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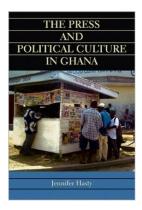
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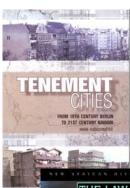


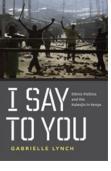


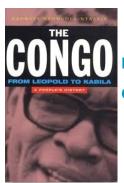


Recently acquired books and ebooks



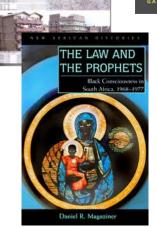


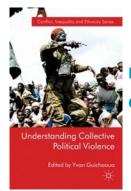




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Forthcoming African Studies related events



Africa's Literary Detectives:

Cases from the South

Dr Ranka Primorak

14 February, 1 pm,

Seng Tee Lee Centre, Senate House Library, Malet Street, London

For further information contact daniel.qilfoyle@nationalarchives.qov.uk

Bible Translation and the Politics of Place in Uganda and Congo, 1900-1930

Emma Wildwood

(Henry Martyn Centre, University of Cambridge)

25 February, 1.30 pm, CRASSH, ARB, Rm S3

Check CamTalks for details of more African Studies related events around the University this term: http://talks.cam.ac.uk/show/index/23088

New Library reps

Your new reps on the Library Committee are Frances Brandon (Undergraduates) and Rory Grant (Graduates). Let them know if you have any feedback or questions about the Library:

Frances <u>fb367@cam.ac.uk</u>
Rory <u>rsq44@cam.ac.uk</u>



NELSON MANDELA 1918-2013

A selection of the Library's books about Mandela have recently been on display at the issue desk



You can now pay your Library fines online!

Fines of £1 and over are now payable online. Follow the link on our website to pay all or part of an outstanding fine by card, or use this link:

http://www.abbrv.co.uk/2X4

Please note that the fine won't be taken off your record immediately (e.g. if you pay a fine at night). However, it will be removed as soon as the automatic notification of the payment is received by us in the Library during office hours.

If you're paying part of a fine, remember you won't be able to borrow if you still owe £5 or more.

Featured electronic resources

A database of the Constitutions of Sub-Saharan Africa (DCSSA) offering access to constitutional documents for 52 Sub-Saharan countries dating since their independence is now available online:

http://www.polver.uni-konstanz.de/holzinger/forschung/drittmittelprojekte/traditional-institutions-in-sub-saharan-africa/datenbank/

New Africa Past and Present Podcast available:

Episode 79: Biographies and Databases of Atlantic Slaves, Part 1



Paul Lovejoy, Canada Research Chair in African Diaspora History at York University, discusses building an international database of biographical information on all enslaved Africans. Text taken from http://afripod.aodl.org/

Centre of African Studies Seminar Series Lent 2014: Media and Intellectual Productions in Africa's Pasts and Presents



* 3 Feb: Dr Nicole Stremlau, University of Oxford Somalia: Media Law in the Absence of a State



* 10 Feb: Prof. Bodil Folke Frederiksen, Roskilde University *Non-European Newspaper Culture in Kenya: Mumenyereri, the Daily Chronicle and the Colonial Times, 1945-51*



* 17 Feb: Dr Abdoulaye Sounaye, ZMO Berlin *Producing Islamic Reform: Media Practices and the Construction of Religious Authority in Niger*



* 24 Feb: Prof. Armando Cutolo, University of Sienna *How to do Resistance with Words: Nationalism, Afrocentrism and Oratory in Abidjan's Street Parliaments*



- * 3 Mar: Dr Estelle Sohier, Université de Genève *Hybrid Images of Political Power: the Role of Iconographic Narratives in the Ethiopian Court (1880-1935)*
- * 10 Mar: Dr Aissatou Mbodj, Research Fellow at the CNRS, *Mediating Voice: Writing Letter to Address the Public at a Local Radio Station in Mopti, Mali*

Seminars will be held in Rm S1 at the Alison Richard Building. Further info: centre@african.cam.ac.uk