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| 1. Record Nr. | UNINA9910787586303321 |
| Autore | Kondi Dominicus Dionitius Pareira <1886-1962.> |
| Titolo | The stranger-kings of Sikka [[electronic resource]] : with an integrated edition of two manuscripts on the origin and history of the rajadom of Sikka / / by Dominicus Dionitius Pareira Kondi and Alexius BoEr Pareira |
| Pubbl/distr/stampa | Leiden, : KITLV Press, c2010 |
| ISBN | 90-04-25377-7 |
| Descrizione fisica | 1 online resource (461 p.) |
| Collana | Verhandelingen van het Koninklijk Instituut voor Taal-, Land- en Volkenkunde, , 1572-1892 ; ; 257 |
| Altri autori (Persone) | PareiraAlexius BoEr <1888-1980.> |
| Disciplina | 940.54 940.547252 |
| Soggetti | Kings and rulers - History Sikka (Kingdom) History |
| 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 | Preliminary Material -- Chapter I: The people of Sikka and the Boer and Kondi manuscripts -- Chapter II: Structure and themes of the Hikayat Kerajaan Sikka -- Chapter III: Summary notes and outline of the Hikayat -- Chapter IV: The sovereignty of Sikka's stranger-kings -- Chapter V: Marriage, sovereignty, and the paths of ivory in Sikka -- Chapter VI: Stranger-kings and myths of xenarchy in the eastern Lesser Sunda Islands -- Chapter VII: The first period: The autochthons and newcomers -- Chapter VIII: The life of Mo'ang Bata Jawa -- Chapter IX: The life of Mo'ang Baga Ngang -- Chapter X: Don Alésu's journeys to Malacca and through Flores -- Chapter XI: The reigns of Ratu Dona Maria, Mo'ang Samao da Silva, and Ratu Dona Agnes Ines da Silva -- Chapter XII: The second period: The middle rajas: Raja Mbako I Kikir Hiwa, Raja Prispin da Cunha, Raja Thomas Mo'ang Bo I da Silva, and Ornay da Costa -- Chapter XIII: The third period: The rajadom in the early twentieth century -- Epilogue -- Appendices -- Glossary -- Bibliography -- Index. |
| Sommario/riassunto | The Stranger-Kings of Sikka is the first monographic study of an origin myth and history of an indigenous eastern Indonesian state and the first contemporary ethnography of the Ata Sikka of Flores. The book will be of interest to anthropologists, ethnologists of Austronesia, |

historians and political scientists whose interests include Southeast Asia. During the 1920's, in the regency of Sikka on the island of Flores, D.D. Pareira Kondi and A. Boer Pareira, two notable men among the first literate Sikkanese, began writing about the history and culture of their people. Among their many surviving manuscripts are two long works on the origin of the rajas who ruled Sikka until the end of the rajadom in the 1950's. The author of this book uncovered the manuscripts in 1994 and found among them versions of the myth of origin of the Sikkanese rajas, an epic tale of immigrant-kings that was lost to living memory and as oral tradition by the 1970's. Drawing on Boer's and Kondi's texts and his own field research in the regency of Sikka, Lewis presents an abridged English translation of the origin myth and constructs a history of the Sikkanese rajas and the organization of the society they ruled.

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| 2. Record Nr. | UNINA9910298330603321 |
| Autore | Alvarez-Venegas Raúl |
| Titolo | Epigenetics in Plants of Agronomic Importance: Fundamentals and Applications : Transcriptional Regulation and Chromatin Remodelling in Plants / / by Raúl Alvarez-Venegas, Clelia De la Peña, Juan Armando Casas-Mollano |
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| ISBN | 3-319-07971-9 |
| Edizione | [1st ed. 2014.] |
| Descrizione fisica | 1 online resource (158 p.) |
| Disciplina | 570 571.6 580 581.35 |
| Soggetti | Plant genetics Botany Cytology Plant Genetics and Genomics Plant Sciences Cell Biology |
| Lingua di pubblicazione | Inglese |
| Formato | Materiale a stampa |

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| Livello bibliografico | Monografia |
| Note generali | Description based upon print version of record. |
| Nota di bibliografia | Includes bibliographical references and index at the end of each chapters. |
| Nota di contenuto | The role of germinally inherited epialleles in plant breeding -- Epigenetics and heterosis in crop plants -- Epigenetic variation amongst polyploidy crop species -- Histone Phosphorylation in Plants -- Tomato epigenetics: Deciphering the "beyond" genetic information in a vegetable fleshy-fruited crop -- Recent advances in epigenetics on somatic embryogenesis of important agronomical plants -- microRNA expression and regulation during plant Somatic Embryogenesis -- Can epigenetics help forest plants to adapt to climate change?. |
| Sommario/riassunto | Over the past decades, chromatin remodelling has emerged as an important regulator of gene expression and plant defense. This book provides a detailed understanding of the epigenetic mechanisms involved in plants of agronomic importance. The information presented here is significant because it is expected to provide the knowledge needed to develop in the future treatments to manipulate and selectively activate/inhibit proteins and metabolic pathways to counter pathogens, to treat important diseases and to increase crop productivity. New approaches of this kind and the development of new technologies will certainly increase our knowledge of currently known posttranslational modifications and facilitate the understanding of their roles in, for example, host-pathogen interactions and crop productivity. Furthermore, we provide important insight on how the plant epigenome changes in response to developmental or environmental stimuli, how chromatin modifications are established and maintained, to which degree they are used throughout the genome, and how chromatin modifications influence each another. |