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“What *The Making of the Modern World* permits scholars to do more effectively is paralleled by what it encourages teachers to do. Imagine a lesson plan for a class in comparative slavery. The number of textbook treatments of the subject seem boundless, but they all reference primary documents that are largely out of reach for students in classrooms. Manuals written for plantation managers tell how things really were, but they are mostly the province of rare books collections. *The Making of the Modern World* brings them into classrooms, puts them into the hands of students.”

—John McCusker, Ewing Halsell Distinguished Professor of American History and Professor of Economics at Trinity University, San Antonio, Texas
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The Making of the Modern World, Part III partially overlaps chronologically, but does not duplicate the title list in Part II—and contains materials that are only now out of copyright and could therefore not have been included in the previous parts of the series. With full-text search capability of rare, digitized primary source materials, this expansive collection provides researchers with a new perspective on the rise of globalization.

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Expansion of communism and capitalism
Production and trade as it relates to the role of the state
Immigration’s impact on our economy
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Emergence of the middle class
World War I and II

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The Making of the Modern World, Part I: The Goldsmiths’-Kress Library of Economic Literature, 1450-1850 offers new ways of understanding the emergence of modern economics and other social sciences. It is the most comprehensive collection in existence for the study of early economic, political, business, and social history; and ideal for researching the literature of economics from this period.

This collection traces the development of the modern Western world through the lens of trade and wealth—the driving force behind many of the major historical events during the period (1450-1850). With full-text search capabilities on an abundance of rare books and other primary source materials, this resource provides unparalleled access to more than 61,000 monographs and 466 serials. In more than 11 million pages, it focuses on economics from a variety of angles, offering perspectives from political science, history, sociology, and special collections on banking, finance, transportation, and manufacturing.

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**TOPICS INCLUDE:**
- Economics
- Industrial Revolution
- Global colonization and empire building
- The emergence of mercantilism
- Triangular trade and the transatlantic slave trade
- Philosophy
- Social conditions
- The role of the state
- Commerce
- Pan-Atlanticism

“... [The two rare book libraries] are comprehensive in their coverage; they contain, in some cases, the only known extant copies of certain works, and they include numerous books of fascinating provenance—books from the personal libraries of such personages as Adam Smith, Lord Sheffield, David Ricardo, John Locke, Jeremy Bentham, William Wilberforce, Robert Owen, Sir Robert Peel, William Wordsworth and Karl Marx.”

– Nathan Rosenberg, Professor of Economics at the University of Wisconsin; Editor, *Journal of Economic History*
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- Railroads
- Women (in business, the labor movement and women’s rights)
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- Socialism and social movements, including communism
- Political theories, including economic policy
- Economic disaster and recovery
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- Colonialism and exploitation of natural resources
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**REVIEW**

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– eDesiderata, Center for Research Libraries
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- Professor Al Brophy, University of Alabama