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Against Corruption-Sa'eda Kilani 2007-09-01 Internet, satellite channels and new technologies are evolving and progressing by the day allowing free flow and exchange of information and ideas. And despite governments’ attempts to frustrate or quash independent players and research centers, the number of independent activists is dramatically increasing and the NGOs are booming. And if corruption were a sensitive subject to governments, it has become a basic commodity on internet websites, NGOs work and discussion programs on satellite channels that are watched and heard by millions across the Arab world. Tackling corruption is no longer a monopoly of government-appointed experts and lawyers. It had reached activists and the societies from all backgrounds. There are few civil society organizations that tackle corruption in this region but are on the rise. In numbers, the Arab civil society in general is witnessing a noticeable vivacity in a number of Arab countries and multiplying by the day despite the restrictive laws and regulations. ... Certainly, civil society can contribute much to cure corruption, but influential countries such as Egypt and Saudi Arabia do not promote anti-corruption activities or for that matter the establishment of NGOs to fight it. Its main dilemma however is related to finding sources for funding for its activities and development. And while the most common mechanism for encouraging individuals and corporations to make cash and in-kind donations to NGOs is through tax incentives for donors, tax deductions by law are given to individuals who build mosques. Arab countries that do allocate support and tax exemptions to NGOs make sure that recipient societies follow rather than monitor their policies. And though regimes acknowledge the repercussions of rampant corruption on their economies and on foreign investment, they remain hesitant in encouraging the civil society to carry the torch or initiating dramatic changes. In the words of Ahmed Lari, chief of the Kuwaiti Association for Public Funds: Corruption delays development because officials gear budgets toward projects that make them money rather than toward those that can benefit peoples such as education, health and public services.(5) From the Introduction
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Economies based at the OECD. This report reviews the legal and institutional frameworks for fighting corruption in Ukraine, including national anti-corruption policy and institutions, national anti-corruption legislation, and preventive measures to ensure the integrity of civil service and effective financial control. It includes the recommendations as well as the full text of the self-assessment report by the government of Ukraine.

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Syndromes of Corruption - Michael Johnston 2005-12-01 Corruption is a threat to democracy and economic development in many societies. It arises in the ways people pursue, use and exchange wealth and power, and in the strength or weakness of the state, political and social institutions that sustain and restrain those processes. Differences in these factors, Michael Johnston argues, give rise to four major syndromes of corruption: Influence Markets, Elite Cartels, Oligarchs and Clans, and Official Moguls. In this 2005 book, Johnston uses statistical measures to identify societies in each group, and case studies to show that the expected syndromes do arise. Countries studied include the United States, Japan and Germany (Influence Markets); Italy, Korea and Botswana (Elite Cartels); Russia, the Philippines and Mexico (Oligarchs and Clans); and China, Kenya, and Indonesia (Official Moguls). A concluding chapter explores reform, emphasising the ways familiar measures should be applied - or withheld, lest they do harm - with an emphasis upon the value of 'deep democratisation'.

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Israel, and he uses his position as a government outsider to examine Turkey’s internal

dynamics from a fresh perspective. With unprecedented insight, searing commentary, and a

profound intellect, these essays by Ali Bulaç form an ideal introduction to the socio-cultural

and political canvas of both Turkey and the Middle East.

**Corruption and the Global Economy**-Kimberly Ann Elliott 1997-06-01 The recently-

adopted OECD convention outlawing bribery of foreign public officials is welcome evidence

of how much progress has been made in the battle against corruption. The financial crisis in

East Asia is an indication of how much remains to be done. Corruption is by no means a new

issue but it has only recently emerged as a global issue. With the end of the Cold War, the

dpace and breadth of the trends toward democratization and international economic

integration accelerated and expanded globally. Yet corruption could slow or even reverse

these trends, potentially threatening economic development and political stability in some

countries. As the global implications of corruption have grown, so has the impetus for

international action to combat it. In addition to efforts in the OECD, the Organization of

American States, the World Trade Organization, and the United Nations General Assembly,

the World Bank and the International Monetary Fund have both begun to emphasize

corruption as an impediment to economic development. This book includes a chapter by the

Chairman of the OECD Working Group on Bribery discussing the evolution of the OECD

convention and what is needed to make it effective. Other chapters address the causes and

consequences of corruption, including the impact on investment and growth and the role of

multinational corporations in discouraging bribery. The final chapter summarizes and also

discusses some of the other anticorruption initiatives that either have been or should be

adopted by governments, multilateral development banks, and other international

organizations.

**The State of Corruption in Uganda**-Samuel Kakande 2011-04 Corruption is one of the

most wide spread problems in Uganda. Since the NRM’s taking over power they have been

efforts to curtail the vice but it has remained and has not been stepped out despite the

various efforts by the government to eliminate it. Today, the ACD has been established and

whether it strengthens the struggle for the fight against corruption is the subject of this

research. This study is an attempt to examine the manner in which the ACD operates and to

ascertain its contribution to the fight against corruption in Uganda. This study examines the

various issues that have made the pre ACD anti-corruption institutions fail to curtail the

rampant levels of corruption. This is done by analyzing the mandate of the ACD and

identifying the inadequacies of other institutions in the fight against corruption. It is against

this background that my study concludes that corruption is an absurd practice which must

be fought so that the people involved do not enrich themselves unjustly. The challenges

involved in the fight against corruption are a major concern and should be addressed.

**Nature, Impact & Extent of Political Corruption at National & Local Government

Level**- 2004
Whistleblowing - Roberta Ann Johnson 2003 An exploration of when and how - and to what effect - people make the choice to blow the whistle. Case studies from the tobacco industry, to NASA, to the FDA illustrate how individual efforts can and do transform institutions, shape public policy, and serve as a force for democratization.

Confronting Corruption - Jeremy Pope 2000 The first version of this Source Book argued the case for a “National Integrity System”, an holistic approach to transparency and accountability and embracing a range of accountability "pillars", democratic, judicial, media and civil society. The expression has since passed into common usage in development circles, and the argument for an holistic approach to anti-corruption efforts has similarly achieved a widespread consensus. The fight against corruption is not wholly a moral one, in the sense that it is a struggle against the intrinsic "evil" of corruption. Certainly there is a moral element - and one which cuts across al major religions and societies throughout the world. But the compelling reason for the struggle is the suffering and deprivation corruption brings to whole societies, and to the world's most poor. It is concern for the latter, rather than a distaste for the corrupt and their deeds, that rightly drives the global movement against corruption.


The Organisation of the Fight Against Corruption in the Member States and Candidate Countries of the European Union - Tom Vander Beken 2001 Within the framework of the European Commission's Falcone programme, a study of the organisation of the fight against corruption in the Member States and candidate countries of the European Union was established by Ghent University. The results of the study can be found in this book, which provides a comparative analysis of anti-corruption arrangements across 24 European States. In addition to this it includes the full texts as provided by the experts selected to contribute both to the volume itself and the accompanying two-day meeting in Ghent, Belgium. The collection and publication of these reports supports one of the two central aims of the project: to assist in furthering mutual knowledge and understanding of the legal frameworks and organisations that are tasked with the fight against corruption across the European Union and candidate countries. This collection also reflects the second central aim of the project which was to assist in the formation of a wide network of people involved in anti-corruption efforts. For this reason the provided texts have come from a broad spectrum of interested agencies and individuals. Subsequently, they provide a broader picture of corruption in the 24 countries than might otherwise be expected. Accordingly, this four part volume begins with a brief introduction in which the aims, context, methodology and questionnaire are covered. Part two provides a comparative analysis of the reports, bolstered by the findings of the meeting. Part three contains the collected reports and can be used by practitioners and others interested in the anti-corruption arrangements of the various European Union Member States and candidate countries. The fourth and final part of this volume is a concluding statement in which the recommendations of the final meeting are suggested for consideration.
Collapse of Dignity - Napoleon Gomez

In the early morning hours of February 19, 2006, a sudden blast shook a coal mine in northern Mexico, trapping sixty-five workers in a subterranean tunnel. Napoleón Gómez, head of the fiercely independent union that represented the workers, was appalled by what he found at the scene: labor department inspectors and the company operating the mine had ignored the egregiously hazardous state of the work site and were failing miserably at a rescue effort. Rather than focusing on saving lives, they were busy downplaying the company's role in the collapse and selling false hope to the families camped out at the mouth of the mine. Less than a week after the explosion, Mexico's labor secretary called off the rescue, leaving the lost men to their fates. The senseless tragedy—stemming directly from an insatiable hunger for profits—set off a massive confrontation between the National Miners' Union and the transnational corporations that wield great power in the country's government. Over seven tumultuous years, Gómez waged a battle against Mexico's corrupt politicians and voraciously greedy businessmen, insisting that the mine blast was an "industrial homicide" and that those responsible must be held accountable for it. Told with candor and passion, Collapse of Dignity is Gómez's account of the union's fight, mounted in the face of traitors, armed aggression, death threats, and a political alliance extending all the way up to the presidential residence at Los Pinos. As he fends off absurdly complex legal charges, organizes the resistance from exile in Canada, and uncovers an anti-union conspiracy stretching back to years before the explosion, he only becomes more committed to fighting for the rights of Los Mineros—and by extension the workers of every country. Gómez's story is one of outrage, but also one of hope. Though Collapse of Dignity lays bare sickening injustice and inexcusable aggression against the Mexican working class, it is at its core a fervent call for a global workers' movement that will represent the fundamental rights of every person who works for a living.

Corruption and Democracy in Brazil - Timothy Joseph Power

Brazil, the world's fourth largest democracy, has been plagued in recent years by corruption scandals. Corruption and Democracy in Brazil: The Struggle for Accountability considers the performance of the Brazilian federal accountability system with a view to diagnosing the system's strengths, weaknesses, and areas of potential improvement; taking stock of recent micro- and macro-level reforms; and pointing out implications of various dimensions of the accountability process for Brazil's democratic regime. The book's essays take a multidimensional approach to the accountability matrix in Brazil. The first section of the book investigates complex interrelationships among representative institutions, electoral dynamics, and public opinion. In the second section, authors address nonelectoral dimensions of accountability, such as role of the media, accounting institutions, police, prosecutors, and courts. In the final chapter, the editors reflect upon the policy implications of the essays, considering recommendations that may contribute to an effective fight against political corruption and support ongoing accountability, as well as articulating analytical lessons for social scientists interested in functioning of accountability networks.
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