



《新香港地理》對我們城市中的人文和自然環境作出了全面分析。上一本有關香港地理的書籍在1980年代出版，至今顯然需要更新其內容及擴展觀點，以回應該領域中的最新發展動向。過去30年間，香港經歷的驚人發展包括步伐急速的城市化進程、在國家內和國際舞台上不斷變化的角色，以及日益提升的自然保育意識，全部均值得以客觀及敏銳的角度詳加探討。

本書共分十五章，作者全是在有關專業範疇教學、研究或工作多年的資深學者，他們成功地把豐富的知識、研究成果、專業方法、教學經驗和寶貴的深入見解融會於簡明易讀的文字中，當中加插的豐富圖解及照片，更可加強內文所傳遞的信息。每章均詳列參考資料，讓讀者在有關知識領域中繼續鑽研。本書的對象包括教師、學生，以及有意加深認識本港人、土地及環境之間繁複相互作用的廣大讀者。

*A New Geography of Hong Kong* offers a comprehensive analysis of the humanized and natural environment in our city. Since the publication of the last Geography of Hong Kong book in the 1980s, there is evidently a need to update the contents and expand the perspective to echo recent advances in the discipline. The phenomenal development of Hong Kong in the last three decades, including the rapid pace of urbanization, the changing role in the national and international arena, and the increasing awareness of nature conservation, deserve to be examined in detail through an objective and discerning lens.

The 15 chapters have been written by seasoned scholars who have taught, researched or worked in their specialist fields for some years. They have successfully condensed their rich knowledge repertoire, research findings, professional practice, teaching experience and valuable insight into succinct writings. Diagrams and photographs have been inserted liberally to reinforce the messages conveyed by the highly readable texts. Each chapter contains a list of references to permit readers to delve deeper into the relevant knowledge realm. This book aims at a broad range of readers, including teachers, students and the general public who would like to learn more about the intricate interactions between people, land and the environment in Hong Kong.

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