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Tractate On
Japanese
A Tractate
Aesthetics

*On Japanese
Aesthetics*

**An essential
reference for all
game designers,
this 1938 classic is
“a fascinating
account of ‘man the
player’ and the
contribution of play**

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to civilization”

Aesthetics

(Harper's) In this classic evaluation of play that has become a “must-read” for those in game design, Dutch philosopher Johan Huizinga defines play as the central activity in flourishing societies. Like civilization, play

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**requires structure
and participants
willing to create
within limits.**

**Starting with Plato,
Huizinga traces the
contribution of
Homo Ludens, or
“man the player”
through Medieval
Times, the
Renaissance, and
into our modern
civilization. Huizinga**

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defines play against a rich theoretical background, using cross-cultural examples from the humanities, business, and politics. Homo Ludens defines play for generations to come.

A fully illustrated, beautifully produced edition of Junichiro

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Tanizaki's wise and evocative essay on Japanese culture.

'We find beauty not in the thing itself but in the patterns of shadows, the light and the darkness, that one thing against another creates... Were it not for shadows, there would be no beauty.' This book

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is in fact a portal.
Reading it, you will
be led by Junichiro
Tanizaki's light
touch into a
mysterious and
tranquil world of
darkness and
shadows, where
gold flashes in the
gloom and a deep
stillness reigns. If
you are accustomed
to equate light with

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**clarity, the faded
with the worthless
and the dim with the
dreary, prepare for a
courteous but
powerful
realignment of your
ideas. In Praise of
Shadows is a poetic
paean to traditional
Japanese aesthetics
– in a free-ranging
style that moves
from architecture to**

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**No theatre, and from
cookery to lighting,
Tanizaki teaches us
to see the beauty in
tarnished metal, the
sombre dignity in
unglazed pottery,
the primacy of
organic materials
that bear witness to
the regular touch of
human hands. It is
also astonishingly
prescient, offering a**

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**gentle warning
against the quest for**

airbrushed

perfection, and

reminding us that

too much light can

pollute and obscure

our natural world. In

this special edition,

the text is

accompanied by

specially selected

images to

complement

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Tanizaki's
Aesthetics

**reflections and
further illustrate the
pattern and beauty
of shadows.**

Mathematical

Theologies

**uncovers the lost
history of**

Christianity's

encounters with

Pythagorean

religious ideas

before the

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**Renaissance. David
Albertson shows
that the writings of
Thierry of Chartres
(d. 1157) and
Nicholas of Cusa (d.
1464) represent a
robust Christian
Neopythagoreanism
that reconceived the
Trinity and the
Incarnation within
the framework of
Greek number**

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theory. Their sophisticated mathematical theologies challenge contemporary assumptions about the relation of religion and modern science. David Albertson surveys the slow formation of Neopythagorean theologies of the divine One from the

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Aesthetics
Old Academy
through Middle

Platonism into the
Middle Ages.

Against this
backdrop, Thierry of
Chartres's writings
stand out as the first
authentic retrieval
and incorporation of
Neopythagoreanism
withinwestern
Christianity. By
reading Boethius

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and Augustine

Aesthetics

against the grain,

Thierry reactivated a

suppressed

potential in ancient

Christian traditions

that harmonized the

divine Word with

notions of divine

Number. Despite

fame during his

lifetime, Thierry's

ideas remained well

outside the medieval

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mainstream.

Aesthetics
Nicholas

rediscovered

anonymous

fragments of Thierry

and his medieval

readers, and drew

on them liberally in

his first mystical

treatise. Yet

tensions among this

collection of

sources drove

Cusanus to try to

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Aesthetics

**reconcile their
competing
understandings of
Word and Number.
Over three decades
Nicholas eventually
learned how to
articulate traditional
Christian dogmas
within a
Neopythagorean
cosmology of
mathematized
nature - anticipating**

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Aesthetics

**the situation of
modern Christian
thought after the sev
enteenthcentury. Mat
hematical**

**Theologies skillfully
guides readers
through the newest
scholarship on
Pythagoreanism, the
school of Chartres,
and Cusanus, while
revising some of the
categories that have**

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Aesthetics

**separated those
fields in the past.**

**This book is
devoted to Zen art
as a living tradition.
It explores the heart
of Zen experience
through
contemporary Zen
art, demonstrating
how this time-
honored visual form
continues to flourish
today.**

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**Lafcadio Hearn's
Japan**

**My Farmhouse in
Japan**

Daughters of Hecate

Nicholas of Cusa

and the Legacy of

Thierry of Chartres

Impurity and Sin in

Ancient Judaism

Lawyers at Play

Raku Potters,

Patrons, and Tea

Practitioners in

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Japan

*Historical,
geographical,
cultural and
economic facts
complement
colour photographs
to create an
introduction to
Japan.*

*Many early
modern poets and
playwrights were
also members of*

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the legal societies the Inns of Court, and these authors shaped the development of key genres of the English Renaissance, especially lyric poetry, dramatic tragedy, satire, and masque. But how did the Inns

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*come to be
literary centres
in the first
place, and why
were they
especially
vibrant at
particular
times? Early
modernists have
long understood
that urban
setting and
institutional*

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environment were central to this phenomenon: in the vibrant world of London, educated men with time on their hands turned to literary pastimes for something to do. *Lawyers at Play* proposes an

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Aesthetics

*additional, more
essential*

*dynamic: the
literary culture
of the Inns
intensified in
decades of
profound
transformation
in the legal
profession.*

*Focusing on the
first decade of
Elizabeth's*

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Aesthetics

reign, the period when a large literary network first developed around the societies, this study demonstrates that the literary surge at this time developed out of and responded to a period of

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Aesthetics

*rapid expansion
in the legal
profession and
in the career
prospects of
members. Poetry,
translation, and
performance were
recreational
pastimes;
however, these
activities also
defined and
elevated the*

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*status of inns-
of-court men as
qualified,
learned, and
ethical
participants in
England's 'legal
magistracy':
those lawyers,
judges, justices
of the peace,
civic office
holders, town
recorders, and*

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gentleman

landholders who

managed and
administered

local and
national

governance of
England. Lawyers

at Play maps the
literary terrain

of a formative
but understudied

period in the
English

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Aesthetics

Renaissance, but it also provides the foundation for an argument that goes beyond the 1560s to provide a framework for understanding the connections between the literary and leg

Developed out of the aesthetic

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Japanese Aesthetics

*philosophy of
cha-no-yu (the
tea ceremony) in
fifteenth-
century Japan,
wabi sabi is an
aesthetic that
finds beauty in
things
imperfect,
impermanent, and
incomplete.*

*Taken from the
Japanese words*

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Japanese

Aesthetics

wabi, which translates to less is more, and sabi, which means attentive melancholy, wabi sabi refers to an awareness of the transient nature of earthly things and a corresponding pleasure in the

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Japanese

Aesthetics

*things that bear
the mark of this
impermanence. As
much a state of
mind—an
awareness of the
things around us
and an
acceptance of
our
surroundings—as
it is a design
style, wabi sabi
begs us to*

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Japanese Aesthetics

*appreciate the
simple beauty in
life—a chipped
vase, a quiet
rainy day, the
impermanence of
all things.*

*Presenting
itself as an
alternative to
today's fast-
paced, mass-
produced, neon-
lighted world,*

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wabi sabi
reminds us to
slow down and
take comfort in
the simple,
natural beauty
around us. In
addition to
presenting the
philosophy of
wabi-sabi, this
book includes
how-to design
advice—so that a

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Aesthetics

*transformation
of body, mind,
and home can
emerge. Chapters
include:*

*History: The
Development of
Wabi Sabi*

*Culture: Wabi
Sabi and the
Japanese*

*Character Art:
Defining
Aesthetics*

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*Design: Creating
Expressions with
Wabi Sabi*

Materials

*Spirit: The
Universal Spirit
of Wabi Sabi*

*This is the
first work in
English on the
history of the
Japanese*

*philosophy of
art, from its*

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Japanese

Aesthetics

*inception in the
1870s to the
present.*

*Women and Magic
in the Ancient
World*

*Themes from the
Philosophy of
Robert Merrihew
Adams*

*Homo Ludens
1947-2004*

The Donald

Richie Reader

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50 Years of
Aesthetics
Writing on Japan

Japanese

Aesthetics and

Culture

This book

examines

Whitehead's

process

aesthetics

focusing the

penumbral beauty

of darkness and

the tragic

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Aesthetics
beauty of
perishability,

while

establishing

parallels with

the Japanese

sense of

evanescent

beauty. It

clarifies how

both traditions

develop a religi

o-aesthetic

vision of tragic

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Aesthetics

*beauty and its
reconciliation
in the supreme
ecstasy of
peace.*

*Interrogating
the magic-gender
connection /
Kimberly B.*

*Stratton -- From
goddess to hag:
the Greek and
the Roman witch
in classical*

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Japanese

Aesthetics

literature /
Barbette Stanley

Spaeth -- "The
most worthy of

women is a

mistress of

magic": women as

witches and

ritual

practitioners in

I Enoch and

rabbinic sources

/ Rebecca Lesses

-- Gendering

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Aesthetics

heavenly
secrets?: women,
angels, and the
problem of
misogyny and
"magic" /

Annette Yoshiko
Reed -- Magic,
abjection, and
gender in Roman
literature /

Kimberly B.
Stratton --
Magic

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accusations

Aesthetics

against women in

Tacitus's Annals

/ Elizabeth Ann

Pollard --

Drunken hags

with amulets and

prostitutes with

erotic spells:

the re-

feminization of

magic in late

antique

Christian

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Japanese

Aesthetics

homilies / Dayna

S. Kelleres --

The bishop, the

pope, and the

prophetess:

rival ritual

experts in third

century

Cappadocia /

Ay?e Tuzlak --

Living images of

the divine:

female

theurgists in

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Japanese

late antiquity /
Aesthetics
Nicola Denzley

Lewis --

Sorceresses and
sorcerers in

early Christian
tours of Hell /

Kirsti Barrett

Copeland -- The
social context

of women's

erotic magic in
antiquity /

David

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Aesthetics

Frankfurter --
Cheating women:
curse tablets
and Roman wives
/ Pauline Ripat
-- Saffron,
spices, and
sorceresses:
magic bowls and
the Bavli /
Yaakov Elman --
Victimology, or:
how to deal with
untimely death /

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Japanese

Fritz Graf -- A

Gospel amulet

for Joannia

(P.Oxy. VIII

1151) /

Annemarie

Luijendijk.

This volume aims

to enlighten

anyone who dines

in Japanese

restaurants

andishes to have

a better

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Japanese

understanding of

Aesthetics
the various

dishes on the

menu andow to

eat them.

The definitive

guide that

teaches you how

to use the

Japanese concept

of wabi sabi to

reshape every

area of your

life and find

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Japanese
Aesthetics
happiness right
where you are.

*Fed up with the
exhausting
challenges of
our fast-paced,
consumption-
driven
existence,
millions of
people around
the world are
turning to
timeless*

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Japanese

cultural traditions to

find true

meaning. In this

transformative

handbook, Beth

Kempton

introduces you

to wabi sabi

("wah-bi sah-

bi"), a

captivating

concept from

Japanese

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Japanese
Aesthetics
aesthetics that
offers a whole
new way of
looking at the
world. With
roots in Zen and
the Way of Tea,
wabi sabi
teaches you to
see beauty in
imperfection,
appreciate
simplicity, and
accept the

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Japanese

Aesthetics

*transient nature
of all things.*

*It inspires you
to simplify*

*everything and
concentrate on*

what truly

matters. Filled

with simple yet

profound wisdom,

Wabi Sabi will

help you slow

down, reconnect

with nature, and

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Japanese
Aesthetics
be gentler on
yourself. From
honoring the
rhythm of the
seasons to
creating a
welcoming home,
from reframing
failure to aging
with grace, Wabi
Sabi teaches you
find more joy
and inspiration
throughout your

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perfectly
imperfect life.

Paintings and
Calligraphy by
Japanese Masters
The Japanese Art
of Impermanence
Environmental
Aesthetics
Death Penalty
Discourse in
Early Rabbinic
and Christian
Cultures

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Tokyo Megacity

Desiring

Divinity

Viewed Sideways

"An elegiac prose

celebration . . . a

classic in its genr

e."—Publishers

Weekly In this

acclaimed travel

memoir, Donald

Richie paints a

memorable

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**portrait of the
island-studded**

Inland Sea. His

existential

ruminations on

food, culture, and

love and his

brilliant

descriptions of

life and

landscape are a

window into an

Old Japan that

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Aesthetics

**has now nearly
vanished.**

**Included are the
twenty black and
white**

**photographs by
Yoichi**

**Midorikawa that
accompanied the
original 1971**

**edition. Donald
Richie**

(1924-2013) was

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Japanese

**an internationally
recognized**

expert on

Japanese culture

and film. Yoichi

Midorikawa

(1915-2001) was

one of Japan's

foremost nature

photographers.

"Some of the

essays provide a

general

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Aesthetics

**introduction to
the basic theories
of Japanese
aesthetics,
others deal with
poetry and
theater, and a
third group
discusses cultural
phenomena
directly related
to classic
Japanese**

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Japanese
literature.

**A helpful guide to
the writings of
perhaps the
greatest Catholic
theologian of the
twentieth
century. Healy
shows how for
Balthasar the
ultimate form of
'the end' is given
in Christ's**

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Aesthetics

**eucharistic and
pneumatic gift of
himself - a gift
that
simultaneously
lays bare the
mystery of God's
trinitarian life
and enables
Christ to return
to the Father in
communion with
the whole of**

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Japanese
creation.

**In 1959 journalist
John Roderick
joined the Tokyo
bureau of the
Associated Press.
There, he
befriended a
Japanese family,
the Takishitas.
After musing
offhandedly that
he would like to**

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Aesthetics

**one day have his
own house in
Japan, the family
—unbeknownst to
John—set out to
grant his wish.
They found
Roderick a
250-year-old
minka, or hand-
built farmhouse,
with a thatched
roof and held**

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Japanese

Aesthetics

**together entirely
by wooden pegs
and joinery. It
was about to be
washed away by
flooding and was
being offered for
only fourteen
dollars. Roderick
graciously bought
the house, but
was privately
dismayed at the**

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Aesthetics

**prospect of living
in this enormous
old relic lacking
heating, bathing,
plumbing, and
proper kitchen
facilities. So the
minka was
dismantled and
stored, where
Roderick secretly
hoped it would
stay, as it did for**

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Aesthetics

several years.

But Roderick's

reverence for

natural materials

and his

appreciation of

traditional

Japanese and

Shinto

craftsmanship

eventually got

the better of him.

Before long a

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Aesthetics

**team of
experienced
carpenters were
hoisting massive
beams, laying
wide wooden
floors, and
attaching the
split-bamboo
ceiling. In just
forty days they
rebuilt the house
on a hill**

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Aesthetics

**overlooking
Kamakura, the
ancient capital of
Japan. Working
together, they
renovated the
farmhouse,
adding features
such as floor-to-
ceiling sliding
glass doors and a
modern kitchen,
bath, and toilet.**

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Japanese

**From these
humble**

beginnings,

Roderick's minka

has become

internationally

known and has

hosted such

luminaries as

President George

H. W. Bush, and

Senator Hillary

Clinton. John

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**Roderick's
architectural
memoir Minka
tells the
compelling and
often poignant
story of how one
man fell in love
with the people,
culture, and
ancient building
traditions of
Japan, and**

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Japanese

Aesthetics

**reminds us all
about the**

**importance of
craftsmanship
and the meaning
of place and
home in the
process.**

**Yoshimasa and
the Silver
Pavilion**

**A Tractate on
Japanese**

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The Japan

Journals

New Essays in

Japanese

Aesthetics

Tokyo Camera

Style

Modern Japanese

Aesthetics

Food Fact and

Fable : what the

People Eat :

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**Customs and
Etiquette**

*Throughout his
philosophical career
at Michigan, UCLA,
Yale, and Oxford,
Robert Merrihew
Adams's wide-
ranging contributions
have deeply shaped
the structure of
debates in
metaphysics,
philosophy of*

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Aesthetics

*religion, history of
philosophy, and
ethics. Metaphysics
and the Good:*

*Themes from the
Philosophy of Robert
Merrihew Adams
provides, for the first
time, a collection of
original essays by
leading philosophers
dedicated to
exploring many of
the facets of Adams's*

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thought, a philosophical outlook that combines Christian theism, neo-Platonism, moral realism, metaphysical idealism, and a commitment to both historical sensitivity and rigorous analytic engagement. Tied together by their aim of exploring, expanding, and

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experimenting with Adams's views, these eleven essays are coupled with an intellectual autobiography by Adams himself that was commissioned especially for this volume. As the introduction to the volume explains, the purpose of

Metaphysics and the

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Good is to explore Adams's work in the very manner that he prescribes for understanding the ideas of others. By experimenting with Adams's conclusions, "pulling a string here to see what moves over there, so to speak", as Adams puts it, our authors throw into greater

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relief what makes Adams such an original and stimulating philosopher. In doing so, these essays contribute not only to the exploration of Adams's continuing interests, but they also advance original and important philosophical insights of their own.

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The philosopher's controversial link with Heidegger is explored by Jon Mark Mikkelsen in the final essay, which concludes that, although Heidegger's view of art is consistent, both historically and conceptually, with his political involvement with fascism, the

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same cannot be said
of Kuki."

"Richie should be
designated a living
national
treasure."—Library
Journal "Wonderfully
evocative and full of
humor... honest,
introspective, and
often
poignant."—New York
Times "No one has
written with more

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concentration about the peculiar quality of exile enjoyed by the gaijin, the foreigner in Japan."—London Review of Books "To read [The Donald Richie Reader and The Japan Journals] is like diving for pearls. Dip into any part of them and you will surely find treasures about the cinema,

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literature, traveling, writing. The passages are evocative, erotic, playful, and often profound."—*Japanese Language and Literature* Donald Richie has been observing and writing about Japan from the moment he arrived on New Year's Eve, 1946. Detailing his life, his lovers, and

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*his ideas on matters
high and low, The
Japan Journals is a
record of both a
nation and an
evolving expatriate
sensibility. As Japan
modernizes and as
the author ages, the
tone grows elegiac,
and The Japan
Journals—now in
paperback after the
critically acclaimed*

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hardcover

edition—becomes a
bittersweet chronicle
of a complicated life
well lived and
captivatingly told.
Donald Richie, the
eminent film
historian, novelist,
and essayist, still
lives in Tokyo.

This collection begins
with an engaging
historical overview of

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Japanese aesthetics

and offers

contemporary

multidisciplinary and

interdisciplinary

perspectives on the

artistic and aesthetic

traditions of Japan

and the central

themes in Japanese

art and aesthetics.

A Taste of Japan

Japanese Cinema

Mathematical

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Theologies
Aesthetics
The Art of Twentieth-
Century Zen
Waiting on the
Weather
Metaphysics and the
Good
A Concise History,
with a Selective
Guide to DVDs and
Videos
"Today Yoshimasa is
remembered

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primarily as the builder of the Temple of the Silver Pavilion and as the ruler at the time of the Onin War (1467-1477), after which the authority of the shogun all but disappeared. Unable to control the daimyos - provincial military governors -

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he abandoned politics and devoted himself to the quest for beauty. It was then, after Yoshimasa resigned as shogun and made his home in the mountain retreat now known as the Silver Pavilion, that his aesthetic taste came to define that of

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Japanese Aesthetics

the Japanese: the no theater flourished, Japanese gardens were developed, and the tea ceremony had its origins in a small room at the Silver Pavilion. Flower arrangement, ink painting, and shoin-zukua-i architecture began or became of

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major importance
under Yoshimasa.

Poets introduced
their often barely
literate warlord-hosts
to the literary
masterpieces of the
past and taught them
how to compose
poetry.

In this stunning
collection,

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Japanese
internationally

Aesthetics
acclaimed writer

David Malouf gives
us bookish boys and
taciturn men, strong
women and wayward
sons, fathers and
daughters, lovers and
husbands, a
composer and his
muse. These are their
stories, whole lives

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brought dramatically
into focus and
powerfully rooted in
the vividly rendered
landscape of the vast
Australian continent.
Malouf writes about
men and women
looking for
something they seem
to have missed, or
missed out on,

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puzzling over not only their own lives but also the place they have come to occupy in the lives of others. This single volume gathers both a new collection of Malouf's short fiction, *Every Move You Make*, and all of his previously

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published stories.

Aesthetics

The death penalty in classical Judaism has been a highly politicized subject in modern scholarship.

Enlightenment

attacks on the

Talmud's legitimacy

led scholars to use the

Talmud's criminal

law as evidence for its

elevated morals. But even more pressing was the need to prove Jews' innocence of the charge of killing Christ. The reconstruction of a just Jewish death penalty was a defense against the accusation that a corrupt Jewish court was responsible

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for the death of
Christ. In Execution
and Invention, Beth
A. Berkowitz tells the
story of modern
scholarship on the
ancient rabbinic
death penalty and
offers a fresh
perspective using the
approaches of ritual
studies, cultural

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criticism, and

talmudic source

criticism. Against the scholarly consensus, Berkowitz argues that the early Rabbis used the rabbinic laws of the death penalty to establish their power in the wake of the destruction of the Temple. Following

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recent currents in historiography, Berkowitz sees the Rabbis as an embattled, almost invisible sect within second-century Judaism. The function of their death penalty laws, Berkowitz contends, was to create a

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complex ritual of
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execution under

rabbinic control, thus
bolstering rabbinic
claims to authority in
the context of Roman
political and cultural
domination.

Understanding
rabbinic literature to
be in dialogue with
the Bible, with the

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variety of ancient
Jews, and with

Roman imperialism,
Berkowitz shows how
the Rabbis tried to
create an appealing
alternative to the
Roman, paganized
culture of Palestine's
Jews. In their death
penalty, the Rabbis
substituted Rome's

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power with their own.

Early Christians, on the other hand, used death penalty

discourse to critique judicial power. But

Berkowitz argues that the Christian critique of execution

produced new claims to authority as much as the rabbinic

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embrace. By comparing rabbinic conversations about the death penalty with Christian ones, Berkowitz reveals death penalty discourse as a significant means of creating authority in second-century western religious

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cultures. Advancing
the death penalty

discourse as a

discourse of power,

Berkowitz sheds light

on the central

relationship between

religious and political

authority and the

severest form of

punishment.

This collection of

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writings from

Lafcadio Hearn paints
a rare and fascinating

picture of pre-

modern Japan Over a

century after his

death, author,

translator, and

educator Lafcadio

Hearn remains one of

the best-known

Westerners ever to

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make Japan his home. Almost more Japanese than the Japanese—"to think with their thoughts" was his aim—his prolific writings on things Japanese were instrumental in introducing Japanese culture to the West. In this masterful

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anthology, Donald
Aesthetics
Richie shows that
Hearn was first and
foremost a reliable
and enthusiastic
observer, who
faithfully recorded a
detailed account of
the people, customs,
and culture of late
nineteen-century
Japan. Opening and

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closing with excerpts from Hearn's final books, Richie's astute selection from among "over 4,000 printed pages" not including correspondence and other writing, also reveals Hearn's later, more sober and reflective attitudes to the things that he

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observed and wrote
about. Part One,

"The Land,"

chronicles Hearn's
early years when he
wrote primarily about
the appearance of his
adopted home. Part
Two, "The People,"
records the author's
later years when he
came to terms with

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the Japanese themselves. In this anthology, Richie, more gifted in capturing the essence of a person on the page than any other foreign writer living in Japan, has picked out the best of Hearn's evocations. Select writings

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include: The Chief
City of the Province
of the Gods Three
Popular Ballads In the
Cave of the
Children's Ghosts
Bits of Life and Death
A Street Singer
Kimiko On A Bridge
Self-Deification in
Early Jewish and
Christian

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Mythmaking
Aesthetics

The Inland Sea

Eschatology as

Communion

Handmade Culture

Different People

The Complete Stories

Hastening

Redemption

50 years of

writing about

Japan, from

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Japanese
Aesthetics
postwar to the
age of Pokémon.

A Tractate on
Japanese
Aesthetics
Stone
Bridge Press, Inc.
Sure to be a
classic, Donald
Richie's concise,
profound insights
into the mysteries
of Japanese

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Aesthetics

Environmental
aesthetics crosses
several commonly
recognized
divides: between
analytic and
continental
philosophy,
Eastern and
Western
traditions,
universalizing and

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Japanese
historicizing

Aesthetics
approaches, and

theoretical and

practical

concerns. This

volume sets out to

show how these,

perspectives can

be brought into

conversation with

one another. The

first part surveys

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Aesthetics
the development
of the field and
discusses some
important future
directions. The
second part
explains how
widening the
scope of
environmental
aesthetics
demands a

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continual
Aesthetics
rethinking of the

relationship

between

aesthetics and

other fields. How

does

environmental

aesthetics relate

to ethics? Does

aesthetic

appreciation of

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Aesthetics

the environment
entail an attitude
of respect? What
is the relationship
between the
theory and
practice? The
third part is
devoted to the
relationship
between the
aesthetics of

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Aesthetics

nature and the
aesthetics of art.

Can art help "save
the Earth"? The

final part

illustrates the

emergence of

practical

applications from

theoretical studies

by focusing on

concrete case

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Japanese
studies.

Crossing Divides
and Breaking
Ground

Tragic Beauty in
Whitehead and
Japanese
Aesthetics

Introducing Japan
A Reader
Essays on
Contemporary

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Japan

In Praise of

Shadows

Pictures of Some

Japanese

***This photographic
Tokyo travel guide
explores the
dynamic Japanese
culture, art and
architecture that
make Tokyo a
world-class city. It***

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***has been said that
"every city has its
high points, but
Tokyo is all
exclamation
points!" The
largest and most
populous city in
the world, Tokyo
must be
experienced in
person to be
understood truly.
The next best***

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thing? Tokyo

Aesthetics

***Megacity—a visual
and descriptive***

exploration of a

city that combines

old with new and

traditional with

trendy, like no

other city in the

world. This

extraordinary book

explores Tokyo

through 250

revealing

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Aesthetics

**photographs by
well-known**

**photographer Ben
Simmons and over
30 essays by
famed author
Donald Richie.**

**Their love of the
city, their sense of
its history, and the
deep respect and
pure joy felt in
being here, shine
through on every**

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Aesthetics

***page. Simmons
and Richie show us
how modern Tokyo
evolved from a
patchwork of
villages that still
exist today as
distinct
neighborhoods and
districts to the
modern,
trendsetting
metropolis
renowned the***

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Aesthetics

***world over—that
combine to make
Tokyo a unique
and special place.
Tokyo Megacity
presents the
districts of the city
in the order that
they originally
developed,
starting with the
Imperial Palace,
sliding down to the
"Low City" along***

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*the Sumida River,
soaring back up to
the "Mid-City," and
finally, climbing
the hills to the
newer districts of
the "High City."*

*The combination of
Ben Simmons'
photographs and
Donald Richie's
text capture, as
never before, the
tremendous*

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Japanese

Aesthetics

***diversity, vitality
and sheer livability
of the megacity
that is Tokyo.***

***Donald Richie,
whose earlier
works have done
so much to
introduce Japanese
cinema to the
West, has here
written the first
introduction to
Japanese film.***

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Written in a highly accessible style, this up-to-date history offers a study of those qualities which make a film distinctly Japanese. It will be an invaluable resource to students of film appreciation, as well as to readers

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Japanese

***with an interest in
Aesthetics
Japan.***

***A new collection of
essays about
Japan.***

***The authoritative
guide to Japanese
film, completely
revised and
updated. Now
available in
paperback for the
first time, A
Hundred Years of***

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Japanese Film by Donald Richie, the foremost Western expert on Japanese film, gives us an incisive, detailed, and fully illustrated history of the country's cinema. Called "the dean of Japan's arts critics" by Time magazine, Richie takes us

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***from the inception
of Japanese cinema
at the end of the
nineteenth
century, through
the achievements
of Kurosawa,
Mizoguchi, and
Ozu, then on to the
notable works of
contemporary
filmmakers. This
revised edition
includes analyses***

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***of the latest trends
in Japanese***

***cinema, such as
the revival of the
horror genre, and
introduces today's
up-and-coming
directors and their
works. As Paul
Schrader writes in
his perceptive
foreword, Richie's
accounting of the
Japanese film***

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"retains his sensitivity to the actual circumstances of film production (something filmmakers know very well but historians often overlook) . . . and shows the interweave of filmmaking-the contributions of

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**directors, writers,
cinematographers,
actors, musicians,
art directors, as
well as financiers."**

**Of primary interest
to those who
would like to watch
the works
introduced in these
pages, Richie has
provided capsule
reviews of the
major subtitled**

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***Japanese films
commercially
available in DVD
and VHS formats.
This guide has
been updated to
include not only
the best new
movie releases,
but also classic
films available in
these formats for
the first time.***

Minka

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**Writings on
Culture and Style**

***in Contemporary
Japan***

***A Hundred Years of
Japanese Film***

***Japanese Wisdom
for a Perfectly***

***Imperfect Life
A Lateral View***

***The Structure of
Detachment***

An Introduction

Accounts of the

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**history of Zionism
usually trace its
origins to the late
nineteenth century.**

**In this
groundbreaking
book, Arie
Morgenstern argues
that its roots go back
even further.**

**Morgenstern argues
compellingly that the
Jewish community in**

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Israel may be traced back to a large-scale wave of immigration during the first half of the nineteenth century. Inspired by an expectation for the coming of the Messiah in the year 1840, thousands of Jews from throughout the Ottoman Empire,

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**North Africa, and
Eastern Europe**

relocated to

Jerusalem.

Morgenstern

describes the

messianic awakening

in all these lands but

focuses primarily on

the concept of

redemption through

messianic activism

that prevailed among

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**the disciples of
Rabbi Elijah, the
Ga'on of Vilna.**

**These immigrants
believed that the
Messiah's arrival
would bring about
the redemption of
the Jews, but also
that, in order for this
redemption to come
about, they needed to
prepare the way for**

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**the Messiah by
fulfilling the**

**commandment to
dwell in the land of
Israel. Morgenstern**

**offers a dramatic
account of their
relocation, their
efforts to renew
rabbinic ordination,
their reestablishment
of the Ashkenazi
community, and the**

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**building of
Jerusalem. He also
explores the crisis of
faith that followed
the Messiah's failure
to appear as
expected, and its
effects on the
community. Drawing
on a wealth of
previously untapped
sources,
Morgenstern sheds**

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**important new light
on the history of
messianic Judaism
and on the
ideological trends
that preceded, and
eventually gave birth
to, modern political
Zionism.**

**This book examines
the ways in which
two distinct biblical
conceptions of**

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**impurity-"ritual"
and "moral"-were**

**interpreted in the
Hebrew Bible, the
Dead Sea Scrolls,
rabbinic literature,
and the New**

**Testament. In
examining the
evolution of ancient
Jewish attitudes
towards sin and
defilement, Klawans**

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Aesthetics

**sheds light on a
fascinating but
previously neglected
topic.**

**A revealing memoir
about the director
and his films, by his
first assistant for
fifty years.**

**Handmade Culture
is the first
comprehensive and
cohesive study in any**

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**language to examine
Raku, one of Japan's
most famous arts
and a pottery
technique practiced
around the world.**

**More than a history
of ceramics, this
innovative work
considers four
centuries of cultural
invention and
reinvention during**

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Aesthetics

**times of both
political stasis and
socioeconomic
upheaval. It
combines scholarly
erudition with an
accessible story
through its lively and
lucid prose and its
generous
illustrations. The
author's own
experiences as the**

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**son of a professional
potter and a**

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historian inform his

unique

interdisciplinary

approach,

manifested

particularly in his

sensitivity to both

technical ceramic

issues and

theoretical historical

concerns. Handmade

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Japanese
Aesthetics

Culture makes ample use of archaeological evidence, heirloom ceramics, tea diaries, letters, woodblock prints, and gazetteers and other publications to narrate the compelling history of Raku, a fresh approach that sheds light not only on an

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important traditional

art from Japan, but

on the study of

cultural history

itself.

Making Movies with

Akira Kurosawa

Messianism and the

Resettlement of the

Land of Israel

Wabi Sabi

The Eschatology of

Hans Urs Von

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Japanese
Balthasar
Aesthetics

**An Anthology of his
Writings on the
Country and it's
People**

**The Creation of the
Soul of Japan**

***Perhaps no
declaration
incites more
theological and
moral outrage***

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Aesthetics

***than a human's
claim to be
divine. Those
who make this
claim in ancient
Jewish and
Christian
mythology are
typically
represented as
the most
hubristic and***

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dangerous tyrants. Their horrible punishments are predictable and still serve as morality tales in religious communities today. But not all self-deifiers are saddled with

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**pride and fated
to fall. Some
who claimed
divinity stated a
simple and
direct truth.
Though reviled
on earth,
misunderstood,
and even killed,
they received
vindication and**

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rose to the stars. This book tells the stories of six self-deifiers in their historical, social, and ideological contexts. In the history of interpretation, the initial three

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***figures have
been demonized
as cosmic***

***rebels: the first
human Adam,***

***Lucifer (later
identified with
Satan), and***

***Yaldabaoth in
gnostic***

***mythology. By
contrast, the***

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***final three have
served as
positive models
for deification
and divine favor:
Jesus in the
gospel of John,
Simon of
Samaria, and
Allogenes in the
Nag Hammadi
library. In the***

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***end, the line
separating
demonization
from deification
is dangerously
thin, drawn as it
is by the
unsteady hand
of human
valuation.***

***Proving that
camera gear***

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Japanese

does matter, the

Sartorialist of

the camera

world John

Sypal introduces

us to Tokyos

trend-setting,

style-conscious

photography

freaks.

Following the

success of his

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***Tokyo Camera
Style blog,
which has a
devoted and
passionate
international
following, and
has spawned a
network of
copycat blogs
worldwide, the
man who did it***

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first and the man who does it best selects 300 of his choicest images and puts them between two covers. This fun take on the ever-popular street fashion phenomenon celebrates a

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***uniquely
Japanese tribe
of camera
obsessives for
whom image-
making means
everything.
Offers brief
sketches of
famous and
ordinary
Japanese***

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Japanese

citizens,

including Yukio

Mishima, Akira

Kurosawa,

Toshiro Mifune,

and Nagisa

Oshima.

Execution and

Invention

A Study of the

Play-Element in

Culture

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Aesthetics

***Literature, Law,
and Politics at
the Early
Modern Inns of
Court,
1558-1581
The Aesthetic
Vision of Kuki
Shuzo***