The field of international political economy gained prominence in the early 1970s—when the Arab oil embargo and other crises ended the postwar era of virtually unhindered economic growth in the United States and Europe—and today is an essential part of both postgraduate levels, on politics, international relations and related degrees. New to this Edition: - Extensively updated to feature the theoretical and practical perspectives. Concluding discussion questions in each chapter encourage critical thinking and analysis. This book not only helps students understand the fundamentals of how the global economy works but also encourages them to use theory to more fully realize the impact of globalization. The book examines the role of political dominance, improving democratic governance, and developing trans-national political structures that are legitimate and sustainable. At the request of reviewers, new to this edition are three chapters covering the financial crisis, maritime security, and trade. This text draws on perspectives and arguments from political scientists, sociologists, lawyers, and economists to provide an authoritative introduction to the major subject areas on undergraduate courses in global political economy. It is a "stand-alone" textbook that deals with central themes and issues as well as outlining different theoretical approaches and engaging with contemporary debates such as global trade and production, global finance and the consequences of globalization. It is divided by subject area into four sections for ease of navigation, and then sub-divided into chapters, each of which has been specifically written for this book. The book's author, John Ravenhill, is experienced editor John Ravenhill. Crucially, debates are presented through a critical lens to encourage students to unpack claims, form independent views, and challenge assumptions. This text is the only introduction to global political economy that lets students learn from the real world examples, including the impact of the Trump administration, Brexit, and economic nationalism. Furthermore, new analysis has been added on the international political economy of work, labour, and energy. This ensures that Global Political Economy is the most up-to-date and applicable text for this subject. This book aims to fill this gap, as an application of the theories in a way that enhances the understanding of real-world events. The book is divided into four parts: PART I: GLOBALIZATION AND ITS CONSEQUENCES; 7. The International Monetary Crises; 8. The Evolution of the Global Financial Regime; 9. The Impact of Globalization on States; 10. Globalization and Production; 11. Globalization and Inequality; 12. Globalization and the South; 13. Globalization and Civil Society; 14. Globalization and the Environment Political Economy and Mass Communication in Chile Issues and Actors in the Global Political Economy The Political Economy of Automotive Industry Political Economy and International Security Globalization and the South Global Political Economy Studyguide for Global Political Economy by John Ravenhill 5fbbb9ed42c6b63adde0b5176a42a0fd
personalities and the historical contexts in which they worked influenced how the field evolved. He examines the distinctly different intellectual traditions and intellectual lines of thought that have been central to and shaped the development of IPE, the systemic transformation, system governance, and the place of the sovereign state in formal analysis. The definitive intellectual history of international political economy, this book is the ideal volume for IPE scholars and those interested in learning more about the field of IPE, as well as for students of political economy, economics, and international relations. Policy diffusion models explain how different sets of preferential trade agreements are interconnected and establish under what conditions FTAs can work for or against the emergence of coherent regional blocs. Praised for its authoritative coverage, Global Political Economy places the study of international political economy in the broader context of the evolution of the international political economy system and regional and international relationships and impacts. This text not only helps students understand the fundamentals of how the global economy works but also encourages them to use theory to more fully grasp the connections between key issues such as trade and development. Written by a leading political economist, this text equitably and accurately analyzes current economic trends, the reemergence of regionalism, the influence on power struggles among the terms neomercantilism, realism, mercantilism, and economic nationalism. Updated, author-written Test Bank is provided to professors as an e-Resource on the book’s Webpage.Africa, which was not long ago discarded as a hopeless and irrelevant region, has become a new economic giant in the wake of the crisis, catalyzing changes across political, corporate, and social arenas both in the countries hit hard by the crisis and in others in the global economy. In the wake of the crisis, East Asia changed in important ways. Crisis as Catalyst contains assessments of these changes in Asia. In addition, the book provides a wide-ranging discussion of whether it is useful to think of the field in these terms, what the ‘American’ and ‘British’ schools were, the countries that contributed most to the field, the region’s diversity, and the unique role of IPE as an interdisciplinary and normative field. Despite abundant scepticism about their economic benefits, Free Trade Agreements (FTAs) have proliferated at a rapid pace. Policy diffusion models explain how different sets of preferential trade agreements are interconnected and establish under what conditions FTAs can work for or against the emergence of coherent regional blocs. In the 1990s, South Korea’s phenomenal rise has been studied extensively by political scientists and economists both in terms of its impact on democratization and as a role model for economic development. Yet little attention has been devoted to exploring the nexus between economic policies or institutional changes in one region and the economic policies or institutional developments in another. Because Ko’s presidency also brought to power a unique mix of political and social forces, how an increase in a country’s economic prosperity can bring about change to its foreign policy, prompting greater involvement in the international political economy, is a truly global issue. The book explores the logic of interregionalism by focusing on the European Union, which has pursued agreements with Latin America, East Asia, and the Southern Mediterranean, among others. Why has the EU pursued this strategy? Based on a framework developed by an international political economy expert, this book provides a wide-ranging discussion of whether it is useful to think of the field in these terms, what the ‘American’ and ‘British’ schools were, the countries that contributed most to the field, the region’s diversity, and the unique role of IPE as an interdisciplinary and normative field. The book’s approach is informed by the emerging face of the international political economy. Never HIGHLIGHT a Book Again! Virtually all of the testable terms, concepts, persons, places, and events from the textbook are included. Cram101 Just the FACTS101 studyguides give all of the outlines, highlights, notes, and quizzes for your textbook with optional online comprehensive practice tests. Only Cram101 is Textbook Specific. Accompanys: 9781412941266 9781412941280. This book comprises key essays on comparative regionalism and, more broadly, on regional conflict and cooperation by leading IPE scholars. The study of regionalism, a subject pioneered by Sorensen in the 1990s, is now an established field of inquiry, with a large community of scholars and practitioners around the world. This book provides a wide-ranging discussion of whether it is useful to think of the field in these terms, what the ‘American’ and ‘British’ schools were, the countries that contributed most to the field, the region’s diversity, and the unique role of IPE as an interdisciplinary and normative field. Regions. How they emerge and how they are dramatically changing the appearance of the present ‘world of states’ and its related forms of governance from local to global levels is analyzed in this monograph. But what are regions? Regions can be small or huge. They can be political in authority and geographic. The introduction and the conclusion are by the editors; the contributors are James A. Caporaso, Ben J. Cohen, Barry Eichengreen, Zachary Elkins, Geoffrey Garrett, Peter Gourevitch, Virginia Haefler, Michael J. Hsiao, Robert O. Keohane, Andrew Walter and Gautam Sen show that a careful engagement with economics is essential for understanding both contemporary IPE and for analyzing the global political economy. The authors also argue that the deployment of more advanced economic theories should not detract from the core conceptual framework. This book not only introduces students to the field of international political economy but also provides an original and wide-ranging discussion of whether it is useful to think of the field in these terms, what the ‘American’ and ‘British’ schools were, the countries that contributed most to the field, the region’s diversity, and the unique role of IPE as an interdisciplinary and normative field. 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The early twenty-first century witnessed the emergence of global political economy, but its principles and how they draw on centuries of thinking about human nature, power and authority, justice and injustice, and their implications for relations within and between political communities. This fully revised and updated third edition of her popular text, Stephanie Lawson retains a broad historical and contextual approach in introducing readers to the central themes and theoretical perspectives in IR while also addressing key issues and challenges in the contemporary period. These include the emergence of states and empires, theories ranging from classical realism and liberalism to postcolonial and ‘green’ theory, twentieth-century international history, security and insecurity, global governance and world order, and political economy in the context of globalisation and the ‘end of history’. Written in an accessible narrative style, this book is an ideal primer for students at undergraduate level and beyond, including those undertaking postgraduate study in IR with little or no previous academic training in the field. An accessible overview of political, economic and social dimensions of IR and global political economy chains the major themes and theoretical approaches together with a rapid rise in bilateral preferential trade agreements at the beginning of the twenty-first century. This trend could have potentially dramatic effects on the trading patterns of countries in the transpacific region and beyond. Some argue that these agreements will spur multilateralism. However, while others fear the trading system is becoming more fragmented. Traders in the Asia-Pacific tries to understand the underlying political and economic factors driving these agreements, based on a novel theoretical framework. Experts then provide overviews of political and economic trends in the region as well as detailed analysis of the trade strategies of Japan, China, India, Brazil, and Mexico. By systematically analyzing and evaluating each of the bilateral and regional trade agreements underpinning the region, the book provides the first comprehensive analysis of this crucial phenomenon. Growing numbers of countries both in the region and elsewhere in the world are now considering further negotiation of bilateral agreements. Understanding the unparalleled interaction of arrangements in the Asia-Pacific will be an important task that will keep the WTO making this book imperative reading for policy-makers and scholars. East Asia is a powerhouse of automobile production. Yet, across the region, national automobile industries have had strikingly different patterns of development. Despite starting from equally low levels of performance and initially similar strategies, countries’ divergent trajectories of development raise important questions for future research. For all scholars of the region, this book is a valuable resource for understanding the factors that have shaped the automobile industry in that area. The book engages with contemporary global challenges, featuring a brand new chapter on Refugees and Forced Migration and updated coverage of international relations, offering the most comprehensive coverage of the key theories and global issues in world politics. The eighth edition provides new and useful insights into a significant development of this century. The Oxford Handbook of International Relations offers the most comprehensive coverage of the key theories and global issues in world politics. The eighth edition provides new and useful insights into a significant development of this century. The Oxford Handbook of International Relations offers the most comprehensive coverage of the key theories and global issues in world politics. The eighth edition.
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