

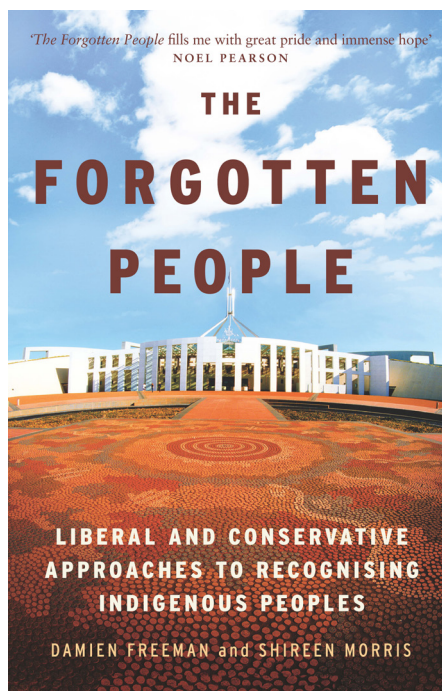
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Damien Freeman is a lawyer, writer and philosopher who lectures on ethics and aesthetics at Pembroke College, Cambridge, and is director of the Governor-General's Prize for the Constitution Education Fund Australia.

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