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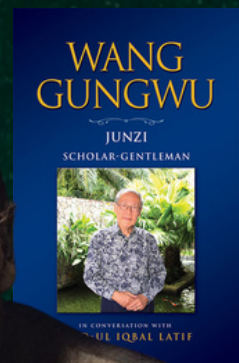
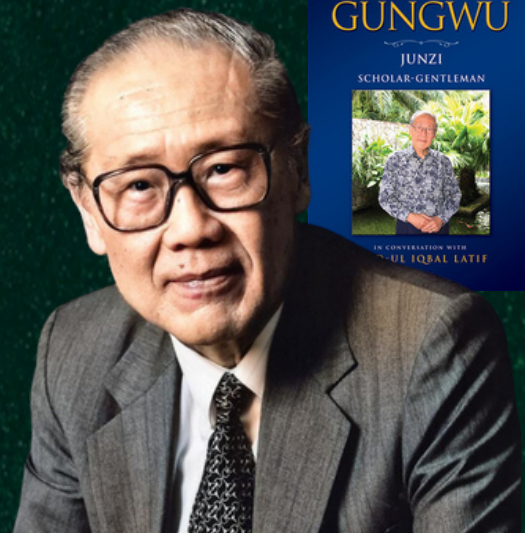
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His most recent books are, *Renewal: the Chinese State and New Global History* (2013); *Another China Cycle: Committing to Reform* (2014); *The Eurasian Core and its Edges* (Dialogue with Ooi Kee Beng) (2015); *Home is not here* (2018); *Nanyang: Essays on Heritage* (2018); *China Reconnects: Joining a Deep-rooted Past to a New World Order* (2019); *Home is where we are* (with Margaret Wang) (2020); *Living with Civilisations: Reflections on Southeast Asia's Local and National Cultures* (2023).



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