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Titolo	External Interventions for Disaster Risk Reduction [[electronic resource]] : Impacts on Local Communities / / edited by Imon Chowdhoree, Shams Mansoor Ghani
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Collana	Advances in 21st Century Human Settlements, , 2198-2546
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Soggetti	Natural disasters Environmental monitoring Regional planning Urban planning Climate change Remote sensing Natural Hazards Monitoring/Environmental Analysis Landscape/Regional and Urban Planning Climate Change/Climate Change Impacts Remote Sensing/Photogrammetry
Lingua di pubblicazione	Inglese
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Nota di contenuto	External Interventions for Enhancing Community Resilience: An Overview of Planning Paradigms -- Lessons Learned from Interventions of External Organizations in Disaster Management: A Case Study of Floods in Kalutara, Sri Lanka -- Dependency on External Supports: An Addition to Community Vulnerability -- Sustainable Development through Post-Disaster Reconstruction: A Unique Example in Sri Lanka -- Local Community Engagement for Adaptation to Future Challenges in The Pilot Flood Detention Area of Thailand -- Traditional Practices, Communities' Aspirations, and Reconstructed End Products: Analyzing the Post-Sidr Reconstruction in the Coastal Region of Bangladesh -- Designing Spaces with Victims of Humanitarian Crisis: Action Research

on Spaces for Children at Rohingya Camps in Bangladesh -- Disaster Risk Reduction in Cities: Towards A New Normal -- Disaster Risk Reduction in Cities: Towards A New Normal -- Rethinking Roles of Local Non-Governmental Organizations (LNGO) in Managing Disaster Risks in Historic Neighborhoods: Experiences from the City of Lagos, Nigeria -- A Complexity Approach for Reducing Disaster Risks for Marginalized Urban Populations: Comparing DRR Interventions across Four Cities -- Adaptation and Development for Mitigating Impacts of Climate Change and Climate Extremes -- Public and Private Sector Interventions in Post-Disaster Resettlement: A Case Study of Model Villages in Pakistan -- Effectiveness of Disaster Risk Reduction (DRR) and Climate Change Adaptation (CCA) Training Programs: Views and Voices from Barisal Division, a Coastal Region in Bangladesh -- To 'Float' or 'Not': Cases of Amphibious Housing and Their Impacts on Vulnerable Communities of Jamaica.

Sommario/riassunto

This book presents a case study-based analysis of the consequences of external interventions, critically evaluating them from community perspectives. Communities – from rural to urban, and around the world – that are experiencing disasters and changes in climatic variables can perceive the associated risks and evaluate the impacts of interventions. Accordingly, community perspectives, including their perceptions, concerns, awareness, realizations, reactions and expectations, represent a valuable resource. The case-based analysis of impacts on communities can provide a 'means of learning' from the experiences of others, thus expanding professionals' knowledge base, especially regarding disaster mitigation and climate change adaptation practices in varied settings. This book offers valuable insights and lessons learned, in an effort to promote and guide innovative changes in the current planning, management and governance of human settlements, helping them face the future challenges of a changing environment. .

2. Record Nr.	UNINA9910459958003321
Autore	Weddle David L (David Leroy), <1942->
Titolo	Miracles [[electronic resource]] : wonder and meaning in world religions / / David L. Weddle
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Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (268 p.)
Disciplina	202/117
Soggetti	Miracles Religions Electronic books.
Lingua di pubblicazione	Inglese
Formato	Materiale a stampa
Livello bibliografico	Monografia
Note generali	Description based upon print version of record.
Nota di bibliografia	Includes bibliographical references and index.
Nota di contenuto	Frontmatter -- Note about the Cover -- Contents -- Preface -- 1 Preliminary Considerations -- 2 Hinduism -- 3 Judaism -- 4 Buddhism -- 5 Christianity -- 6 Islam -- Afterword -- Notes -- Bibliography -- Index -- About the Author
Sommario/riassunto	Despite the dominance of scientific explanation in the modern world, at the beginning of the twenty-first century faith in miracles remains strong, particularly in resurgent forms of traditional religion. In <i>Miracles</i> , David L. Weddle examines how five religious traditions—Hinduism, Judaism, Buddhism, Christianity, and Islam—understand miracles, considering how they express popular enthusiasm for wondrous tales, how they provoke official regulation because of their potential to disrupt authority, and how they are denied by critics within each tradition who regard belief in miracles as an illusory distraction from moral responsibility. In dynamic and accessible prose, Weddle shows us what miracles are, what they mean, and why, despite overwhelming scientific evidence, they are still significant today: belief in miracles sustains the hope that, if there is a reality that surpasses our ordinary lives, it is capable of exercising—from time to time—creative, liberating, enlightening, and healing power in our world.

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Titolo	Revue internationale de droit compare
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Disciplina	340/.2/05
Soggetti	Comparative law Internationaal recht Dret comparat DERECHO COMPARADO - PUBLICACIONES PERIODICAS Periodicals.
Lingua di pubblicazione	Francese
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Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (XVII, 233 p. 18 illus.)
Collana	Water Security in a New World, , 2367-4008
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Soggetti	Sociology Social structure Equality Environmental management Gender Studies Social Structure, Social Inequality Water Policy/Water Governance/Water Management
Lingua di pubblicazione	Inglese
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Sommario/riassunto

This book examines water security as a prime example of how the economic, socio-cultural and political-normative systems that regulate access to water reflect the evolving and gendered power relations between different societal groups. Access to water is characterized by inequalities: it depends not only on natural water availability, but also on the respective socio-political context. It is regulated by gender-differentiated roles and responsibilities towards the resource, which are strongly influenced by, among others, tradition, religion, customary law, geographical availability, as well as the historical and socio-political context. While gender has been recognized as a key intervening variable in achieving equitable water access, most studies fail to acknowledge the deep interrelations between social structures and patterns of water use. Proof of these shortcomings is the enduring lack of data on water accessibility, availability and utilization that sufficiently acknowledges the relational nature of gender and other categories of power and difference, like class and socioeconomic status, as well as their comprehensive analysis. This book addresses this major research gap.