Fifteen Outstanding Books of 2010 for Mission Studies

In consultation with fifty distinguished scholars from around the world, the editors of the International Bulletin of Missionary Research have selected fifteen books published in 2010 (or, in the case of Tiedemann’s Handbook, late 2009) for special recognition of their contribution to mission studies. We commend the authors, editors, and publishers represented here for their contribution to the advancement of scholarship in studies of the Christian mission and world Christianity.

Bebbington, David W.

Baptists Through the Centuries: A History of a Global People.

Hunt, Robert A.


Hunter, James Davison.

To Change the World: The Irony, Tragedy, and Possibility of Christianity in the Late Modern World.
New York: Oxford Univ. Press. $27.95 / £17.99.

Lian Xi.

Re redeemed by Fire: The Rise of Popular Christianity in Modern China.
New Haven: Yale Univ. Press. $45.

Lutz, Jessie G.

Pioneer Chinese Christian Women: Gender, Christianity, and Social Mobility.
Bethlehem, Pa.: Lehigh Univ. Press. $85.

Ma, Julie C., and Wonsuk Ma.

Mission in the Spirit: Towards a Pentecostal/Charismatic Missiology.

Ott, Craig, and Stephen J. Strauss, with Timothy C. Tennent.


Robinson, Rowena, and Joseph Marianus Kujur, eds.

Margins of Faith: Dalit and Tribal Christianity in India.

Ruokanen, Miikka, and Paulos Huang, eds.

Christianity and Chinese Culture.

Shaw, Mark.


Tennent, Timothy C.

Introduction to World Missions: A Trinitarian Missiology for the Twenty-first Century.
Grand Rapids: Kregel Publications. $38.99.

Thomas, Norman E.


Tiedemann, R. G., ed.

Leiden: Brill. €249 / $369.

Werner, Dietrich, David Esterline, Namsoon Kang, and Joshua Raja, eds.

Handbook of Theological Education in World Christianity: Theological Perspectives, Ecumenical Trends, Regional Surveys.
Oxford: Regnum Books; Eugene, Ore.: Wipf & Stock. £49.95 / $80.

Yong, Amos.

In the Days of Caesar: Pentecostalism and Political Theology.