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■ PHILOSOPHY OF SCIENCE

Carrier, Martin; Massey, Gerald J.; Ruetsche, Laura (eds.) *Science at century's end: Philosophical questions on the progress and limits of science.* xii + 385 pp., index. Pittsburgh: University of Pittsburgh Press, 2000. ISBN 0-8229-4121-X (hc) \$65.00.

Conant, James; Haugeland, John (eds.) *The road since Structure: Thomas S. Kuhn.* xiii + 335 pp., illus. Chicago and London: The University of Chicago Press, 2000. ISBN 0-226-45798-2 (hc) \$25.00.

Fuller, Steve. Thomas Kuhn: *A philosophical history for our times.* xvii + 472 pp., refs., index. Chicago & London: The University of Chicago Press, 2000. ISBN 0-226-26894-2 (hc) \$35.00.

Pesic, Peter. *Labyrinth: A search for the hidden meaning of science.* 186 pp., illus., notes, index. Cambridge, MA & London: The MIT Press, 2000. ISBN 0-262-16190-7 (hc) \$21.95.

Ziman, John. *Real science: What it is, and what it means.* xii + 399 pp., bibl., index. Cambridge, New York: Cambridge University Press, 2000. ISBN 0-521-77229-X (hc) \$39.95.

■ SCIENCE AND SOCIETY

Ames-Lewis, Francis (ed.) **Sir Thomas Gresham** and Gresham College: *Studies in the intellectual history of London in the sixteenth and seventeenth centuries.* xi + 234 pp., illus., index. Aldershot, England: Ashgate Publishing Ltd., 1999. ISBN 1840146419 (hc) \$69.95.

Bauer, Henry H. *Science or Pseudoscience: Magnetic Healing, Psychic Phenomena, and Other Heterodoxies.* xiii + 275 pp., refs., index. Urbana and Chicago: University of Illinois Press, 2001. ISBN 0-252-02601-2 (hc) \$29.95.

Campbell, George, Jr; Denes, Ronni; Morrison, Catherine (eds.) *Access denied: Race, ethnicity, and the scientific enterprise.* xii + 340 pp., illus., tables, index. New York: Oxford University Press, 2000. ISBN 0-19-510774-8 (hc) \$65.00.

Clark, William; Golinski, Jan; Schaffer, Simon (eds.) *The sciences in enlightened Europe.* xi + 566 pp., illus., bibl., index. Chicago & London: The University of Chicago Press, 1999. ISBN 0-226-10940-2 (pb) \$27.50.

Gardner, M. *From the Wandering Jew to William F. Buckley: On Science, Literature, and Religion.* 350 pp., illus., bibl., refs. Amherst, N.Y.: Prometheus Books, 2000. ISBN 1-57392-852-6 (hc) \$27.00.

Guston, David H. *Between politics and science: Assuring the integrity and productivity of research.* xvii + 213 pp., illus., notes, refs., index. Cambridge, New York: Cambridge University Press, 2000. ISBN 0-521-6531-8 (hc) \$54.95.

McConnell, Brian. *Beyond Contact: A Guide to SETI and Communicating with Alien Civilizations.* vi + 417 pp., illus., gloss., bibl., index. Sebastopol, CA: O'Reilly & Associates, 2001. ISBN 0-596-00037-5 (hc) \$24.95.

Murray, Margaret A. M. *Women becoming mathematicians: Creating a professional identity in post-World War II America.* xviii + 277 pp., illus., tables, apps., notes, refs., index. Cambridge, MA & London: The MIT Press, 2000. ISBN 0-262-13369-5 (hc) \$29.95.

Nedell, Allan A. *Science, cold war and the American state. Lloyd V. Berkner and the balance of professional ideals.* 428 pp. Amsterdam: Harwood Academic Publishers, 2000. ISBN 90-5702-621-X (hc) \$60.00. ISBN 90-5702-622-8 (pb) \$28.00.

Pohl, Frederik. *Chasing Science: Science as a Spectator Sport.* 251 pp., app., index. New York: A Tom Doherty Book, 2000. ISBN 0-312-86711-5 (hc) \$23.95.

■ SCIENCE AND ART

Miller, Arthur I. Einstein, Picasso: Space, Time, and the Beauty That Causes Havoc. x + 357 pp., illus., notes, bibl., index. New York: Basic Books, 2001. ISBN 0-465-01859-8 (hc) \$30.00.

■ SCIENCE AND THE MILITARY; ATOMIC WEAPONS

Canaday, John. The nuclear muse: Literature, physics, and the first atomic bomb. xviii + 310 pp., frontis., illus., figs., bibl. Madison, Wis.: University of Wisconsin Press, 2000. ISBN 0-299-16854-9 (pb) \$22.95.

MacLeod, Roy M. (ed.) Science and the Pacific war: Science and survival in the Pacific, 1939-1945. xiii + 320 pp., illus., bibl., index. Dordrecht, Boston, London: Kluwer Academic Publishers, 2000. Boston Studies in the Philosophy of Science. ISBN 0-7923-5851-1 (hc) \$149.00.

Mindell, David A. War, technology, and experience aboard the USS Monitor. xii + 187 pp., frontis., illus., bibl., index. Baltimore/London: The Johns Hopkins University Press, 2000. ISBN: 0801862493 (hc) \$35.00. ISBN: 0801862507 (pb) \$14.95.

Palevsky, Mary. Atomic fragments: A daughter's questions. xiv + 289 pp., illus., bibl., index. Berkeley, CA: University of California Press. 2000. ISBN 0-520-22055-2 (hc) \$24.95.

Redmond, Kent C.; Smith, Thomas M. From Whirlwind to MITRE: The R&D story of the SAGE Air Defense Computer. ix + 355 pp., illus., notes, bibl., index. Cambridge, MA & London: The MIT Press, 2000. ISBN 0-262- 18201-7 (hc) \$49.95.

Twigge, Stephen; Scott, Len. Planning Armageddon: Britain, the United States and the command of Western nuclear forces 1945-1964. x + 374 pp., gloss., bibl., index. Amsterdam: Harwood Academic Publishers, 2000. ISBN 90-5823-006-6 (hc) \$52.00.

■ SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY - ENERGY, EFFECTS ON ENVIRONMENT

Walker, Samuel J. Permissible dose: A history of radiation protection in the twentieth century. xii + 168 pp., illus., essay on sources, index. Berkeley, CA: University of California Press. 2000. ISBN 0-520-22328-4 (hc) \$35.00.

Stradling, David. Smokestacks and progressives: Environmentalists, engineers, and air quality in America, 1881-1951. x + 270 pp., illus., notes, index. Baltimore: Johns Hopkins University Press, 1999. ISBN: 0-8018-6083-0 (hc) \$42.50.

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Rojecki, Andrew. Silencing the Opposition: Antinuclear Movements and the Media in the Cold War. 195 pp., figs., tables, bibl., index. Champaign: University of Illinois Press, 1999. ISBN 0252025105 (hc) \$37.50; ISBN 0252068246(pb) \$16.95.

Snead, David L. The Gaither Committee: Eisenhower, and the Cold War. x + 286 pp., illus., bibl. Index. Columbus: Ohio State University, 1999. ISBN 0814208053 (hc) \$50.00; ISBN 081425005X (pb) \$19.95.

■ INSTITUTIONAL DEVELOPMENT OF SCIENCE

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Lindqvist, Svante (ed.). *Museums of modern science*. With **Marika Hedin and Ulf Larsson**, (ass't. eds.). (Nobel Symposium, 112.) xii + 200 pp., illus., figs., index. Canton, Mass.: Science History Publications, 2000. ISBN: 0881352977 (hc) \$39.95. ISBN: 0881352993 (pb) \$24.95.

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Kollerstrom, Nicholas. *Newton's forgotten Lunar theory: His contribution to the quest for longitude*. xxii + 257 pp., illus., app., bibl., index. Santa Fe, NM: Green Lion Press, 2000. ISBN 1-888009-08-X (hc) \$59.95.

Krauss, Lawrence M. *Atom: An Odyssey from the Big Bang to Life on Earth ... and Beyond*. xii + 305 pp., illus., index. Boston: Little, Brown and Company, 2001. ISBN 0-316-49946-3 (hc) \$26.95.

White, Michael. *Acid Tongues and Tranquil Dreamers: Tales of Bitter Rivalry that Fueled the Advancement of Science and Technology*. xiii + 430 pp., notes, bibl., index. New York: William Morrow, 2001. ISBN 0-380-97754-0 (hc) \$26.00.

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[Boltzmann, Ludwig] Lindley, David. *Boltzmann's Atom: The Great Debate that Launched a Revolution in Physics*. xi + 260 pp., bibl., notes, index. New York: The Free Press, 2001. ISBN 0-684-85186-5 (hc) \$35.50.

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D'Agostino, Salvo. *A history of the ideas of theoretical physics: Essays on the nineteenth and twentieth century physics*. xviii + 381 pp., notes, bibl., primary sources, index. Norwell, MA: Kulwer Academic Press, 2000. Boston Studies in the Philosophy of Science. ISBN 0-7923-6094-X (hc) \$169.00. Includes essays organized into 14 sections.

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Malin, Shimon. Nature Loves to Hide: Quantum Physics and the Nature of Reality, a Western Perspective. xv + 288 pp., illus., apps., notes, bibl., index. Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2001. ISBN 0-19-513894-5 (hc) \$27.50.

Taylor, N. Laser: The Inventor, the Nobel Laureate, and the Thirty-Year Patent War. 304 pp. New York: Simon & Schuster, 2000. ISBN 0-684-83515-0 (hc) \$27.50.

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Harvey, B. Russia in Space: The Failed Frontier? 330 pp. New York: *Springer-Praxis Books in Astronomy and Space Sciences*. Springer Verlag, 2001. ISBN 1-85233-203-4 (pb) \$34.50.

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Willford, John Noble (ed.) Cosmic Dispatches: The *New York Times* Reports on Astronomy and Cosmology. 316 pp., illus., index. New York: W.W. Norton & Co., 2001. ISBN 0-393-04937-X (hc) \$26.95.

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Kneu, Simon J. The culture of English geology, 1815-1851. A science revealed through its collecting. xxi + 377 pp., illus., bibl., index. Aldershot, England: Ashgate Publishing Ltd., 2000. ISBN 1-84014-625-7 (hc) \$104.00.

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Flannery, Sarah; Flannery, David. In Code: A Mathematical Journey. ix + 341 pp., illus., apps., bibl., index. New York: Workman Publishing Company, 2000. ISBN 0-7611-2384-9 (hc) \$24.95.

Hawking, Thomas. Emergence of the Theory of Lie Groups: An Essay in the History of Mathematics, 1869-1926. xiii + 564 pp., illus., refs., index. Berlin, Heidelberg; New York: Springer Verlag, 2000. ISBN 0-387-98963-3 (hc) \$79.95.

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Chen, Xiang. Instrumental traditions and theories of Light: The uses of instruments in the Optical Revolution. 240 pp, illus., notes, refs., app., name Index, subject index. Dordrecht, Boston, London: Kluwer Academic Publishers, 2000. ISBN 0-7923-6349-3. (hc) \$99.00.

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Jackson, Myles W. Spectrum of belief: **Joseph von Fraunhofer** and the craft of precision optics. x + 284 pp., illus., app., notes, bibl., index. Cambridge, Mass., and London: The MIT Press, 2000. ISBN 0-262-10084-3 (pb) \$35.00.

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Blühm, Andreas; Lippincott, Louise. Light! The Industrial Age 1750-1900. Art & Science, Technology & Society. 272 pp. London: Thames & Hudson, 2001. ISBN 0-500-51029-6 (hc) \$55.00.

Davis, M. The Universal Computer: The Road from **Leibniz** to **Turing**. xii + 257 pp., illus., bibl., refs., index. New York: W.W. Norton, 2000. ISBN 0-393-04785-7 (hc) \$26.95.

Higgs, Eric; Light, Andrew; Strong, David. Technology and the good life? xii + 392 pp., index. Chicago & London: The University of Chicago Press, 2000. ISBN 0-226-33387-6 (pb) \$25.00.

Hirsh, Richard F. Power Loss: The Origins of Deregulation and Restructuring in the American Electric Utility Industry. xii + 406 pp., illus., figs., tables, bibl., index. Cambridge, Mass.: MIT Press, 1999. ISBN 0-262-08273-X (hc) \$52.95.

Hughes, Agatha C.; Hughes, Thomas P. Systems, experts, and computers: The systems approach in management and engineering, World War II and after. 513 pp., notes, index. Cambridge, MA & London: The MIT Press, 2000. ISBN 0-262-08285-3 (hc) \$50.00.

Johnston, S. F. A History of Light and Colour Measurement: A Science in the Shadow. Approx. 300 pp., illus. Bristol and Philadelphia: Institute of Physics Publishing, 2001. ISBN 0-7503-0754-4 (hc) \$75.00.

Morton, David. Off the Record: The Technology and Culture of Sound Recording in America. iv + 220 pp., illus., index. New Brunswick, NJ/London: Rutgers University Press, 2000. ISBN 0-8135-2746-5 (hc) \$50.00; ISBN 0-8135-2747-3 (pb) \$22.00.

Naughton, John. A Brief History of the Future: From Radio Days to Internet Years in a Lifetime. xv + 327 pp., notes, glossary, index. Woodstock and New York: The Overlook Press, 2000. ISBN 1-58567-032-4 (hc) \$29.95.

Packer, Randall; Jordan, Ken. Multimedia: From Wagner to Virtual Reality. xxxi + 394 pp., illus., notes & refs., index. New York: W.W. Norton & Co., 2001. ISBN 0-393-04979-5 (hc) \$27.95.

Pollard, Sidney. Essays on the industrial revolution in Britain. Eds. **Colin Holmes**; introduction by **Peter Mathias**. 350 pp. Brookfield, VT: Ashgate. 2000. ISBN 99-86078-794-X (hc) \$96.95.

Ryszczynski, Witold. One Good Turn: A Natural History of the Screwdriver and the Screw. 173 pp., illus., gloss., notes, index. New York: Scribner, 2000. ISBN 0-684-86729-X (hc) \$22.00.

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Pais, Abraham. The genius of science: A portrait gallery of 20th century physicists. 356 pp., illus., figs., index. New York: Oxford University Press, 2000. ISBN 0-19-850614-7 (hc) \$30.00.

■ INDIVIDUAL BIOGRAPHIES & AUTOBIOGRAPHIES; analysis of scientist's work

[**Alpert, Yakov**] **Alpert, Yakov.** Making Waves: Stories from My Life. 260 pp. New Haven, Conn.: Yale University Press, 2000. ISBN 0-300-07821-8 (hc) \$30.00.

[**Baird, John Logie**] **Burns, Russell.** **John Logie Baird**, Television Pioneer. 450 pp., illus., apps., index. Edison, NJ: The Institution of Electrical Engineers, 2001. ISBN 0-85296-797-7 (hc) \$95.00.

[**Baird, John Logie**] **McLean, Donald F.** Restoring **Baird's** image. xvii + 295 pp., illus., annex, bibl., index. London: The Institution of Electrical Engineers, 2000. ISBN 0-85296-795-0 (hc) \$55.00. Biography of **John Logie Baird**, Britain's foremost television pioneer.

[**Blumlein, A. D.**] **Burns, Russell.** The life and times of **A. D. Blumlein**. xxvi + 534 pp., illus., apps., index. London: Institution of Electrical Engineers, in assoc. with the Science Museum, 2000. ISBN 0-85296-773-X (hc) \$95.00.

[**Brage, DeWitt Bristol**] **Cahan, David; Rudd, M. Eugene.** Science at the American frontier: A biography of **DeWitt Bristol Brage**. xiv + 209 pp., illus., app., notes, bibl., index. Lincoln, London: University of Nebraska Press, 2000. ISBN 0-8032-1508-8 (hc) \$45.00.

[**Einstein, Albert**] **Mih, W.C.** The Fascinating Life and Theory of **Albert Einstein**. xiv + 137 pp., illus., bibl., refs, index. Huntington, N.Y.: Nova Science, 2000. ISBN 1-56072-786-1 (hc) \$27.95.

[**Fermi, Enrico**] **Cooper, Dan.** **Enrico Fermi** and the revolutions of modern physics. 120 pp. New York: Oxford University Press. 1999. ISBN 0-19-511762-X (pb) \$21.00.

[**Fleming, Sanford**] **Blaise, Clark.** Time Lord: Sir Sandford Fleming and the Creation of Standard Time. xv + 256 pp., bibl., index. New York: Pantheon Books, 2000. ISBN 0-375-40176-8 (hc) \$ 21.00.

[**Jenkin, Fleeming**] **Cookson, Gillian; Hempstead, Colin, A.** Victorian scientist and engineer: **Fleeming Jenkin** and the birth of electrical engineering. 280 pp, list of patents, biblio., index. Brookfield, VT: Ashgate Publishing, 2000. ISBN 0-7546-0079-3 (hc) \$78.95.

[**Kraft, Chris**] **Kraft, Chris.** Flight: My Life in Mission Control. viii + 371 pp., illus., index. New York: Dutton, 2001. ISBN 0-525-94571-7 (hc) \$25.95.

[**Kuhn, Thomas**] **Bird, Alexander.** **Thomas Kuhn**. xii + 304 pp., illus., bibl., refs., index. Princeton: Princeton University Press, 2001. ISBN 0-691-05710-9 (pb) \$18.95; ISBN 0-691-05709-5 (hc) \$65.00.

[**Planck, Max**] **Heilbron, J. L.** The dilemmas of an upright man: **Max Planck** and the fortunes of German science. xiii + 254 pp., afterword, 2000, bibl., index. Cambridge, MA & London: Harvard University Press, reprint 2000. ISBN 0-674-00439-6 (pb) \$16.95.

[Swinger, Julian] Mehra, Jagdish; Milton, Kimball A. Climbing the mountain: The scientific biography of **Julian Schwinger**. xii + 677 pp., illus., apps., name index, subj. index. Oxford, New York: Oxford University Press, 2000. ISBN 0-19-850658-9 (hc) \$75.00.

[Schonland, Basil] Austin, B. A. Schonland: Scientist and Soldier. 664 pp., illus. Bristol and Philadelphia: Institute of Physics Publishing, 2001. ISBN 0-7503-0501-0 (hc) \$73.50.

[Van Hove, Léon] Giovannini, A. (ed.) The Legacy of **Léon Van Hove**. xvii + 570 pp. Singapore: World Scientific, 2000. ISBN: 98102243308 (hc) £55.00.

[See also Taylor, N. under **HISTORY OF PHYSICS**; Jackson, Myles W. under **HISTORY OF INSTRUMENTS**]

■ COLLECTED WORKS OF SCIENTISTS (including unpublished papers)

[Feynman, Richard] Selected papers of **Richard Feynman** (with commentary). Edited by **Laurie M. Brown**. xii + 600 pp., illus., bibl., refs., index. Singapore: World Scientific. ISBN 981-02-4130-5 (hc) \$96.00; ISBN 981-02-4131-3 (pb) \$58.00.

[van Kampen, N.G.] Meijer, P.H.E. (ed.) Views of a Physicist: Selected Papers of **N.G. van Kampen**. x + 290 pp., illus., bibl., refs., index. River Edge, N.J.: World Scientific, 2000. ISBN 981-02-4357-X (hc) \$74.00.

■ TEXT, LECTURES & POPULAR WRITING BY SCIENTISTS

Bernstein, Jeremy. The Merely Personal: Observations on Science and Scientists. vii + 245 pp., index. Chicago: Ivan R. Dee, Publisher, 2001. ISBN 1-56663-344-3 (hc) \$26.00.

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