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Author bio
David Samuels is Distinguished McKnight University Professor of Political Science. He received his Ph.D. from the University of California at San Diego in 1998.
Short description
This print textbook is available for students to rent. Countries and Concepts: Politics, Geography, Culture presents a critical overview of comparative politics, examining the strengths and vulnerabilities of various political systems around the globe. In order to help students achieve a balanced understanding of the discipline the author focuses on eleven countries, exploring the political culture, political institutions and political history of each. The 13e highlights important recent developments, such as Brexit, Russia's conflict with Ukraine, and the Chinese government's response to the Hong Kong protests.

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Author bio
Michael G. Roskin, a former foreign-service officer and AP newsman, studied in Belgrade, Yugoslavia, and taught on a Fulbright in Toulouse, France.
Short description
This print textbook is available for students to rent. International Relations enables students to form a framework for analyzing the complex and constantly changing information that comprises our increasingly interconnected world. Opening students’ eyes to the positive and negative events that occur across the globe every day the authors offer a strong foundation in current global affairs, with insight into topics like foreign assistance in the developing world, the changing nature of war and global poverty levels. The 12e offers significant new and revised content — on the North Korean nuclear crisis, the 2016 U.S. election results and more.

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IR: The New World of International Relations, Updated Edition [RENTAL EDITION]
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Michael Roskin

Short description
This print textbook is available for students to rent. IR: The New World of International Relations helps students understand how the global system has shifted over the course of a century or more — and how it continues to change. Beginning with a background in world history and geography the authors highlight the fascinating and sometimes dramatic qualities of the field while giving students the knowledge to think critically about the challenges faced by the United States in an era of globalization. The Updated 11e offers coverage of recent developments on the international scene, such as those relating to the Arab Spring and China’s claims to its nearby seas.

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Politics

Author bio
Michael G. Roskin, a former foreign-service officer and AP newsman, studied in Belgrade, Yugoslavia, and taught on a Fulbright in Toulouse, France.
Short description
This print textbook is available for students to rent. Research Methods: A Process of Inquiry is a comprehensive research methodology text that is carefully constructed to introduce important topics in a systematic, conceptually relevant way. Complex concepts such as validity, operational definitions, and statistical inference are introduced early in the text, but only to the degree needed at that point — they are then expanded later in the text. This approach creates a coherent model that makes complex material more accessible for students. The 9e has been heavily updated, including coverage of new topics, updated examples and references and more.

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Author bio
Anthony M. Graziano is Professor Emeritus, Psychology, State University of New York, Buffalo (1969-2000) & was Co-Director of the Research Center for Children and Youth and interim Director of Clinical Psychology.
Short description
This print textbook is available for students to rent. For courses in Social Problems. In Conflict and Order: Understanding Society examines society from a conflict perspective, prompting students to ponder one of the central questions of sociology: Who benefits from the existing customs and social order, and who does not? Via their conflict-centered approach the authors offer a realistic appraisal of society and lead students to think critically about existing social arrangements with an eye toward restructuring society along more humane lines. The 15e has been updated with the latest statistics as well as coverage of contemporary trends.

Discipline/Subject
Sociology

Author bio
D. Stanley Eitzen (1934–2017) was professor emeritus in sociology at Colorado State University, where he taught for 21 years and received the John N. Stern Distinguished Professor award.
Revel for The Sociology Project: Essentials -- Combo Access Card

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For courses in Introductory Sociology. Revel™ The Sociology Project: Essentials shows how sociologists analyze our world and sets students off on their own journeys of sociological inquiry. Each chapter of this brief text has been authored by one or more faculty members from the NYU Sociology Department. This collaboration offers a unique approach that draws on the collective wisdom of a large, successful sociology department. At its core this book seeks to inspire each student's sociological imagination and instilling in each reader a new determination to question the world around us. Fully digital and highly engaging, Revel replaces the textbook and gives students everything they need for the course.

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Author bio
Written collaboratively by members of the NYU Sociology Department
Short description
This print textbook is available for students to rent. Marriages, Families and Intimate Relationships: A Practical Introduction offers a research-based overview of intimacy, family and personal happiness that addresses the questions that matter most to today's students. Utilizing an accessible writing style with plenty of examples, colorful facts and apt quotes the authors show how to apply three important sociological perspectives, structural-functional, conflict, and symbolic interaction, to key topics such as gender, sexuality, marriage, parenting and uncoupling. The 5e includes fully updated research, as well as expanded coverage of gender identity and gender fluidity.

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Author bio
Brian K. Williams is married to Stacey Sawyer, and they live near Lake Tahoe, Nevada, and share an avid interest in seeing college students become well educated.
Short description
This print textbook is available for students to rent. Social Problems: A Down-to-Earth Approach presents clear analysis of the major social problems we face today, with an emphasis on how these issues are relevant to students’ lives. Utilizing a consistent chapter structure and approaching problematic issues from various sides the author encourages critical thinking as he seeks to instill in students a lasting sociological perspective. The 13e offers thoroughly updated data as well as examples of contemporary social problems drawn from recent headlines in order to emphasize the relevance of the course to students’ daily lives.

Discipline/Subject
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Author bio
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Short description
This print textbook is available for students to rent. Social Problems focuses on how people construct problems and how they develop potential solutions, based on their political attitudes. Analyzing issues from liberal, radical-left, conservative and libertarian points of view the author encourages students to develop their own positions and helps them attain the knowledge they need to engage in solving social problems through activism and political discussion. In addition to coverage of contemporary topics and updated data, the 8e offers a new chapter focused on social media and a revised chapter on sexuality that better explores how sexuality is linked to social stratification.

Discipline/Subject
Sociology

Author bio
John J. Macionis [pronounced ma-SHOW-nis] has been in the classroom teaching sociology for more than forty years.
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Short description
This print textbook is available for students to rent. Social Problems helps students to see that many things they perceive as personal troubles are actually rooted in the social arrangements of society and require social solutions to be resolved. The authors bring our most pressing social problems to life through both personal vignettes and empirical data. By highlighting the issues that resonate today, the authors hope to make the work of social activists more effective and to inspire some readers to take up their causes. Updated with the latest data, the 16e highlights topics pulled from recent headlines, such as health care, suicide & mass shootings

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Author bio
Karen Seccombe is a proud community college graduate, receiving the mentoring and support needed to continue her education in sociology and social work.
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Author bio
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