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Designed for novice as well as more experienced researchers, **Reason & Rigor** by Sharon M. Ravitch and Matthew Riggan presents conceptual frameworks as a mechanism for aligning literature review, research design, and methodology. The book explores the conceptual framework--defined as both a process and a product--that helps to direct and ground researchers as they work through common research challenges. Focusing on published studies on a range of topics and employing both quantitative and qualitative methods, the updated **Second Edition** features two new chapters and clearly communicates the processes of developing and defining conceptual frameworks.

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Great text for approaching and organizing research. Good reference material. Good tool for teaching graduate students.

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## **Ryan Giffen says**

A helpful text for graduate students who desire a rich understanding in building a strong conceptual framework to their research. Personally found Chapters 1-3 the most useful and necessary.

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## **W says**

good

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