularly psychotherapy based on analytical and depth psychology – were first accepted for remuneration by statutory health-insurance companies in Germany in 1967, following empirical evidence of their effectiveness. They play central roles in psychotherapeutic care for the population. Although Freud's psychoanalysis still represents the foundation for these procedures, major further developments have taken place. Several of the most important concepts, such as free association, evenly-suspended attention, psychodynamic diagnosis, indication, therapeutic goals, analytical surface, resistance and active factors are presented and discussed here in accordance with the current state of knowledge and research.

Author

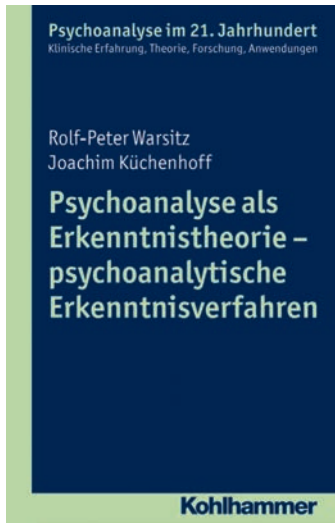
Emeritus Professor Wolfgang Mertens was Professor of Clinical Psychology and Psychoanalysis in the Department of Psychology at the University of Munich from 1982 to 2011.

Target groups

Psychotherapists and psychoanalysts, students of psychology, medicine, education and cultural studies.

Publication date

March 2015

Psychoanalysis

Rolf-Peter Warsitz / Joachim Küchenhoff

Psychoanalysis as Epistemology – Epistemological Procedures in Psychoanalysis

188 pages, € 26.99

ISBN: 978-3-17-022276-2

Book series: Psychoanalyse im 21. Jahrhundert

Epistemological theories represent the foundation of clinical practice, enabling therapists to understand their own work better. At the same time, they are also fundamental to the self-image of a science or academic discipline in finding and keeping its place within the scientific and scholarly community. These points are particularly important for psychoanalysis, as the field has many collaborating partners, ranging from neurobiology to literary studies – and also because its scientific status is still disputed. This volume positions psychoanalysis epistemologically, but at the same time shows that it follows its own unmistakable epistemological pathway.

Authors

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Target groups

Students and lecturers in psychology and related social sciences, humanities disciplines and human studies; candidates in psychoanalytic training.

Publication date

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Psychotherapy

Dieter Schnocks

Understanding Yourself with C. G. Jung**Eight Insight Tasks for Our Path of Individuation**

160 pages, € 26.00

ISBN: 978-3-17-021335-7

Through the concept of individuation, C. G. Jung's analytical psychology offers a solidly based and timely approach to engaging with what constitutes the fulfilment of one's own personality on an individual path through life. The book introduces the foundations of analytical psychology and provides readers with a kind of checklist of eight insight tasks with which they can explore the dimensions of their own individuation and implement impulses in a meaningful way. The conceptual world of C. G. Jung is presented at a high specialist level but at the same time clearly, with many examples drawn from everyday life.

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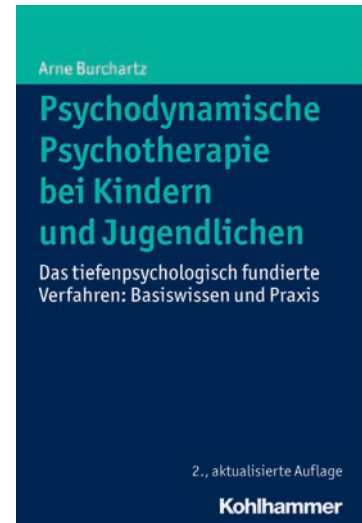
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Target groups

Therapists in private practice, those in further training and advanced training, lecturers in and students of psychology, particularly with a focus on depth psychology.

Publication date

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Psychoanalysis

Arne Burchartz

Psychodynamic Psychotherapy for Children and Young Adults**The Depth Psychology–Based Procedure: Basic Knowledge and Practice**

2nd updated edition

300 pages, € 34.99

ISBN: 978-3-17-026839-5

'Depth psychology–based psychotherapy' is a form of treatment based on psychoanalysis and a therapeutic procedure that is often applied in children and young adults. As a systematic textbook on this form of treatment in paediatric and adolescent psychotherapy, the book closes a gap in the book market. It is presented in the form of systematic notes for use both during training in psychoanalytic and depth-psychology teaching institutes and also in everyday clinical practice. In addition to the scientific foundations, special emphasis is given to practical application in therapeutic reality and in practical care, as well as in institutional contexts (e.g., advisory centres). The structure of the presentation is therefore oriented towards the course of treatment, which is illustrated with numerous practical examples.

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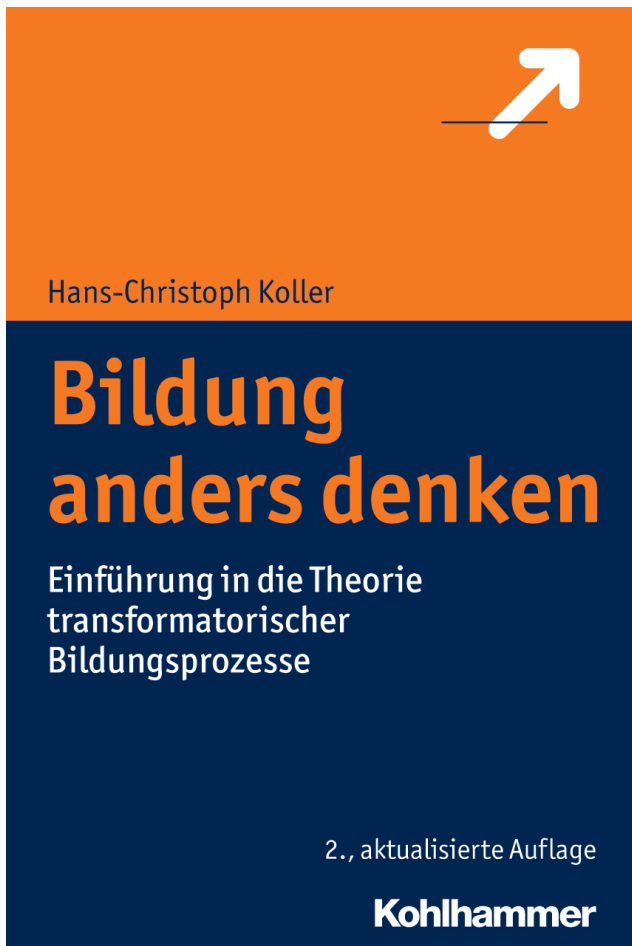
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Target groups

Psychotherapists and psychoanalysts in private practice and in training and further training, psychological counsellors.

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Hans-Christoph Koller

Thinking Education Differently

An Introduction to the Theory of Transformative Educational Processes

2nd updated edition

192 pages, € 26.00

ISBN: 978-3-17-033411-3

Education is still an important reference point in discussions over the justification, purpose and critique of educational activity. But how can the concept be understood in such a way as to do justice to contemporary social conditions and link up with research into actual educational processes? This book presents a new view of the concept that regards education as a process that fundamentally alters the way in which human beings behave towards the world, other people and themselves. This process is initiated when people face problems that their previous capacities do not give them the resources to overcome. Drawing on concepts from the fields of educational studies, philosophy, sociology and psychology, a theory of transformative educational processes is developed that allows one of the fundamental problems in educational studies to be considered in new and different ways.

Author

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Target groups

Teachers and educationalists.

Publication date

April 2018

Special Education



Jessica Lilli Köpcke / Arne Schöning (eds.)

People with Paraplegia

Lives and Life-Worlds

284 pages, € 29.00
ISBN: 978-3-17-033824-1

When people who have paraplegia are allowed to talk about their own lives, lots of exciting, serious, funny and thought-provoking things come to light. You may sometimes remember only a few sentences of the stories they tell – but they are sentences capable of changing your whole attitude.

This book represents a successful interplay between scientific research and participation. Experts in their own field use narrative methods to tell the stories of their lives and their own life-worlds, accompanied by highly expressive photos. Chapters discussing how to organize everyday life, sports, work and many other topics are presented, in some cases by public figures such Kirsten Bruhn, Christian Au and Andreas Schneider. People with an interest in the topic, specialists and the general public are thus given a glimpse from the inside into what living with paraplegia is like.

Authors

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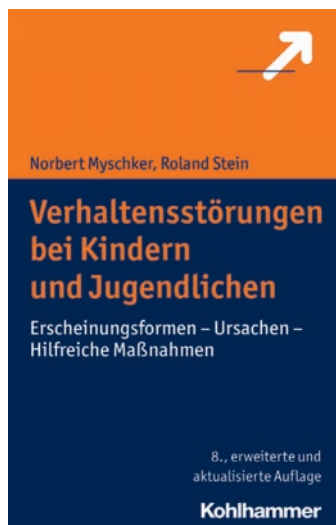
Target groups

People affected by paraplegia, their relatives, remedial teachers, therapists, social workers, nurses.

Publication date

May 2018

Special Education



Norbert Myschker / Roland Stein

Behavioural Disturbances in Children and Young Adults

Forms – Causes – Helpful Measures

8th revised edition
650 pages, € 40.00
ISBN: 978-3-17-032966-9

This volume presents the current state of knowledge on the topic of behavioural disturbances among young people, in the form of a handbook. It is concerned with children and young adults whose behaviour diverges from society's expectations in undesirable ways – i.e., young people who show symptoms of neglect, psychosocial disturbances, delinquent behaviour and/or severe anxiety, depression and suicidal tendencies. The authors present effective educational approaches and measures in a clearly arranged way. They describe and evaluate diagnostic procedures, list tested and effective interventional methods and analyse the work and functioning of the relevant institutions. The book thus provides a comprehensive introduction for students and also up-to-date guidance for specialists.

Authors

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Target groups

Students of special needs education, special needs teachers, teachers, preschool teachers, psychologists and medical practitioners.

Publication date

June 2018



Roland Büchner / Heinz Cornel
Stefan Fischer

Violence Prevention and Social Competences at School

160 pages, € 26.00
ISBN: 978-3-17-032711-5

Children and young adults are often viewed as being 'difficult' – and also violent. Both teachers and parents are pushed to their limits and feel uncertain about how to respond nonviolently. This book explains new strategies for action and innovative practical models for preventing violence, instead of applying punishments and humiliation, and shows how early and targeted action can promote social competences and prevention of violence through respect, esteem and transparent firmness. This approach allows new and successfully tested action skills to be acquired. The concepts involved are explained and supplemented with practical examples, exercises and working materials.

Authors

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Target groups

Teachers, head teachers, school psychologists, social workers, parents, students, trainee teachers.

Publication date

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Georg Peez

Introduction to Art Teaching

5th revised edition
210 pages, € 20.00
ISBN: 978-3-17-032942-3

Book series: Kohlhammer Urban Taschenbücher

This book introduces current concepts in art teaching and the historical roots of the discipline. The complex causal framework linking education and art serves as the starting-point and the thread on which the presentation is based. The professional fields involved in art teaching – particularly art teaching in schools – and the target groups and methods are then discussed in detail. The volume also provides an in-depth introduction to central fields of scholarly research on art and provides information about the most important questions for study courses.

Author

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Target groups

Student teachers and art teachers.

Publication date

February 2018

Social Work



Walter Eberlei / Katja Neuhoff
Klaus Riekenbrauk

Human Rights – Compass for Social Work

228 pages, € 32.00
ISBN: 978-3-17-030811-4

Book series: Grundwissen Soziale Arbeit

Human rights are extremely important in the analysis, evaluation and processing of practically every area of social work. On the basis of actual challenges in the central areas of social work, this volume enables students to recognize, acquire and strengthen the skills needed to take action on the basis of human rights. A rigorously interdisciplinary approach clarifies the social-ethics, legal and political aspects of the selected example cases and outlines coherent approaches to action.

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Target groups

Students and professionals in the field of social work.

Publication date

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Social Work



Gunzelin Schmid Noerr

Ethics in Social Work

2nd revised and expanded edition
220 pages, € 29.00
ISBN: 978-3-17-034438-9

Book series: Grundwissen Soziale Arbeit

Ethics – the analysis, justification, or critique of morals – plays an important role in social work, since the decisions that social workers take may involve serious interventions in their clients' way of life. Social workers regard their work as representing assistance, but also as a form of supervision. However, whether these goals can in any way be justified and the extent to which they are capable of being achieved through social work are topics that require ethical clarification. In what ways can the demands of professional ethics be practically implemented at the various levels of individual action and institutional collaboration? How does one learn morals, and what is the relationship between morality and violence? What do we mean by ideas of human dignity and a successful life? The book thus addresses core issues for an ethics of social work.

Author

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Target groups

Students and professionals in social work.

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