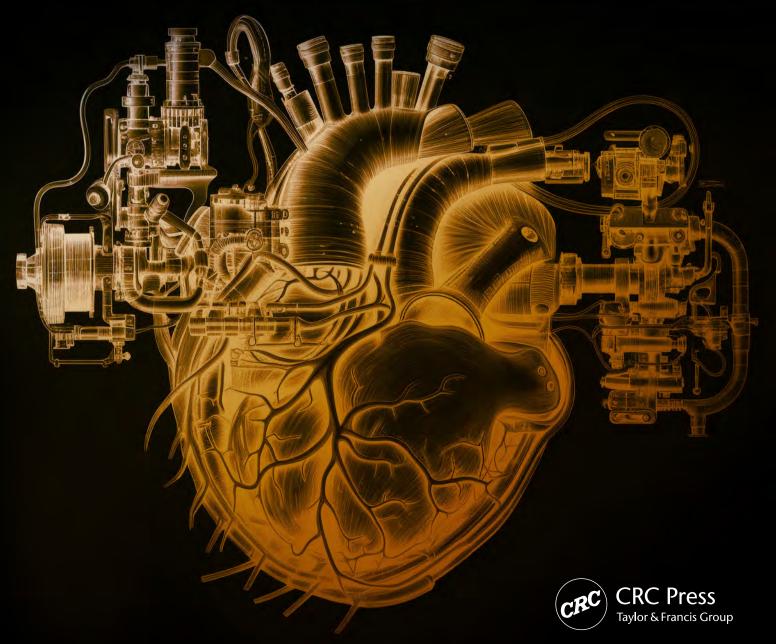
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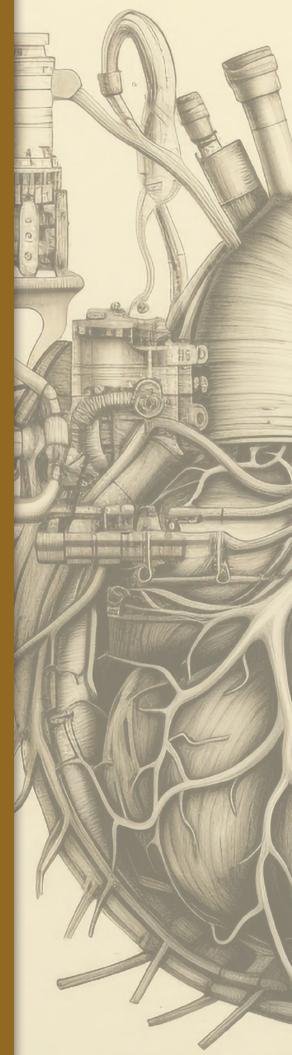


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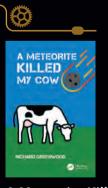
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A Meteorite Killed My Cow Stuff That Happens When Space Rocks Hit Earth

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the author of *A Meteorite Killed My Cow*, explains our secret relationship with space rocks.

Science plays a vital role in our lives daily. However, it is a subject that is often obscured by impenetrable jargon and can seem opaque to the general reader. Meteorite science is a particular case in point. While most people may have a passing interest in comets, meteorites, and asteroids, these are objects that are far removed from their everyday experiences. Or at least that is the common perception. The truth is very different. Ordinary people encounter space rocks daily and are totally unaware of them.

Meteorites are generally harmless, with the notable exception of a dead cow in Venezuela and a large number of dinosaurs. They are arriving on Earth every day, everywhere, usually in the form of fine dust. The result is that meteorites can be collected from the rooftops of houses everywhere. The bigger bits turn up too. Most drop into the oceans, and that is about it. But regularly, meteorites fall on dry land, sometimes close to people. It can be a bruising encounter, as a lady in Alabama, unfortunately, discovered back in 1954.

A Meteorite Killed My Cow introduces the readers to the fascinating and sometimes bizarre world of meteorites. They are important objects that have consequences for their lives past, present, and future. I wrote it in an accessible, clear, layman-friendly style. I used a non-technical approach, so the book will be of interest to a wide and non-specialist readership. It emphasises the human side of meteorites and how ordinary people can and do encounter meteorites in a wide variety of settings.





The book is divided into sixteen chapters and there are also two appendices covering the more technical aspects of meteorite science. The book is linked to online webpages which provide additional information for the more technically interested reader. Chapter 1 looks in detail at the legend of the Valera cow-killing meteorite, from which the book takes its name. This incident is used as a pretext to discuss some general aspects of meteorite impacts. Chapter 2 recounts the true story of an English pensioner who was nearly killed by a meteorite as he worked in his garden. In Chapter 3 the reader is introduced to the fact that meteorites fall everywhere, in the form of fine dust, and that using the right techniques this material can be recovered and studied. The evidence that the dinosaurs were wiped out by a giant meteorite is examined in Chapter 4. There is an exotic side to meteorite science, and this is highlighted in chapter 5 by the tale of the English spy who located a meteorite in the deserts of Saudi Arabia. The importance of meteorites to the existence of humanity is discussed in Chapter 6. Meteorites often have exotic names, and one example is a meteorite called Camel Donga. Chapter 7 starts by examining how meteorites are named and then takes the reader on a journey to Asteroid 4 Vesta, the second-largest object in the asteroid belt. Chapter 8 recounts a meteorite mystery from the deserts of

North Africa and Chapter 9 looks at what happens when meteorites smash into the Earth at very high velocity. We are back to the picturesque English countryside in Chapter 10, with the fall of the Winchcombe meteorite in 2021. In life, some years are more important than others. Chapter 11 looks at 1969, which turned out to be a very eventful year for the study of meteorites. The frozen wastes of Antarctica are the most important place on Earth for finding meteorites. Chapter 12 looks at how these frozen samples were first discovered and why they are so important to science. As discussed in Chapter 13, hot desert regions are increasingly fruitful places to hunt for meteorites. Waiting for meteorites to crash land on Earth can be a bit of a frustrating business. Chapter 14 looks at recent missions that have collected samples directly from asteroids. The extraordinary story of how scientists began to realise that we have meteorites from Mars is the subject of Chapter 15. Finally, as discussed in Chapter 16, meteorites contain tiny grains that predate our Solar System.

A Meteorite Killed My Cow is a space book like no other. It is lavishly illustrated with an extensive number of colour photos and diagrams that will help to bring the subject alive for a wide readership.





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# IN CONVERSATION WITH Sandra Johnson

the author of *Soft Power for the Journey* and the first African American woman to earn a Ph.D. in Electrical and Computer Engineering in the United States

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#### What inspired you to write your memoir?

Several years ago, I had a conversation with a friend who emphatically said to me that I was special and unique. She mentioned there are few people in the world who look like me and do what I do. Stop trying to blend in and be like the rest of us. You need to stand out and be visible, to inspire and encourage others to pursue STEM careers.

Sometime later I was listening to a radio discussion about how to get more young people into STEM. The panelists expressed frustration with so many focusing on an unlikely career in professional sports. They asserted that aspiring to a STEM career is more viable and would lead to a comfortable and desirable lifestyle, and an opportunity to make a positive contribution to our global society.

I internalized these discussions and a few years later started writing about significant events in my life. This led to the writing and completion of my memoir a few decades later. I want to inspire people to pursue STEM careers. I also want to encourage all who face obstacles and challenges to find their inner strength to keep moving forward.

# What the title of your book, *Soft Power for the Journey*, means?

Soft Power is drive, inner strength, perseverance, boldness, confidence, determination, and strong faith. I have leveraged this soft power in my life's journey.

#### You were the first African American woman to earn a Ph.D. in Electrical and Computer Engineering in the United States. How did this impact your career?

I was unaware of being the first when I was in graduate school for the first few years of my career. I just knew there were no African American women in my discipline in school, and certainly at my level at IBM Research. I was aware of only one who earned her Ph.D. two years after me. She became a university professor.

I had adjusted to being the only one and focused on the work. My professional interests and passions were in line with those of my colleagues. In this regard, I felt right at home and actively contributed substance, as a team member, on many impactful projects. From time to time, I encountered issues. However, I was able to work through them with the assistance of mentors and sponsors





who were in positions of power and influence. While there were a few times when I was slow in getting the recognition, etc. for my work, I never felt as though my career was derailed.

#### You had some challenging experiences in graduate school and navigating corporate America. How did those experiences affect the trajectory of your career?

I used soft power, along with invaluable assistance, advice, and words of wisdom from mentors, sponsors, and friends, in most instances, to address these challenges. As a result, I learned how to navigate academia and corporate America, and became stronger and wiser. It was this combination that affected my career trajectory.

For example, it was the disappointment of a promotion that I believe I earned that was the catalyst for me to take some time to focus on who I am and why am I here on earth. That led me to find my true purpose and destiny, and it was not what I originally thought. So that event accelerated the discovery of my true purpose. I believe I would have eventually got here, but it was the obstacle that accelerated the trajectory. I am happy to be someone who is living on purpose. It makes life more fulfilling.

### What advice would you give to young women who plan for a career in STEM?

If you have a passion for this, and you know this is something you were born to do, then pursue it with every ounce of your being. Surround yourself with supporters. They may be family, friends, sponsors, mentors, and coaches. Some of them may not be able to help you technically but do not underestimate the power of positive, moral support. Do not allow the uninformed and unenlightened to tell you that you do not belong. They are merely sharing with you their unsolicited opinion. You are the captain of your ship. You steer it in the right direction, and you will have a long, impactful, and rewarding career. All the best to you!

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"For anyone who harbors self-doubt possibly triggered by "imposter syndrome" or by being a "first and only" (what some describe as "Jackie Robinson syndrome"), the proposed book can be directly and compassionately relatable and helpful to them. For anyone from the broader community and readership who may wish to understand better and more intimately what persons who experience either or both of the two aforementioned syndromes might at times face and have to deal with in their lives and careers, the proposed book can effectively speak directly and informatively to them as well. And for all who aspire to attain success at the highest levels to fulfil their innate potential for accomplishment and achievement, no matter their past or current economic and/or social status, this book can motivate and be a north star for them in striving for and reaching their goals."

– Timothy M. Pinkston, Ph.D., Professor and Vice Dean, USC Viterbi School of Engineering, University of Southern California





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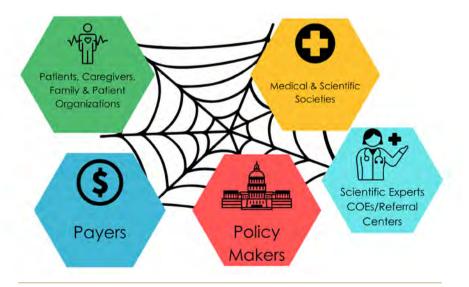


### Kirk Shepard, Charlotte Kremer and Garth Sundem

describe the role of Medical Affairs in ensuring patients benefit from pharmaceutical industry innovations.

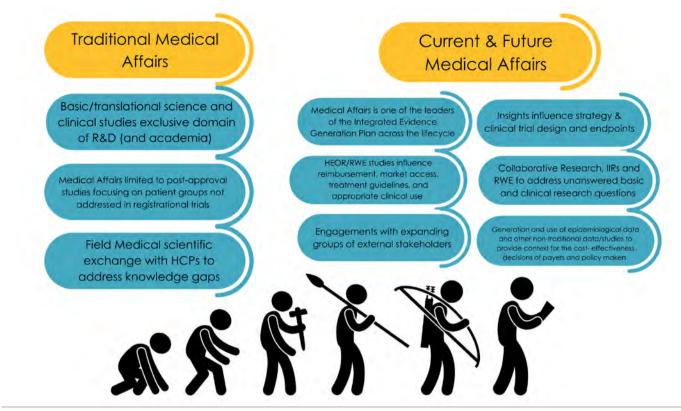
Medical Affairs is the least understood of the biopharmaceutical industry's three functional pillars. Research and development discover new health innovations. Commercial markets and sells them. But what does the Medical Affairs pillar do? The answer is that people within Medical Affairs do many things. For example, a PharmD student might find a fellowship in industry that leads to a role as a Medical Science Liaison, working out of a home office to conduct scientific exchange and provide expert advice to healthcare professionals to guide clinical care. Or, an MD might transition from leading clinical trials at an academic medical center into a similar role managing Medical Affairs-sponsored clinical trials. Or, a basic researcher might decide their heart lies in writing about science and leverage their skills and knowledge with academic journals into a position in Medical Affairs publications.

In part, the diversity of Medical Affairs is what makes it hard to understand. Even within the profession, the three people in the previous examples might have only a cursory understanding of what their colleagues do in other subfunctions (in this case, Field Medical, Evidence Generation, and Medical Communications). This is true despite the benefits of close collaboration between these groups; for instance, a research study by an Evidence Generation team could form the basis for a journal article by Publications, with Field Medical team members communicating the results to healthcare professionals.



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Thus, the primary purpose of this textbook is to create a clear understanding of the profession within the profession – providing a normative overview of Medical Affairs subfunctions along with a baseline understanding of individuals' roles within these subfunctions.

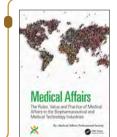
Furthermore, the book demonstrates how all these subfunctions work together to ensure that industry products benefit patients and society. Traditionally, health sciences companies were structured to bring products through clinical trials to the "finish line" of regulatory approval. The thinking went that if a drug or device worked in trials, it would work broadly across real-world populations – and healthcare professionals were largely left to sort out any nuances in clinical use.

Too often, the result was that promising products were misunderstood, misused, and misvalued, blunting their uptake and thus their ability to impact patients' lives.

Today, the scientific complexity of treatments has increased, with new drugs and devices targeting specific patient populations. For some time, we've known that the safety and efficacy data from registration trials, performed with a narrow and carefully selected patient population, may not perfectly generalize to a real-world patient population that includes individuals with diverse geographic, racial, ethnic, age, compliance, comorbidity, and treatment journey characteristics. At the same time, audiences desiring medical and scientific information have further expanded to include, for example, patients and patient advocacy groups, and all audiences expect near real-time, accurate information presented across a range of channels. Medical Affairs is the function within the broader biopharmaceutical industry best positioned to help external stakeholders make sense of treatment complexity; it is the function best positioned to answer questions of real-world safety and effectiveness; and it is the function best positioned to not only disseminate scientific knowledge but to also listen and respond to external stakeholders' need for information.

In other words, if R&D develops drugs and Commercial sells them, then Medical Affairs ensures that health innovations benefit patients, transforming science into real-world clinical outcomes. Through leadership, research, communication, and partnerships with individuals and organizations, Medical Affairs powers the ability of industry to serve real people in the real world with real innovations that make a population-scale difference in improving quantity and quality of life.

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## Roman V. Yampolskiy

the author of *AI: Unexplainable, Unpredictable, Uncontrollable,* about the deeply enigmatic nature of Artificial Intelligence.

# What motivated you to write *AI: Unexplainable, Unpredictable, Uncontrollable*?

The motivation came from understanding the rapidly evolving field of Artificial Intelligence (AI) and the recognition of the critical gaps and challenges in this domain. As I am a researcher and an expert in AI Safety and Security, the drive to write this book was rooted in the urgency to address the complexities and risks associated with advanced AI systems. It was also motivated by the need to inform and prepare society, policymakers, and the AI research community about the potential trajectories and implications of AI development.

#### Why do you think Artificial Intelligence is "unexplainable, unpredictable, and uncontrollable?"

The characterization of AI as "unexplainable, unpredictable, and uncontrollable" reflects the intrinsic complexities and limitations of current AI technologies. Unexplainability pertains to the often opaque nature of AI decision-making processes, especially in deep learning, where the reasoning behind specific decisions or predictions can be challenging to interpret. Unpredictability refers to the difficulty in foreseeing the outcomes or behaviors of AI systems, particularly when they encounter novel situations or data outside their training parameters. Uncontrollability highlights the challenges in ensuring that AI systems consistently adhere to human values, intentions, and control, especially as they become more autonomous and capable.

## What are the potential hazards and unintentional consequences of AI?

The potential hazards and unintentional consequences of AI encompass a broad spectrum. This includes ethical dilemmas, such as bias in decision-making and privacy concerns; safety issues, such as autonomous systems acting in unintended ways; and broader societal impacts, like unemployment due to automation or the amplification of misinformation. There is also the existential risk that could arise from superintelligent AI systems whose goals diverge from human values.

# What is the AI Control problem that you describe in the book?

The AI Control Problem, as discussed in the book, revolves around the challenge of ensuring that highly advanced AI systems act in ways that are

aligned with human values and intentions. This problem becomes increasingly complex as AI systems grow in intelligence and autonomy. The control problem encompasses technical aspects (like safe alignment, robustness, and interpretability), ethical considerations (aligning AI with diverse human values), and governance issues (creating effective policies and regulations).

### Do you think humans can develop AI that is safe and secure? How?

The possibility of developing safe and secure AI hinges on advancements in AI safety research, ethical AI design, and robust governance frameworks. This involves interdisciplinary efforts, combining insights from computer science, ethics, policy, and other relevant fields. Techniques like transparency in AI processes, robust testing and validation methods, and adaptable governance structures are crucial. The book argues that while it's extremely challenging, it is essential to strive for safe AI development to mitigate risks.

### Who is your book for and what do you want readers to learn from it?

The book is aimed at a broad audience, including AI researchers, policymakers, industry professionals, and the general public interested in the implications of AI. The objective would be to educate readers about the complexities, challenges, and ethical considerations in AI development. It aims to foster a deeper understanding of the potential risks and to encourage responsible and informed engagement with AI technologies, both in development and policy-making.

#### How do you see the role of Al ethics evolving in the development and deployment of Al systems, and what steps do you believe are necessary to integrate ethical considerations effectively into Al research and industry practices?

The integration of AI ethics into AI development is paramount for ensuring that AI technologies benefit society while minimizing harm. This integration requires a multi-faceted approach. Firstly, there needs to be a stronger emphasis on interdisciplinary research, bringing together experts from computer science, ethics, sociology, law, and other relevant fields to collaboratively address the ethical implications of AI. Secondly, the education and training of AI practitioners should include ethical considerations and societal impacts as core components, fostering a culture of responsibility and ethical awareness in the AI community. Additionally, developing ethical guidelines and frameworks that are not only theoretical but also practically implementable is crucial. These frameworks should be adaptable



to the rapid advancements in AI technology and diverse cultural contexts. Industry practices must evolve to include rigorous ethical review processes, much like the institutional review boards in scientific research. Furthermore, public engagement and stakeholder involvement are essential in identifying and addressing diverse societal needs and values in AI development.

#### What are your predictions or recommendations for the future landscape of AI governance? How should governments, international organizations, and the AI community collaborate to manage the risks and harness the benefits of AI at a global scale?

The future landscape of AI governance is likely to be a complex and evolving scenario, requiring coordinated efforts at multiple levels. At the national level, governments need to develop robust policies and regulatory frameworks that encourage innovation in AI while ensuring safety, transparency, and accountability. These policies should be flexible enough to adapt to the rapid pace of technological change in Al. Internationally, there's a need for global cooperation to address issues that transcend borders, such as data privacy, cybersecurity, and the ethical use of AI in surveillance and defense. Organizations like the United Nations could play a pivotal role in facilitating dialogue and consensus-building among nations. This cooperation is critical for addressing global challenges like digital inequality and ensuring that the benefits of Al are accessible to all. Collaboration between the AI research community, industry, governments, and civil society is also essential. This collaboration should aim at sharing best practices, research findings, and developing common standards and norms. Such an inclusive approach is necessary to balance innovation with ethical considerations and societal well-being. The governance of AI should thus be a shared responsibility, reflecting a diverse range of perspectives and interests to manage the risks and maximize the benefits of AI technologies.





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the author of *Game Design Workshop* 5th edition, explains how to create the digital games you love to play.

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So much has changed in the game industry since I wrote the first edition of this book twenty years ago. There has been an explosion in new platforms of play and an emergence of exciting new markets and genres of games. Today, it seems that everyone plays games, everywhere. The one constant I see in this world of change is the need for innovative game designers to realize the potential for play in all of these new platforms and places.

And so I offer this updated twentieth anniversary edition, with its strong focus still on learning the playcentric process of design and iteration, but enhanced with updated techniques and ideas that have sprung from today's industry, and filled with the perspectives of new designers who are on the front lines of facing today's design challenges and opportunities—designers such as Jane McGonigal, lan Dallas, Dan Cook, Wren Brier, Derek Yu, Shawn Alexander Allen, Elizabeth LaPensée, Mary Flanagan, Bruce Straley, Neil Jones, Anna Anthropy, Christina Norman, and more. This edition includes sidebars on building inclusive teams, on using Al in the creative process, designing game and narrative beats for impactful moments of play, designing innovative mobile games and virtual reality content, on art games and social games, and on techniques for tuning games and using metrics to get the best player experience.

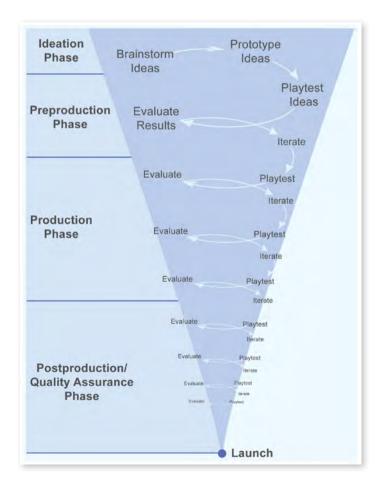
Back when I wrote the first version of this book, there was a sense in the field that game design was not something that could be taught. You either had a "knack" for games or you didn't. Needless to say, I didn't agree. Fast-forward fifteen years and the sense is completely different. Now, game design programs, such as the one that I direct at USC, are seen as incubators for innovative ideas and people. The training that students get in such programs is coalescing into a set of best practices that turn out creative people who are able to work well on diverse teams, and who have strong design skills and understanding of how to create interesting game mechanics. Some of these programs have arisen in technical schools, some in art schools, and others in a staggering variety of disciplines that cross the humanities, arts, and sciences. Game design is everywhere.

Not only is everyone learning game design, but everyone is doing it. Today's schoolchildren are using construction games like Minecraft or Roblox to learn everything from art and coding to history and environmental awareness. Their love of games is leading them to learn critical skills like systems thinking and procedurality. They are modding and making and playing and learning and the boundaries between these things are no longer clear or important. What will the world look like in another fifteen years, when the children who grew up learning from and thinking in game systems become adults? What games will they want to play then? What systems will they engage with to learn more about the world? I can hardly wait to see.

The students who studied game design with me while I wrote the earlier editions of this book have completely stunned me with their talent and vision.



They have set new levels of aesthetic expectations for the field as a whole and are deeply embedded in the changes that will define the next generation of play. The games that I see coming out of the industry today, especially in the world of experimental and independent designs, make me believe that this is only the beginning of the evolution of play that we will see, culturally, creatively, and commercially.



I am so thrilled to be part of this change, and to know that this book has inspired so many to follow the path of innovative game design. I can only hope that the students and designers who read this new edition will do so with the same passion and commitment as those who have done in the past twenty years.

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- Warren Spector, Studio Director, OtherSide Entertainment





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#### Open Data for Everybody Using Open Data for Social Good Nathan Coyle

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### Nathan Coyle

the author of *Open Data for Everybody*, on how to use open data for social good.

Data connects everyone in the world in some way or another, from your smartphone to your TV, and even in the way you cross borders. It's a pivotal cog that keeps the world turning, and even if you're not fully aware, it's a significant part of your life.

But data, in its transparent form—open data—is a highly disruptive tool that can effect systemic social change, breaking down barriers.

Open data refers to freely accessible information that anyone can use, reuse, and share with minimal restrictions, typically requiring attribution and sharing alike. Essentially, open data isn't just a license; it's also a mindset, as I've come to discover. It's facing an identity crisis. Open data has often been associated with a high corporate image due to its significant influence on the business sector, especially its influence on government. There's a perception that it's exclusively for use by businesses, academics, and scientific research. Consequently, institutions of this nature have been sought out to shape its branding and narrative—such as the government-backed agency in my country, the United Kingdom, responsible for fostering transparency, openness, and smart practices in local governments.

However, there's a forgotten group evident in the way open data is branded: civil society and the voluntary sector. A simple visit to any open data portal worldwide would easily mislead one into thinking they are corporate entities in their own right. There's no need for a data scientist here; it's apparent that our community projects feel this isn't for them.

Yet, open data has the potential to connect our skills and enable collaborative work on various issues, be it activism, health, or academia. Irrespective of the field, open data helps us work on multiple projects simultaneously, solving real problems, driving innovation, and scientific discoveries, and even setting up projects based on specific datasets. It is an incredibly powerful tool for capacity building, assisting the third sector with everything from funding to documenting the impact they make which led me to set out to write my first book to highlight this issue.

It's a series of zeros and ones that assist us in working on projects across all facets of our community ecosystem, collaboratively working together to resolve social issues that potentially plague our society. From government corruption,

conflict prevention, and water shortages in poverty-stricken areas to curing diseases, endless opportunities and examples abound.

The book is full of hand-drawn diagrams, here are the building blocks of using open data to build trust.



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Open data suffers from an unjust reputation rooted in the corporate image it often portrays, heavily influenced by the sectors that primarily utilize it. This misalignment between open data's potential and its presented image leads to an identity crisis.

For nearly a decade, starting from grassroots work, stemming from what people might consider an economically disadvantaged background myself, I've seen the real value these organizations bring to people. From those barely getting by to those living in crisis, they need protection at all costs—especially since after COVID, there is less public money available, compelling third-sector organizations to be more resourceful and innovative.

The crux of open data's potential lies beyond corporate corridors, presenting itself as a catalyst for social change. NGOs armed with open data can substantiate their causes, spotlight disparities, and catalyze policy changes. Yet, these organizations remain largely unaware of open data's potential, often due to its alienating language and the business-centric facade presented in data portals worldwide.

To bridge this gap, storytelling emerges as a powerful tool to translate open data complexities into relatable terms. In areas with limited tech industries where open data remains an unfamiliar concept, narratives play a pivotal role. Open data, when made intelligible through relatable language, holds immense promise for grassroots organizations, transcending its current image confined within corporate realms.

The term "open data" was first coined in 1995 by an American think tank, but the idea traces back to the early 1940s when Robert King Merton described the importance of freely accessible research results for all. He believed that researchers should contribute to the "common pot" and embrace the idea of relinquishing intellectual property rights to foster knowledge advancement. This signifies that its roots lie in societal change, but somewhere along its evolution, it lost its path.

I've experienced this firsthand—from working in the social sector, participating in local government steering groups across the UK, to leading a civic innovation organization collaborating with numerous international central governments from various EU countries, the USA, Colombia, the Palestinian Authority, Kenya, Kosovo, Albania and more. We aimed to help them design training and craft more inclusive policies concerning open data for social good, getting their data into the hands of changemakers. Along this journey, I learned about the issues and potential solutions. As I transition into digital peacebuilding, I wanted to document my path, aiding others in crafting an accessible narrative around open data, what has worked via real hands-on work alongside practical applications that anybody can run in their place of work or community. My book *Open Data for Everybody: Using Open Data for Social Good* encompasses everything I've learned and put into practice. From foundational issues and workshop design to policy and strategy, and of course, mistakes, it's written in a style that everyone can understand. I aspire to share it with every government worker striving for more social impact in their work, all the way down to community activists aiming to create community resilience in their neighborhoods.

Making open data human-centered necessitates a pivotal shift, placing people at the core of data initiatives and this is a large part of the book. This approach underscores the significance of empathy, user involvement, and understanding specific needs in the design process. Human-centered design aims to create solutions precisely tailored to these needs, starting with a comprehensive understanding of individuals and their requirements. It actively engages users in the ideation, prototyping, and iterative phases, departing from traditional product development methods by consistently involving them throughout the design journey.

Moreover, the human-centered approach in open data initiatives revolves around tailoring programs to diverse user groups. Understanding the varied interests and needs of different user demographics becomes crucial to enhancing the accessibility and usefulness of open data. This approach prioritizes involving users in the design process, ensuring that open data programs effectively resonate with their intentions.

The digital revolution has changed the way we live, work, and even love. In a world where technology is deeply embedded in our lives, could it be time to recognize technology as a human right rather than merely a luxury?

Open Data for Everybody: Using Open Data for Social Good is my love letter to open data and its transformative potential. Love isn't always straightforward, but when you care deeply about something that isn't working the way it should, you strive to try and change it. Within its pages, I lay out my case to do just that.





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the author of *Exploring Operations Research with R*, about is new book.

#### Can you summarise the book in one or two sentences?

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The book provides a comprehensive introduction to R and demonstrates how R can be applied to a range of operations research challenges in the domains of public health, infectious diseases, and energy generation. The book, aimed at researchers and practitioners, can serve as a primary textbook for a course in R, with applications in operations research.

#### What motivated you to write this book?

Overall, my motivation for writing the book is that I can see excellent potential for applying computational thinking to the field of operations research. To paraphrase Jay W. Forrester, the founder of the field of System Dynamics, R can support the process of turning information into action.

The origins of the book date to 2015, when, as part of my contribution to the University of Galway's M.Sc. in Computer Science (Data Analytics), I designed an R module entitled Programming for Data Analytics. This module covered the essentials of Base R, and also exciting new R tools such as the tidyverse and Shiny. As I gained experience and expertise in R, I was highly impressed with how well it supports the data science process, through ideas such as functions, objects, vectorisation, and data processing pipelines.

I also discovered that R had excellent support for ordinary differential equations, which are used as part of the system dynamics method, and based on this, I wrote the textbook Systems Dynamics Modeling with R, to provide a unique knowledge base for SD modelers to enhance policy analysis by using computational methods that are accessible via the R Framework (e.g. the CRAN package deSolve). The response from the system dynamics community to the book was very positive, and I subsequently delivered several workshops showing how R can be used to create open-source system dynamics simulation models, and also published tutorial guides on how R can support modelling.

Given the strong links between the operations research and system dynamics communities, I had further opportunities to present this approach to colleagues in the Operational Research Society, and also design and deliver a professional development module Data Science for Operational Researchers Using R.

Feedback from these workshops and courses was encouraging and confirmed for me the potential for a detailed programming book in R that could also demonstrate the opportunity for applying R to operations research problems.

## Why R over any other programming language?

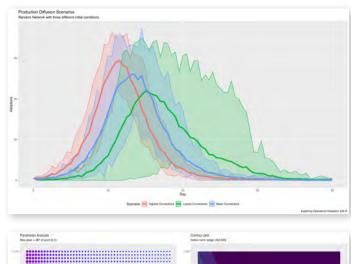
There are several reasons why R is an attractive programming language for operations research:

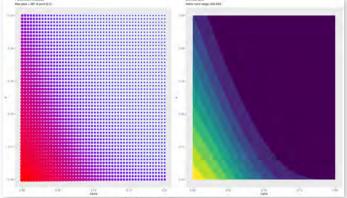
- R's excellent support for vectorisation and data pipelines means that effective solutions can be found with short snippets of code. With R an analyst can quickly process data using functions, thereby reducing the "coding overhead".
- R has a large library of packages that can be easily installed from the Comprehensive R Archive Network (CRAN). These are all open source, and include libraries to support machine learning and simulation, which are key methods in operations research.
- R has an outstanding visualisation library ggplot2 which can be used to support exploratory data analysis and communication of results.
- R is used by data scientists across many disciplines and therefore supports domains that operations research can be applied to, for example, medicine, public health, business, and energy. R can also facilitate knowledge sharing between disciplines, which can enhance the process of interdisciplinary collaboration. For example, in the area of system dynamics simulation, R can be used to prepare data for models, calibrate models to data, run sensitivity analysis, visualise output, and prepare automated reports to support the communication of results and insights.

#### What makes Operations Research techniques so powerful for areas like public health?

Operations Research is an applied field that leverages the power of mathematical and computational thinking to help solve real-world problems. In the area of public health OR, can be used to address resource allocation and capacity planning problems, using techniques such as linear programming, agent-based simulation, and system dynamics.

An advantage of the OR approach is that it is grounded in a solution-driven methodology that relies on continual interaction with clients and problem owners, for example, with distinct stages such as problem formulation, model design, model testing, and validation and implementation.





### What do you think the next major advance in Operations Research will be?

I think an opportunity in operations research is having greater integration with data science, machine learning, and artificial intelligence. With the growth in available data sets and the importance of analysing and interpreting data, it's increasingly likely that operations researchers will deploy multiple methods. For example, combining the use of inference methods with mathematical modelling to generate robust estimates of parameters, and tools such as R are ideally placed to support this. New tools in R such as GitHub co-pilot present the opportunity of an Al pair programmer that offers autocompletestyle suggestions as you write code, and these advances can augment the solutions process within operations research.

#### If a reader were to take away just one thing from this book, what do you hope it would be?

A strong practical knowledge of R can enhance their skills for addressing operations research challenges across many domains.





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### IN CONVERSATION WITH Sarah Horton and David Sloan

the authors of *What Every Engineer Should Know About Digital Accessibility*, about their new book and explain why accessibility is a core quality of digital products.

#### What motivated you to develop this book? What do you hope to achieve through it?

We have both dedicated our professional lives to digital accessibility. As designers and problem solvers and accidental technologists, we find working in digital accessibility gratifying. Technology is an enabler for everyone — despite the bad reputation it often generates. There is so much that humans can accomplish because of technology. Many of us take technology for granted and expect to be able to avail ourselves of technology tools to accomplish tasks related to work, relationships, civic engagement, healthcare, commerce — the list goes on! However, people with accessibility needs are not equally considered by people who build technologies. And this is extra unfortunate because technology can be immensely enabling — a game changer — for people with disabilities. So as technologists who love to solve important problems, and who recognize the power of assistive technology sector, we saw an opportunity to build capacity by educating engineers on what they should know about digital accessibility.

We hope the book will provide a solid foundation in the core issues related to digital accessibility. This foundational approach is necessary due to the many factors and dimensions that are germane to being an accessibility-informed professional. It's not enough to understand the ins and outs of technical specifications for things like accessible user interface elements and screen reader compatibility. Engineers need to know why they are including those specifications and implementing those requirements — who benefits, who is harmed when accessibility needs aren't addressed. Even if they aren't directly involved in research and design, engineers need to be able to translate design requirements into technical specifications and test whether accessibility features are correctly implemented so that they improve the user experience and aren't creating barriers. They need to appreciate all the factors that go into designing and implementing accessibility features and maintaining them over time. And they need to understand the importance of end-user support and communications as part of an accessibility practice. We hope that readers will come away from reading the book with this solid foundation of what every engineer should know about digital accessibility, solid enough to sustain them in practice over the full course of their career.

### What are the current most exciting developments in digital accessibility?

There is growing attention to codifying standards and regulating digital accessibility around the world, which means technologists will have clearly defined guidance on what they should know and do. For example, in the United States, the Department of Justice (DOJ) is currently considering formal rulemaking, specifying the requirements that technology professionals must follow to comply with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA). The DOJ has long affirmed that digital accessibility falls under the requirements of the ADA and that inaccessible technology is a form of disability discrimination. But despite prior efforts, they haven't yet specified requirements for compliance with the ADA for digital resources. Specific standards and regulations will have a huge impact on technology professionalism, providing the foundation for technology-related education program accreditation and professional licensing in the digital world, similar to what the ADA Standards for Accessible Design did for architecture and engineering professions in the physical world.

We're also excited about developments in the assistive technology used by people with disabilities to interact with digital products. Assistive technology innovation and integration into mainstream consumer products like smartphones and TVs help ensure these products are more usable by more people, out of the box. However, advances in assistive technology still need to be supported by accessible websites and apps. After all, even the most well-engineered wheelchair in the world still needs a doorway that's wide enough for it to fit through.

#### What are the current challenges?

Too often, insufficient attention is paid to accessibility at the start of the journey to build a digital product. That means that if accessibility does become a priority later on, decisions have already been made on what the product should look like, how it should behave, and how it should be built — decisions that limit the chances of being successful in meeting accessibility goals. The result is that accessibility gets the reputation of being challenging to implement effectively, and consequently, is too difficult and expensive to prioritize.

In addition, all too often we see technology innovations and trends that don't prioritize accessibility, meaning that the tools and processes product teams adopt make it more difficult for them to include accessibility in design and development efforts. The tools themselves may not be accessible, meaning team members with accessibility needs may be limited in how they can participate. So a major challenge is ensuring that accessibility awareness is distributed across a product team — that everyone has a shared accessibility goal, understands their particular role in meeting that goal, and has the knowledge, skills, and tools to be successful.

### Is there a particular chapter or section you strongly recommend? Why?

That's a hard question to answer as we want readers to read the whole book! We divided the book into two sections — the first section to provide readers with what we see as an essential grounding on why digital accessibility is so important by understanding who benefits from accessibility and how, and the second section to provide practical skills that can be applied throughout the product development lifecycle.

But if we were pressed to choose just one, we might suggest Chapter 3, User Accessibility Needs. This chapter focuses on the broad range of people with accessibility needs who benefit from digital accessibility — people with disabilities, older people, and people with temporary or situational impairments. When we understand why we're including accessibility as a core product quality and for whom, we humanize the design challenge. From that starting point, it only makes sense to provide solutions that genuinely benefit the people who use the products that we build.



Written to be accessible to non-experts in the subject area, *What Every Engineer Should Know about Digital Accessibility* is aimed at students, professionals, and researchers in the field of software engineering. The book is part of *What Every Engineer Should Know* series.

This is the series of concise, easy-to-understand volumes provides engineers with a compact set of primers on practical subjects such as patents, contracts, software, business communication, management science, and risk analysis, as well as more specific topics like embedded systems design. The books address important problems encountered in the line of daily practice—problems concerning new technology, business, law, and related technical fields.

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### IN CONVERSATION WITH Yudi Pawitan and Youngjo Lee

the authors of *Philosophies, Puzzles and Paradoxes*, about their new book and philosophical approaches to statistics.

#### What *Philosophies, Puzzles and Paradoxes* is about?

Our new book covers the philosophy of science, probability, likelihood, and statistics. The Practical Man might say that he has no use for truth; what matters is maximizing his expected utility. However, when we perform data analysis, there is a feeling that we are searching for the truth – the true model, the true parameter, etc. Scientists in various fields work to discover the true laws of nature, the true propositions in mathematics, the true causes of diseases, etc. It has taken philosophers many centuries to understand the nature of truth and the methods to establish it.

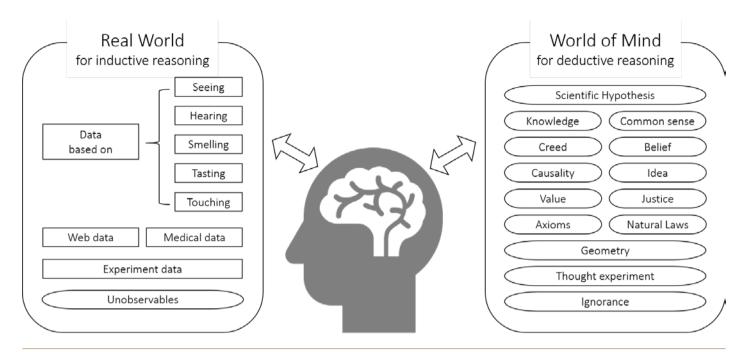
We start with what philosophers have thought and written about knowledge and truth. Then we discuss how they relate to deductive and inductive reasoning and ultimately scientific and statistical thinking. The book extensively covers the distinct philosophical approaches to statistics – Bayesian, frequentist, and likelihood, which arise from different interpretations or concepts of probability, and highlights these differences through numerous puzzles and paradoxes.

Philosophical disagreements between the frequentist and Bayesian schools have been debated for over a century. Serious students of statistics are likely to be perplexed by these disagreements, as they do not occur in other areas of mathematics or scientific disciplines such as physics, chemistry, or biology. Unfortunately, although the passionate arguments have largely died down, it's not due to any consensus. Statisticians still argue about the role of P-value and how to interpret the confidence interval. Whatever truth forms the foundation of our subject, it must be of the elusive kind that Oscar Wilde said to be rarely pure and never simple.

We have chosen puzzles and paradoxes that highlight the nature of probability, likelihood, and statistical inference; they are serious puzzles and paradoxes that have challenged the brightest minds over many decades. The existence of a paradox is a warning that there is something incomplete, if not wrong, in our reasoning. Paradoxes have always been important in the development of mathematics; for instance, Russell's paradox about the set of all sets that are not members of themselves led to the development of set theory, logic, and the foundation of mathematics. Similarly, in statistics, discussion and resolution of paradoxes may lead to a clarification of concepts and an enlargement of vocabulary that will strengthen the foundation of statistics.

### Who should read it?

Our primary readers are statisticians, including professionals and students at all levels, who are interested in the philosophical foundation of probability and



The elements of inductive reasoning (left-hand side) and deductive reasoning (right-hand side).

statistics. The book should also be of interest to those who use or think about statistics – such as philosophers, social scientists, economists, computer scientists, and engineers developing artificial intelligence and big data analyses.

Unlike mathematics, statistics deals with real-world data and involves a higher degree of subjectivity due to the role of interpretation. Interpretation is shaped by context as well as the knowledge and personal philosophical preferences of the interpreter. This potentially leads to a variety of interpretations of concepts and results. That's why that knowledge of the philosophical foundation of probability and statistics should be an integral part of one's statistical training and practice.

We have written the book in an informal and non-technical style. It is for those interested in the philosophy of science, probability, likelihood, and statistics, as well as anyone just interested in puzzles and paradoxes. Most chapters are readable by non-specialists who have some knowledge of the elementary theory of probability and statistics, perhaps after one semester each. Several topics are indeed conceptually advanced, but the corresponding discussions rarely require deep knowledge or special technical competence. At the cost of some repetitiveness, we have tried to make the chapters as self-contained as possible so that the readers can jump around following their interest.

### What motivated you to write *Philosophies, Puzzles and Paradoxes*?

Throughout our career, which started in the dark ages before the internet, we have been thinking about the foundation of statistics, about the differences between the philosophical views, particularly as highlighted by puzzles and paradoxes, though never seriously enough to write anything about them. Now that we are at the end of our careers, we realize that it would have been good for our work to know and understand these issues earlier.

### If a reader were to take one thing from your book, what do you think it should be?

The philosophical views on statistics have consequences for statistical practice, hence knowledge of their underlying philosophy helps to develop deeper statistical thinking.

#### Endorsement

"This is a remarkable book: wide-ranging, ambitious, challenging and profound but also intriguing, fascinating and original. Despite the fact that I have been thinking about the foundations of statistics for a long time, in particular as to how those foundations relate to what we want to do and achieve as practising statisticians, I learned a lot from reading it and also unlearned some things I thought I knew."

- Stephen Senn, from the Foreword of the book



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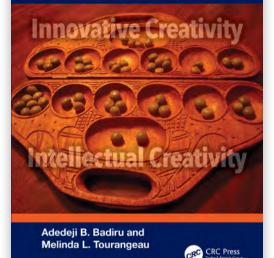
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Throughout the globe, STEM careers exist. However, in some countries, particular STEM careers have been male-dominated while in other countries no gender biases exist as it relates to STEM careers. One common trend that occurs throughout the world is that women who are working in these STEM-related fields typically leave after about five years. Contrarily, it has also been uncovered that more women stay in these fields when we all work together.

*Empowering Women in STEM: Working Together to Inspire the Future* provides the platform to share the stories of those who have been in STEM careers but have pivoted to other areas by utilizing the STEM skills they learned. It bridges the gap between those who are thinking about entering or leaving STEM careers, along with those who want to encourage others into STEM careers. This book showcases how everyone's journey is different, some may have unexpected twists and turns while others appear to conform to the "normal" rules outlined by society. By offering a front-row seat on a journey that takes many different paths, this book provides advice that can lead to a STEM career with or without having a STEM background. The different roads taken are highlighted to show that everyone's path is unique and that is okay.

With the upcoming generation constantly looking for ways to "fit in" or be able to identify with role models to help them chart their way forward, this book ensures that they have not just one, but a variety of role models and success stories to relate to. It also offers some key advice which can be applied to any field they choose. In addition to having women and men from across the globe share their stories about various fields, this book also is written for professionals who may be considering a switch of careers or deciding to leave STEM and for university students who are trying to figure out their career choices and paths to take to gain more insight into possible new career goals in STEM.





#### Loss Control Auditing A Guide for Conducting Fire,

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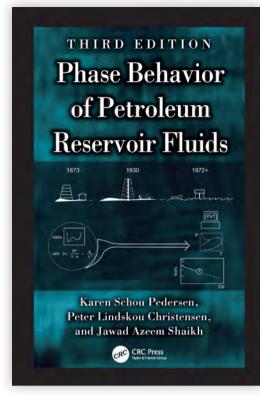
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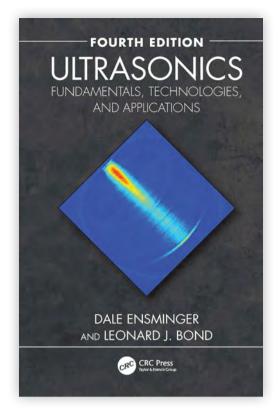
earned an MSc in petroleum technology at the University of Pune in India. His current position is Sales Director and Principal Consultant of Calsep FZ LLC in Dubai. Developed in conjunction with several oil companies using experimental data for real reservoir fluids, *Phase Behavior of Petroleum Reservoir Fluids* introduces industry standard methods for modeling the phase behavior of petroleum reservoir fluids at different stages in the process. Keeping mathematics to a minimum, this book discusses sampling, characterization, compositional analyses, and equations of state used to simulate various pressure–volume–temperature (PVT) properties of reservoir fluids.

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- Reflects advances in equation of state modeling for reservoir fluids and CO2-rich fluids
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The book includes new content covering computer modelling used for acoustic and elastic waves phenomena, including scattering, mode-conversion, transmission through layered media, Rayleigh and Lamb waves and flexural plates, modern horn design tools, Langevin transducers, and material characterization. There is more attention on process monitoring, advanced NDT/NDE, including phased arrays (PAUT), long-range ultrasonics, using guided waves (GUW), internally rotating systems (IRIS), time-of-flight diffraction (TOFD) and acoustic emission (AE). These methods are discussed applied to both metals and non-metals, using illustrations in various industries, including for food and beverage products. The topics of defect sizing, capabilities, and limitations, including probability of detection (POD), are introduced.

Provides an overview of fundamental analysis and transducer technologies needed to design and develop both measurement and processing systems.

- Considers applications in material characterization and metrology.
- Covers ultrasonic nondestructive testing and evaluation and high-power ultrasonics, which involves interactions that change the state of material.
- Highlights medical and biomedical applications of ultrasound, focusing on the physical acoustics and the technology employed for diagnosis, therapy, surgery, and research.

This book is intended for both the undergraduate and graduate scientist and engineer, as well as the working professional, who seeks to understand the fundamentals, together with a holistic treatment of the field of ultrasonics and its diversity of applications.





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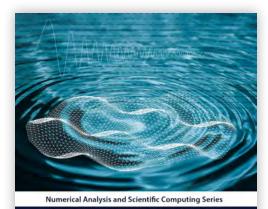
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This book is the first in a two-volume series that introduces the field of spatial data science. It offers an accessible overview of the methodology of exploratory spatial data analysis. It also constitutes the definitive user's guide for the widely adopted GeoDa open source software for spatial analysis. Leveraging a large number of real-world empirical illustrations, readers will gain an understanding of the main concepts and techniques, using dynamic graphics for thematic mapping, statistical graphing, and, most centrally, the analysis of spatial autocorrelation. Key to this analysis is the concept of local indicators of spatial association, pioneered by the author and recently extended to the analysis of multivariate data.

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- Includes spatial perspectives on cluster analysis.
- Focuses on exploring spatial data.
- Supplemented by extensive support with sample data sets and examples on the GeoDaCenter web site. This book is both useful as a reference on the software and as a text for students and researchers of spatial data science.





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- Provides various examples using Maple, Mathematica, and to a lesser extent Matlab programming languages.



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The book addresses primary care detection and management of mental health issues across the globe.

- Explores the instruments used for the detection of depression and anxiety in primary care in various countries, and why and how these instruments are being used
- Describes the pharmaceutical and non-drug interventions for treating depression and anxiety in primary care and compares the similarities and differences in detecting and managing depression and anxiety in primary care among different countries
- Includes in-depth regional examples of how screening tools are used in practice and how policies can be established in the management of depression and anxiety in primary care
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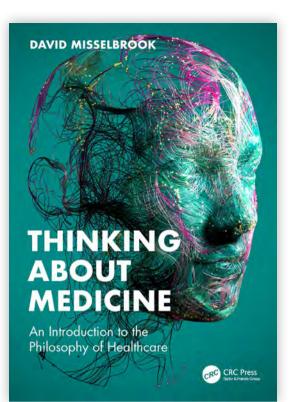
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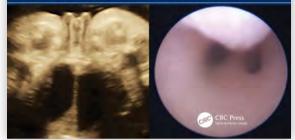
This introduction to the philosophy of medicine surveys the landscape of western philosophy as it pertains to healthcare in an accessible way. Written by a doctor for doctors and other health professionals, framing the 'toolbox' of philosophy within the community of medicine, it encourages examination of the implicit assumptions made in the construction of medical knowledge and practice.

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The book is an ideal textbook for students of medicine and medical philosophy and will also be of interest to bioethicists, medical sociologists, clinical commissioners and to practicing clinicians in medicine and the allied health professions seeking to improve their understanding of philosophy and ethics and sharpen their critical thinking skills.



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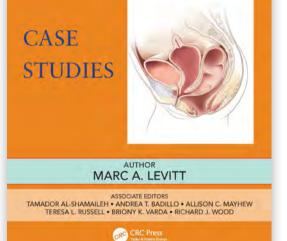
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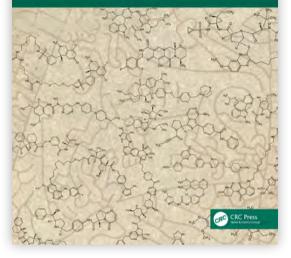
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In pharmaceutical research, solubility plays a key part in the assessment of pharmacokinetic risks. Poor drug absorption, reduced efficacy, excessive metabolism and adverse reactions are frequently related to issues of drug solubility. During early discovery research at pharmaceutical companies, many thousands of molecules are considered. Most are rejected due to perceived unfavorable properties. Here the author uses the so-called Wiki-pS0TM database which forms the backbone of this unique handbook. Also discussed is the emerging class of therapeutically-promising research molecules called PROTACs (proteolysis-targeting chimeras), showing a propensity for 'undruggable' targets.

- Comprehensive and unique listing of measured aqueous intrinsic solubility focusing on drug-like and drug-relevant molecules.
- The database can be used to predict the solubility of research pharmaceutical molecules.
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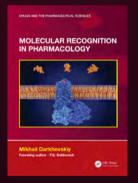
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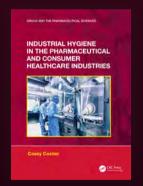
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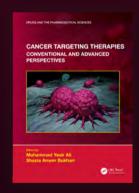
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is an associate professor at the Department of Veterinary and Animal Sciences at the University of Copenhagen. This book explores central aspects of genetic modification of animals for scientific purposes in the context technological possibilities, regulatory issues in different regions, animal welfare implications and wider ethical issues exemplified through current theories and frameworks.

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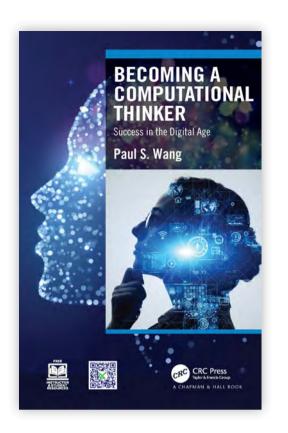
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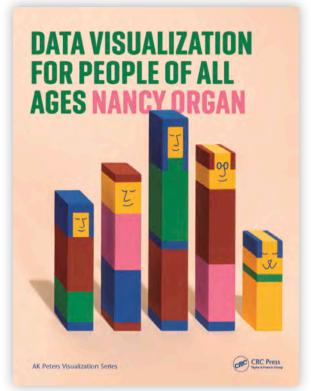
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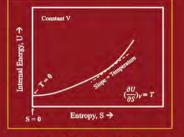
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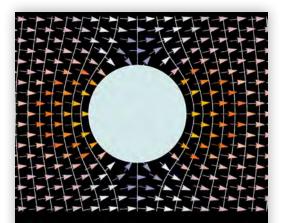
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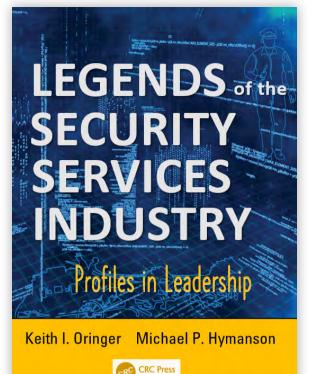
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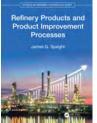
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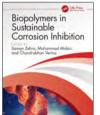
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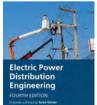
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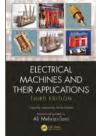
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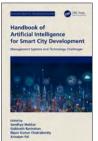
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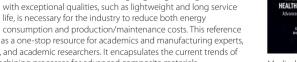
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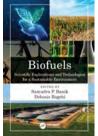
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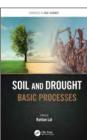
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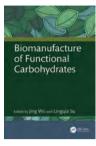
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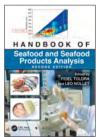
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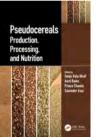
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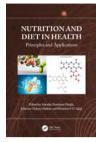
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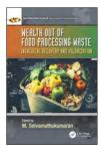
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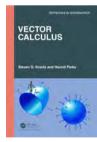
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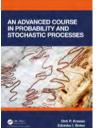
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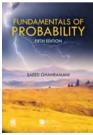
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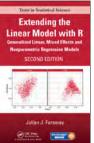
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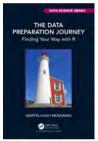
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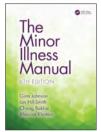
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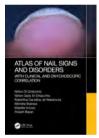
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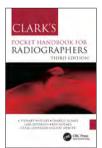
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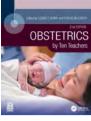
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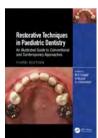
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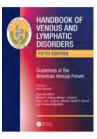
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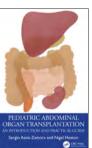
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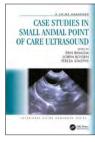
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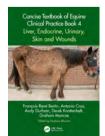
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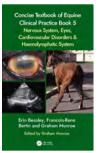
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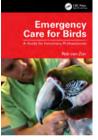
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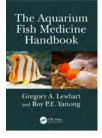
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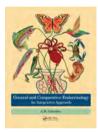
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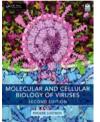
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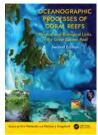
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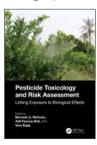
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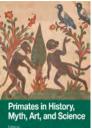
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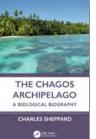
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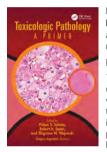
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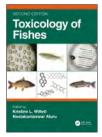
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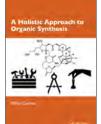
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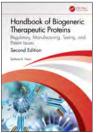
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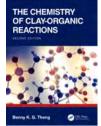
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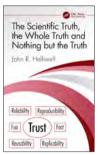


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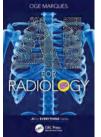
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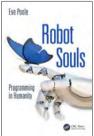
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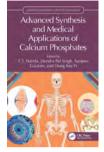
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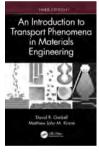
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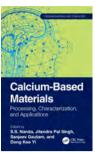
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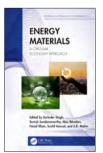
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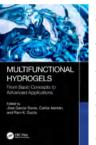
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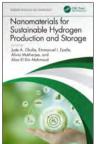
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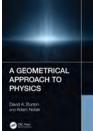
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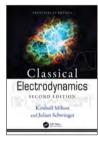
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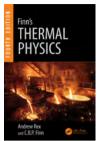
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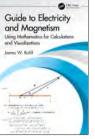
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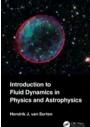
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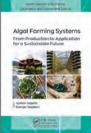
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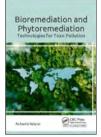
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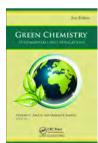
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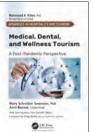
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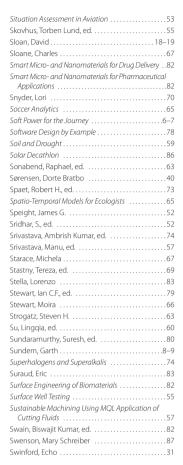


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