

SYLLABUS: AMERICAN FOREIGN POLICY (INS 560 BX)

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COURSE DESCRIPTION AND REQUIREMENTS

This course will examine the leading approaches to the analysis of, and the key issues in, American foreign policy during the 20th Century and at the outset of the 21st. Particular emphasis will be placed on the Cold War period, the post-Soviet era and the new challenges to U.S. foreign policy following the terrorist attacks of September 11, 2001.

The course will be conducted as a seminar. Students will be expected to complete the readings assigned for each session (approximately 250 pages per week) prior to each class meeting and to participate actively in class discussions. One (or more) students (depending on the size of the class) will be assigned responsibility for reviewing the readings orally during each session prior to the general discussion. A short review essay or rapporteur's report (5-8 typed, double-spaced pages in length; **ESSAYS LONGER THAN 8 PAGES WILL BE PENALIZED ONE FULL GRADE**) covering all the required readings for one class session will be due twenty four (24) hours prior to the presentation of the oral report and should be sent to the entire class by email.

All class members will be required to write research papers (15-20 double spaced pages in length plus endnotes for undergraduates and 20-25 pages in length for graduate students) on a topic/country/issue of their choice. You need not restrict yourself to the countries/policies examined in class. All seminar participants must submit a one-page description of the project plus an initial bibliography to me by the seventh meeting of the course (March 3).

Rapporteurs for each session should discuss their presentations with me after class the week prior to their session. Presentations should be critical and comparative. A bare-bones outline of the argument developed by the author(s) should be presented briefly (10 minutes) and then critiqued (10 minutes). Each presentation should identify the theoretical focus, methodological approach and the major substantive conclusions of the works discussed. Each rapporteur must prepare a 5-8 page written summary of his/her presentation for distribution by email prior to the scheduled class. Following the oral

presentation and class discussion, each rapporteur will have one week to re-write and submit a final version of their rapporteur report for grading.

Final grades in the course will be based on the following weighting system:

1. Oral presentation – 20%;
2. Rapporteur's essay – 30%;
3. Final paper or examination – 50%.

The following books will be used in the course:

1. Jerel A. Rosati and James M. Scott, The Politics of United States Foreign Policy. New York: Thomson/Wadsworth, 2007, 4th Edition, 596 p. ISBN: 0-495-00862-1 (pbk.)
2. Rosemary Foot, S. Neil MacFarlane, & Michael Mastanduno, editors, US Hegemony and International Organizations: The United States and Multilateral Institutions. New York: Oxford University Press, 2003. ISBN 0-19-926143-1 (pbk.)
3. Eugene R. Wittkopf and James M. McCormick, eds., The Domestic Sources of American Foreign Policy: Insights and Evidence. New York: Rowman & Littlefield, Publishers, Inc., 2008, Fifth Edition, 417 p. ISBN-10: 0-7425-4740-X (pbk).
4. John M. Rothgeb, Jr., U.S. Trade Policy: Balancing Economic Dreams and Political Realities. Washington, D.C.: CQ Press, 2001. ISBN 1-56802-522-X (pbk.)
5. Laura Neack, The New Foreign Policy: U.S. and Comparative Foreign Policy in the 21st Century. New York: Rowman and Littlefield Publisher, Inc., 2003. ISBN 0-7425-0147-7 (pbk.)
6. Ivo Daalder and James M. Lindsay, America Unbound: The Bush Revolution in Foreign Policy. Washington: Brookings Institution Press, 2003, 246 pp. (Cloth). ISBN 0-8157-1688-5
7. Joyce P. Kaufman, A Concise History of U.S. Foreign Policy. New York: Rowman & Littlefield Publishers, Inc., 2006, 170 p. ISBN – 10: 0-7425-3444-8 (pbk.)
8. Christopher Layne, The Peace of Illusions: American Grand Strategy from 1940 to the Present. Ithaca: Cornell University Press, 2006. ISBN-13: 978-0-8014-3713-7. (Cloth)
9. Charles W. Kegley, Jr. and Gregory A. Raymond, After Iraq: The Imperiled American Imperium. New York: Oxford University Press, 2007 ISBN-10: 0-19-517702-9 (pbk).
10. Zibigniew Brezezinski, Second Chance: Three Presidents and the Crisis of American Superpower. New York: Basic Books, 2007, 234 p. ISBN-10:0-465-00252-8.

NOTE: These books are available in the University of Miami Book Store on the Coral Gables Campus. They may also be purchased, often at discount prices, online at Amazon.com. Most will be posted on Blackboard.

CLASS SCHEDULE

1. ORGANIZATIONAL SESSION (January 14)

NOTE: MONDAY JANUARY 21 IS MARTIN LUTHER KING DAY. NO CLASS

2. REALISM AND U.S. FOREIGN POLICY (January 28)

Required Reading

Joyce P. Kaufman, A Concise History of U.S. Foreign Policy. New York: Rowman & Littlefield Publishers, Inc., 2006, 170 p.

Laura Neack, The New Foreign Policy: U.S. and Comparative Foreign Policy in the 21st Century. New York: Rowman and Littlefield Publisher, Inc., 2003, pp. 1-74.

Christopher Layne, The Peace of Illusions: American Grand Strategy from 1940 to the Present. Ithaca: Cornell University Press, 2006, pp 1-70.

Supplementary Reading

Bruce W. Jentleson, American Foreign Policy: The Dynamics of Choice in the 21st Century. New York: W.W. Norton & Company, 2000.

William R. Keylor, The Twentieth Century World: An International History. New York: Oxford University Press, 1992, 260p.

Robert D. Schulzinger, U.S. Diplomacy since 1900. New York: Oxford University Press, 1998, 383 p.

Wesley M. Bagby, America's International Relations since World War I. New York: Oxford University Press, 1999, 403 p.

John W. Young and John Kent, International Relations since 1945: A Global History. New York: Oxford University Press, 2004, 743p.

Michael J. Hogan and Thomas G. Paterson, eds., Explaining the History of American Foreign Relations. New York: Cambridge University Press, 2nd Edition, 2004, 366 p.

3. NEO-REALISM, IR THEORY AND FOREIGN POLICY ANALYSIS (February 4)

Required Reading

Neack, Op cit., pp. 75-122.

Christopher Layne, Op cit., pp. 71-133.

Jerel A. Rosati and James M. Scott, The Politics of United States Foreign Policy. New York: Thomson/Wadsworth, 2007, pp. 1-66.

Supplementary Reading

John J. Mearsheimer, The Tragedy of Great Power Politics. New York: W.W. Norton & Company, 2003, 402 p.

Robert Kagan, Of Paradise and Power: America and Europe in the New World Order. New York: Alfred A. Knopf, 2003.

Chris Brown, Understanding International Relations, New York: St. Martin's Press, 1997, 240p.

C.W. Kegley, ed., Controversies in International Relations Theory: Realism and the Neo-Liberal Challenge. New York, St. Martins Press, 1995.

Robert W. Tucker, The Inequality of Nations. New York: Basic Books, 1997, 201p.

Peter J. Katzenstein, Robert O. Keohane, and Steven D. Krasner, "International Organization and the Study of World Politics," in P. J. Katzenstein, R.O. Keohane, and S.D. Krasner, eds., Exploration and Contestation in the Study of World Politics. Cambridge, MA: The MIT Press, 1999, pp. 5-46.

Robert Jervis, "Realism in the Study of World Politics," in P. J. Katzenstein, et al. eds., Ibid, pp.331-352.

Kenneth Waltz, "Anarchic Orders and Balances of Power," in G. John Ikenberry, ed., American Foreign Policy: Theoretical Essays. New York: Longman, Third Edition, 1999, Pp. 67-89.

Michael Mastanduno, et al., "Toward a Realist Theory of State Action," in Ikenberry, ed., Ibid, Pp. 90-110.

4. LIBERALISM AND CONSTRUCTIVISM IN U.S. FOREIGN POLICY ANALYSIS (February 11)

Required Reading

Robert O. Keohane and Joseph S. Nye, Power and Interdependence: World Politics in Transition. Boston: Little, Brown and Co., 1977, 243p. (Note: Only the rapporteur(s) for this session are required to read this book).

Neack, Op cit., pp. 123-206.

Eugene R. Wittkopf and James M. McCormick, eds., The Domestic Sources of American Foreign Policy: Insights and Evidence. New York: Rowman & Littlefield, Publishers, Inc., 2008, Fifth Edition, pp. 1-16; 17-27; 29-44; 45-54; 125-140

Supplementary Reading

Robert O. Keohane, Neoliberalism and Its Critics. New York: Columbia U. Press, 1986.

David A. Baldwin, ed., Neorealism and Neoliberalism: The Contemporary Debate. New York: Columbia University Press, 1993, 377p.

Stanley Hoffman, Gulliver's Troubles or the Setting of American Foreign Policy. New York: McGraw-Hill, 1968.

Lisa L. Martin and Beth Simmons, "Theories and Empirical Studies of International Institutions," in P. J. Katzenstein, et al. eds., Op cit., pp.89-118.

Helen V. Milner, "Rationalizing Politics: The Emerging Synthesis of International, American and Comparative Politics," in P. J. Katzenstein, et al. eds., Ibid, pp. 119-146.

Geoffrey Garrett, "Global Markets and National Politics: Collision Course or Virtuous Circle," in P. J. Katzenstein, et al. eds., Ibid, pp. 147-184.

Michael Mastanduno, "Economics and Security in Statecraft and Scholarship," in P. J. Katzenstein, et al, eds., Ibid, pp. 185-214.

John Gerard Ruggie, "What Makes the World Hang Together? Neo-Utilitarianism and the Social Constructivist Challenge," in P. J. Katzenstein, et al, eds., Ibid, pp. 215-246.

5. NEOMARXIST APPROACHES AND DEPENDENCY THEORY (February 18)

Required Reading

Robert Cox, Production, Power, and World Order. New York: Columbia U. Press, 1987, 287 p.

Supplementary Reading

David Harvey, The New Imperialism. New York: Oxford University Press, 232 p.

Immanuel Wallerstein, "The Eagle Has Crash Landed," in Glen P. Hastedt, ed., Annual Editions: American Foreign Policy06/07. Dubuque, IA: McGraw-Hill/Contemporary Learning Series, 2006, Twelfth Edition, pp. 22-26.

Walter LeFaber, The American Age: United States Foreign Policy at Home and Abroad Since 1750. New York: Norton, 1994.

Walter La Feber, America, Russia, and the Cold War: 1945-1990. New York: McGraw-Hill, Inc., 1991, 370 p.

F.H. Cardoso, "Associated Dependent Development," in Alfred Stepan, ed., Authoritarian Brazil.

New Haven: Yale University Press, 1973, pp. 142-176.

Fred Halliday, "International Relations and Its Discontents," International Affairs, Vol. 71, No. 4, Oct. 1995, 773-746.

Gabriel Palma, "Dependency: A Formal Theory of Underdevelopment or a Methodology for the Analysis of Concrete Situations of Underdevelopment?" World Development, Vol. 6 (July-August (1978) pp. 881-924.

Immanuel Wallerstein, "Patterns and Perspectives of the Capitalist World Economy," Contemporary Marxism, No. 9 (Fall 1984) pp. 59-70.

Susan Strange, States and Markets. London: Pinter Publishers, 1988.

-----, "States, Firms and Diplomacy," International Affairs, No. 68, pp. 1-15.

James R. Kurth, "The Political Consequences of the Product Cycle: Industrial History and Political Outcomes," in Ikenberry, ed., Op cit., pp. 141-170.

Jeff Frieden, "Sectoral Conflict and U.S. Foreign Economic Policy," in Ikenberry, ed., Ibid, pp. 171-199.

Fred Block, "Economic Instability and Military Strength: The Paradoxes of the 1950 Rearmament Decision," in Ikenberry, ed., Ibid, pp. 200-218.

6. THE POST-COLD WAR ERA, INTERDEPENDENCE AND U.S. FOREIGN POLICY (February 25)

Required Reading

Joseph S. Nye, The Paradox of American Power: Why the World's Only Superpower Can't Go It Alone. New York: Oxford University Press, 2003, 240 p.

Supplementary Reading

Samuel Huntington, The Clash of Civilizations and the Remaking of the World Order. New York: Simon and Schuster, 1996

Stanley Hoffman, Janus and Minerva: Essays in the Theory and Practice of International Politics. Boulder: Westview, 1986, 457 p.

Robert O. Keohane, After Hegemony: Cooperation and Discord in the World Political Economy. Princeton: Princeton U. Press, 1984, 260p.

G. John Ikenberry, "Introduction," in G. John Ikenberry, ed., American Foreign Policy: Theoretical Essays. New York: Longman, Third Edition, 1999, pp. 1-11.

Ole R. Holsti, "Models of International Relations and Foreign Policy," In Ikenberry, ed., Ibid., pp. 37-64.

Richard K. Betts, Conflict after the Cold War. New York: Pearson/Longman, 2005, 2nd edition, 627 p.

Jonathan Tepperman, "Some Hard Truths about Multilateralism," in Hastedt, ed., Op cit., pp. 27-33.

7. FOREIGN POLICY AND THE DECLINE/RENEWAL OF U.S. HEGEMONY (March 3).

NOTE: Final essay outlines and bibliographies are due on March 3.

Required Reading

Christopher Layne, Op cit., pp. 134-203.

Zbigniew Brezezinski, Second Chance: Three Presidents and the Crisis of American Superpower. New York: Basic Books, 2007, pp. 1-134.

Supplementary Reading

Carl Boggs, Imperial Delusions: American Militarism and Endless War. New York: Rowman & Littlefield Publishers, Inc., 2005.

Niall Ferguson, Colossus: The Price of America's Empire. New York: The Penguin Press, 2004, 384 p.

Michael Hardt and Antonio Negri, Empire. Cambridge, MA: Harvard University Press, 2000, 478 p.

Clyde V. Prestowitz, Rogue Nation: American Unilateralism and the Failure of Good Intentions. New York: Basic Books, 2003.

Chalmers Johnson, Blowback: The Costs and Consequences of American Empire. New York: Metropolitan Books, 2nd Edition, Henry Holt, 2003.

Chalmers Johnson, The Sorrows of American Empire. New York: Metropolitan Books, 2003.

Andrew J. Bacevich, The New American Militarism: How Americans are Seduced by War. New York: Oxford University Press, 2005, 270 p.

Andrew J. Bacevich, American Empire: The Realities and Consequences of U.S. Diplomacy. Cambridge, MA: Harvard University Press, 2002.

Charles A. Kupchan, The End of the American Era: U.S. Foreign Policy and the Geopolitics of the Twenty-first Century. New York: Alfred A. Knopf, 2002.

Noam Chomsky, Rogue States: The Rule of Force in World Affairs. Cambridge, MA: South End Press, 2000.

Robert W. Tucker and David C. Hendrickson, The Imperial Temptation: The New World Order and America's Purpose. New York: Council on Foreign Relations, 1992, 228 p.

Ger Lundestad, The American "Empire." London: Oxford University Press and Norwegian University Press, 1990, 214 p.

Samuel Huntington, "The U.S. – Decline or Renewal?" Foreign Affairs, 67 (Winter 1988-89).

Joseph S. Nye, Jr., Bound to Lead: The Changing Nature of American Power. New York: Basic Books, 1990, pp. 1-202.

Paul Kennedy, "The (Relative) Decline of America," in Jerel A. Rosati, ed., Readings in the Politics of U.S. Foreign Policy. New York: Harcourt Brace College Publishers, 1998, pp. 563-575.

Joseph S. Nye, Jr. "The Misleading Metaphor of Decline," in Rosati, ed., Ibid, pp.576-587.

Joseph S. Nye, Soft Power: The Means to Success in World Politics. New York: Public Affairs, 2004.

Samuel P. Huntington, "Political Development and the Decline of the American System of World Order," Daedalus, Vol. 96, No. 3 (summer 1967).

David P. Calleo, Beyond American Hegemony, New York: Basic Books, 1987.

Paul Kennedy, The Rise and Fall of the Great Powers: Economic Change and Military Conflict from 1500 to 2000, New York: Random House, 1987.

Christopher Layne, "Realism Redux: Strategic Interdependence in a Multipolar World," SAIS Review, (Summer-Fall 1989).

Susan Strange, "The Future of the American Empire," Journal of International Affairs, 42 (fall 1988).

Colin Dueck, "Hegemony on the Cheap," in Hastedt, ed., Op cit., pp. 9-16.

Christopher Layne, "America as European Hegemon," in Hastedt, ed., Ibid, pp. 46-53.

8. STRUCTURE AND DYNAMICS OF THE U.S. FOREIGN POLICY MAKING PROCESS (March 17)

Required Reading

Jerel A. Rosati and James M. Scott, The Politics of United States Foreign Policy. New York: Thomson/Wadsworth, 2007, pp. 67-344.

Eugene R. Wittkopf and James M. McCormick, eds., The Domestic Sources of American Foreign Policy: Insights and Evidence. New York: Rowman & Littlefield, Publishers, Inc., 2008, Fifth Edition, pp. 141-276.

Supplementary Reading

- Donald M. Snow, United States Foreign Policy: Politics beyond the Water's Edge. Belmont, CA: Thomson/Wadsworth, 3rd Edition, 2005, 438 p.
- Donald M. Snow and Eugene Brown, Beyond the Water's Edge: An Introduction to U.S. Foreign Policy. New York: St Martin's Press, Inc., 1997, 406 p.
- Donald M. Snow and Eugene Brown, Puzzle Palaces and Foggy Bottom, U.S. Foreign and Defense Policy-Making in the 1990s. New York: St. Martin's Press, 1994.
- Richard Sorbel, The Impact of Public Opinion on U.S. Foreign Policy since Vietnam: Constraining the Colossus. New York: Oxford University Press, 2001, 276 p.
- Eugene R. Wittkopf, ed., The Domestic Sources of American Foreign Policy: Insights and Evidence. New York: St Martin's Press, 1994, 2nd Edition, 359 p.
- Daniel Yankelovich and I. M. Destler, eds., Beyond the Beltway: Engaging the Public in U.S. Foreign Policy. New York: W.W. Norton & Company, 1994, 315 p.
- Melvin Small, Democracy and Diplomacy: The Impact of Domestic Politics and U.S. Foreign Policy, 1789-1994. Baltimore: Johns Hopkins U. Press, 1994.
- James M. McCormick, American Foreign Policy and Process. ITASCA, Ill.: Peacock Publisher, 1992, 2nd ed., 515P.
- Alexander L. George, Presidential Decision-Making in Foreign Policy. Boulder: Westview Press, 1990, pp. 260.
- Cecil V. Crabb, Jr., The American Approach to Foreign Policy: A Pragmatic Perspective. New York: University Press of America, 1985, 71 p.
- James R. Kurth, "A Widening Gyre: The Logic of American Weapons Procurement," in Ikenberry, ed., Op cit., Pp. 14-36.
- Samuel P. Huntington, "American Ideals versus American Institutions," in Ikenberry, ed., Ibid. Pp. 221-253.
- Stephen D. Krasner, "Policy Making in a Weak State," in Ikenberry, ed., Ibid. Pp. 254-278.
- Michael Mastanduno, "The United States Political System and International Leadership," in Ikenberry, ed., Ibid. Pp. 279-298.
- James C. Thompson, Jr., "How Could Vietnam Happen? An Autopsy," in Ikenberry, ed., Ibid. pp. 471-480.
- Alexander George, "Domestic Constraints on Regime Change in U.S. Foreign Policy: The Need for Policy Legitimacy," in Ikenberry, ed., Op cit., pp. 336-360.
- Ole R. Holsti, "Public Opinion and Foreign Policy: Challenges to the Almond-Lippmann Consensus," in Ikenberry, ed., Ibid. pp. 361-392.
- Peter Trubowitz, "Political Conflict and Foreign Policy in the United States: A Geographical Interpretation," in Ikenberry, ed., Ibid. pp. 393-410.
- Robert Jervis, "Hypotheses on Misperception," in Ikenberry, ed., Ibid. pp. 483-503.
- P. E. Tetlock and C. B. McGuire, Jr., "Cognitive Perspectives on Foreign Policy," in Ikenberry, ed., Ibid. pp. 504-522.

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9. THE PRESIDENCY AND EXECUTIVE BRANCH POLICY MAKING (March 24)

Required Reading

Jerel A. Rosati and James M. Scott, The Politics of United States Foreign Policy. New York: Thomson/Wadsworth, 2007, pp. 349-512.
Eugene R. Wittkopf and James M. McCormick, eds., The Domestic Sources of American Foreign Policy: Insights and Evidence. New York: Rowman & Littlefield, Publishers, Inc., 2008, Fifth Edition, pp. 277-398.

Supplementary Reading

Colton C. Campbell, Nicol C. Rae, and John F. Stack, Jr., eds., Congress and the Politics of Foreign Policy. New York: Prentice Hall, 2003.
Steven W. Hook and John Spanier, American Foreign Policy since World War II. Washington D.C.: CQ Press, 2004, pp. 1-267.
Bruce W. Jentleson, ed., Perspectives on American Foreign Policy: Readings and Cases. New York: W.W. Norton & Company, 2004, 326 p.
Alexander L. George and Juliette L. George, Presidential Personality & Performance. Boulder: Westview Press, 1998, 287 p.
Jerel A. Rosati, ed., Readings in the Politics of United States Foreign Policy. Fort Worth, TX: Harcourt Brace College Publishers, 1998, 610 p.
Cecil V. Crabb, Jr. and Pat M. Holt, Invitation to Struggle: Congress, the President and Foreign Policy. Washington, D.C.: CQ Press, 1992, Fourth Edition, 322 p.
John T. Rourke and John G. Tower, "Should the President's Ability to Commit U.S. Forces be Restricted?" in John T Rourke, ed., Taking Sides: Clashing Views on Controversial Issues in American Foreign Policy. Guilford, Conn.: Dushkin/McGraw-Hill, 2000, pp.145-171.
Alan Tonelson and Michael Posner, "Should Foreign Policymakers Minimize Human Rights Concerns?" in J. T. Rourke, ed., Ibid, pp. 192-208.
George Kennan (Mr. "X"), "The Sources of Soviet Conduct" (originally published in Foreign Affairs, July 1947). Reprinted in Foreign Affairs, Vol. 64, and No.4 (Spring 1987) pp.852-868.
Jean J. Kirkpatrick, "Beyond the Cold War," Foreign Affairs, Vol. 69, No. 1 (1990) pp. 1-16.
D. Deudney and G.J. Ikenberry, "Who Won the Cold War?" Foreign Policy, No. 87 (Summer 1992), pp. 123-138.
John E. Reilly, "Americans and the World," in Glenn P. Hastedt, ed., Annual Editions: American Foreign Policy. 2000/2001. Guilford, Conn.: Dushkin/McGraw-Hill, 2000, pp. 90-100.
James N. McCormick, "Assessing Clinton's Foreign Policy at Midterm," Current History, November 1995, Pp. 370-374.
Michael Mandelbaum, "Foreign Policy as Social Work," Foreign Affairs, Vol. 75, No. 1 (January/February 1996) pp. 16-32.

David Hendrickson, "The Renovation of American Foreign Policy," Foreign Affairs, Vol. 71, No. 2, (spring 1992) pp. 48-63.

Norman J. Ornstein, "Foreign Policy and the 1992 Election," Foreign Affairs, Vol. 71, No. 3 (summer 1992), Pp. 1-16.

Robert S. Greenberger, "Dateline Capitol Hill: The New Majority's Foreign Policy," Foreign Policy, No. 101 (winter 1995-96).

Note: Class will not be held on Monday March 31, 2008. Dr. Bagley will attend the International Studies Association (ISA) meeting in San Francisco, CA from March 25-31, 2008.

10. U.S. SOCIETY AND THE DOMESTIC ROOTS OF AMERICAN FOREIGN POLICY: U. S. TRADE POLICY (April 7)

Required Reading

John M. Rothgeb, Jr., U.S. Trade Policy: Balancing Economic Dreams and Political Realities. Washington, D.C.: CQ Press, 2001, 250 p.

Supplementary Reading

Jeffrey D. Sachs, "Consolidation Capitalism," Foreign Policy, No. 98 (spring 1995) Pp. 50-64.

M. B Zuckerman and Paul Krugman, " Will the United States Remain a Global Economic Power?" in J. T. Rourke, ed., Op cit., pp. 209-233.

L. H. Summers and R. Kuttner, "Is Economic Globalization a Positive Trend for the United States?" in J. T. Rourke, ed., Ibid, pp. 234-247.

Richard Gardner, Negotiating Survival: Four Priorities After Rio, New York: Council on Foreign Relations Press, 1992.

Stephan Schmidheiny, Changing Course: A Global Business Perspective on Development and the Environment. Cambridge, Mass.: MIT Press, 1992.

Abraham Lowenthal, Partners in Conflict: The United States and Latin America in the 1990's, Baltimore: Johns Hopkins Univ. Press, 1990. 240p.

Richard E. Feinberg, The Intemperate Zone: The United States and Latin America, Baltimore: The John Hopkins University Press, 1987, 200 pp.

William C. Smith, et al, eds., Latin American Political Economy in the Age of Neo-Liberal Reform, New Brunswick: Transaction Press 1994.

11. U.S. FOREIGN POLICY AND COERCIVE DIPLOMACY: THEORY AND PRACTICE (April 14)

Required Reading

Brezzezinski, Op cit., pp. 135-216.

Ivo Daalder and James M. Lindsay, America Unbound: The Bush Revolution in Foreign Policy. Washington: Brookings Institution Press, 2003. pp. i-vii, 246 p.

Supplementary Reading

- William H. Meyer, Security, Economics and Morality in American Foreign Policy: Contemporary Issues in Historical Context. Upper Saddle River, NJ: Pearson/Prentice Hall, 2004, 366p.
- Alexander George, The Limits of Coercive Diplomacy, Boston: Little Brown, 1971.
- G.C. Craig and A. George, eds., Force and Statecraft. New York: Oxford U. Press, 1983.
- Lawrence J. Korb, "An Overstuffed Military," Foreign Affairs, Vol. 74, No. 6, (Nov./Dec. 1995) pp. 22-34.
- The White House, A National Security Strategy of Engagement and Enlargement, Washington DC: The White House, July 1994.
- Joint Chiefs of Staff, National Military Strategy of The United States of America, Washington, DC: U.S. Department of Defense, February 1995.
- U.S. Department of Defense, "United States Strategy for the Americas," Washington, DC: U.S. Dept. of Defense, Int'l Security Affairs, September 1995.
- Louis Henkin, "Use of Force and U.S. Policy," in L. Henkin, et al, Right v. Might: International Law and the Use of Force. New York: Council on Foreign Relations Press, 1989, pp. 37-70.
- Madeleine K. Albright and Frank Chodorov, "Should the United States Continue its Internationalist Policies?" in J. T. Rourke, ed., Op cit., pp. 2-19.
- Robert Kagan and Charles William Maynes, "Should the United States Seek Global Hegemony?" in J. T. Rourke, ed., Ibid., pp. 20-39.
- C. Layne and H. De Santis, "Should the United States Follow a Unilateralist Foreign Policy?" in J. T. Rourke, ed., Ibid., pp. 40-54.
- Samuel R. Berger and David N. Mayer, "Was U.S. Intervention in Kosovo Justified?" in J. T. Rourke, ed., Ibid., pp. 65-81.
- L. Friedberg and Chalmers Johnson, "Is the U.S. Policy of Strategic Engagement With China Ill-Conceived? In J.T. Rourke, ed., Ibid., pp. 102-144.
- G. J. Tenet, C. Conetta, and C. Knight, "Do Serious Threats to U. S. Security Exist?" in J.T. Rourke, ed., Ibid., pp. 265-289.
- D. H. Rumsfeld, L. Gronlund, and D. Wright, "Should the United States Immediately Build a Ballistic Missile System?" in J.T. Rourke, ed., Ibid., pp. 290-317.
- T. Z. Collina, C. Paine, and K.C. Bailey, "Should Congress Ratify the Comprehensive Test Ban Treaty?" in J.T. Rourke, ed., Ibid., pp. 318-342.
- Bruce M. Bagley, ed., Contadora and the Diplomacy of Peace in Central America, Boulder, Colorado: Westview Press, 1987, 315 p.
- Brian Loveman, ed., Strategy for Empire: U.S. Regional Security Policy in the Post-Cold War Era. New York: SR Books, 2004, 339 p.
- Ray Takeyh, "Iran's Nuclear Calculations," in Hastedt, ed., Op cit., pp. 195-199.

12. U.S. HEGEMONY AND INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS (April 21)

Required Reading

Rosemary Foot, S. Neil MacFarlane, & Michael Mastanduno, editors, US Hegemony and International Organizations: The United States and Multilateral Institutions. New York: Oxford University Press, 2003, 277 p.

Supplementary Reading

J.R. Bolton and D. Becker, "Should the United States Decline to Ratify the International Criminal Court Treaty?" in J.T. Rourke, ed., Op cit., pp. 343-373.
C. Kincaid and P. Trumbore, "Is the United States Justified for Not Paying Its Back Assessment to the UN?" in J. T. Rourke, ed., Ibid, pp. 374-399
Gareth Porter and Janet Brown, Global Environmental Politics, Boulder: Westview Press, 1991.
Strobe Talbot, "The Case for the United States in the United Nations," Dispatch Vol. 6, No. 37 September 11, 1995 p. 681 ff.

13. INTERDEPENDENCE, GLOBALIZATION AND U.S. FOREIGN POLICY IN THE POST 9/11 ERA (April 28).

Required Reading

Charles W. Kegley, Jr. and Gregory A. Raymond, After Iraq: The Imperiled American Imperium. New York: Oxford University Press, 2007.

Supplementary Reading

Walter Russell Mead, "America's Sticky Power," in Hastedt, ed., Op cit., pp. 134-141.
Robert Hutchings, "The Use of Force," in Hastedt, ed., Ibid, pp. 156-158.
Robert S. McNamara, "Apocalypse Soon," in Hastedt, ed., Ibid, pp. 167-171.
John Deutch, "A Nuclear Posture for Today," in Hastedt, ed., Ibid, pp. 158-162.
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| March 3 | Final essay outlines and bibliographies are due in class or by email |
| March 8-16 | Spring recess |
| April 25 | Classes end (A make-up class will be held on Monday, April 28) |
| April 26-29 | Reading Days |
| April 30-May 7 | Final Exams (There is no final exam in this course) |
| May 7 | Final essays due electronically by 5 PM |
| May 12 | Final Grades Due |

SUMMER AND FALL 2008 CALENDAR

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| May 14-June 20 | First Summer Session 2008 |
| June 25-Aug 1 | Second Summer Session 2008 |
| August 27 | Classes begin, fall semester 2008 |