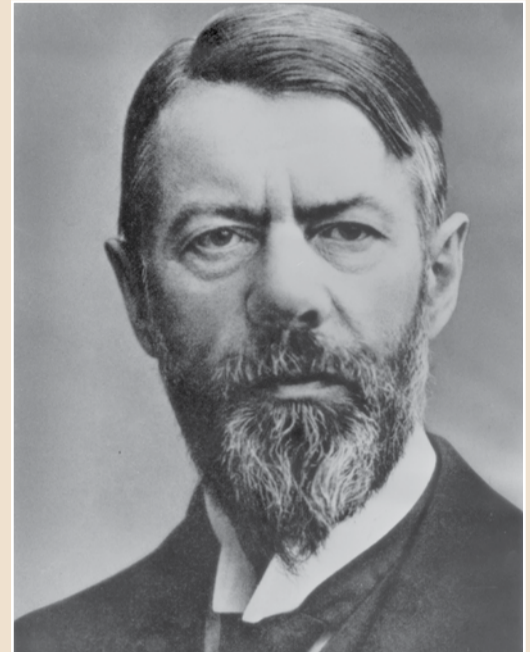


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MAX WEBER'S HINDUISM AND BUDDHISM: REFLECTIONS ON A SOCIOLOGICAL CLASSIC 100 YEARS ON



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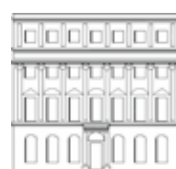
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Hinduism and Buddhism was Weber's second essay on the economic ethics of the world religions, and marks his intense preoccupation with the religions and ethics of South Asia and their diffusion throughout the region. Although Weber lacked the knowledge to interrelate religions to social, political and economic currents according to today's much richer scholarly sources, his handling of a number of themes remain classic and exemplary and just as relevant today.

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