

Literature for SIMP38, Social Sciences: Historical Aspects of Development applies from the spring semester 2026

**Literature established by Graduate School Board on 2025-04-22 to apply from
2025-04-22**

Books

Cowen, M. P. & Shenton, Robert W. (1996). Doctrines of development. London: Routledge. (Especially part I p 3-172 and part III p373-437, 233 p). (320 pages).

ISBN: 0415125154

Escobar, A. (2012). Encountering development: the making and unmaking of the third world. Princeton, N.J.: Princeton University Press. (225 pages).

ISBN: 9780691150451

Kohli, Atul (2004) State-directed development: Political power and industrialization in the global peripher. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press. (478 pages).

ISBN: 978-0521545259

Mohanty, Chandra T. (2003) Feminism without borders: decolonizing theory, practicing solidarity. Durham: Duke University Press. (300 pages).

ISBN: 978-0822330219

Nagar, M. F. (2021). The Road to Democratic Development Statehood in Africa: The Cases of Ethiopia, Mauritius, and Rwanda. Springer Nature. (252 pages).

ISBN: 9783030735227

Oyewùmí, O. (1997). The invention of women: making an African sense of western gender discourses. Minneapolis: Univ. of Minnesota Press. (Especially chapter 1 p 1-30 and chapter 4 p 121-156; 66 pages).

ISBN: 0816624402

Rist, Gilbert (2019) The history of development: from Western origins to global faith. 4th edition, London: Zed Books. (320 pages).

ISBN: 9781783600229

Total number of pages: 1961

Articles

A selection of articles and optional supplementary readings in addition to the books listed above will be added, approximately 200-500 pages.