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China's New Red Guards May 17 2021 Ever since Deng Xiaoping effectively de-radicalized China in the 1980s, there have been many debates about which path China would follow. Would it democratize? Would it embrace capitalism? Would the Communist Party's rule be able to withstand the adoption and spread of the Internet? One debate that did not occur in any serious way, however, was whether Mao Zedong would make a political comeback. As Jude Blanchette details in *China's New Red Guards*, contemporary China is undergoing a revival of an unapologetic embrace of extreme authoritarianism that draws direct inspiration from the Mao era. Under current Chinese leader Xi Jinping, state control over the economy is increasing, civil society is under sustained attack, and the CCP is expanding its reach in unprecedented new ways. As Xi declared in late 2017, "Government, military, society and schools, north, south, east and west-the party is the leader of all." But this trend is reinforced by a bottom-up revolt against Western ideas of modernity, including political pluralism, the rule of law, and the free market economy. Centered around a cast of nationalist intellectuals and activists who have helped unleash a wave of populist enthusiasm for the Great Helmsman's policies, *China's New Red Guards* not only will reshape our understanding of the political forces driving contemporary China, it will also demonstrate how

ideologies can survive and prosper despite pervasive rumors of their demise.

Newsweek Aug 27 2019

Currency Wars II Jun 29 2022 The structure of any human society is a typical pyramidal one, with a critical minority of people gradually moving up through the social structure due to their own intelligence and diligence, and in some cases through violence and fraud. When they have sufficient financial power and influence, they will in turn consolidate and expand their vested interests by changing the rules of the game and creating a ruling elite with interlocking interests. If the power pyramid structure of Eastern societies is based on regimes, the Western pyramid of domination is a chain of very hidden debts that hold the various strata of society firmly together. In Western societies, creditors have dominant power and debtors are in a dominated position, and the main function of the state apparatus is to protect and reinforce the reliability of this chain. In the West, whoever is the biggest creditor is the ultimate lawmaker of the game, and central banks, controlled by international bankers since the 19th century, are undoubtedly the biggest creditors of society as a whole, with the rest of society, including governments, being their debtors. From this perspective, the West today is actually a financial powerhouse controlling government decisions. This book will comprehensively describe the formation, development, exclusion, conflict, alliance and

checks and balances of the major financial power groups in Europe and the United States over a period of 300 years, systematically analyze the operation and decision-making mechanism of the dominant forces behind the scenes in the world today, and for the first time unveil the mystery of the "international banking family club" that rules the world.

New Frontiers in China's Foreign Relations Aug 08 2020 The book presents the views of leading Chinese and American scholars working in the fields of Chinese foreign policy, national security and international political economy. It seeks to challenge the conventional wisdom about China's recent rise, contending it is a much more complex and contested trend than it has often been portrayed to be.

Party Time Mar 03 2020 Who is running China? Where does real power lie? In *Party Time*, Rowan Callick goes behind the scenes to reveal the workings of the country's political elite. This is a vivid, ground-breaking book about the world's most powerful institutions: the Chinese Communist Party. Nearly a century after its underground beginnings in a Shanghai schoolroom, the party today exerts remarkable control. Business deals require party approval. University courses reflect party doctrine. Party families amass incredible wealth while other enterprises are squeezed out. The party itself has over 80 million members, who range from lowly functionaries to

unapproachable princelings. Why and how do people join the party? Who are its up-and-coming leaders, how are they educated and what visions do they have for China's future? Callick show that this is a pivotal time for the party. Far from mellowing, the new leadership is as focused as ever on strengthening its role and silencing dissent. But how prepared is it for the challenges it now faces, and what will its success or failure mean for China and the world? 'Party Time is a remarkable portrait of China today. Rowan Callick writes with a twofold strength: 1) the outstanding quality of his information drawn mostly from the source: the Chinese people themselves (officials and dissenters, millionaires and paupers, artists, students, country people, urbanites, old and young) and 2) a rare ability not to draw conclusions, but to raise the questions that truly matter, with a subtle mixture of clear-sightedness, awe and human compassion.' - Simon Leys

The Dragon's Footprints Feb 11 2021 The Dragon's Footprints: China in the Global Economic Governance System under the G20 Framework examines China's participation in the G20; its efforts to increase its prestige in the international monetary system through the internationalization of its currency, the renminbi; its role in the multilateral development banks — the Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank and the New Development Bank; and its involvement in global trade governance, in light of the

dazzling growth its economy has experienced since its ascension to the World Trade Organization in 2001. Clearly, China has its own views on how to engage with governance bodies and what benefits it expects to reap from its participation in global economic governance. There is no doubt that China is leaving its footprint on many aspects of the international financial system through its growing engagement with and greater integration into the global economy. The Dragon's Footprints provides an in-depth discussion of what China has gained and learned from this experience and considers the implications for its foreign policy and future economic development.

How The West Was Lost Dec 12 2020 How the West was Lost charts how over the last 50 years the most advanced and advantaged countries of the world have squandered their dominant position through a sustained catalogue of fundamentally flawed economic policies. It is these decisions that, along the way, have resulted in an economic and geo-political see-saw, which is now poised to tip in favour of the emerging world. By forging closer ties with the emerging economies, rethinking trade barriers, overhauling their tax systems to encourage savings rather than ravenous consumption, and specifically addressing the three essential ingredients for growth (capital, labour and technology) it might yet still be possible for the West to firmly get back in the race.

Contemporary Issues in Finance Jul 07 2020

An East Asian Challenge to Western Neoliberalism Mar 15 2021 Analysts generally agree that, in the long term, the biggest challenge to American hegemony is not military, but rather China's economic rise. This perception is spread in no small measure because Xi Jinping has – in the face of patent military inferiority – conducted himself much more boldly on the world stage than Hu Jintao. Meanwhile, China has also begun conjuring up an alternative vision for global leadership, now widely termed as the 'China model'. This book therefore offers a critical and comprehensive explanation of the China model and its origins. Using a range of case studies, covering varying historical and geographical approaches, it debates whether the Chinese experience in the last three decades of economic reform should be interpreted as an answer to the reigning hegemony of neoliberalism, or rather a further reinforcement of it. To answer these questions, it provides an investigation into what China may have learned from its East Asian neighbours' earlier economic successes. It also examines how it is responding to and might even reconfigure the world political-economic system as it develops fresh and potentially more powerful regulatory capacities. Providing a multi-dimensional analysis of the 'China model', the book will be of interest to students and scholars of Chinese Economics, Economic Geography and

Chinese Studies.

Veritas Jan 25 2022 A critical examination of Harvard's monumental but disconcerting global influence and power, this book examines aspects of Harvard's history not generally known. The "hidden history" announced in the book's title begins with analysis of Harvard's involvement in the Salem witch trials and the trial of Sacco and Vanzetti. Similarly disquieting, Harvard provided students as strikebreakers in both the 1912 Bread and Roses textile workers strike and the 1919 Boston police strike. Harvard administrators and scientists promoted eugenics in the early twentieth century and had a deep impact on Nazi Germany's race theories. Its contemporary ties to U.S. foreign policy and neoliberalism are also profound. Harvard's management of Russian economic reform left nightmarish memories, and the university was compelled to pay more than \$26 million after the U.S. government sued it. The book also examines Harvard's investment policy for its massive endowment, its restrictive labor policies, and its devastation of the adjoining Allston-Brighton neighborhood into which it is expanding. Harvard's motto is "Veritas," which means "truth" in Latin. As the author reviews Harvard's history, she questions the real meaning of truth and changes the letter "s" to "\$" to emphasize the ways that Harvard has pursued money and power above its quest for truth. In directing her award-winning DVD of the same name and in

preparing this book, the author used documents and interviews with dozens of people, including Noam Chomsky, George Katsiaficas, Richard Levins, Margaret Gullette, Victor Wallis, and many more.

Currency Wars I: Currency Warfare Oct 02 2022 Money, by its very nature, is a claim to wealth, and people hold money, the equivalent of a receipt for holding wealth. What is wealth? What form of wealth is used to issue money as collateral determines the nature of the currency. The most widely accepted form of wealth is currency. Wealth, but also currency, is the fruit of human labour. The commodity property of the commons is, in essence, the property of labour. Over the 5,000 years of human civilization, more than 2,000 commodities have taken on the role of currency, and the market has evolved to phase out other currencies, eventually choosing gold and silver as the ultimate representatives of wealth. No matter what region, no matter what civilization, no matter what religion, gold and silver formed the currency as the most widely accepted form of wealth. The gold and silver at this time is both the claim to wealth and the wealth itself. Even though people have gradually forgotten the gold behind the paper money receipts in the long process of being brainwashed, gold, after all, restricts the over-issuance of receipts, because when there are too many receipts, sooner or later people will be interested in the gold that these receipts can claim.

Bankers, as the rule makers of the money game, did not like gold as collateral for paper money, either because it was not enough to satisfy the inflation of paper money desires, or because it did not generate interest income. The idea that bankers would prefer to replace gold with an asset that would never run out and would be viable is a tempting one, and after 1971, the demonetization of gold was in fact an unequal treaty unilaterally imposed on others by the rule-makers of the money game. Thus, we were introduced to an entirely new form of money: sovereign credit money.

The Great Han Nov 22 2021 *The Great Han* is an ethnographic study of the Han Clothing movement (Hanfu yundong), a neo-traditionalist and majority racial nationalist movement that has emerged in China since 2001. Participants come together both online and in person in cities across China to revitalize their utopian vision of the authentic “Great Han” and corresponding “real China” through pseudo-traditional ethnic dress, reinvented Confucian ritual, and anti-foreign sentiment. Employing close analysis of movement ideas and practices, this book finds that the movement’s “real China,” envisioning a pure, perfectly ordered, ethnically homogeneous, and secure society, is in fact an imaginary vision constructed in response to the challenging realities of the present. Yet this national imaginary is reproduced precisely through its own perpetual elusiveness. *The Great Han* is a pioneering analysis of Han identity,

nationalism, and social movements in a rapidly changing China.

Zero-Sum World Aug 20 2021 The economic crisis that struck the world in 2008 has drastically altered the logic of international relations. Globalisation no longer benefits all the world's superpowers and they face an array of global problems that are causing division between nations. A win-win world is giving way to a zero-sum world. Zero-sum logic, in which one country's gain looks like another's loss, has prevented the world from reaching an agreement to fight climate change and threatens to create a global economic stalemate. These new tensions are intensified by the emergence of dangerous political and economic problems that risk provoking wars, environmental catastrophe and ever-deeper debilitating economic crises. This timely and important book argues that international politics is about to become much more volatile - and sets out what can be done to break away from the crippling logic of a zero-sum world.

Currency Wars IV Jul 31 2022 This book will follow the main line of world reserve currency hegemony, starting with the deliberate overthrow of the pound sterling hegemony by the US dollar, showing how the US monetary strategy masters have gradually eroded the pound sterling power, squeezed the pound sterling's international reserve currency status and trade settlement pricing power, and how the pound sterling power has counterattacked the US dollar through the "imperial preference system", and

returned the US dollar to its original "isolationist" form. The fierce struggle between the dollar and the pound created a vacuum of world financial power in the 1930s that exacerbated the Great Depression worldwide. The Second World War provided a historic opportunity for the dollar to eradicate the pound, and the Atlantic Charter and the Lend-Lease Act were all sharp scalpels in Roosevelt's hands, aimed at dismembering the British Empire's pound. Eventually, the United States established a "Bretton Woods dynasty" with a dollar-based system as regent by "holding gold hostage to the vassals". The basis of interest in the "China-America" economic marriage is fracturing and disintegrating. America's tolerance for China's booming economy was originally based on the model of Chinese production, American enjoyment, Chinese savings, American consumption. China's future economic transformation will inevitably require a shift in the main resources of the national economy from being tilted towards overseas markets to being tilted towards domestic markets, thereby reducing savings exports to the United States. This process would change the basic U.S. position of continuing to tolerate China's economic growth.

Chinese Just War Ethics Sep 20 2021 This book offers the first comprehensive analysis of warfare ethics in early China as well as its subsequent development. Chinese attitudes toward war are rich and nuanced, ranging across amoral realism, defensive

just war, humanitarian intervention, and mournful skepticism. Covering the five major intellectual traditions in the "golden age" of Chinese civilization: Confucian, Daoist, Mohist, Legalist, and Military Strategy schools, the book's chapters immerse readers in the proper historical contexts, examine the moral concerns in the classical texts on their own terms, reframe those concerns in contemporary ethical idioms, and forge a critical dialogue between the past and the present. The volume develops fresh moral interpretations of classical texts such as *The Art of War*, Mencius, Xunzi, Mozi, and the *Daodejing* and discusses famous philosophers such as Han Fei and Wang Yang-ming, representing antithetical schools of thought about warfare. Attention is also given to the military ethics of the People's Liberation Army, examining its thinking against the backdrop of its own civilizational context. This book will be of much interest to students of just war theory, Chinese politics, ethics, and philosophy, military studies, and International Relations in general.

The Party Forever Apr 03 2020 A century after its underground beginnings, the Chinese Communist Party today exerts far-reaching control over every aspect of private life. Beyond its legendary control of the internet within China's borders, even seemingly non-political domains are subject to its authority: routine business deals require party approval; university courses reflect party doctrine; and party families

amass incredible wealth while other enterprises are squeezed out. Experts predicted that the Party leadership would mellow as the country's economic fortunes soar, but the next generation of political heavyweights is keeping a tight grip on the reins of power. Today's huge new class of young professionals, whether they believe in the Party's ideology or not, are as focused as ever on strengthening the Party's role and silencing dissent. In *The Party Forever*, Rowan Callick goes behind the scenes to reveal the workings of China's political elite, introduce us to its future leaders and explore how prepared it is to meet the challenges of its new role in the twenty-first century. This is an essential and eye-opening account of this poorly understood but hugely influential player in world politics.

Wereldorde Oct 22 2021 Provocerend en uitgesproken In *Wereldorde* neemt Kissinger ons mee op een wereldreis langs de historische opvattingen over de ordening van de wereld. Hoe uiteenlopend deze opvattingen ook zijn, iedere beschaving zag zichzelf als het middelpunt van de wereld en beschouwde de eigen normen en waarden als universele standaard. In onze tijd speelt de internationale politiek zich af op wereldniveau. Tegenstrijdige historische opvattingen over de hoe de wereld in elkaar zit, of zou moeten zitten, komen met elkaar in aanraking. Maar de belangrijke spelers zijn onbekend met elkaars spelregels en een gemeenschappelijk doel is er niet.

Wereldorde is een uniek boek waarin Kissinger laat zien hoe oude opvattingen terug te vinden zijn in hedendaagse conflictsituaties en hoe we - mogelijk - tot een vreedzame oplossing kunnen komen. Henry Alfred Kissinger werd geboren in Fürth (Duitsland) in 1923. Zijn familie verhuisde in 1938 naar New York, op de vlucht voor het naziregime. Als politicus en diplomaat is hij overal op de wereld geweest, stond presidenten met raad en daad terzijde en was nauw betrokken bij de grote politieke gebeurtenissen van onze tijd. Hij schreef vele boeken waaronder zijn memoires (Classic Memoirs), uitgegeven in drie boeken (2011-2012). In 1973 werd hem de Nobelprijs voor de Vrede toegekend.

Red Roulette Jun 17 2021 “THE BOOK CHINA DOESN’T WANT YOU TO READ.” —CNN? SELECTED AS A BEST BOOK OF THE YEAR by THE ECONOMIST and FINANCIAL TIMES This “powerful and disturbing” (Bill Browder, author of Red Notice) New York Times bestseller is narrated by a man who, with his wife, Whitney Duan, rose to the top levels of power and wealth—and then fell out of favor. Whitney had been disappeared four years before, but this book led to her dramatic reemergence. As Desmond Shum was growing up impoverished in China, he vowed his life would be different. Through hard work and sheer tenacity he earned an American college degree and returned to his native country to establish himself in business. There, he met his

future wife, the highly intelligent and equally ambitious Whitney Duan who was determined to make her mark within China's male-dominated society. Whitney and Desmond formed an effective team and, aided by relationships they formed with top members of China's Communist Party, the so-called red aristocracy, he vaulted into China's billionaire class. Soon they were developing the massive air cargo facility at Beijing International Airport, and they followed that feat with the creation of one of Beijing's premier hotels. They were dazzlingly successful, traveling in private jets, funding multi-million-dollar buildings and endowments, and purchasing expensive homes, vehicles, and art. But in 2017, their fates diverged irrevocably when Desmond, while residing overseas with his son, learned that his now ex-wife Whitney had vanished along with three coworkers. This vivid, explosive memoir shows "how the Chinese government keeps business in line—and what happens when businesspeople overstep" (The New York Times) and is a "singular, highly readable insider account of the most secretive of global powers" (The Spectator).

De vreugde- en gelukclub Jun 25 2019 Speel je mee met de vreugde- en gelukclub?

Vier vrouwen en hun moeders spelen wekelijks samen mahjong, een traditioneel Chinees bordspel, waar ook hun problemen en gevoelens besproken worden. Maar als volwassen vrouw zit je niet altijd op het advies van je moeder te wachten. Al helemaal

niet als zij jouw leven toch niet begrijpt. De vier moeders verhuisden in 1949 vanuit China naar San Francisco, terwijl hun dochters in Amerika zijn opgegroeid. Maar wanneer hun diepste geheimen boven (speel)tafel komen, kent één moeder haar dochter maar al te goed. De debuutroman van Amy Tan werd direct een Amerikaanse bestseller en werd in 1993 verfilmd. Amy Tan (1952) is een Amerikaanse schrijfster van Chinese afkomst en is bekend van onder meer haar debuut ‘De vreugde- en gelukclub’ en ‘Vrouw van de keukengod’. In haar romans schrijft ze over complexe moeder-dochter relaties en over hoe het is om als kind van Chinese immigranten op te groeien in Amerika. Haar boeken zijn wereldwijd goed ontvangen. Zo stond ‘Vrouw van de keukengod’ maar liefst 38 weken in de New York Times bestsellerlijst en zijn haar werken in 35 talen vertaald. Haar debuutroman werd in 1993 verfilmd tot de succesvolle film ‘The Joy Luck Club’.

A Political Economy of the United States, China, and India Jul 19 2021 Examines the widening economic inequality in the United States, China, and India, and what can be done to ameliorate this.

De eeuwige bron Jan 01 2020 ‘Toen ik de roman voor het eerst las, werd ik gegrepen door de personages, stuk voor stuk mensen van vlees en bloed en tegelijkertijd larger than life. [...] Het is een meeslepende, verslavende roman die erom schreeuwde op

toneel te worden gezet.’ Ivo van Hove, regisseur bij Toneelgroep Amsterdam ‘Met deze roman geeft Rand je een mentaal wapen om door de jungle van het opportunisme te kappen.’ Adelheid Roosen ‘Een absolute aanrader. Geschreven in 1943, maar nog steeds actueel.’ Chris Zegers ‘Ayn Rand gaf me kracht. Ik heb het boek in één ruk uitgelezen.’ Bert van der Veer, tv-maker ‘Het beste boek aller tijden. Dicht bij jezelf blijven of aan andermans verwachtingen voldoen, dat zijn herkenbare dilemma’s.’

Hanna Verboom De eeuwige bron is het portret van de jonge, briljante architect Howard Roark. Een architect die weigert concessies te doen aan zijn opdrachtgevers, weigert zich in te likken bij de toonaangevende commissies. Tegen alle conventionele standaarden en normen in blijft hij ontwerpen creëren waar hij zelf achter staat. Tegelijkertijd is Roark verwickeld in een gecompliceerde relatie met de mooie, geheimzinnige vrouw van wie hij houdt. Ayn Rand (1905-1982) is een invloedrijke schrijfster en filosofe. Ze werd geboren in Sint-Petersburg en zag als opgroeiend meisje de negatieve kanten van de Russische revolutie. Na haar afstuderen emigreerde ze in 1926 naar de Verenigde Staten, in haar ogen het land waar een individu zichzelf kan zijn. Wereldberoemd werd ze na het verschijnen van De eeuwige bron, een boek waarover velen zeggen: ‘Dit boek heeft mijn leven veranderd.’

The US-China Trade Dispute Oct 29 2019 'Imad Moosa reminds us that there are at

least two sides to a relationship – including those in trade – and that failure of a relationship is rarely due to one side alone. Moosa handles the technicalities of exchange rates dexterously but reminds us constantly of the wider context of the trade relationships that determine them.' – Paul Rule, La Trobe University, Melbourne, Australia

Dealing with a topic that has attracted significant media attention, this highly accessible book provides a detailed analysis of the trade dispute between China and the US. While the Americans accuse China of damaging their economy, the Chinese claim their policies are legitimate and that the US has no right to dictate how the Chinese economy should be run. Imad Moosa addresses contentious issues including: whether the Chinese currency is undervalued, whether the undervaluation of the yuan, should it exist, is the cause of the US trade deficit with China (hence revaluation being a justifiable cure) and whether Chinese economic policies are immoral and illegal according to IMF and WTO rules. This challenging and thought provoking book will prove a stimulating read for academics, researchers, students and policymakers with an interest in international economics, international finance, political economy and Asian studies.

Enter the Dragon Jan 13 2021 China has experienced a remarkable transformation since the 1990s. It now boasts the second-largest — some would argue the largest —

economy in the world, having evolved from a closed economy into the leading goods-trading nation. China's economic rise has given it increasing prominence in international monetary and financial governance, but it also exposes China to new risks associated with its integration into the global financial system. Drawing insights from economics and political science, *Enter the Dragon: China in the International Financial System* takes a broad conceptual approach and tackles the questions that accompany China's ascendance in international finance: What are the motivations and consequences of China's effort to internationalize the renminbi? What is the political logic underlying China's foreign financial policy? What forces have shaped China's preferences and capacities in global financial governance? *Enter the Dragon* contributes to the ongoing debate over China's political interests, its agenda for economic and financial cooperation, and the domestic and international implications of its economic rise. Bringing together experts from both inside and outside of China, this volume argues that China's rise in the international financial system is a highly complex and political process, and can only be understood by incorporating analysis of domestic and international political economy.

The Euro, The Dollar and the Global Financial Crisis Feb 23 2022 This book analyses how financial elites in key dollar-holding emerging markets perceive the

contest between the euro and the dollar for global currency status. It also assesses how far the Eurozone has gone in challenging US hegemony in monetary affairs through the prism of these elites. Drawing on Chartalist and Constructivist theories of money, the author provides a systematic approach to studying global currency dynamics and presents extensive original empirical data on financial elites in China, Saudi Arabia, the UAE and Brazil. The author demonstrates, amongst other things, how the gradual ascendance of a structurally flawed currency like the euro has highlighted the weaknesses of the dollar and how the euro has demonstrated that sovereignty sharing in monetary affairs is possible and that the international monetary system can be a multicurrency and multilateral system. In this highly innovative and important book, Otero-Iglesias shows the importance of studying financial elites in Brazil, China and the GCC countries in order to understand the full impact, material and ideational, of the euro in the transformation of the IMS. It will be vital reading for students and scholars of International Political Economy, International Economics, International Finance, Economic History, Economic Sociology, International Relations, Comparative Political Economy and Comparative Politics.

Het belang van geld Apr 27 2022 Dankzij de uitvinding van geld en de daaruit gegroeide wereld van banken, kredieten, obligatiemarkten, verzekeringen etc heeft de

mens zich kunnen ontworstelen aan het beperkte boeren- en jagersbestaan. Ferguson betoogt in deze geschiedenis van de invloed van geld op de ontwikkeling van de mensheid, geïllustreerd met vele aansprekende historische voorbeelden, dat armoede en achtergesteldheid vaker een gevolg is van de afwezigheid van financiële instrumenten en infrastructuur dan van uitbuiting. In deze met twee nieuwe hoofdstukken uitgebreide editie gaat Ferguson in op de financiële crisis die in 2008 begon met het faillissement van Lehman Brothers en op de toekomst van de Euro. Daarmee brengt hij zijn gezaghebbende financiële geschiedenis van de wereld weer up-to-date.

The New Silk Road Jan 31 2020 The rise of the Arab world and China are part of the same story, once trading partners via the Silk Road. This is a fully revised and updated account of how China is spurring growth in the Arab world, taking into account new developments that have taken place since the first edition.

On East Asian Regional Cooperation I Apr 15 2021 The book intends to locate the process and effectiveness of cooperation in East Asia, to regard the construction of the East Asian community as the ideal, to see the contradictions and difficulties in construction as the reality, and to identify the actual development and achievement as the choice and effort between the two. The year of 1997 saw the Asian financial crisis, which turned out to be a disaster but also opened up an opportunity for East Asia to

establish cooperation mechanisms. Starting with the crisis, this book examines the origin and development of the East Asian cooperation movement. More importantly, it investigates the obstacles and resistance, and provides insights into the cooperation within East Asia in the context of unstable political environments. Specifically, it expounds the East Asian Free Trade Area, monetary cooperation, as well as the cooperation within Northeast Asian and Asia-Pacific regions.

China's Strategic Priorities Mar 27 2022 The People's Republic of China is the world's most populous state and largest consumer of energy, having demonstrated momentous progress on an unprecedented scale. This global power has increasingly shaped international relations as a result of its population size, economic development and political character. Identifying the most significant new issues and problems that have arisen from China's rapid development, this book examines the evolution of China's contemporary foreign policy and international relations. In doing so, it underlines the global importance of China's management of its own politics and economics, and demonstrates how all nation-states have a vested interest in—and to varying degrees are liable for—the consequences of Chinese actions. The book aims to spark debate by drawing attention to these critical issues; placing them on the scholarly agenda as well as that of the practitioner. It provides factual evidence, progressive

findings, justification and a rationale for action, expert analysis, and the resulting policy prescriptions. In addition, the book highlights the liable costs of failing to address China's strategic priorities. This interdisciplinary book draws attention to the most pressing issues that China must address for universal benefit, and will be of great interest to students and scholars of International Relations, Chinese Studies and Political Science.

Chinesisches Roulette Sep 28 2019 Das Buch, von dem die chinesische Regierung nicht will, dass wir es lesen: Money, Macht und Willkür in China »Von der Gier nach Geld, Sex und Macht und einem Imperium, das zurückschlägt.« Süddeutsche Zeitung Wann ist man wirklich mächtig? Wenn auf dem Konto eine Milliarde liegt? Wenn die Ehefrau mit der Frau des Premiers beim Shoppen große Geschäfte macht? Desmond Shum wächst in Shanghai und Hongkong auf. Nach dem Studium in den USA stürzt er sich ins Beijinger Businessleben mit dem Blickwinkel eines Outsiders und den richtigen Connections. Er scheffelt mit Immobilientransaktionen Geld. Ehefrau Whitney pflegt Beziehungen zu Ehefrauen wichtiger politischer Akteure. Und doch sind Desmond Shum die Hände gebunden, als Whitney, Multimilliardärin wie er, spurlos verschwindet. Wem aber konnte Whitney Duan gefährlich werden? Was wusste sie über Staatspräsident Xi Jinping - oder was außer Ärger mit der Staatsführung

könnte hinter ihrem plötzlichen Verschwinden sonst stecken? »In China ist Politik der Schlüssel zum Reichtum.« Desmond Shum Ein brisanter Augenzeugenbericht aus der neureichen Wirtschaftselite Chinas: Die Hintergründe der "Explosion" des chinesischen Kapitalismus in den 2000er Jahren, erzählt von einem, der mit verstrickt war und mitverdient hat. Selten hat es jemand gewagt, so offen über das zu schreiben, was in China Macht bedeutet. Ein aufsehenerregender Blick auf die chinesische Elite, exzessive Bereicherung und den Widerstreit von Kapitalismus und kommunistischer Partei. »Das Buch hat viele Leser verdient.« Kai Strittmatter, Autor von Die Neuerfindung der Diktatur »Shum zeichnet ein Sittengemälde der hedonistischen politischen Elite zu Beginn des Jahrtausends.« Frankfurter Allgemeine Zeitung »Ein eindrückliches Buch.« Schweizer Monat »Shum deckt die Machenschaften der Kommunistischen Partei Chinas auf und die der Milliardäre, die sie hervorgebracht hat.« Barbara Demick »Desmond Shum gibt in seinem Enthüllungs- und Bekenntnisbuch "Chinesisches Roulette" mannigfache Einblicke in die Gesetzmäßigkeiten des chinesischen Sozialgefüges.« Der Tagesspiegel »Shums Geschichte ist ein Thriller und ein politisches Lehrstück. Er zeichnet darin ein Sittengemälde der hedonistischen politischen Elite zu Beginn des Jahrtausends.« ORF **The Ascent of Money** Nov 10 2020 Bread, cash, dough, loot, lucre, the wherewithal:

call it what you like, it matters. To Christians, love of it is the root of all evil. To generals, it's the sinews of war. To revolutionaries, it's the chains of labour. But in *The Ascent of Money*, Niall Ferguson shows that finance is in fact the foundation of human progress. What's more, he reveals financial history as the essential back-story behind all history, with the development of credit and debt as important as any technological innovation in the rise of civilisation. The evolution of credit and debt was as important as any technological innovation in the rise of civilization, from ancient Babylon to the silver mines of Bolivia. Banks provided the material basis for the splendours of the Italian Renaissance, while the bond market was the decisive factor in conflicts from the Seven Years' War to the American Civil War. With the clarity and verve for which he is famed, Niall Ferguson explains why the origins of the French Revolution lie in a stock market bubble caused by a convicted Scots murderer. He shows how financial failure turned Argentina from the world's sixth richest country into an inflation-ridden basket-case – and how a financial revolution is propelling the world's most populous country from poverty to power in a single generation. Yet the most important lesson of the financial history is that sooner or later every bubble bursts – sooner or later the bearish sellers outnumber the bullish buyers – sooner or later greed flips into fear. And that's why, whether you're scraping by or rolling in it, there's never been a better time

to understand the ascent of money.

Crisiseconomie Nov 30 2019 Kritische analyse van de oorzaken en achtergronden van de in 2008 begonnen financiële crisis, met aandacht voor de rol van de overheid bij de preventie van toekomstige crises.

Currency Wars III: Financial High Frontiers Sep 01 2022 Currency, which has been overlooked by historians, is precisely the key to unlocking many historical puzzles, the compass to discern the maze of today's reality, and the telescope to discover the road to the future. In the course of studying the financial history of Europe, America, China and Japan, I have a growing feeling that finance is the "fourth dimensional frontier" that a sovereign country must defend. The concept of the frontiers of sovereign states does not only include the three-dimensional physical space constituted by the land, sea and air frontiers (including space), but in the future it needs to include a new dimension: finance. The importance of the financial high frontier will become increasingly important in the coming era of cloudy international currency wars. From the path of financial evolution in Europe and the United States, it can be clearly found that the currency standard, central banks, financial networks, trading markets, financial institutions and clearing centers together constitute the system architecture of financial high frontier. The main purpose of this system is to ensure efficient and

secure resource mobilization for currency pairs. From the source of the central bank to create money, to the customer terminal that eventually accepts money; from the dense network of money flow, to the clearing center of funds remittance; from the trading market of financial instruments, to the rating system of credit assessment; from the soft regulation of the financial legal system, to the construction of rigid financial infrastructure; from the huge financial institutions, to efficient industry associations; from complex financial products, to simple investment instruments, the financial high frontier protects the monetary blood from the heart of the central bank, to the financial capillaries and even the whole body economic cells, and eventually back to the central bank's circulation system.

Is China Ready to Challenge the Dollar? May 29 2022 Amid the fallout from the global financial crisis, much has been written about whether the United States can continue as the world's predominant economic power and whether the emerging BRIC economies, particularly China, are poised to challenge the current financial and economic architecture. In recent months, speculation has focused on the future of the U.S. dollar, largely due to comments by senior Chinese officials that have led some observers to conclude that the renminbi is set to usurp the dollar's place as the world's reserve currency. Although such headlines make thrilling copy, Melissa Murphy and

Wen Jin Yuan argue that it would be a mistake to conclude that China is ready to ditch the dollar anytime soon, let alone seek to replace the dollar with the renminbi as a reserve currency. Beijing has accumulated around 1.4 trillion in U.S. dollar reserves and is keen to avoid any precipitous decline in the dollar's value--which would in turn devalue its own holdings. But, while China is still a long way from challenging the dollar's global reserve currency status, as the largest holder of U.S. debt, Beijing is undoubtedly nervous about the prospect of a weaker dollar and is taking steps to diversify its reserves, as well as to internationalize the renminbi. There also seems little doubt that in the next decade China will emerge as a major player in the international financial system. Given the strategic geopolitical and economic implications of these developments, this report attempts to provide a clearer understanding of what is motivating Beijing's current moves, where its policy is likely headed, and the implications for the United States.

Currency Wars V: The Coming Rain Nov 03 2022 People's ability to think is often paralyzed in the face of overwhelming information and a myriad of opinions. Critical data is drowned out by noise data, important details are confused by minutiae, deeper pathologies are confused by superficial pathologies, core reasoning is tied up in trivial logic, analysis loses its bearings and judgment goes astray. Ultimately, the illusion

displaces the truth. This is particularly true in the economic sphere. Five years after the end of the financial crisis in 2008, views on the future course of the world economy are still divided. Has the U.S. quantitative easing been effective or not? Is the global currency overshoot a blessing or a curse? Are financial markets becoming safer, or more dangerous? Has the economic recovery been steady or short-lived? In short, is the world gradually moving away from the last recession, or is it accelerating its slide to the next crisis? All the activities that mankind has ever engaged in have always revolved around two most basic tasks, one of which is the creation of wealth and the other is the distribution of wealth, from which all other activities are derived. Whether creating wealth or distributing it, human greed has been the source of their ultimate energy since the beginning. The "good in greed" drives technological advances that save energy, reduce time, reduce intensity, and increase pleasure, resulting in a continuous increase in productivity and more prosperous wealth creation. However, the insatiable greed of greed can inspire trickery, speculation, fraud, quick gains and extravagance, which in turn stifle productivity progress, lead to a distorted distribution of wealth and reduce the economic vitality of society.

The Euro in the 21st Century Oct 10 2020 The Euro in the 21st Century clarifies the perception of the euro and empirically demonstrates that the euro has become a true

common currency and the Eurozone a true optimal currency area, presenting, in turn, a model to imitate. In order to demonstrate this, this study analyzes the economic and monetary requirements and policies required to introduce a common currency as well as the theoretical underpinnings of both the European integration process and the historical economic, monetary, political, and social circumstances that favoured the creation of the economic and monetary union. Furthermore, this book sheds light on how the current economic and monetary circumstances are affecting the euro project through an analysis of three intertwined issues. It studies how the economic chaos and financial uproar, which has plagued the Eurozone and world economy since 2008, has affected the single-currency regime as well as the current image of the euro worldwide. Moreover it summarizes the lesson to be learnt from what can be considered 'the first euro crisis'. Finally, it thoroughly analyzes the behaviour of the US Federal Reserve, the European Central Bank, and the International Monetary Fund during this crisis. This book draws on and contributes to several bodies of literature within Political Economy, Economics, and International Relations and is particularly relevant at this time given that the current unfolding economic imbalances are causing some Eurozone Member States to rethink their economic and political views concerning the euro.

Conspiracy Theories Sep 08 2020 Through a series of specific questions that cut to the

core of conspiracism as a global social and cultural phenomenon this book deconstructs the logic and rhetoric of conspiracy theories and analyses the broader social and psychological factors that contribute to their persistence in modern society.

Vogelvrij Dec 24 2021 In dit spannende vervolg op *Opstand* gaat de strijd van Robert Bruce voor een onafhankelijk Schotland verder. Robert reist af naar Ierland om de kostbare staf van Sint Malachus te vinden, een heilig reliek waar de koning van Engeland zijn zinnen op heeft gezet. Tijdens zijn tocht wordt hij echter gevangengenomen en is hij overgeleverd aan de genade van koning Edward. Robert slaagt erin te ontsnappen en wordt koning van Schotland. Maar de prijs van zijn verzet is hoog. *Vogelvrij* verklaard is Robert gedwongen zijn toevlucht te zoeken in de onherbergzame Schotse Hooglanden, waar hij de ene nacht in een fort slaapt, de andere in een kille grot. Wetend dat zijn familie elk moment kan worden opgepakt en geëxecuteerd door de Engelsen moet Robert alles op alles zetten om trouw te blijven aan zijn idealen en te vechten voor de Schotse onafhankelijkheid...

The Contest of the Century Jul 27 2019 From the former Financial Times Beijing bureau chief, a balanced and far-seeing analysis of the emerging competition between China and the United States that will dominate twenty-first-century world affairs—an inside account of Beijing's quest for influence and an explanation of how America can

come out on top. The structure of global politics is shifting rapidly. After decades of rising, China has entered a new and critical phase where it seeks to turn its economic heft into global power. In this deeply informed book, Geoff Dyer makes a lucid and convincing argument that China and the United States are now embarking on a great power–style competition that will dominate the century. This contest will take place in every arena: from control of the seas, where China’s new navy is trying to ease the United States out of Asia and reassert its traditional leadership, to rewriting the rules of the global economy, with attempts to turn the renminbi into the predominant international currency, toppling the dominance of the U.S. dollar. And by investing billions to send its media groups overseas, Beijing hopes to shift the global debate about democracy and individual rights. Eyeing the high ground of international politics, China is taking the first steps in an ambitious global agenda. Yet Dyer explains how China will struggle to unseat the United States. China’s new ambitions are provoking intense anxiety, especially in Asia, while America’s global influence has deep roots. If Washington can adjust to a world in which it is no longer dominant but still immensely powerful, it can withstand China’s challenge. With keen insight based on a deep local knowledge—offering the reader visions of coastal Chinese beauty pageants and secret submarine bases, lockstep Beijing military parades and the neon media screens of

Xinhua exported to New York City's Times Square—The Contest of the Century is essential reading at a time of great uncertainty about America's future, a road map for retaining a central role in the world.

China in the Era of Social Media May 05 2020 China in the Era of Social Media discusses how social media is changing the world in an unprecedented way through speed, scope, and depth. In the last decade or so, social media in China has witnessed the most explosive growth in the world. Being the most populous nation in the world, it has the most social media users in the world as well. This book examines the current situation and unique characteristics of Chinese social media, the significance of social media in the country's social transformation, and particularly its influences on political change in the nation. The main goal of this book is to explore how social media has been affecting and thus changing China's political system, the ruling communist ideology, and the state-run media, as well as its public discourse and public opinions. Scholars of Asian studies, political science, and communications will find this book particularly interesting.

Rough Guide to Conspiracy Theories, The (3rd) Jun 05 2020 Fully revised and updated, The Rough Guide to Conspiracy Theories sorts the myths from the realities, the allegations from the explanations and the paranoid from the probable. Who might

be trying to convince us that climate change is or isn't real? What is the truth behind the death of Osama bin Laden and is he still alive? When did the CIA start experimenting with mind control? Where is the HAARP installation and did it have anything to do with the Japanese tsunami disaster? Why is surveillance in our cities and online so widespread and what are the real benefits? This definitive guide to the world's most controversial conspiracies wanders through a maze of sinister secrets, suspicious cover-ups hidden agendas and clandestine operations to explore all these questions - and many many more. Now available in PDF format.

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