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*Shojo Fight 16* Kodansha  
Comics

"If I had done this..." "If  
only that would happen..."

The What-If stories still  
haven't stopped. Or so we  
thought, but then arises a  
friendship-shattering crisis  
among the three girls who  
were supposed to be  
linked together with an  
unbreakable bond! Plus,  
Key's past becomes  
clearer and clearer?!

Check out the work  
everyone is talking about  
that has surpassed  
1,100,000 copies sold!

**The Last Great Fight** U  
of Minnesota Press  
Aya and "Shirayuri-sama"  
are a lot of things:  
Gamers, rivals...and now  
friends. They turn the  
school upside-down  
looking for the perfect  
place to game in secret,  
but just when they think  
they've found the  
solution, their cover is  
blown by two members of  
the Dormitory Affairs  
Committee. Video games  
are strictly prohibited at  
their prim-and-proper  
school, and being caught  
with a fight stick carries  
dire penalties. Threatened  
with expulsion, they  
propose a wild challenge  
that might just be crazy

enough to work!!  
*Asian Cinema and the Use  
of Space* Springer Nature

From the demon-killing  
Minamoto no Yorimitsu to  
the immortal poet Ono no  
Komachi, find out about  
the fascinating world of  
Japanese warriors and  
folk-heroes. Japanese  
mythology is filled with  
stories of larger-than-life  
characters that shaped  
the landscape of Japan.

They are the folk heroes  
who slayed monsters,  
fought in epic battles and  
reflected the most

complicated emotions of  
the people who created  
them. Through a mix of  
essays, short stories and  
anecdotes, Japanese  
Fighting Heroes follows  
the lives of samurai,  
warriors, outliers and  
iconoclasts who forged  
their own paths.

Legendary fighters like  
the demon-killing  
Minamoto no Yorimitsu,  
philosophising samurai  
Miyamoto Musashi, and  
the One-Eyed Dragon  
Date Masamune. Creative  
heroes like the father of  
Japanese short stories  
Ryunosuke Akutagawa,  
the immortal poet Ono no  
Komachi, the hilarious Sei  
Shonagon and her insight  
into human nature.

Trailblazers who broke  
down barriers like the  
feminist Hiratsuka Raicho,  
the statesman Fukuzawa

Yukichi, the photographic  
genius Hiroshi Hamaya.

These Japanese folk  
heroes led fascinating  
lives that provide insight  
into our own through the  
principles and practices  
they lived by. They  
struggled with universal  
ideals of honor, duty,  
courage and kindness,  
helping them transcend  
their culture. Whether  
you're looking to learn  
about Japanese history,  
fall down a philosophy  
rabbit hole or pick up new  
mental health habits,  
these heroes can teach us  
timeless lessons.

Japanese Fighting Heroes  
captures the essence of  
what it means to be  
human in any culture.

### **Young Ladies Don't Play Fighting Games**

**Vol. 2** Taylor & Francis

The analyses and literary  
portraits in this text  
elucidate the existing  
realities of Japan's  
postwar history. They  
address, in chronological  
fashion, major social,  
environmental, and  
feminist issues and  
conflicts that have  
attended to Japan's  
postwar economic  
miracle.

*Schoolgirls, Money and  
Rebellion in Japan* Seven  
Seas Entertainment  
Aya, Mio, and their new  
friends Yuu and Tamaki  
are prim-and-proper

young ladies by day, but when night falls, they turn to bloodthirsty hardcore gaming! They've set their sights on a huge fighting game tournament called EX Japan, where pros and amateurs alike gather for the ultimate test of skill. With so many experienced fighters out for blood, can the girls hope to get the results they want? From qualifying pools to grand finals, it's bound to be a wild ride!

*Japanese Fighting Heroes*  
Taylor & Francis

Although stereotypically homogenized and hostile to immigrants, Japan has experienced an influx of foreigners from Asia and Latin America in recent decades. In *Fighting for Foreigners*, Apichai W. Shipper details how, in response, Japanese citizens have established a variety of local advocacy groups—some faith based, some secular—to help immigrants secure access to social services, economic equity, and political rights. Drawing on his years of ethnographic fieldwork and a pragmatic account of political motivation he calls associative activism, Shipper asserts that institutions that support illegal foreigners make the most dramatic

contributions to democratic multiculturalism. The changing demographics of Japan have been stimulating public discussions, the political participation of marginalized groups, and calls for fair treatment of immigrants.

Nongovernmental organizations established by the Japanese have been more effective than the ethnically particular associations formed by migrants themselves, Shipper finds. Activists who initially work in concert to solve specific and local problems eventually become more ambitious in terms of political representation and opinion formation. As debates about the costs and benefits of immigration rage across the developed world, Shipper's research offers a refreshing new perspective: rather than undermining democracy in industrialized society, immigrants can make a positive institutional contribution to vibrant forms of democratic multiculturalism.

*Young Ladies Don't Play Fighting Games Vol. 3*

Routledge  
Kokuyodani has advanced its team to the quarterfinals! Their next

opponent is Suzaku High, coached by Sara's father Tsuchiya. Suzaku captain Teranuma, fully recovered from a knee blowout, and her talented setter Arisugawa lead a tournament favorite that's bound to give Neri and company trouble...but how will Sara and Kyoko deal with Tsuchiya, an alcoholic who used to abuse Sara's mom? And what about the vast, conspiratorial plan by Mikuni Corporation president Meiko Mikuni to power up women's volleyball across Japan...at any cost?

**Beautiful Fighting Girl**  
Springer Nature

The first biographical dictionary in any Western language devoted solely to Chinese women, this reference is the product of years of research, translation, and writing by a team of over 60 China scholars from around the world. Compiled from a wide array of original sources, these detailed biographies present the lives, work, and significance of more than 200 Chinese women from many different backgrounds and areas of interest.

*Political Women in Japan*  
University of Hawaii Press  
The Routledge Handbook of Contemporary Japan

presents a synthesized, interdisciplinary study of contemporary Japan based on up-to-date theoretical models designed to provide readers with a comprehensive and full understanding of the dynamics of contemporary Japan. In order to achieve this, the Handbook is organized into two parts. Part I, 'Foundations', clarifies the state of contemporary Japan topic by topic by referring to the latest theoretical developments in the relevant disciplinary fields of politics, international relations, economy, society, culture and the personal. Part II, 'Issues', then offers a series of concrete analyses building upon the theoretical discussions introduced in Part I to help undergraduate and postgraduate students learn how to conduct independent analysis. Locating Japan in a comparative and interdisciplinary perspective, this Handbook is an essential resource for students and scholars interested in Japanese studies, Asian studies and global studies.

### **Female Masculinity and the Business of**

### **Emotions in Tokyo**

Rowman & Littlefield  
Yasuhiro Nakasone, who served as prime minister for more than five years in the 1980s, was one of Japan's leading postwar politicians. This book is a biography of him, but by interweaving international politics and media appraisals of him, it also serves as an examination of Japan's postwar politics. Nakasone was an innovative conservative who actively criticized the conservative mainstream, and this book reveals from both domestic and foreign policy perspectives how the Liberal Democratic Party governed. The Nakasone government served not only as the final phase of the Cold War era of LDP factional politics but also as the starting point for the general mainstream faction system that followed. With the lengthy passage of time since the end of the Cold War and the collapse of Japan's 1955 party system, there is a need to reassess Nakasone, showing that there was much more to him than the popular picture of him as a far-right hawk who loudly advocated for Japan to engage in autonomous self-defense and as an opportunist leader of a

small faction, and to place the era in which Nakasone lived its proper historical context.

### Women Practicing Resilience, Self-care and Wellbeing in Academia

Seven Seas Entertainment  
This book puts forth a sociology of Japanese youth problems showing that the Japanese media draw on an equally, if not more, perplexing gallery of social categories when it discusses youth than affluent Western societies such as the US or UK and that Japan is no less replete with social problems involving young people and no less capable of generating hysteria over the fate of its youth than affluent Western societies such as the US or UK.

### **The Promise of**

### **Women's Boxing Pen and Sword History**

Though Elle wants nothing to do with fighting, her grandfather has different ideas and betrothes her to an up-and-coming boxer from his own gym. She hates the idea and doesn't want to marry him. One day she meets a handsome street brawler who intrigues her, but her jealous fiancé finds out and goes after the guy! What will happen when a trained boxer goes a couple rounds with a

scrappy street fighter? --  
VIZ Media

Japan Times. Weekly Edition U of Minnesota Press

Kokuyodani's steadily advancing in the spring national tournament—and now they face Seiji Academy, led by heated rival Maya Amamiya and home to four past teammates of Neri's. Who will win: Kokuyodani, unified by trust, or Seiji, ruled by Maya with an iron fist? When the whistle blows, the results are bound to amaze!

Transnational Women's Activism Routledge

The must-read book on the rise of elite women's boxing On April 30th, 2022, the first boxing super-fight of the era, headlined by two women and fought at Madison Square Garden, lived up to its hype and then some. The two contestants fought the battle of their lives in front of a sold-out crowd and garnered 1.5 million views through online streaming. It was the culmination of a long, three-centuries arc of women's boxing history, a history fraught with highs and lows but always imbued with the heart and passion of the women who fought. In *The Promise of Women's*

*Boxing: A Momentous New Era for the Sweet Science*, Malissa Smith details the exciting period from the 2012 Olympics through the true “million-dollar baby” women's super-fights of 2022 and beyond. Rich in content, the stories that emerge focus on boxing stars new and old, important battles, and the challenges women still face in boxing. Smith examines the development of the sport on a global basis, the transition of amateur boxers to the pros, the impact of online streamlining on the sport, the challenges boxing has faced from MMA, and the unprecedented gains women's boxing has made in the era of the super-fight with extraordinary seven-figure opportunities for elite female stars. Featuring the stories of women's boxing icons Katie Taylor, Amanda Serrano, Savannah Marshall, and more, and with a foreword by two-time Olympic gold medalist and three-time undisputed champion Claressa Shields, *The Promise of Women's Boxing* offers unprecedented insight into the incredible growth of the sport and the

women who have fought in and out of the ring to make it all possible. *Role-Playing Games of Japan* Kodansha Comics What are people's life experiences in present-day Japan? This timely volume addresses fundamental questions vital to understanding Japan in the first decade of the twenty-first century. Its chapters collectively reveal a questioning of middle-class ideals once considered the essence of Japaneseness. In the postwar model household a man was expected to obtain a job at a major firm that offered life-long employment; his counterpart, the “professional” housewife, managed the domestic sphere and the children, who were educated in a system that provided a path to mainstream success. In the past twenty years, however, Japanese society has seen a sharp increase in precarious forms of employment, higher divorce rates, and a widening gap between haves and have-nots. Contributors draw on rich, nuanced fieldwork data collected during the 2000s to examine work, schooling, family and marital relations, child

rearing, entertainment, lifestyle choices, community support, consumption and waste, material culture, well-being, aging, death and memorial rites, and sexuality. The voices in these pages vary widely: They include schoolchildren, teenagers, career women, unmarried women, young mothers, people with disabilities, small business owners, organic farmers, retirees, and the elderly.

### **Fighting for Foreigners**

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Political parties are among the most important institutions affecting women's political participation. In most countries, parties determine which candidates are nominated and elected and which issues achieve national prominence. The role of women in political parties is therefore a key determinant of their prospects for political empowerment, particularly at the national level. Because political parties are so influential in shaping women's political prospects, Governments and international organizations seeking to advance the participation of women in elections justifiably tend to focus on

the role of political parties. Political participation extends beyond parties, however. Women can also become involved in certain aspects of the electoral process through independent action — particularly at the local level—and by joining civil society organizations. Some women in post-conflict countries have gained political experience by participating in non-elected transitional assemblies. Women's networks, trade unions, non-governmental organizations, and the media can all provide avenues for women's political participation. In many countries, the rights of women are enshrined in law, and there are no formal legal barriers to women's political participation in election processes. In practice, however, there are often formidable obstacles to women's active participation in politics. The hurdles to be overcome can be particularly daunting for women considering running for office and maybe overwhelming for women in post-conflict countries. Politics has traditionally been a male domain that many women

have found unwelcoming or even hostile. Societies in which traditional or patriarchal values remain strong may frown on women entering politics. In addition to dealing with unfavorable cultural predilections, women are often more likely than men to face practical barriers to entering politics, including a paucity of financial resources, lower levels of education, less access to information, greater family responsibilities, and deprivation of rights that has left them with fewer opportunities to acquire political experience. This book gives a critical account of women's participation in politics and the politicization of women's issues. Women's Liberation Movement has concentrated on women's oppression which includes the sexual division of labore, control of sexuality and the relation of reproduction, access to education, jobs and power over our lives.

### **More Sex, Lies and the Ballot Box**

VIZ Media LLC Records of modern female boxing date back to the early eighteenth century in London, and in the 1904 Olympics an exhibition bout between women was held. Yet it

was not until the 2012 Olympics—more than 100 years later—that women’s boxing was officially added to the Games. Throughout boxing’s history, women have fought in and out of the ring to gain respect in a sport traditionally considered for men alone. The stories of these women are told for the first time in this comprehensive work dedicated to women’s boxing. *A History of Women’s Boxing* traces the sport back to the 1700s, through the 2012 Olympic Games, and up to the present. Inside-the-ring action is brought to life through photographs, newspaper clippings, and anecdotes, as are the stories of the women who played important roles outside the ring, from spectators and judges to managers and trainers. This book includes extensive profiles of the sport’s pioneers, including Barbara Buttrick whose plucky carnival shows launched her professional boxing career in the 1950s; sixteen-year-old Dallas Malloy who single-handedly overturned the

strictures against female amateur boxing in 1993; the famous “boxing daughters” Laila Ali and Jacqui Frazier-Lyde; and teenager Claressa Shields, the first American woman to win a boxing gold medal at the Olympics. Rich in detail and exhaustively researched, this book illuminates the struggles, obstacles, and successes of the women who fought—and continue to fight—for respect in their sport. *A History of Women’s Boxing* is a must-read for boxing fans, sports historians, and for those interested in the history of women in sports. *Gender, Nation and State in Modern Japan* Cornell University Press DigiCat Publishing presents to you this special edition of "The Fighting Spirit of Japan" by E. J. Harrison. DigiCat Publishing considers every written word to be a legacy of humankind. Every DigiCat book has been carefully reproduced for republishing in a new modern format. The books are available in print, as well as ebooks. DigiCat hopes you will treat this work with the

acknowledgment and passion it deserves as a classic of world literature.

**Shōjo Across Media**  
Routledge

Untangles the web of commodity, capitalism, and art that is anime  
**Fighting Japan's Cold War**  
Springer

Through a lens of self-care and wellbeing, this book shares stories of struggle and success from a diverse range of women in academia. Each story highlights how these women mitigated and overcame various barriers as part of their academic trajectory and provides practical strategies for maintaining self-care and wellbeing. Taken from lived experience, the autoethnographic narrative approach provides a deeper, personal understanding of the obstacles faced by women throughout an academic career and guidance on how these might be navigated in a way that avoids self-sacrificing. This collection goes further to illustrate the ways that higher education institutions can be more accommodating of the needs of women.