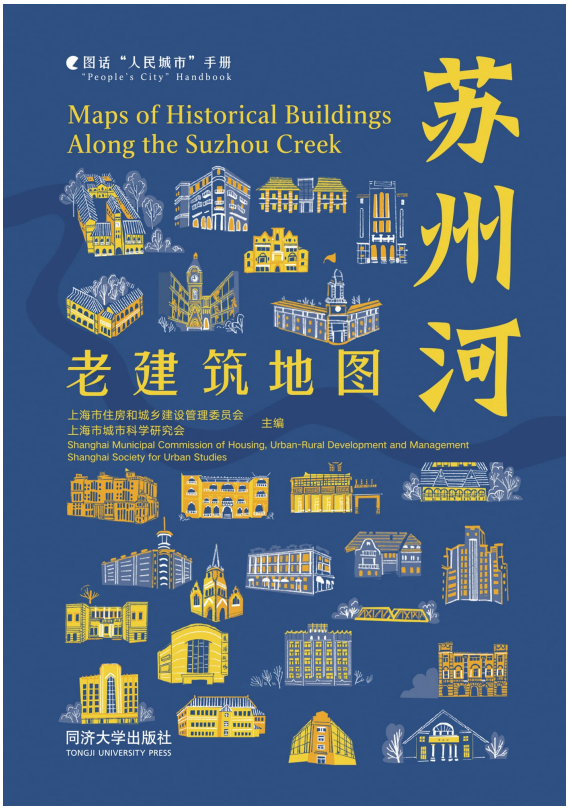
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- Not only represents a systematic summary of Shanghai's historical building preservation efforts, but also stands as a significant achievement in integrating culture heritage with technological innovation within the development of "Smart Digital City"
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This book guides you along Suzhou Creek's historic corridor, uncovering Shanghai's urban memories through a finely curated bilingual map that pins historic sites and weaves together layered historical narratives and cultural legacies. Once known as the Wusong River, Suzhou Creek is a formative artery of Shanghai—cradling Jiangnan civilisation, incubating China's early industry, and spurring the city's first waves of modernisation—while the changes along its banks preserve deep collective memories and shape civic identity, reflecting the interplay of urban life and waterways. A walk along the creek reveals an exceptional concentration of distinctive historic architecture; within the planned central waterfront this volume documents 103 outstanding buildings—landmarks of modern Chinese history in varied styles—and systematically catalogues each site, pairing selected entries with archival materials and curated narratives to serve as an essential guide for historians, architects, urban explorers, and anyone drawn to Shanghai's living past.

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