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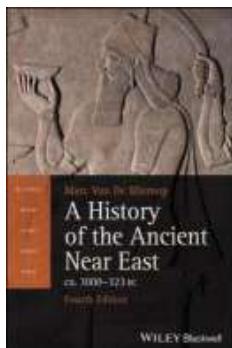
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A History of the Ancient Near East ca. 3000-323 BC



Van de Mieroop, Marc
 4. ed.
 John Wiley & Sons, 2024
 400 p. ; 25x17 cm.
 9781394210220
 64,00 €

Now in its fourth edition, *A History of the Ancient Near East* remains one of the most accessible introductions to the rich and complex history of the region available. Integrating original sources, up-to-date scholarship, and extensive supplementary materials, this popular textbook provides student-friendly coverage of the origins of the first cities in Mesopotamia, the growth of the Babylonian and Hittite kingdoms, and the rise of the Assyrian and Persian empires.

Al margen de la norma : manifestaciones y representaciones siniestras de lo femenino en el Próximo Oriente antiguo

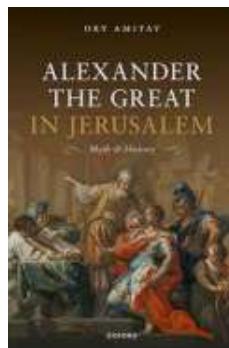


D'Amico, Claudia A. (ed.)
 1. ed.
 Universidad de Sevilla, 2025
 (Shadum ; 3)
 216 p. ; 24x17 cm.
 9788447226320
 13,00 €

Desde mediados del siglo XX, el interés por la aplicación de la perspectiva de género ha permitido un acercamiento crítico a las representaciones femeninas y el lugar que ocupan en los textos y el arte del Próximo Oriente antiguo.

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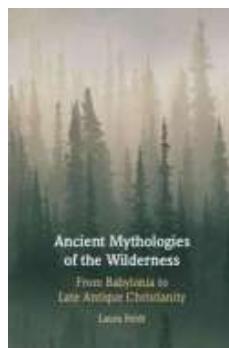
Alexander the Great in Jerusalem : myth and History



Amitay, Ory
 1. ed.
 Oxford University Press, 2025
 220 p. ; 23x15 cm.
 9780198929529
 119,60 €

Alexander the Great in Jerusalem: Myth and History discusses four different stories told in antiquity about the meeting between Alexander the Great and the Judeans of Jerusalem. In history, this meeting passed without noticeable events. Into the historical void stepped various Judean storytellers, who wrote not what was, but what could (or even should) have been.

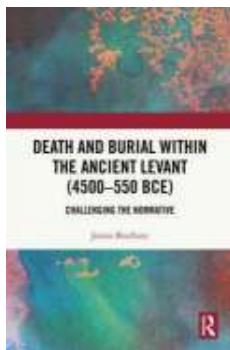
Ancient Mythologies of the Wilderness : from Babylonia to late Antique Christianity



Feldt, Laura
 1. ed.
 Cambridge University Press,
 2025
 354 p. ; 22x15 cm.
 9781009574549
 128,14 €

Ancient wilderness mythologies have been criticised for their role in forming anthropocentric outlooks on the natural world, and idealising human separateness from the rest of the living world. Laura Feldt here challenges these ideas and presents a new approach to the question of the formative role of ancient wilderness mythologies.

Death and Burial within the Ancient Levant (4500-550 BCE) : challenging the Normative

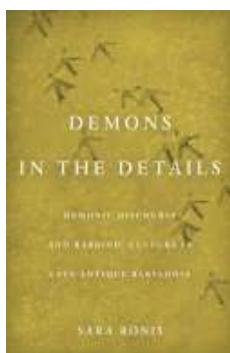


Bradbury, Jennie
 1. ed.
 Routledge, 2025
 450 p.
 9781032894973
 206,45 €

This book offers a comprehensive survey of burial practices in the ancient Levant and challenges some of the assumptions behind previous attempts to find a normative burial practice.

Exploring the dazzling variety of ways in which the living deal with the dead, this book utilises big data projects and legacy data to highlight the sheer diversity of burial practices in the ancient Levant.

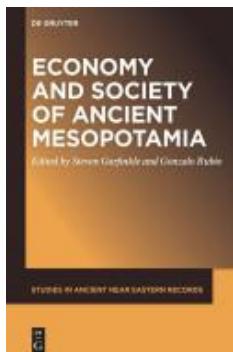
Demons in the Details : demonic Discourse and Rabbinic Culture in Late Antique Babylonia



Ronis, Sara
 1. ed.
 University of California Press,
 2025
 316 p.
 9780520418363
 42,71 €

The Babylonian Talmud is full of stories of demonic encounters, and it also includes many laws that attempt to regulate such encounters. In this book, Sara Ronis takes the reader on a journey across the rabbinic canon, exploring how late antique rabbis imagined, feared, and controlled demons.

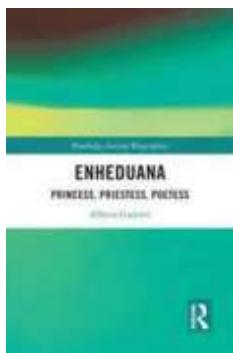
Economy and Society of Ancient Mesopotamia



Garfinkle, Steven (ed.)
 Rubio, Gonzalo (ed.)
 1. ed.
 Walter de Gruyter, 2025
 (Studies in Ancient Near Eastern Records (SANER) ;
 35)
 170 p.
 9781501521126
 114,35 €

The study of the ancient economy is receiving renewed scholarly interest, but the rich documentation from ancient Mesopotamia is often absent from these discussions. In this volume, six scholars survey the evidence across three millennia of cuneiform archives to present a detailed picture of the economy and society of ancient Mesopotamian communities, from the city-states of the early Third Millennium to the empires of the First Millennium.

Enheduana : princess, Priestess, Poetess



Gadotti, Alhena
 1. ed.
 Routledge, 2025
 (Routledge Ancient Biographies)
 132 p.
 9781032641133
 71,18 €

Enheduana: Princess, Priestess, Poetess offers the first comprehensive biography of Enheduana, daughter of Sargon of Agade and one of the most intriguing, yet elusive, women from antiquity. Royal princess, priestess, and alleged author, Enheduana deserves as much attention as her martial relatives. A crucial contributor to her father's military ambitions, Enheduana nonetheless wielded religious and economic power, as evidenced by primary and secondary sources.

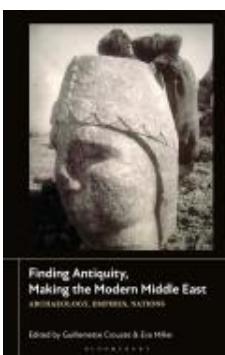
Etruria and Anatolia : material Connections and Artistic Exchange



Baughan, Elizabeth P. (ed.)
 Pieraccini, Lisa (ed.)
 1. ed.
 Cambridge University Press, 2025
 (Mediterranean Studies in Antiquity)
 368 p. ; 24x17 cm.
 9781009151030
 35,58 €

Striking similarities in Etruscan and Anatolian material culture reveal various forms of contact and exchange between these regions on opposite sides of the Mediterranean. This is the first comprehensive investigation of these connections, approaching both cultures as agents of artistic exchange rather than as side characters in a Greek-focused narrative. It synthesizes a wide range of material evidence from c.

Finding Antiquity, Making the Modern Middle East : Archaeology, Empires, Nations



Crouzet, Guillemette (ed.)
 Miller, Eva (ed.)
 1. ed.
 Bloomsbury, 2025
 288 p. ; 23x15 cm.
 9781350458697
 128,14 €

This volume presents innovative studies of how the emerging disciplines of archaeology and ancient history shaped the modern Middle East, and how they were in turn shaped by competing visions and agendas of empires and new nations. The Middle East was a region constructed through its putatively unique relationship to the whole world's past-and its special relevance for the destiny of empires and nations.

La arqueología española en Tierra Santa : pasado y presente



Montero Fenollós, Juan-Luis (ed.)
 1. ed.
 Ministerio de Asuntos Exteriores, 2024
 300 p. ; 22x24 cm.
 9788419003133
 35,00 €

Una obra que expone las profundas raíces de la presencia científica española en una región de una riqueza arqueológica excepcional, sobre las que los investigadores de nuestro país realizan importantes aportaciones en condiciones nunca fáciles. Una sacrificada y meritaria labor en cuyo apoyo está firmemente comprometida la Obra Pía de los Santos Lugares.

Las obras más hermosas de la literatura acadia



Jiménez Zamudio, Rafael (ed.)
 1. ed.
 Ediciones Cátedra, 2025 (Letras universales)
 464 p. ; 18x11 cm.
 9788437648675
 19,95 €

"Las obras más hermosas de la literatura acadia" presenta una selección de aquellos textos que, por su importancia y calidad, resultan imprescindibles para acceder no solo al rico y desconocido mundo de la literatura y la cultura en lengua acadia, sino a la antigua Mesopotamia en general.

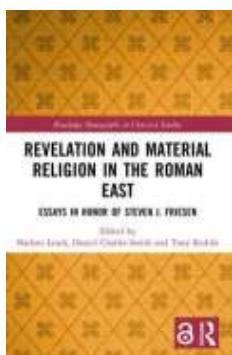
Le nord de l'Anatolie : identités et territoires de l'Antiquité à nos jours



Barat, Claire (dir.)
 1. ed.
 Presses universitaires de Rennes, 2025
 (Histoire)
 342 p.
 9782753599222
 29,74 €

Le nord de l'Anatolie correspond aux rivages septentrionaux de l'actuelle Turquie, bordés par la mer Noire, et à leur arrière-pays. L'annexion de la Crimée en 2014 et l'invasion de l'Ukraine le 24 février 2022 par la Russie ont montré l'enjeu stratégique que représente encore la mer Noire, tant d'un point de vue politique que commercial et sécuritaire. L'ouvrage vise à faire découvrir une région mal connue.

Revelation and Material Religion in the Roman East : essays in Honor of Steven J. Friesen



Leach, Nathan (ed.)
 Smith, Daniel Charles (ed.)
 Keddie, Tony (ed.)
 1. ed.
 Routledge, 2025
 (Routledge Monographs in Classical Studies)
 344 p.
 9781032382685
 56,94 €

This collection of essays from a diverse group of internationally recognized scholars builds on the work of Steven J. Friesen to analyze the material and ideological dimensions of John's Apocalypse and the religious landscape of the Roman East.

Readers will gain new perspectives on the interpretation of John's Apocalypse, the religion of Hellenistic cities in the Roman Empire, and the political and economic forces that shaped life in the Eastern Mediterranean.

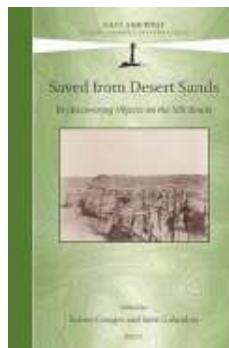
Roman Carthage : a reappraisal



Carlsen, Jesper (ed.)
 Lund, John (ed.)
 1. ed.
 Edizioni Quasar, 2024
 (Analecta Romana Instituti Danici Supplementum ; 58)
 344 p. ; 29x21 cm.
 9788854915398
 37,27 €

"The papers in the present volume originate from the international conference "Roman Carthage: A Reappraisal" held at the Danish Institute in Rome, 18-20th of January 2022. The overriding aim of the conference was to take stock of our current knowledge of Roman Carthage with a view to identifying future directions.

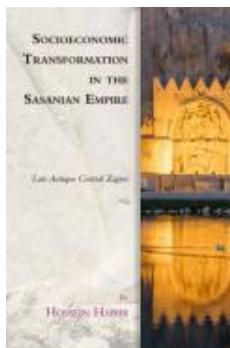
Saved from Desert Sands : re-discovering Objects on the Silk Roads



Granger, Kelsey (ed.)
 Galambos, Imre (ed.)
 1. ed.
 Brill, 2024
 (East and West ; 18)
 302 p. ; 23x15 cm.
 9789004693388
 156,54 €

Saved from Desert Sands, edited by Kelsey Granger and Imre Galambos, unites historians, codicologists, art historians, archaeologists, and curators in the study of material culture on the Silk Roads. The re-discovery of forgotten manuscript archives and sand-buried cities in the twentieth century has brought to light thousands of manuscripts and artefacts.

Socioeconomic Transformation in the Sasanian Empire : Late Antique Central Zagros



Habibi, Hosseini
 1. ed.
 Edinburgh University Press,
 2025
 208 p. ; 23x15 cm.
 9781474475570
 49,82 €

Explores the cultural landscapes of the late antique Central Zagros and their long-term transformations. Contextualises the socioeconomic milieu of the Sasanian Central Zagros in the late antique Near East. Highlights the role of nomadic and transhumant populations in the cultural formation processes of the Central Zagros, along with settled groups and urban societies.

Presents an overview according to an interdisciplinary approach mainly based on material data of various sorts and evidence from pr

Soldados judíos en el ejército romano : de la integración a la exclusión

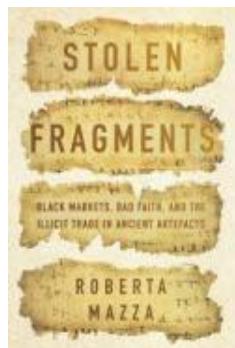


González Salinero, Raúl
 1. ed.
 Marcial Pons, Ediciones de Historia, 2025
 (Estudios)
 292 p. ; 22x14 cm.
 9788419892140
 34,00 €

La pluralidad de expresiones religiosas dentro del judaísmo antiguo con anterioridad a la época en que se impuso la corriente rabínica desautoriza la suposición de que algunas costumbres y preceptos religiosos (especialmente el sabbat) impedirían la incorporación de los judíos al ejército romano salvo que renunciasen a su cultura ancestral.

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Stolen Fragments : Black Markets, Bad Faith, and the Illicit Trade in Ancient Artefacts



Mazza, Roberta
 1. ed.
 Combined Academic Publishers, 2024
 272 p. ; 22x15 cm.
 9781503632509
 35,60 €

In 2012, Steve Green, billionaire and president of the Hobby Lobby chain of craft stores, announced a recent purchase of a Biblical artefact—a fragment of papyrus, just discovered, carrying lines from Paul's letter to the Romans, and dated to the second century CE. Noted scholar Roberta Mazza was stunned. When was this piece discovered, and how could Green acquire such a rare item?

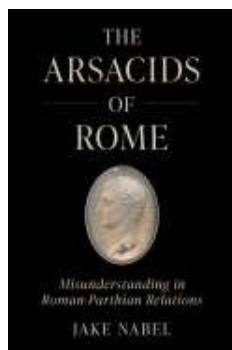
Sur les traces de l'empire des Grands Rois : enquête historiographique



Briant, Pierre
 1. ed.
 Société d'édition Les Belles Lettres, 2025
 1156 p. ; 24x16 cm.
 9782251456706
 101,82 €

Plus étendu que ne le fut jamais l'Empire romain, l'Empire achéménide, né vers le milieu du vie siècle puis renversé par Alexandre et ses armées entre 334 et 323, a réuni pendant plus de deux siècles des peuples et des pays d'une immense variété linguistique et culturelle entre l'Indus et la Méditerranée orientale, et de l'Asie centrale à la première cataracte du Nil.

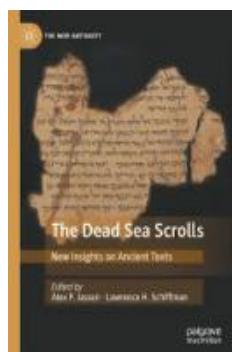
The Arsacids of Rome : misunderstanding in Roman-Parthian Relations



Nabel, Jakel
 1. ed.
 University of California Press,
 2025
 (Iran and the Ancient World)
 286 p. ; 22x15 cm.
 9780520413061
 42,71 €

At the beginning of the common era, the two major imperial powers of the ancient Mediterranean and Near East were Rome and Parthia. In this book, Jake Nabel analyzes Roman-Parthian interstate politics by focusing on a group of princes from the Arsacid family—the ruling dynasty of Parthia—who were sent to live at the Roman court.

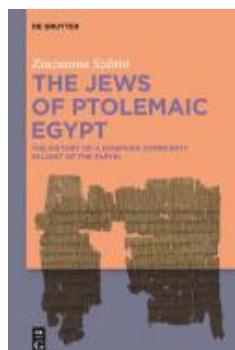
The Dead Sea Scrolls : New Insights on Ancient Texts



Jassen, Alex P.
 Schiffman, Lawrence H. (ed.)
 1. ed.
 Springer, 2024
 (The New Antiquity)
 xvi, 267 p.
 9783031531767
 128,97 €

This volume draws readers into the exciting world of the Dead Sea Scrolls – around 930 manuscripts which were discovered in caves near the ancient settlement of Qumran between 1947 and 1956, and which transformed scholarship of the Bible, Judaism and Christianity.

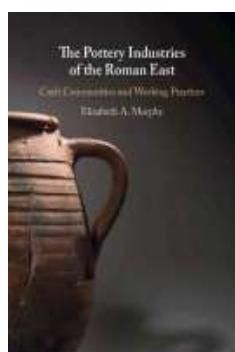
The Jews of Ptolemaic Egypt : The History of a Diaspora Community in Light of the Papyri



Szántó, Zsuzsanna
 1. ed.
 Walter de Gruyter, 2024
 293 p.
 9783111425047
 114,35 €

This book offers a comprehensive and nuanced history of the Jews of Egypt, who constituted an important ethnic minority ever since they first appeared in the country. As part of the Greek-speaking ruling class, the Jews played an active role in the political, social and cultural life of Ptolemaic Egypt.

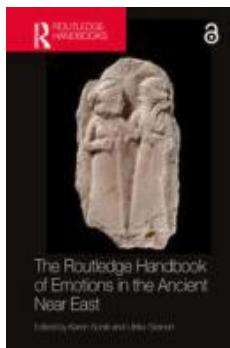
The Pottery Industries of the Roman East : craft Communities and Working Practices



Murphy, Elizabeth A.
 1. ed.
 Cambridge University Press,
 2025
 263 p. ; 25x17 cm.
 9781009514606
 128,14 €

What was the social experience of work in the ancient world? In this study, Elizabeth Murphy approaches the topic through the lens offered by a particular set of workers, the potters and ceramicists in the eastern provinces of the Roman Empire. Her research exploits the rich and growing dataset of workshops and production evidence from the Roman East and raises awareness of the unique features of this particular craft in this region over several centuries.

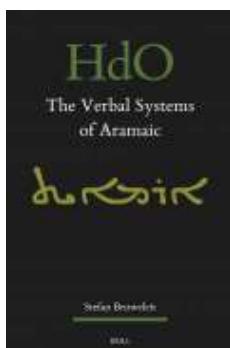
The Routledge Handbook of Emotions in the Ancient Near East



Sonik, Karen (ed.)
Steiner, Ulrike (ed.)
1. ed.
Routledge, 2024
816 p.
9781032749686
64,05 €

This in-depth exploration of emotions in the ancient Near East illuminates the rich and complex worlds of feelings encompassed within the literary and material remains of this remarkable region, home to many of the world's earliest cities and empires, and lays critical foundations for future study.

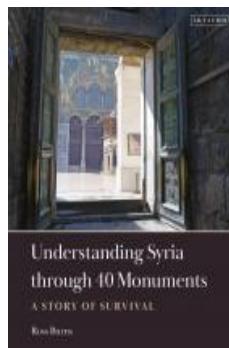
The Verbal Systems of Aramaic



Bruweleit, Stefan
1. ed.
Brill, 2025
(Handbook of Oriental Studies. Section 1 The Near and Middle East ; 187)
xx, 849 p.
9789004714151
197,33 €

In *The Verbal Systems of Aramaic*, Bruweleit analyses the Aramaic verbal systems from Old Aramaic to the modern dialects. He examines whether the verb forms are to be analysed as aspectual, temporal or modal and decides whether the verbal systems are to be regarded as aspect-, tense- or mood-prominent. On a diachronic level, the study investigates which conclusions the verbal systems allow regarding the classification and history of Aramaic.

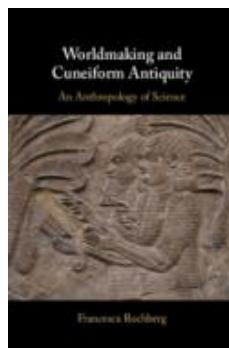
Understanding Syria through 40 Monuments : A Story of Survival



Burns, Ross
1. ed.
Bloomsbury, 2024
280 p. ; 24x18 cm.
9780755645282
30,59 €

How can a nation's archaeological treasures help explain its history, especially one as richly complex as Syria's? Ross Burns chooses 40 among Syria's outstanding range of sites, accompanied by over 200 colour illustrations, to take the reader through the tangled paths of this crossroads of the eastern Mediterranean where numerous world cultures intersected.

Worldmaking and Cuneiform Antiquity : An Anthropology of Science



Rochberg, Francesca
1. ed.
Cambridge University Press, 2025
278 p. ; 22x15 cm.
9781009522335
121,02 €

Objects of knowledge exist within material, immaterial, and conceptual worlds. Once the world is conceived from the perspective of others, the physical ontology of modern science no longer functions as a standard by which to understand other orderings of reality, whether from ethnographical or historical sources.