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CONFLICT, POLITICAL ACCOUNTABILITY AND AID

PAUL COLLIER is Professor of Economics at Oxford University. He is the author of The Bottom Billion, winner of the Arthur Ross Book Award and Lionel Gelber Prize.

Paul Collier’s contributions to development economics, and in regard to Africa in particular, have marked him out as one of the most influential commentators of recent times. His research has centred upon the causes and consequences of civil war, the effects of aid, and the problems of democracy in low-income and natural-resource-rich societies. His work has also enjoyed substantial policy impact, having seen him sit as a senior adviser to Tony Blair’s Commission on Africa and addressed the General Assembly of the United Nations.

This collection of Collier’s major writings, with assistance from Anke Hoeffler and Jan Gunning, and accompanied by a new introduction, provide the definitive account of a wide range of macroeconomic, microeconomic and political economy topics concerned with Africa. Within macroeconomics, there is a focus on external shocks, exchange rate and trade policies, whilst microeconomic topics focus upon labour and financial markets, as well as rural development. Collier’s book The Bottom Billion had become a landmark book and this summation of the research underpinning it will be a superb guide for all those concerned with African development.

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Best wishes,
Rob Langham, Senior Publisher

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Elements of Ecological Economics

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Elements of Ecological Economics provides a comprehensive introduction to the field of ecological economics, an interdisciplinary project trying to give answers to the problems related to the overexploitation of the earth’s resources today. These include the problems of global warming (the greenhouse effect) and the overuse of the seas (e.g. overfishing). The book also gives an exposition of the closely related problems of global welfare and justice.

The book covers topics including:

• the general policy perspective required by sustainability
• economic growth in a historical perspective
• sustainability conceptions and measurement within ecological economics
• economics and ethics of climate change
• global food security
• the state of the seas on earth and locally (the Baltic Sea).

As an introductory level text the book will be useful to undergraduate students taking basic courses in economics and related fields, and will be comprehensible to anyone interested in environmental problems. Through the separate chapters on the problems of climate change, sustainable food production, and the overuse of the seas, the reader will easily see the practical relevance to the theoretical concepts presented and used in the book.

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Optimal Control of Age-Structured Populations in Economy, Demography, and the Environment

Edited by Raouf Boucekkine, Université Catholique de Louvain, Belgium, Natali Hirtenenko, Prairie View A&M University, USA and Yuri Yatsenko, Houston Baptist University, USA

This book covers a wide range of topics within mathematical modelling and the optimization of economic, demographic, technological and environmental phenomena. Each chapter is written by experts in their field and represents new advances in modelling theory and practice. These essays are exemplary of the fruitful interaction between theory and practice when exploring global and local changes.

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Forests and Development

Local, National and Global Issues

Philippe Delacote, Laboratoire d’Economie Forestière, Nancy, France

This book is a fully up to date study of the major issues facing forest conservation and the forestry industry taking into account developments at local, national and global levels. Central to the analysis is the plight of tropical forests in the developing world but rather than employ a broad brush and imprecise approach, Delacote makes use of the invaluable mathematical economics to produce a range of interesting conclusions. 

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Environmental Policies for Air Pollution and Climate Change in the New Europe

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This book presents an integrated approach to recent regulations on air pollution with particular emphasis on transborder air pollution, climate change and energy policies in the new Europe.

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Preface Data for Environmental Valuation
Combining Revealed and Stated Approaches
Edited by John Whitehead, Appalachian State University, USA, Tim Haab, Ohio State University, USA and Ju-Chin Huang, University of New Hampshire, USA.
The monetary valuation of environmental goods and services has evolved from a fringe field of study in the late 1970s and early 1980s to a primary focus of environmental economists over the past decade. Despite its rapid growth, practitioners of valuation techniques often find themselves defending their practices to both users of the results of applied studies and, perhaps more troubling, to other practitioners.

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Permit Trading in Different Applications
Edited by Bernd Hansjürgens, Helmholtz Centre for Environmental Research, Germany, Ralf Antes, Martin-Luther-Universität Halle-Wittenberg, Germany and Marianne Strunz, KfW Bankengruppe, Germany.
This book analyzes the current picture for permit trading: one of the most influential environmental instruments to emerge in recent times. Its possibilities and limits, its successful design options and its restrictions will all be placed under the microscope, with a focus not only on ‘traditional’ fields of application including air quality and climate policy, but new and emerging fields in which permit trading has been brought to bear: biodiversity, land use policy, water policy amongst them.


The Cooperation Challenge of Economics and the Protection of Water Supplies
A Case Study of the New York City Watershed Collaboration
Joan Hoffman, John Jay College of Criminal Justice, USA
How can we build the institutions that will promote the cooperation needed to meet our intertwined environmental and economic needs? Efforts to meet these twin goals in New York City’s watershed collaborations offer some guidance. The experience provides lessons in addressing scattered sources of pollution, encouraging environmentally compatible economic development, and coping with conflicts that are part of the collaboration process. It also yields insights into what we need to work effectively towards sustainable economic development.

Sustainable Energy
Edited by Klaus D. John, Technical University of Chemnitz, Germany and Dirk Rübbelke, Basque Centre for Climate Change, Bilbao, Spain
Renewable energy is seen as an effective means to address several problems simultaneously, including climate change, exploitation of non-renewable resources, the high volatility of energy prices on the global markets, dependency on fuels from politically unstable countries (energy-insecurities) and the transfer of wealth to these countries.

Environmental and Agricultural Economics
Environmental Efficiency, Innovation and Economic Performances
Edited by Anna Montini, University of Bologna, Italy and Massimiliano Mazzanti, University of Ferrara, Italy

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Oil, gas and mineral deposits are a substantial part of the wealth of many countries, not least in developing and emerging market economies. Harnessing some part of that wealth for fiscal purposes is critical for economic development: in few areas of economic life are the returns to good policy so large, or mistakes so costly.

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Theory and applications
Pablo Martínez de Anguita, University Rey Juan Carlos, Madrid. and John E. Wagner, State University of New York, USA

In this book Professors Pablo Martínez de Anguita and John E. Wagner put two disciplines together, regional and ecological economics, presenting a way to understand ecological economic concerns from a regional perspective, and providing a mathematical tool to measure their interrelervations. This book offers different regional economic models that explicitly include the role of the natural resources and pollutants in economic regions through the use of Social Accounting Matrices and Input-output models. The main objective of this book is to explore Input-output and Social Accounting Matrix (SAM) models by expanding the accounts to include natural resources and the environment. The proposed models in this book incorporate the forest and other natural resources and pollutants as a component in a larger model of how the economy and environment of larger areas interact. This book will be of interests to postgraduates, researchers and scientists in the fields of regional, resource, environmental, or ecological economics.

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This book constitutes a state of the art assessment of ecological economics as well as its likely future direction. The tone is deftly pluralistic and inclusive and the contributors include many of the leading names in the field including Richard Norgaard, Arikl Vatin and Malte Faber.


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It is increasingly evident that the conventional scientific approach to economic processes and related sustainability issues is seriously flawed. No economist predicted the current planetary crisis even though the world has now undergone five severe recessions prined by dramatic increases in the price of oil.

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Nicolas Georgescu-Roegen
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Drawing on both economics and ecology, this book offers telling insights into the confusing ‘jobs versus environment’ debates as well as charts a recommended path towards a more co-habitable relationship. Avoiding the extreme views that economic growth will either destroy or save our natural environment, this book takes a more discriminating stance and illuminates why our nation’s natural environment is both better and worse than forty years ago.


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