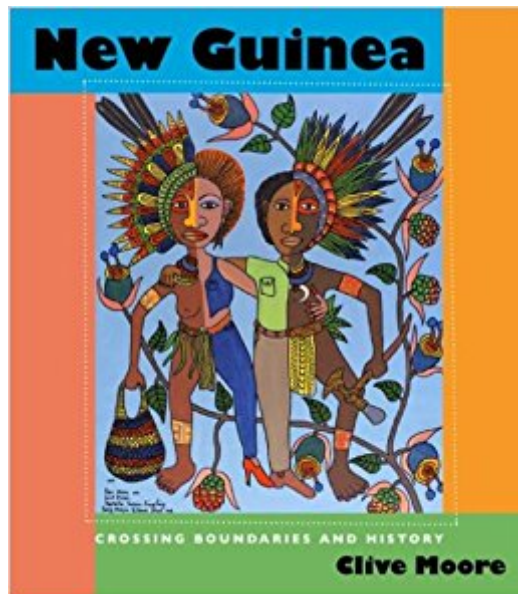




**Ebook Directory**  
the best source of ebook

The book was found

# New Guinea: Crossing Boundaries And History



## Synopsis

New Guinea, the world's largest tropical island, is a land of great contrasts, ranging from small glaciers on its highest peaks to broad mangrove swamps in its lowlands and hundreds of smaller islands and coral atolls along its coasts. Divided between two nations, the island and its neighboring archipelagos form Indonesia's Papua Province (or Irian Jaya) and the independent nation of Papua New Guinea, both former European colonies. Most books on New Guinea have been guided by these and other divisions, separating east from west, prehistoric from historic, precontact from postcontact, colonial from postcolonial. This is the first work to consider New Guinea and its 40,000-year history in its entirety. The volume opens with a look at the Melanesian region and argues that interlocking exchange systems and associated human interchanges are the "invisible government" through which New Guinea societies operate. Succeeding chapters review the history of encounters between outsiders and New Guinea's populations. They consider the history of Malay involvement with New Guinea over the past two thousand years, demonstrating the extent to which west New Guinea in particular was incorporated into Malay trading and raiding networks prior to Western contact. The impact of colonial rule, economic and social change, World War II, decolonization, and independence are discussed in the final chapter.

## Book Information

Hardcover: 288 pages

Publisher: University of Hawaii Press; 1st Board Book Ed edition (July 31, 2003)

Language: English

ISBN-10: 0824824857

ISBN-13: 978-0824824853

Product Dimensions: 7.1 x 1 x 10.7 inches

Shipping Weight: 2 pounds

Average Customer Review: Be the first to review this item

Best Sellers Rank: #3,685,718 in Books (See Top 100 in Books) #94 in Books > History >

Australia & Oceania > Papua New Guinea #1003 in Books > History > Australia & Oceania >

Oceania #2053 in Books > History > Australia & Oceania > Australia & New Zealand

## Customer Reviews

Clive Moore is reader in history and head of the history department at the University of Queensland, Brisbane.

[Download to continue reading...](#)

Guinea Pigs Owner Handbook: The Complete Beginner's Guide to Guinea Pig Care and Facts (How to Care for Guinea Pigs, Guinea Pig Facts Book 1) New Guinea: Crossing Boundaries and History PAPUA NEW GUINEA Country Studies: A brief, comprehensive study of Papua New Guinea Boundaries: Where You End and I Begin - How to Recognize and Set Healthy Boundaries Boundaries Where You End And I Begin: How To Recognize And Set Healthy Boundaries The Kapa Kapa: A World War 2 historical trail crossing the rugged Owen Stanley Ranges in Papua New Guinea Papua-neuguiea, Indonesien: West-Papua, Molukken = New Guinea = nouvelle-Guinee = nueva Guinea = Novaia Gvineia Crossing Boundaries with Children's Books The Routledge Advanced Chinese Multimedia Course: Crossing Cultural Boundaries, 2nd Edition Guinea Pigs: The Essential Guide To Ownership, Care, & Training For Your Pet (Guinea Pig Care) Guinea Pig Care Secrets: Kids Guide to a Happy Guinea Pig (Kids Pet Care & Guides Book 3) A Guinea Pig Pride & Prejudice (Guinea Pig Classics) Guinea Pigs: Complete Care Made Easy-Practical Advice To Caring For your Guinea Pig A Guinea Pig Oliver Twist (Guinea Pig Classics) World History, Ancient History, Asian History, United States History, European History, Russian History, Indian History, African History. ( world history) A Kiap's Story: A Decade in the Life and Work of an Australian Patrol Officer in the Kokoda, New Britain, New Ireland, Madang and Sepik Regions of Papua New Guinea 1948-1958 Down under: Mineral heritage in Australasia : an illustrated history of mining and metallurgy in Australia, New Zealand, Fiji and Papua New Guinea (Monograph) South Pacific expedition to the New Hebrides and to the Fore, Kukukuku, and Genatei peoples of New Guinea, January 26, 1967 to May 12, 1967 Papua New Guinea History and Culture: Travel and Tourism Alchemy in the Rain Forest: Politics, Ecology, and Resilience in a New Guinea Mining Area (New Ecologies for the Twenty-First Century)

[Contact Us](#)

[DMCA](#)

[Privacy](#)

[FAQ & Help](#)