

1. Record Nr.	UNINA9910779007803321
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Titolo	Crossing with the Virgin [[electronic resource]] : stories from the migrant trail / / Kathryn Ferguson, Norma A. Price, and Ted Parks ; with forewords by Claudia Aburto Guzman and John M. Fife
Pubbl/distr/stampa	Tucson, : University of Arizona Press, c2010
ISBN	1299191711 0816521212
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (239 pages)
Altri autori (Persone)	PriceNorma A. <1942-> ParksTed <1955->
Disciplina	304.8/730720922
Soggetti	Noncitizens - Mexican-American Border Region Humanitarian assistance - Mexican-American Border Region Border crossing - Mexican-American Border Region Illegal immigration - Mexican-American Border Region United States Emigration and immigration Social aspects Mexico Emigration and immigration Social aspects
Lingua di pubblicazione	Inglese
Formato	Materiale a stampa
Livello bibliografico	Monografia
Note generali	Bibliographic Level Mode of Issuance: Monograph
Nota di bibliografia	Includes bibliographical references.
Nota di contenuto	Foreword - Claudia Aburto Guzmán -- Foreword - Rev. John M. Fife -- Discovering the Migrant Trail -- Stories from the Migrant Trail -- Norma -- Ted -- Kathryn -- Ted -- Norma -- Kathryn -- Norma -- Ted -- Homage - Kathryn -- Epilogue
Sommario/riassunto	"Over the past ten years, more than 4,000 people have died while crossing the Arizona desert to find jobs, join families, or start new lives. Other migrants tell of the corpses they pass--bodies that are never recovered or counted. Crossing With the Virgin collects stories heard from migrants about these treacherous treks--firsthand accounts told to volunteers for the Samaritans, a humanitarian group that seeks to prevent such unnecessary deaths by providing these travelers with medical aid, water, and food. Other books have dealt with border crossing; this is the first to share stories of immigrant suffering at its worst told by migrants encountered on desert trails. The Samaritans write about their encounters to show what takes place on a

daily basis along the border: confrontations with Border Patrol agents at checkpoints reminiscent of wartime; children who die in their parents' desperate bid to reunite families; migrants terrorized by bandits; and hovering ghost-like above nearly every crossing, the ever-present threat of death. These thirty-nine stories are about the migrants, but they also tell how each individual author became involved with this work. As such, they offer not only a window into the migrants' plight but also a look at the challenges faced by volunteers in sometimes compromising situations--and at their own humanizing process. Crossing With the Virgin raises important questions about underlying assumptions and basic operations of border enforcement, helping readers see past political positions to view migrants as human beings. It will touch your heart as surely as it reassures you that there are people who still care about their fellow man."- from eBook Central

2. Record Nr.	UNINA9910781414403321
Autore	Koskenniemi Martti
Titolo	The politics of international law / / Martti Koskenniemi
Pubbl/distr/stampa	Oxford ; ; Portland, Oregon : , : Hart Publishing, , 2011
ISBN	1-84731-776-6 1-4725-6558-4 1-283-34020-8 9786613340207 1-84731-655-7
Edizione	[1st ed.]
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (389 p.)
Classificazione	PR 2180
Disciplina	341
Soggetti	International law - Political aspects International relations World politics
Lingua di pubblicazione	Inglese
Formato	Materiale a stampa
Livello bibliografico	Monografia
Note generali	Includes Index.
Nota di bibliografia	Includes bibliographical references and indexes.
Nota di contenuto	Between Apology to Utopia : The Politics of International Law -- The Politics of International Law - 20 Years Later -- The Place of Law in

Collective Security -- 'The Lady Doth Protest Too Much' : Kosovo, and the Turn to Ethics in International Law -- The Effect of Rights on Political Culture -- Human Rights, Politics and Love -- Between Impunity and Show Trials -- Faith, Identity, and the Killing of the Innocent : International Lawyers and Nuclear Weapons -- International Law and Hegemony : a Reconfiguration -- What is International Law For? -- Between Commitment and Cynicism : Outline for a Theory of International Law as Practice -- Style as Method : Letter to the Editors of the Symposium -- Miserable Comforters : International Relations as New Natural Law -- The Fate of Public International Law : Between Technique and Politics.

Sommario/riassunto

"Today international law is everywhere. Wars are fought and opposed in its name. It is invoked to claim rights and to challenge them, to indict or support political leaders, to distribute resources and to expand or limit the powers of domestic and international institutions.

International law is part of the way political (and economic) power is used, critiqued, and sometimes limited. Despite its claim for neutrality and impartiality, it is implicit in what is just, as well as what is unjust in the world. To understand its operation requires shedding its ideological spell and examining it with a cold eye. Who are its winners, and who are its losers? How - if at all - can it be used to make a better or a less unjust world? In this collection of essays Professor Martti Koskenniemi, a well-known practitioner and a leading theorist and historian of international law, examines the recent debates on humanitarian intervention, collective security, protection of human rights and the 'fight against impunity' and reflects on the use of the professional techniques of international law to intervene politically. The essays both illustrate and expand his influential theory of the role of international law in international politics. The book is prefaced with an introduction by Professor Emmanuelle Jouannet (Sorbonne Law School), which locates the texts in the overall thought and work of Martti Koskenniemi."--Bloomsbury Publishing.

3. Record Nr.	UNINA9910908800103321
Autore	Odijk Paul van
Titolo	Private Schadensgestaltung als Drittbelastung. : Fangprämien, Vertrags- und Verbandsstrafen: Regressfähige Schadensposten oder unzulässige Rechtsgeschäfte zu Lasten Dritter?
Pubbl/distr/stampa	Berlin, : Duncker & Humblot, 2022 Berlin : , : Duncker & Humblot, , 2022 ©2022
Edizione	[1st ed.]
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (159 pages)
Collana	Schriften zum Bürgerlichen Recht
Soggetti	Civil codes / Civil law Damages & compensation Germany
Lingua di pubblicazione	Tedesco
Formato	Materiale a stampa
Livello bibliografico	Monografia
Sommario/riassunto	<p>The thesis examines the question of the extent to which premiums, contractual and association penalties constitute compensable damages or inadmissible legal transactions to the detriment of third parties. Based on the proposal developed for dealing with third party burdens, the private damage arrangements present themselves as disproportionate legal transactions to the detriment of third parties. As a result, they are relatively ineffective and therefore do not represent a compensable damage.</p> <p>Die Arbeit setzt sich mit der Frage auseinander, inwiefern private Schadensgestaltungen wie Fangprämien, Vertrags- und Verbandsstrafen regressfähige Schadensposten oder unzulässige Rechtsgeschäfte zu Lasten Dritter darstellen. Allein schadensrechtliche Mechanismen schützen den Dritten nur unzureichend vor rechtsgeschäftlichen Belastungen. Aus diesem Grund ist eine vorgelagerte Kontrolle des Rechtsgeschäfts notwendig. Daran anknüpfend setzt sich die Arbeit kritisch mit den bisherigen Abhandlungen zu drittbelastenden Rechtsgeschäften allgemein</p>

auseinander und unterbreitet dazu einen neuen Ansatz. Diesen zugrunde gelegt, stellen sich die untersuchten privaten Schadensgestaltungen als unverhältnismäßige Rechtsgeschäfte zu Lasten Dritter dar, die in der Folge relativ unwirksam sind. Da sie somit keine Wirkung gegenüber Dritten entfalten, verkörpern sie auch keinen ersatzfähigen Schadensposten der Geschädigten (also der Vereine, Ladeninhaber oder Hauptunternehmer).
