

Disclaimer

One of the difficulties in writing a book is that certain nouns and pronouns (his, man, mankind) indicate a sexist bias that is hard to expunge. We have attempted to use genderless terms in this book as much as possible (their, human, humankind) but we do use the term man, especially in historical discussion. The male dominant culture was responsible for many of those ideas that led to our present predicament, so alternating his and her or man and woman often would have been misleading.