

1.	Record Nr.	UNIORUON00200324
	Autore	WARD, Anthony
	Titolo	Walter Pater : the idea in nature / Aanthony Ward
	Pubbl/distr/stampa	Worcester and London, : MacGibbon, 1966
	Descrizione fisica	202 p. ; 23 cm.
	Disciplina	820.09
	Soggetti	PATER WALTER
	Lingua di pubblicazione	Inglese
	Formato	Materiale a stampa
	Livello bibliografico	Monografia
2.	Record Nr.	UNINA9910961830003321
	Autore	Sharshenova Aijan
	Titolo	The European Union's Democracy Promotion in Central Asia : A Study of Political Interests, Influence, and Development in Kazakhstan and Kyrgyzstan in 2007-2013 // Aijan Sharshenova, Andreas Umland, Gordon Crawford
	Pubbl/distr/stampa	Hannover, : ibidem, 2018
	ISBN	9783838271514 3838271513
	Edizione	[1st ed.]
	Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (281 pages) : illustrations
	Collana	Soviet and Post-Soviet Politics and Society ; 180
	Disciplina	303.484094
	Soggetti	European Union Central Asia Eastern Europe
	Lingua di pubblicazione	Inglese
	Formato	Materiale a stampa
	Livello bibliografico	Monografia
	Nota di bibliografia	Includes bibliographical references.
	Nota di contenuto	Intro -- Contents -- Abbreviations -- Foreword -- Introduction -- About this Book -- Case Studies -- On Data Collection -- Book

Structure -- External Democracy Promotion: Promoters and Targets --
Democracy and Democracy Promotion: Theory and Practice --
European Union as a Democracy Promoter -- Central Asia as a
Democracy Promotion Target -- Local Context in Kazakhstan and
Kyrgyzstan -- General Overview -- Transition and Democracy --
Regime Stability -- Economic Development -- EU Democracy Promotion
in Kazakhstan and Kyrgyzstan -- EU Actors and their Interests in
Central Asia -- Legal and Normative Framework of EU Democracy
Promotion -- Implementation in Kazakhstan and Kyrgyzstan --
Evaluation of the EU Democracy Promotion in Kazakhstan and
Kyrgyzstan -- Evaluation of the Strategic Calculation Mechanism --
Evaluation of the Normative Suasion Mechanism -- Evaluation of the
Democratic Empowerment Mechanism -- Evaluation of the
Democratisation Progress in Kazakhstan and Kyrgyzstan -- Factors
Impeding EU Democracy Promotion in Kazakhstan and Kyrgyzstan --
EU Factors -- Local Factors -- Regional Factors -- Conclusions --
Bibliography -- Appendix I: List of Interviews -- Appendix II: ISAF
Troop Contributing Nations.

Sommario/riassunto

Brussels made democracy, human rights, the rule of law, and good governance its top co-operation priorities in the EU Strategy Framework towards Central Asia for 2007–2013. This book examines two interrelated questions: To what extent has EU democracy promotion in Central Asia been successful? And, to the extent that it was successful, why was it so? The book presents a comprehensive analytical framework for the evaluation of democracy promotion, including factors which may facilitate or hinder democratic development in Central Asia. It demonstrates the validity of a holistic approach to analyzing impediments of democracy promotion meaning that external pro-democratic support is affected by a variety of diverse factors whose impact can vary as international, regional, and domestic conditions change. The stable and rich authoritarian state of Kazakhstan is different from the much poorer Kyrgyzstan—a state prone to political instability, but also to democratic openings. By contrasting the success of democracy promotion in these two countries which have different strategic importance for the EU, this study provides valuable insights into how non-normative interests interfere with normatively driven policies.

"Sharshenova's book is well-structured and highly recommended to those who are interested in EU democracy-promotion studies while looking with attention at local and regional dynamics in Central Asia."

—Europe-Asia Studies 6/2019
