

Communicating Risks and Benefits: An Evidence-Based User's Guide provides the scientific foundations for effective communications. The book authoritatively summarizes the relevant research, draws out its implications for communication design, and provides practical ways to evaluate and improve communications for any decision involving risks and benefits. Topics include the communication of quantitative information and warnings, the roles of emotion and the news media, the effects of age and literacy, and tests of how well communications meet the organization's goals. The guide will help users in any organization, with any budget, to make the science of their communications as sound as the science that they are communicating.

Regarding Educacion Bryant Jensen 2012 The "Latino Education Crisis" not only threatens to dash the middle class aspirations of the nation's largest immigrant group, it is also an ominous sign for democratic engagement and global competitiveness for U.S. society as a whole. This timely book argues that this crisis is more aptly characterized as a "Mexican Education Crisis." This book brings together voices that are rarely heard on the same stage—Mexican and U.S. scholars of migration, schooling, and human development—to articulate a new approach to Mexican-American schooling: a bi-national focus that highlights the interpersonal assets of Mexican-origin children. Contributors document the urgency of adopting this approach and provide a framework for crossing national and disciplinary borders to improve scholarship, policy, and practice associated with PreK–12 schooling. Contributors: James D. Bachmeier, Frank D. Bean, Susan K. Brown, Benilde García Cabrero, Cynthia García Coll, Regina Cortina, Ivania de la Cruz, Guadalupe Ruiz Cuéllar, Claudia Galindo, Francisco X. Gaytán, Edmund T. Hamann, Nadia Huq, Mark A. Leach, Gabriela Livas Stein, Carmina Makar, Mary Martinez-Wenzl, Vilma Ortíz, María Guadalupe Pérez Martínez, Leslie Reese, Rosaura Tafoya-Estrada, Edward Telles, Ernesto Treviño, Víctor Zúñiga "This volume is one of a kind. . . . It represents a first step in what we hope will be an ongoing relationship between the institutions and the researchers on both sides of the border who have both an appreciation for the importance of this work and a dedication to improving the educational opportunities of those students that we share in time, space, and culture." —From the Foreword by Patricia Gándara and Eugene García "A fresh, eye-opening array of essays that highlights how the economic and cultural vitality of the U.S. and Mexico is so tightly interwoven in colorful and breathtaking ways. Setting aside strident allegations of how immigrants differ from mainstream society, the authors illustrate our commonalities, how Mexican parents are among the most pro-family, hardest working families in our society. 'Bien educado' is not just metaphor: it animates how immigrant parents raise engaged children, along with a vibrant optimism about getting into America." —Bruce Fuller, Professor, Education & Public Policy, University of California, Berkeley "Regarding Educación is an extraordinary achievement. World-class scholars from both the U.S. and Mexico come together to engage one of the most important developments in education in the 21st century: How do we educate the children we share across transnational borders to thrive in an ever more interconnected, miniaturized, and fragile global world? The answers they provide are timely, riveting, and humane. It is a book every teacher, every policymaker, and every engaged citizen interested in globalization and education must read." —Marcelo M. Suárez-Orozco, Dean and Distinguished Professor of Education, UCLA Graduate School of Education and Information Studies

The Quest for Artificial Intelligence Nils J. Nilsson 2009-10-30 Artificial intelligence (AI) is a field within computer science that is attempting to build enhanced intelligence into computer systems. This book traces the history of the subject, from the early dreams of eighteenth-century (and earlier) pioneers to the more successful work of today's AI engineers. AI is becoming more and more a part of everyone's life. The technology is already embedded in face-recognizing cameras, speech-recognition software, Internet search engines, and health-care robots, among other applications. The book's many diagrams and easy-to-understand descriptions of AI programs will help the casual reader gain an understanding of how these and other AI systems actually work. Its thorough (but unobtrusive) end-of-chapter notes containing citations to important source materials will be of great use to AI scholars and researchers. This book promises to be the definitive history of a field that has captivated the imaginations of scientists, philosophers, and writers for centuries.

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Foreign investment in eastern and southern Europe after 2008. Béla Galgóczi 2015-12-01 This book investigates the role that foreign direct investment (FDI) in central-eastern and southern Europe has played in the post-crisis period, comparing patterns across countries and sectors. An overarching objective of this publication is to assess the extent to which FDI can still be seen as a key driver of economic development, modernisation and convergence for Europe's low- and middle-income economies, taking into account also the risks and limiting factors associated with FDI.

TWENTY-FIRST CENTURY'S FUEL SUFFICIENCY ROADMAP STEVE ESOMBA, Dr.

Introduction to Policing Gene L. Scaramella 2010-12-09 Focusing on the thought-provoking, contemporary issues that underscore the challenging world of policing, this easy-to-understand text balances theory, research, and practice to give students a comprehensive overview of both the foundations of policing and the expanded role of today's police officers. The engaging writing style and stories from the field, coupled with unique coverage of the issues of policing in multicultural communities the impact of globalization on policing, make this book a must have for policing courses

SEAT IBIZA PETROL & DIESEL ('08-'17). HAYNES. 2019

Billboard 2009-07-25 In its 114th year, Billboard remains the world's premier weekly music publication and a diverse digital, events, brand, content and data licensing platform. Billboard publishes the most trusted charts and offers unrivaled reporting about the latest music, video, gaming, media, digital and mobile entertainment issues and trends.

Vauxhall/Opel Meriva Haynes Publishing 2014-07 A maintenance and repair manual for the DIY mechanic.

Making the Grade William A. Fischel 2009-11-15 A significant factor for many people deciding where to live is the quality of the local school district, with superior schools creating a price premium for housing. The result is a "race to the top," as all school districts attempt to improve their performance in order to attract homebuyers. Given the importance of school districts to the daily lives of children and families, it is surprising that their evolution has not received much attention. In this provocative book, William Fischel argues that the historical development of school districts reflects Americans' desire to make their communities attractive to outsiders. The result has been a standardized, interchangeable system of education not overly demanding for either students or teachers, one that involved parents and local voters in its governance and finance. Innovative in its focus on bottom-up processes generated by individual

behaviors rather than top-down decisions by bureaucrats, Making the Grade provides a new perspective on education reform that emphasizes how public schools form the basis for the localized social capital in American towns and cities.

Proceedings of I4SDG Workshop 2021 Giuseppe Quaglia

Behaviour of Steel Structures in Seismic Areas Federico Mazzolani 2009-12-03 Behaviour of Steel Structures in Seismic Areas comprises the latest progress in both theoretical and experimental research on the behaviour of steel structures in seismic areas. The book presents the most recent trends in the field of steel structures in seismic areas, with particular reference to the utilisation of multi-level performance bas

Digital Jihad Erik Skare 2016-10-15 A new and innovative form of dissent has emerged in response to the Israeli occupation of Palestine. Dubbed "electronic jihad", this approach has seen organized groups of Palestinian hackers make international headlines by breaching the security of such sites as the Tel Aviv Stock Exchange, AVG, Avira, Whatsapp, and BitDefender. Though initially confined to small clandestine groups, "hacktivism" is now increasingly being adopted by militant Palestinian parties, including Hamas and Palestinian Islamic Jihad, who have gone so far as to incorporate hackers into their armed brigades. Digital Jihad is the first book to explore this rapidly evolving and still little understood aspect of the Palestinian resistance movement. Drawing on extensive interviews with hackers and other activists, it provides a unique and fascinating new perspective on the Palestinian struggle.

Applied Technologies Miguel Botto-Tobar 2020-03-02 This second volume of the three-volume set (CCIS 1193, CCIS 1194, and CCIS 1195) constitutes the refereed proceedings of the First International Conference on Applied Technologies, ICAT 2019, held in Quito, Ecuador, in December 2019. The 124 full papers were carefully reviewed and selected from 328 submissions. The papers are organized according to the following topics: technology trends; computing; intelligent systems; machine vision; security; communication; electronics; e-learning; e-government; e-participation.

Ukraine Investment and Business Guide Volume 1 Strategic and Practical Information IBP USA 2013-08 Ukraine Investment and Business Guide - Strategic and Practical Information

The World Factbook 2003

America's Top Restaurants 2009 Bill Corsello 2008-10 Rates the best dining experiences around the country with reviews of restaurants in over twenty-five cities.

Critical Theory Today Lois Tyson 2012-09-10 Critical Theory Today is the essential introduction to contemporary critical theory. It provides clear, simple explanations and concrete examples of complex concepts, making a wide variety of commonly used critical theories accessible to novices without sacrificing any theoretical rigor or thoroughness. This new edition provides in-depth coverage of the most common approaches to literary analysis today: feminism, psychoanalysis, Marxism, reader-response theory, new criticism, structuralism and semiotics, deconstruction, new historicism, cultural criticism, lesbian/gay/queer theory, African American criticism, and postcolonial criticism. The chapters provide an extended explanation of each theory, using examples from everyday life, popular culture, and literary texts; a list of specific questions critics who use that theory ask about literary texts; an interpretation of F. Scott Fitzgerald's *The Great Gatsby* through the lens of each theory; a list of questions for further practice to guide readers in applying each theory to different literary works; and a bibliography of primary and secondary works for further reading.

Glocalized Solutions for Sustainability in Manufacturing Jürgen Hesselbach 2011-03-19 The 18th CIRP International Conference on Life Cycle Engineering (LCE) 2011 continues a long tradition of scientific meetings focusing on the exchange of industrial and academic knowledge and experiences in life cycle assessment, product development, sustainable manufacturing and end-of-life-management. The theme "Glocalized Solutions for Sustainability in Manufacturing" addresses the need for engineers to develop solutions which have the potential to address global challenges by providing products, services and processes taking into account local capabilities and constraints to achieve an economically, socially and environmentally sustainable society in a global perspective. Glocalized Solutions for Sustainability in Manufacturing do not only involve products or services that are changed for a local market by simple substitution or the omitting of functions. Products and services need to be addressed that ensure a high standard of living everywhere. Resources required for manufacturing and use of such products are limited and not evenly distributed in the world. Locally available resources, local capabilities as well as local constraints have to be drivers for product- and process innovations with respect to the entire life cycle. The 18th CIRP International Conference on Life Cycle Engineering (LCE) 2011 serves as a platform for the discussion of the resulting challenges and the collaborative development of new scientific ideas.

Concept Automobiles Source Wikipedia 2013-09 Please note that the content of this book primarily consists of articles available from Wikipedia or other free sources online. Pages: 80. Chapters: Lincoln MKS, Peugeot 908 HDi FAP, Lexus LF, Hummer HX, XR-400, Ferrari P4/5 by Pininfarina, ULTRA AP, CityCar, ElectroSport, Rambler Tarpon, Range Rover Evoque, Rolls-Royce Ghost, Concept car, Syrena Sport, AMC AMX-GT, AMC Cavalier, Dymaxion car, Aurora, General Motors Firebird, Lincoln Futura, Russo-Balt, Amitron, Wrightspeed X1, Aston Martin Rapide, DNV Fuel Fighter, Lincoln MKR, Eliica, Dome Zero, SEAT Tribu, Plymouth Slingshot, Mizzou Hydrogen Car Team, Mako Shark, Nike ONE, General Motors Hy-wire, SEAT Leon Twin drive, SEAT Altea Prototipo, Jaguar C-X75, BMW Vision Efficient Dynamics, Maserati Birdcage 75th, Lancia Megagamma, Lincoln MK9, Yamaha OX99-11, Jeep Hurricane, Le Sabre concept car, SEAT Tango, Phantom Corsair, SEAT Cupra GT, Red Bull X2010, Buick Y-Job, Experimental Safety Vehicle, Microdot, General Motors Sequel, Jeep Trailhawk, Al Araba 1, SEAT Salsa, Infiniti Essence, Porsche 114, Electron, Magnetic air car, Scottish Aviation Scamp, SEAT Bolero, Prodrive P2, Bertone Mantide, Ferrari Modulo, Lexus 2054, Bugatti 1/83 Chiron, Lotus CityCar, SEAT IBE, General Motors XP-883, Scion Fuse, Lotus M90, Cadillac Urban Luxury Concept, Rinspeed Presto, Ferrari Millechili, General Motors Ultralite, Suzuki GSX-R/4, EcoJet concept car, Pac-car, Buick Velite, Lincoln C, General Motors Precept, GMC Terradyne, Lincoln Navicross, Lotus APX, Range Stormer, Minissima, Peugeot Hoggar, Peugeot BB1, Buick Centieme, Vector W2, Mercury Meta One, Peugeot 907, Peugeot Quark, SEAT Proto, Titan, GMC Terracross, Zagato Raptor, Buick Blackhawk, GMC Denali XT, Vauxhall SRV, Ferrari GG50, Ferrari Mythos, SEAT Concepto T, Citroen Revolte 2009, Saturn Curve, Lancia Sibilo, Vector WX-3, Bugatti EB118, Citroen Lacoste, Maserati Boomerang, Pierce Silver Arrow, Rolls-Royce 100EX, Buick Bengal, Bertone Pirana, GM Stir-Lec I, Lamborghini...

Global Status Report on Road Safety 2013 World Health Organization 2013 This report provides legislation data last updated in 2011 and fatality data updated for 2010.