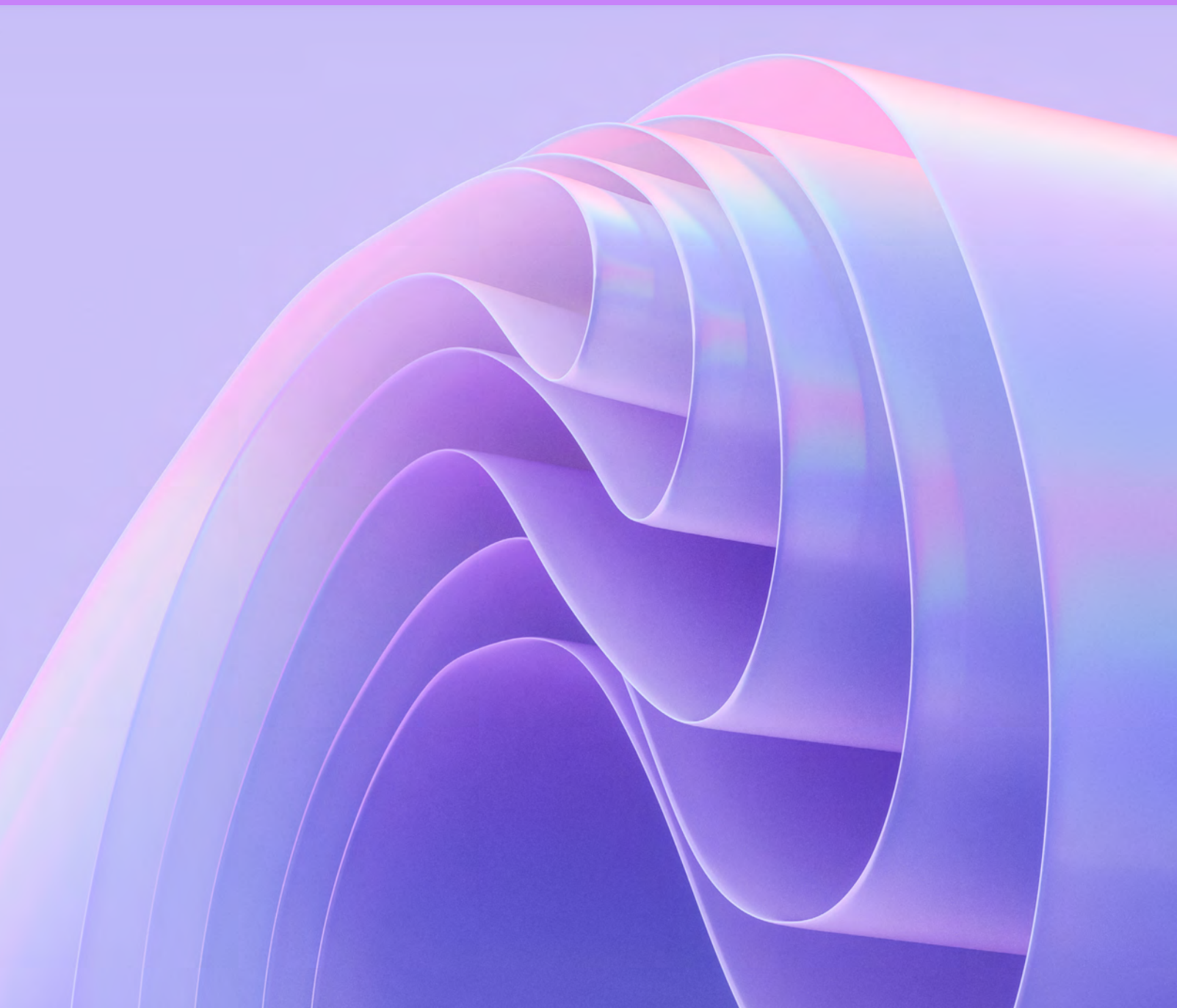


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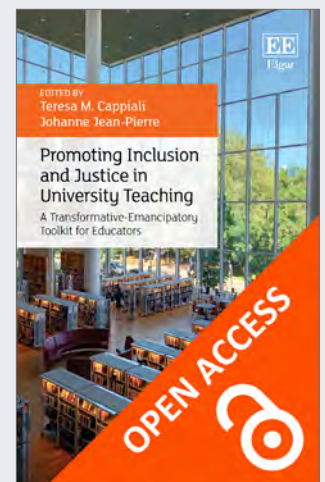
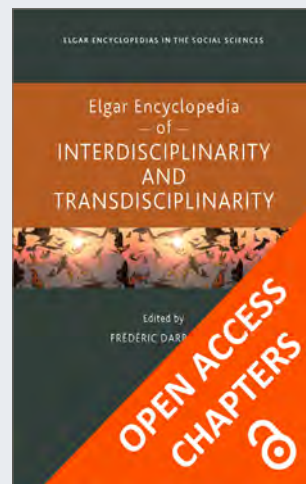
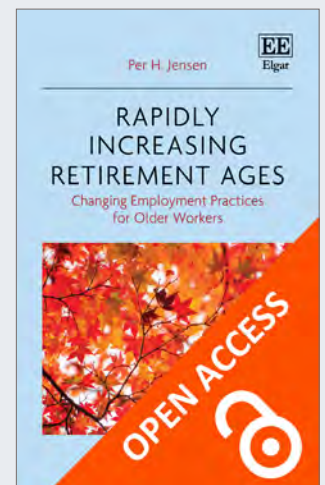
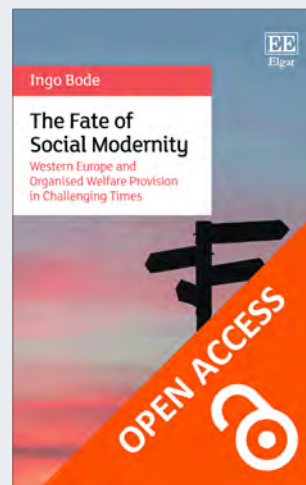
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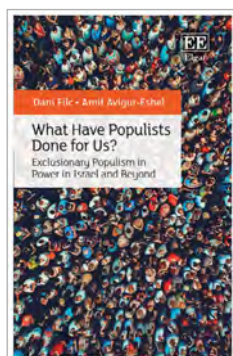
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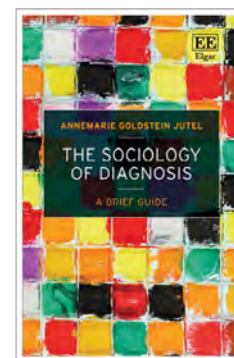
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A Brief Guide

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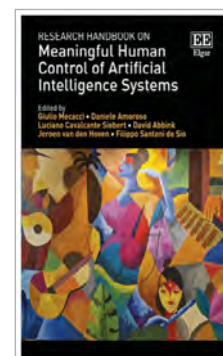
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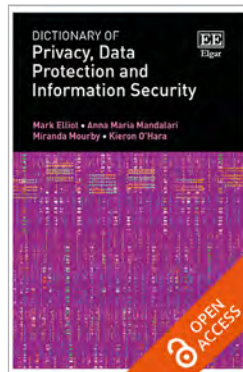
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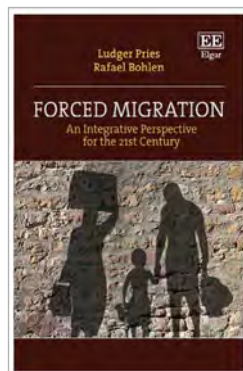
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An Integrative Perspective for the 21st Century

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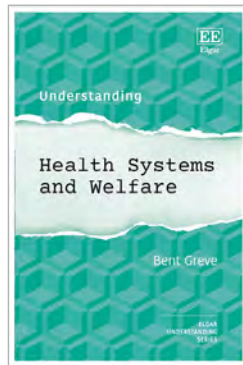
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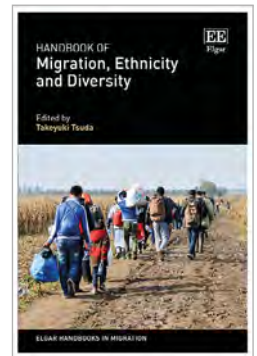
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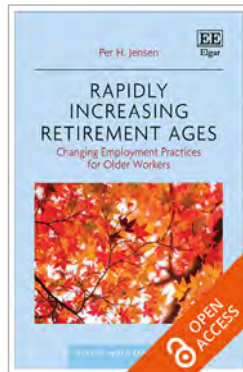
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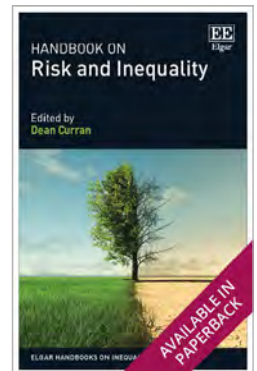
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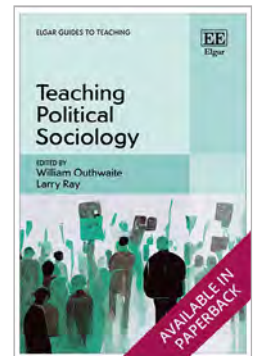
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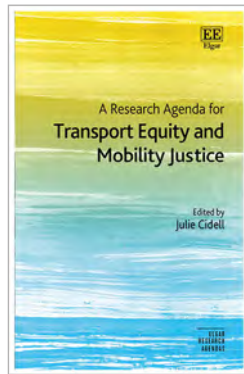


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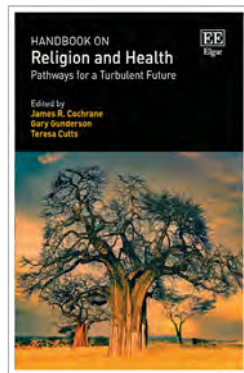
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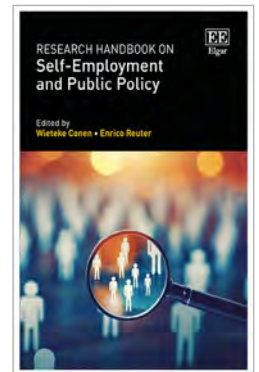
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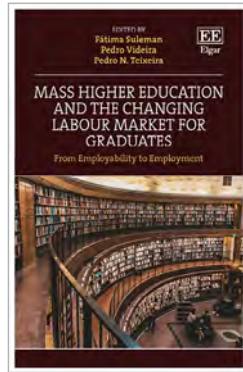
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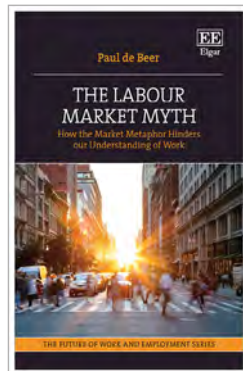


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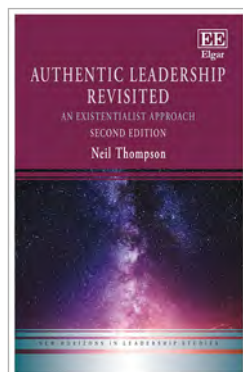
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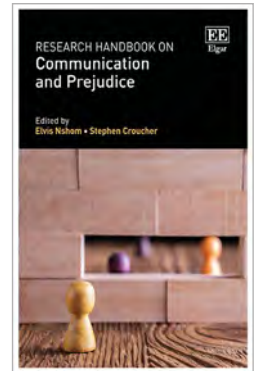
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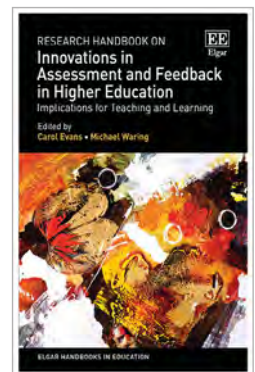
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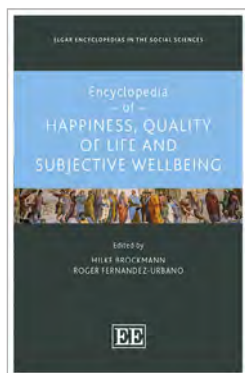


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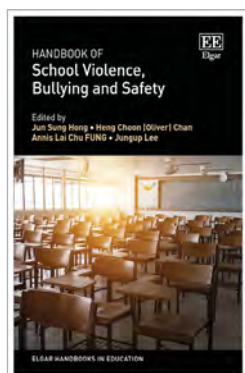
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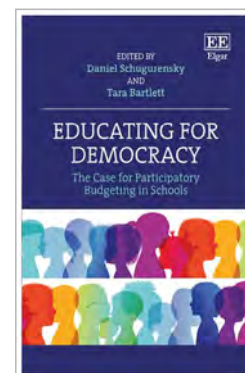
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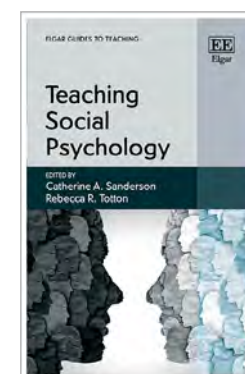
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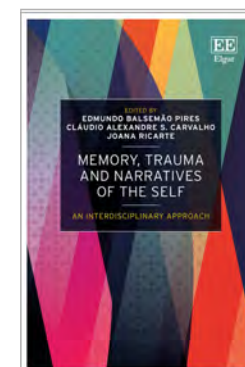
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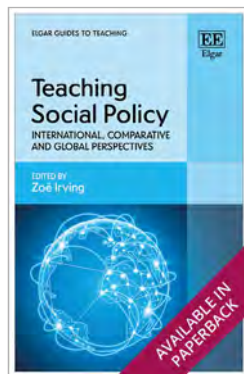
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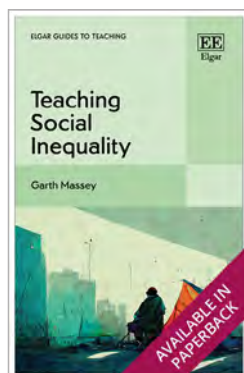
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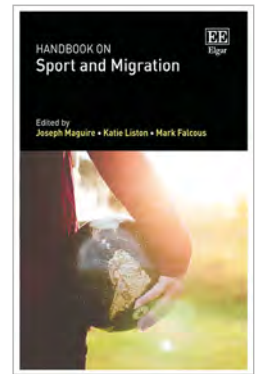
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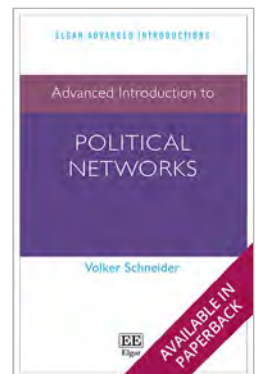
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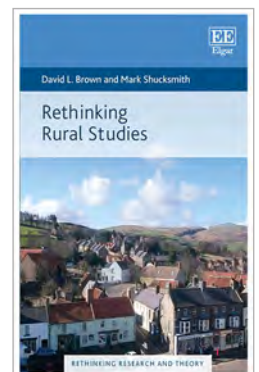
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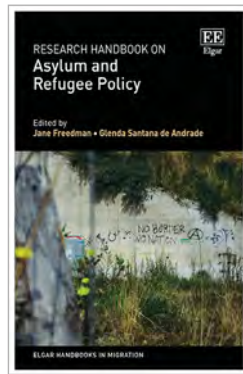


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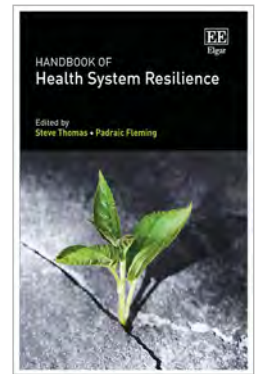
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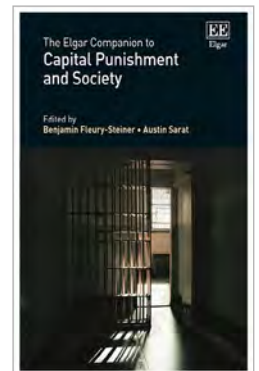
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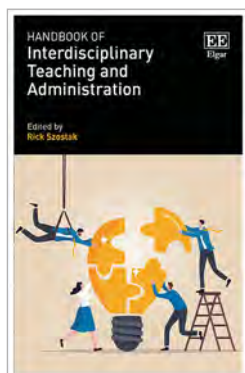
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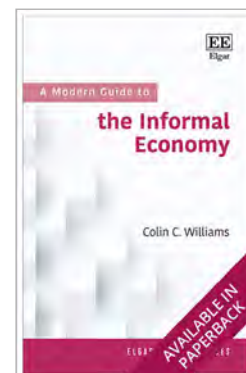
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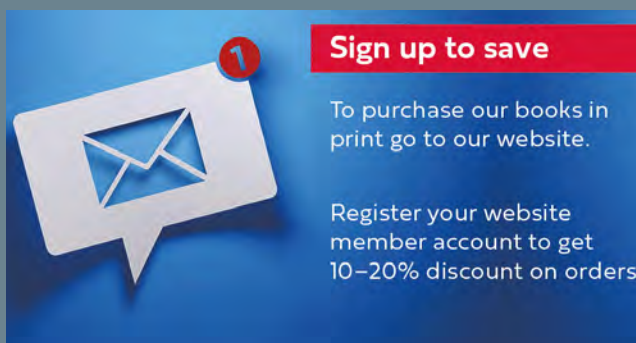
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