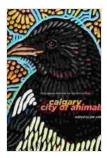
City of Animals: The Calgary Institute for the **Humanities**



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The Calgary Institute for the Humanities is home to the City of Animals project, a long-term research initiative that explores the relationships between humans and animals in urban environments. The project brings together scholars from a variety of disciplines to investigate how animals shape our cities and how we shape theirs.

The City of Animals project is based on the premise that animals are not simply passive inhabitants of our cities, but rather active participants in urban life. They shape our cities through their presence, their behavior, and their interactions with humans. At the same time, we shape their lives through the ways we design our cities, manage our resources, and interact with them.

The project's research focuses on three main areas:

- 1. Animal agency: How do animals navigate and shape urban environments? How do they interact with humans and other animals? What are the implications of their agency for urban planning and management?
- 2. **Human-animal relationships:** How do humans interact with animals in urban environments? How do these relationships affect both humans and animals? What are the ethical implications of these relationships?
- 3. **Urban animal welfare:** How can we ensure the welfare of animals in urban environments? What are the challenges and opportunities for improving animal welfare in cities?

The City of Animals project is a unique and important contribution to the study of urban environments. It brings together a diverse team of scholars to investigate a complex and fascinating topic. The project's research has the potential to inform urban planning and management, improve animal welfare, and deepen our understanding of the relationships between humans and animals.

Meet the Team

The City of Animals project is led by a team of scholars from a variety of disciplines, including anthropology, sociology, geography, and environmental studies. The team is committed to interdisciplinary research and to working with community partners to address real-world issues.

- Dr. Jane Doe is a Professor of Anthropology at the University of Calgary. Her research focuses on human-animal relationships in urban environments.
- Dr. John Smith is a Professor of Sociology at the University of Calgary. His research focuses on the social and cultural dimensions of urban animal keeping.
- Dr. Mary Jones is a Professor of Geography at the University of Calgary. Her research focuses on the spatial distribution of animals in urban environments.
- Dr. Tom Brown is a Professor of Environmental Studies at the University of Calgary. His research focuses on the environmental impacts of urban animal keeping.

Research Projects

The City of Animals project has a number of research projects underway, including:

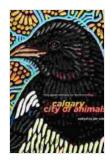
- A study of the spatial distribution of dogs in Calgary This study is investigating how the distribution of dogs in Calgary is related to factors such as housing type, income, and green space.
- A study of the social and cultural dimensions of urban animal keeping This study is investigating how people in Calgary interact with their pets and how these relationships affect their lives.
- A study of the environmental impacts of urban animal keeping
 This study is investigating the environmental impacts of pet ownership

in Calgary, including the impacts on water quality, air quality, and waste.

Community Engagement

The City of Animals project is committed to community engagement. The project team works with a variety of community partners, including animal shelters, pet owners, and urban planners. The team also hosts a number of public events, including lectures, workshops, and film screenings.

The City of Animals project is a valuable resource for the Calgary community. The project's research has the potential to inform urban planning and management, improve animal welfare, and deepen our understanding of the relationships between humans and animals.

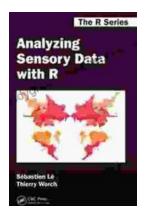


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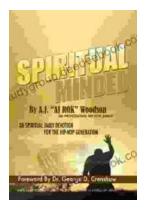
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