

Guidelines for Contributors

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- (a) Books:
Hirschman, A. O. 1961. Strategy of Economic Development. New Haven: Yale University Press.
- (b) Edited volumes:
Shand, Ric (ed.). 1999. Economic Liberalization in South Asia, Delhi: Macmillan.

- (c) Articles from edited volumes:
Lakshman, W. D. 1989. "Lineages of Dependent Development: From State Control to the Open Economy in Sri Lanka," in Ponna Wignaraja and Akmal Hussain (eds): *The Challenge in South Asia: Development, Democracy and Regional Cooperation*. pp. 105-63. New Delhi: Sage.

- (d) Articles from Journals:
Rao, M.G., K. P. Kalirajan and R. T. Shand. 1999. "Convergence of Income across Indian States: A Divergent View". *Economic and Political Weekly*, 34(13): 769-78.

- (e) Unpublished Work:
Sande, H. 1995. "Innovations in Production". Unpublished Ph.D thesis. Amsterdam: Free University.