



The Umbrella Movement: Civil Resistance and Contentious Space in Hong Kong

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The editors, two professors of government in Hong Kong, argue that although the Occupy Central movement did not achieve immediate specific results it did alter the nature of Hong Kong politics through the emergence of a new movement and repertoire of protest, and also changed Hong Kong's relations with China and its perceived identity internationally. Scholarly contributors from different disciplines assess the origins of the movement, discuss new participants and forms of protest, and the Hong Kong government's response. The book includes perspectives from China, Taiwan and Macau.

See also: Cheng, Edmund W.; Chan, Wai-Yin , [Explaining Spontaneous Occupation: Antecedents, Contingencies and Spaces in the Umbrella Movement](#) [3] Social Movement Studies, 2017, pp. 222-239

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