# CONTENTS

Tables and Figures vii
Preface ix
Introduction: The Anthropology of Deviance 1

Part I • Models for Cross-Cultural Research 25

   *Morris Freilich* 27

2. Hard versus Soft Deviance: Anthropology and Labeling Theory
   *Douglas Raybeck* 51

3. Free Shows and Cheap Thrills: Staged Deviance in the Arctic and the Bahamas
   *Joel Savishinsky* 73

Part II • Ethnographic Essays 89

4. Swaziland: Witchcraft and Deviance
   *Laurel Rose* 93
5. Female Violence Against Related Children: Child Abuse as a Modern Form of Deviance in Kenya  
   Philip L. Kilbride 115

6. The "Voice" of the Despicable: Deviance, Speaking, and Power in Yemeni Tribal Society  
   Steven C. Caton 133

7. Deviant Careers: The Hijras of India  
   Serena Nanda 149

8. Taiwan: Gangsters or Good Guys?  
   Thomas A. Shaw 173

9. Faeroe Islands: Clowning, Drama, and Distortion  
   Dennis Gaffin 191

Coda 213
Bibliography 217
Index 243
About the Editors and Contributors 249
TABLES AND FIGURES

TABLES

1.1 Two-Informational Systems Comparable as Contrasts between the Proper and the Smart 36
2.1 Deviance and Social Scale 69

FIGURES

1.1 SSA: Merton’s Model of Social Structure and Anomie 38
1.2 LOS: Law of Strategies 40
1.3 SAPS: Smart and Proper Strategies 44
4.1 Swaziland Court Structure 99
4.2 Smart and Proper Strategies 101
4.3 SAPS: Witchcraft in Swaziland 103