

## AZERBAIJAN

### -POLITICS & GOVERNMENT

#### 1. Minasyan, Nelli

Praying Under Restrictions: Islam, Identity and Social Change in Azerbaijan.  
Europe-Asia Studies, 69(5), 2017: 819-837.

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In this article Abstract Islam in the social discourse of post-Soviet Azerbaijan 2009–2013: expanding restrictions on Islam Implications of restrictions: the case of the Islamic Party of Azerbaijan Understanding popular reactions to government repressions Conclusion References This article examines a series of political changes that recently affected the levels of religiosity in Azerbaijan. Since 2009 the Azerbaijani leadership has adopted a set of laws and policy regulations designed to restrain Islamism and Islamic activism. In spite of heavy-handed state control and legal restrictions, there has been a visible increase of religiosity within Azerbaijani society, particularly amongst religious organisations and parties.

\*\*Azerbaijan-Politics & Government.

**ControlNo : 43437**

## BHUTAN

### -POLITICS & GOVERNMENT

#### 2. Turner, Mark

Women and politics in democratic transitions: the case of Bhutan.  
Contemporary South Asia, 25(2), 2017: 136-152 136-152 136-152.

This article addresses the question of what happens to women in democratic transitions. Of particular concern is whether women are encouraged to participate in politics and to stand as candidates for seats in national legislatures. In many instances, women have made only marginal progress in seeking election and getting elected in newly democratized regimes.

\*\*Bhutan-Politics & Government.

**ControlNo : 43426**

## BRAZIL

### -POLITICS & GOVERNMENT

#### 3. Furtado, Henrique

On demons and dreamers: Violence, silence and the politics of impunity in the Brazilian Truth Commission.  
Security Dialogue, 48(4), 2017(August): 316–333.

Measures towards post-conflict or post-authoritarian justice have historically relied on the merging of the concepts of silence, violence and impunity in order to create a single promise of justice. Scholars and practitioners in the field usually defend a trifold agenda of breaking the silence about violations of human rights, denouncing systematic violence in the past and fighting impunity as the only way of ensuring that violence never happens again.

\*\*Brazil-Politics & Government.

**ControlNo : 43415**

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## CHINA

### -ECONOMIC POLICY

#### 4. Feigenbaum, Evan A.

China and the World Dealing With a Reluctant Power.  
Foreign Affairs, 96(1), 2017(JANUARY/FEBRUARY).

In 2013, China launched an initiative to establish a new multilateral development institution, the Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank. The AIIB, Beijing argued, could help fill a multitrillion-dollar gap in financing for railways, roads, power plants, and other infrastructure in the world's fastest-growing region. But the United States treated China's proposal as a challenge to the existing regional and global development institutions that it had helped establish in the decades after World War II. Washington not only refused to join the bank itself but also launched a quiet diplomatic campaign to dissuade its allies from doing so either.

\*\*China-Economic Policy; China-Foreign Trade.

**ControlNo : 43428**

### -ECONOMIC POLICY-AFRICA

#### 5. Kailemia, Mwenda

Enter the dragon: the ecological disorganisation of Chinese capital in Africa.  
Third World Quarterly, 2017, 38(9): 2082-2096.

This article draws on the theory and recent research on 'ecological disorganization'- defined as 'the ways in which human preferences for organizing economic production consistent with the objectives of capitalism are an inherent contradiction with the health of the ecological system'- to explore the 'corporate violence' apropos of Chinese investment in Africa. In line with other ecological disorganization theorists, we show how the deployment of Chinese capital in Africa structures and reproduces subjectivation, but also how, ultimately, this subjectivation is implicated in Africa's ecological disorganization.

\*\*China-Economic Policy-Africa.

**ControlNo : 43463**

### -FOREIGN POLICY

#### 6. Wang, Bijun

From world factory to world investor: the new way of China integrating into the world.  
China Economic Journal, 10(2), 2017: 175-193.

This paper argues that outward direct investment (ODI) is replacing international trade as the new way China integrates into the world. Based on two complementary datasets, we document the pattern of Chinese ODI. We argue that the rapid growth of China's ODI is the result of strong economic development, increasing domestic constraints, and supportive government policies.

\*\*China-Foreign Policy.

**ControlNo : 43423**

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## **-FOREIGN POLICY-ASIA**

7. Boon,Hoo Tiang

Hardening the Hard, Softening the Soft: Assertiveness and China's Regional Strategy.  
Journal of Strategic Studies, 2017, 40(5): 639-662.

There is a growing view that the emerging brand of Chinese regional diplomacy in recent years is increasingly assertive. This article attempts to make better sense of this perceived more forceful Chinese diplomacy.

\*\*China-Foreign Policy-Asia.

**ControlNo : 43457**

## **-FOREIGN RELATIONS-RUSSIA**

8. Chen,Li

Operational idealism: doctrine development of the Chinese People's Liberation Army under Soviet threat, 1969–1989.

Journal of Strategic Studies, 2017, 40(5): 663-695.

This article analyses the doctrine development of the People's Liberation Army (PLA) coping with the Soviet military threat between 1969 and 1989. In the 1970s, the PLA applied a doctrine of 'active defence and luring the enemy into depth' based on its traditional operational art. In 1980, the PLA decided to focus its doctrine on positional defence. In 1986, the PLA introduced 'integrated operations and prioritised strike', a generalised doctrine that originated from its war history.

\*\*China-Foreign Relations-Russia.

**ControlNo : 43458**

## **-POLITICS & GOVERNMENT**

9. Johnson,Ian

China's Great Awakening How the People's Republic Got Religion.  
Foreign Affairs, 96(2), 2017(MARCH/APRIL).

For decades, outsiders have thought of China as a country where religion and faith play marginal roles. Images of Chinese people overwhelmingly involve economics or politics: massive cities sprouting up, diligent workers laboring in vast factories, nouveaux riches flaunting their wealth, farmers toiling in polluted fields, dissidents languishing in prison.

\*\*China-Politics & Government;China-Culture.

**ControlNo : 43419**

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## CHINA–FOREIGN RELATIONS

### -ISRAEL

10. Evron, Yoram

The economic dimension of China–Israel relations: political implications, roles and limitations. *Israel Affairs*, 23(5), 2017: 828-847.

Exploring Sino-Israeli economic relations comprehensively for the first time, this article suggests that this connection allowed the two states to overcome the defence crises that the relationship experienced in the early 2000s. After 2010, as China resolved to enhance relations with Israel, economic ties continued to fulfil a prominent role. Nevertheless, achievements have been mixed. Apparently, investments of Chinese firms in Israel and construction of infrastructure projects in Israel by Chinese corporations are the most successful activities, but they arouse mixed responses in Israel and may have political implications yet to be clarified.

\*\*China–Foreign Relations-Israel.

**ControlNo : 43443**

## CIVIL WARS

11. Aliyev, Huseyn

Precipitating state failure: do civil wars and violent non-state actors create failed states? *Third World Quarterly*, 2017, 38(9): 1973-1989.

This article examines whether the incidence of civil wars and the presence of violent non-state actors have an effect on state failure. Research on failed states has thus far prioritised armed conflicts as one of the key causes of state failure.

\*\*Civil Wars.

**ControlNo : 43460**

## COUNTER TERRORISM

12. Byman, Daniel

How to Hunt a Lone Wolf Countering Terrorists Who Act on Their Own. *Foreign Affairs*, 96(2), 2017(MARCH/APRIL).

In the last two years, “lone wolf” jihadists seemed to emerge as the new face of terrorism. In December 2015, husband and wife Syed Rizwan Farook and Tashfeen Malik attacked a Christmas party held by Farook’s employer, the San Bernardino County.

\*\*Counter Terrorism.

**ControlNo : 43420**

## COUNTERTERRORISM

13. Kfir, Isaac

Al-Shabaab, Social Identity Group, Human (In)Security, and Counterterrorism. *Studies in Conflict & Terrorism*, 40(9), 2017: 772-789.

This article examines the link between human security, social identity, and al-Shabaab. The first section explores how social identity group theory can help explain al-Shabaab's recruitment. The second part focuses on the counterterrorism campaign against al-Shabaab, which involves decapitation, aggressive peacekeeping through a proxy in the shape of the African Union Mission in Somalia, and the role of a domestic de-radicalization program.

\*\*Counterterrorism.

**ControlNo : 43448**

## ENVIRONMENTAL SECURITY

14. Rothe,Delf

Seeing like a satellite: Remote sensing and the ontological politics of environmental security. *Security Dialogue*, 48(4), 2017(August): 334–353.

The article furthers the debate on environmental security by highlighting the role of visual technologies such as satellite remote sensing in the construction of threats and risks. It provides a rereading of the critical literature on environmental security through the lens of Actor-Network.

\*\*Environmental Security.

**ControlNo : 43414**

## EUROPE

### -REFUGEE CRISIS

15. Webber,Frances

Europe's unknown war. *Race and Class*, 59(1), 2017(July-September): 3–35.

The EU's response to the global 'refugee crisis' has involved the returning of refugees to war zones, for example in Afghanistan, in breach of human rights conventions. But it has also been so determined to stop further asylum seekers reaching European waters or shores that it has entered into the most dubious of agreements with countries outside the EU.

\*\*Europe-Refugee Crisis.

**ControlNo : 43416**

## EUROPEAN UNION

### -BREXIT

16. Matthijs,Matthias

Europe After Brexit A Less Perfect Union. *Foreign Affairs*, 96(1), 2017(January/February).

The United Kingdom's vote to leave the European Union has triggered the worst political crisis the EU has ever faced. Since the early 1950s, the EU has steadily expanded, but on June 23, 52 percent of British voters ignored the experts' warnings of economic misery and opted to leave the bloc.

\*\*European Union-Brexit.

**ControlNo : 43431**

## INDIA

### -CULTURE

17. Paul,Subin

A new public sphere? English-language stand-up comedy in India. *Contemporary South Asia*, 25(2), 2017: 121-135.

The genre of English-language stand-up comedy is increasingly becoming popular in India's metropolitan cities. This study uses the concept of the public sphere to examine YouTube videos of a prominent Indian live comedian, Daniel Fernandes.

\*\*India-Culture;India-Education.

**ControlNo : 43425**

## INTELLIGENCE

### -COMPUTATIONAL SOCIAL SCIENCE

18. Frank, Aaron

Computational social science and intelligence analysis.  
Intelligence and National Security, 32(5), 2017: 579-599.

Computational Social Science (CSS) is an emerging, interdisciplinary approach to the study of social systems. This chapter provides readers with an introduction to CSS, and discusses why examining the behavior of individuals and groups in social systems from an algorithmic perspective provides new and exciting analytic opportunities for the Intelligence Community and analytic tradecraft. Through the use of artificial societies, commonly referred to as Agent-Based.

\*\*Intelligence-Computational Social Science.

**ControlNo : 43439**

### -MEDICINE

19. Marrin, Stephen

Improving how to think in intelligence analysis and medicine.  
Intelligence and National Security, 32(5), 2017: 649-662.

Common thinking strategies can be used by both intelligence analysts and medical doctors to improve decision-making and produce positive outcomes. Best practices can flow in both directions between professions since medicine shares strong parallels with intelligence analysis.

\*\*Intelligence-Medicine.

**ControlNo : 43441**

### -SOCIAL SCIENCE

20. Phythian, Mark

Intelligence analysis and social science methods: exploring the potential for and possible limits of mutual learning.  
Intelligence and National Security, 32(5), 2017: 600-612.

This article considers the parallels between social science approaches to research and the practice of national security intelligence analysis. Just as it is important for policymakers and citizens to understand the limits to what intelligence can deliver, so it is important to recognize the limits to what social science methods can offer intelligence analysis.

\*\*Intelligence-Social Science.

**ControlNo : 43440**

## INTELLIGENCE QUALITY

21. Dahl, Erik J.

Getting beyond analysis by anecdote: improving intelligence analysis through the use of case studies.  
Intelligence and National Security, 32(5), 2017: 563-578.

Since the 9/11 attacks critics of the American intelligence community have often complained about the lack of scientific rigor in intelligence analysis, and much of the work of the intelligence community has been described as mere 'analysis by anecdote.' In response, the intelligence community has made a considerable effort to increase the rigor of its analysis.

\*\*Intelligence quality.

**ControlNo : 43438**

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## ISLAMIC STATES

### -STRATEGIC COMMUNICATIONS

22. Phillips, Vaughan

The Islamic State's Strategy: Bureaucratizing the Apocalypse through Strategic Communications. *Studies in Conflict & Terrorism*, 40(9), 2017: 731-757.

To understand the Islamic State's strategy, we have to look at the way the group twins Maoist and post-Maoist strategies, previously considered strategically incompatible. By establishing a state that it claims to embody the Caliphate, it not only gains revenue and resources, but also generates a seductive "brand" with a compelling message that it "sells" via the Internet.

\*\*Islamic States-Strategic Communications.

**ControlNo : 43449**

## ISRAEL

### -INTERNATIONAL ACHIEVEMENT TESTS

23. Cahan, Sorel

Is Israel's low rank on international achievement tests really surprising? *Israel Affairs*, 23(5), 2017: 883-907 883-907 883-907 883-907.

Israel's consistently low ranking on international achievement tests has been exclusively attributed to insufficient investments in education or inefficient use of available resources. In contrast, this article shows this low ranking to be a true reflection of Israel's reality in terms of characteristics that affect the mean ability of its student population to profit from schooling (MAPS). Israel's actual ranking on the PISA test.

\*\*Israel-International Achievement Tests.

**ControlNo : 43445**

### -MEDIA

24. Limor, Yehiel (Hilik)

The exodus myth in commercial advertisements in Israeli secular and religious printed press 1948–2008.

*Israel Affairs*, 23(5), 2017: 808-827.

This article discusses the depiction of the exodus myth in advertisements in Israeli secular and religious daily newspapers from 1948 to 2008. Its premise is that advertising as a persuasive communication tool adapts itself to its target audience. As a result, there are notable differences in the use of the myth in advertisements targeting various audiences. A total of 1907 advertisements were examined with the use of quantitative content analysis.

\*\*Israel-Media.

**ControlNo : 43442**

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## **-POLITICS & GOVERNMENT**

25. Kabalo,Paula

Israeli democracy and the right of association: the first attempt to pass a nonprofit organisations bill in Israel 1948–1954.  
Israel Affairs, 23(5), 2017: 857-882.

The main legal instrument that regulates the right of association for nonprofit purposes in Israel is the Amutot (Non-Profit Organisations) Law, 1980 (hereinafter: the NPO Law and, preceding its passage, the NPO Bill). It creates a legal framework for associations that pursue a socially or culturally shared goal as opposed to a business purpose.

\*\*Israel-Politics & Government; Israel-Democracy.

**ControlNo : 43444**

## **JAPAN**

### **-FOREIGN TRADE**

26. Kuno,Arata

The political economy of preferential trade arrangements: The case of Japan.  
China Economic Journal, 10(2), 2017: 128-146.

Support for open trade regimes varies. We analyze Japanese survey data on individuals' preferences for TPP, unilateral import liberalization, and East Asian economic integration, and compare factors influencing policy preferences.

\*\*Japan-Foreign Trade.

**ControlNo : 43422**

### **-SECURITY POLICY**

27. Erickson,Andrew

From management crisis to crisis management? Japan's post-2012 institutional reforms and Sino-Japanese crisis (In)stability.  
Journal of Strategic Studies, 2017, 40(5): 604-638.

Since 2012, China's assertion of its sovereignty claim to the contested Senkaku/Diaoyu Islands has significantly raised the risk of a potentially escalatory political-military crisis with Japan. As circumstances worsen, Japanese Prime Minister Shinzo Abe has championed major institutional reforms aimed at centralizing Japanese security policy decision-making and vastly improving crisis management.

\*\*Japan-Security Policy.

**ControlNo : 43456**

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## MIDDLE EAST

### -PEACE PROCESS

28. Yaalon, Moshe

How to Build Middle East Peace Why Bottom-Up Is Better Than Top-Down.  
Foreign Affairs, 96(1), 2017(JANUARY/FEBRUARY).

Last May, I resigned from the Israeli government and parliament. I did so largely for reasons of domestic policy, including differences with Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu on issues such as respect for the rule of law and the independence of the Supreme Court. National policy toward the Palestinians was not central to my resignation, but it is no secret that I differed on that front as well with some in the government and the Knesset in which I served.

\*\*Middle East-Peace Process.

**ControlNo : 43430**

## NEPAL

### -SOCIETY

29. Maycock, Matthew William

Looking tj 'fresh'; skin whitening, and emergent masculinities in far-west Nepal.  
Contemporary South Asia, 25(2), 2017: 153-166.

Throughout the Indian subcontinent there is a broad range of skin-whitening products (SWPs) widely advertised on TV, cinema on the streets etc.... In recent years, the multinational companies who produce these products have begun to focus on an untapped market – men and boys. Complementing feminist insights relating to the ways in which 'body work' is a form of control over women and constitutes a means of maintaining gender hierarchies.

\*\*Nepal-Society.

**ControlNo : 43427**

## NUCLEAR WEAPONS.

30. Potter, William C

Disarmament Diplomacy and the Nuclear Ban Treaty.  
Survival, 2017, 59(4): 75-108 75-108 75-108.

A little-noticed phrase agreed by the 2010 Non-Proliferation Treaty review conference laid the foundation for a surprisingly successful effort to achieve a legal prohibition on nuclear weapons.

\*\*Nuclear Weapons.

**ControlNo : 43452**

## POLAND

### -FOREIGN-POLICY

31. Zwolski, Kamil

Poland's Foreign-Policy Turn.  
Survival, 2017, 59(4): 167-182.

The new Poland is no longer an engine of European integration, nor does it seem to value its relationships with Germany and France.

\*\*Poland-Foreign-Policy.

**ControlNo : 43454**

## **-NOMENKLATURA SYSTEM**

32. Tymiski, Maciej

Local Nomenklatura in Communist Poland: The Case of the Warsaw Voivodship (1956–1970).  
Europe-Asia Studies, 69(5), 2017: 709-727.

The nomenklatura system granted Poland's communist party the opportunity to control key recruitment processes. This article analyses the rules whereby party authorities, between 1956 and 1970, introduced and implemented the nomenklatura system locally. The main goal is to examine how the system functioned, focusing on the strategy pursued by local party structures.

\*\*Poland-Nomenklatura System.

**ControlNo : 43435**

## **RUSSIA**

### **-CLIMATE CHANGE**

33. Dremliuga, Roman

A Note on the Application of Article 234 of the Law of the Sea Convention in Light of Climate Change: Views from Russia.

Ocean Development & International Law, 48(2), 2017: 128-135.

This note explores the nature of Article 234 of the 1982 UN Convention on the Law of the Sea in light of decreasing Arctic ice cover. Despite various readings and possible interpretations of Article 234, the principal source of the rules of treaty interpretation is the 1969 Vienna Convention on the Law of Treaties.

\*\*Russia-Climate Change.

**ControlNo : 43446**

### **-ZA CHESTNYE VYBORY MOVEMENT**

34. Lasnier, Virginie

Demobilisation and its Consequences: After the Russian Movement Za chestnye vybory.  
Europe-Asia Studies, 69(5), 2017: 771-793.

The aftermath of the 2011–2012 Russian social movement Za chestnye vybory (For Fair Elections) challenges the common assumption that sees mass mobilisation as leading to positive outcomes for civil society.

\*\*Russia-Za chestnye vybory Movement.

**ControlNo : 43436**

## **SOUTH CHINA SEA**

35. Kopela, Sophia

Historic Titles and Historic Rights in the Law of the Sea in the Light of the South China Sea Arbitration.

Ocean Development & International Law, 48(2), 2017: 181-207.

Historic titles and historic rights have been a complicated issue in the law of the sea both conceptually and practically. The South China Sea Arbitration between the Philippines and China raised important issues regarding the contemporary relevance and validity of historic claims, and the relationship between the Law of the Sea Convention and historic rights.

\*\*South China Sea.

**ControlNo : 43447**

## STRUCTURAL VAR

36. Jeong, Minju

Effects of government spending shocks in China, Japan, and Korea.  
China Economic Journal, 10(2), 2017: 194-225.

This study investigates the effects of government spending shocks on various key macro variables in China, Korea, and Japan using structural VAR models. The main empirical findings are as follows. Government spending multipliers of all three countries are far larger than 1 in recent years.

\*\*Structural VAR; Fiscal Expansion.

**ControlNo : 43424**

## TURKEY

### -CULTURE

37. Dalacoura, Katerina

East' and 'West' in contemporary Turkey: threads of a new universalism.  
Third World Quarterly, 2017, 38(9): 2066-2081.

The tired old civilisational categories of 'East' and 'West', loosely identified with 'Islam' and 'modernity', are alive and well, nowhere more so than in contemporary Turkey.

\*\*Turkey-Culture.

**ControlNo : 43462**

### -KURDISH ISSUE

38. Rumelili, Bahar

Ontological insecurity in asymmetric conflicts: Reflections on agonistic peace in Turkey's Kurdish issue.  
Security Dialogue, 48(4), 2017(August): 279-296.

This article contributes to the recent literature on ontological security in conflict studies by empirically investigating, through a case study of Turkey's Kurdish issue, how ontological asymmetry complicates peace processes. Over time, all conflicts become embroiled in a set of self-conceptions and narratives vis-à-vis the Other, the maintenance of which becomes critical for ontological security. In ethnic conflicts, however, these conceptions and narratives also intersect with a fundamental ontological asymmetry, because such conflicts often pit state parties with secure existence against ethnic groups with contested status and illegitimate standing.

\*\*Turkey-Kurdish issue.

**ControlNo : 43413**

## UGANDA

### -POLITICS & GOVERNMENT

39. Paszat, Emma

Why 'Uganda's anti-homosexuality bill'? Rethinking the 'coherent' state.  
Third World Quarterly, 2017, 38(9): 2027-2044.

How we understand the state is important when addressing issues of human rights. During the debate on the Anti-Homosexuality Bill in Uganda, the country was, at times, presented as nearly uniformly homophobic, exemplified by references to 'Uganda's Anti-Homosexuality Bill'.

\*\*Uganda-Politics & Government.

**ControlNo : 43461**

## UNITED NATIONS DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME

40. Telleria, Juan

Power relations? What power relations? The de-politicising conceptualisation of development of the UNDP.

Third World Quarterly, 2017, 38(9): 2143-2158 |.

The UNs Sustainable Development Goals agenda points far into 2030, which shows that its post-war development endeavour is not functioning effectively. This article implements a discourse analysis of the UN Development Programmes (UNDP) Human Development Reports (HDR) and exposes their internal contradictions.

\*\*United Nations Development Programme.

**ControlNo : 43465**

## USA

### -DRUG POLICY

41. Kleiman, Mark A. R.

High Stakes The Future of U.S. Drug Policy.

Foreign Affairs, 96(2), 2017(MARCH/APRIL).

Many people enjoy the psychological effects of various chemicals. Any chemical can have unwanted side effects, especially when used often, in high doses, or in combination. There is always the risk that a user will lose control over his or her consumption, using too much or too often.

\*\*USA-Drug Policy.

**ControlNo : 43421**

### -FOREIGN POLICY

42. Olsen, Gorm Rye

The ambiguity of US foreign policy towards Africa.

Third World Quarterly, 2017, 38(9): 2097-2112.

Since 9/11, the American policy towards Africa has been strongly influenced by national security interests and in particular by the fight against international terrorism and Islamic radicalisation. Traditionally, the American Africa policy has been the result of bureaucratic policymaking with the Pentagon and the State Department playing prominent roles.

\*\*USA-Foreign Policy; USA-National Security.

**ControlNo : 43464**

43. Schake, Kori

Will Washington Abandon the Order? The False Logic of Retreat.

Foreign Affairs, 96(1), 2017(JANUARY/FEBRUARY).

Should the United States commit its unrivaled power to spreading democracy and cementing Washington's leadership of the liberal international order that has provided decades of stability and security but has come under increasing strain in recent years? Or would U.S. interests be better served by less American intervention in world affairs—and, in particular, by less exertion of U.S. military force? Theorists and policymakers have argued over those questions for decades, especially since the end of the Cold War. During the past eight years, the Obama administration has changed the terms of the debate by pursuing a strategy of retrenchment.

\*\*USA-Foreign Policy.

**ControlNo : 43429**

## **-FOREIGN POLICY,**

44. Deudney, Daniel

Realism, Liberalism and the Iraq War.  
Survival, 59(4), 2017: 7-26.

Of the many conventional wisdoms of American foreign policy, none is more misleading than the notion that the Iraq War was a product of liberalism.

\*\*USA-Foreign Policy,;USA-Iraq War.

**ControlNo : 43450**

## **-FOREIGN RELATIONS CHINA**

45. Lind, Jennifer

Asia's Other Revisionist Power Why U.S. Grand Strategy Unnerves China.  
Foreign Affairs, 96(2), 2017(MARCH/APRIL).

Donald Trump's election as U.S. president threatens to upend the world's most important bilateral relationship. On the campaign trail, Trump promised to label China a currency manipulator and to respond to its "theft of American trade secrets" and "unfair subsidy behavior" by levying a 45 percent tariff on Chinese exports. As president-elect, he reversed four decades of U.S. policy when he spoke by telephone with Taiwanese President Tsai Ing-wen and declared that the United States was not bound by the "one China" policy, the diplomatic understanding that has underpinned Washington's approach to Beijing since 1979.

\*\*USA-Foreign Relations China.

**ControlNo : 43418**

## **-FOREIGN RELATIONS-ISRAEL**

46. Freilich, Charles D. 'Chuck'

Can Israel Survive Without America?  
Survival, 2017, 59(4): 135-150.

Those blithely advocating Israeli independence from the United States should be careful what they wish for.

\*\*USA-Foreign Relations-Israel.

**ControlNo : 43455**

## **-MILITARY**

47. Glaser, Charles L.

Getting Out of the Gulf Oil and U.S. Military Strategy.  
Foreign Affairs, 96(1), 2017(January/February).

In January 1980, U.S. President Jimmy Carter used his State of the Union address to announce that in order to protect "the free movement of Middle East oil," the United States would repel "an attempt by any outside force to gain control of the Persian Gulf." Carter and his successors made good on that pledge, ramping up U.S. military capabilities in the region and even fighting the Gulf War to prevent Saddam Hussein's Iraq from dominating the region's oil supplies.

\*\*USA-Military.

**ControlNo : 43432**

## **-NUCLEAR WEAPONS**

48. Sagan, Scott D.

Revisiting Hiroshima in Iran: What Americans Really Think about Using Nuclear Weapons and Killing Noncombatants.

International Security, 42(1), 2017(Summer): 41–79.

Numerous polls demonstrate that U.S. public approval of President Harry Truman's decision to drop the atomic bombs on Hiroshima and Nagasaki has declined significantly since 1945.

\*\*USA-Nuclear Weapons.

**ControlNo : 43433**

## **-POLITICS & GOVERNMENT**

49. Roberts, Brad

Strategic Stability Under Obama and Trump.

Survival, 2017, 59(4): 47-74.

The Trump administration must assess how strategic stability, an organising concept for the Obama administration's strategic policy, might fit with its own guiding principles.

\*\*USA-Politics & Government.

**ControlNo : 43451**

## **-SECURITY**

50. Arsenault, Elizabeth Grimm

US Detention Policy Towards ISIS: Between a Rock and a Hard Place.

Survival, 2017, 59(4): 109-134.

The United States' resort to torture in responding to past terrorist threats raises questions about how the country will deal with captured members of the Islamic State.

\*\*USA-Security.

**ControlNo : 43453**

## **USA-CHINA CONFLICT**

51. Rovner, Joshua

Two kinds of catastrophe: nuclear escalation and protracted war in Asia.

Journal of Strategic Studies, 40(5), 2017: 696-730.

China's expanding strength and ambition may foreshadow a violent conflict with the United States. I describe two scenarios about how such a conflict would unfold. The article begins by examining the prospects for nuclear escalation, drawing on theories about politics, psychology, and inadvertent escalation. It then examines the prospects for protracted conventional war, a scenario that has received far less attention.

\*\*USA-China Conflict.

**ControlNo : 43459**

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## VIOLENT CONFLICT

52. Hudson, Valerie M.

In Plain Sight: The Neglected Linkage between Brideprice and Violent Conflict.  
International Security, 42(1), 2017(Summer): 7–40.

Approximately seventy-five percent of the world's population lives in countries where asset exchange upon marriage is obligatory. Rising brideprice—money or gifts provided to a woman's family by the groom and his family as part of marriage arrangements—is a common if overlooked catalyst of violent conflict. In patrilineal (and some matrilineal) societies where brideprice is practiced, a man's social status is directly connected to his marital status. Brideprice acts as a flat tax that is prone to sudden and swift increases.

\*\*Violent Conflict.

**ControlNo : 43434**

## XENO

### -RACISM

53. Searle, Chris

Xeno-racism and the scourge of Roma school exclusion.  
Race and Class, 59(1), 2017(July-September): 73–83.

The author, formerly a head teacher in Sheffield and adviser to the education authority, exposes the fact that around a quarter of all recently arrived Slovak Roma children are now excluded from Sheffield schools.

\*\*Xeno-racism.

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